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TENDERS

Enclosed in a sealed envelope, addressed to the undersigned and marked "Tender for Walk" will be received by the Corporation of the Town of Cornwall, until noon of MONDAY, THE 2ND DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1895, for constructing about seven hundred and sixty (760) lineal feet, or about seven thousand three hundred and seventeen (7,317) square feet of

GRANOLITHIC WALK

on a portion of west side of Pitt Street, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the undersigned.

The work to be completed on or before the 5th day of October, 1895.

A satisfactory guarantee required for the perfect condition of the walk for a fixed period, which period may be terminated by the Corporation at any time after the lapse of one year.

An accepted cheque for ten per cent. of the contract price, payable to the order of the Treasurer of the Town of Cornwall, must accompany each tender as a guarantee for fulfilment of contract; otherwise the tender will not be considered. This cheque will be forfeited if the party whose tender is accepted does not at once sign contract and proceed with the work, but it will be returned in case of non acceptance of tender.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order,

GEORGE S. JARVIS

Clerk Town of Cornwall.

Town Hall, Cornwall, August 20th, 1895.

TENDERS FOR STEEL BRIDGE

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 1 o'clock p. m., TUESDAY, AUGUST 27TH, 1895, for the erection of a

STEEL BRIDGE

over the Sauble River, 1 mile from Tara; length of bridge 112 feet, C to C of end pins, to be placed on 4 cylinders, 3 feet 6 in. in diameter, filled with concrete, and protected with a cedar cribwork filled with stone. Moving load 100 lbs. per sq. foot. Roadway, 16 feet clear width, no sidewalk. Detailed plans and specifications to be furnished by tenderers, and state earliest date for completion. Particulars obtained from James Warren, Engineer, Walkerton. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. M. MONKMAN,
Tp. Clerk, Arkwright.

Arran, Aug 12th, 1895.

TENDERS FOR STEEL BRIDGE

Tenders will be received by Mr. Archibald McRae, Tara P. O., up to 1 o'clock p. m., August 28th, 1895, for the erection of a

STEEL BRIDGE

over the River Sauble in the village of Tara. Length of bridge, 84 feet C to C of end pins, to be placed on 4 cylinders, 3 feet 6 in. in diameter, filled with concrete and protected with a cedar cribwork filled with stone. Moving load, 120 lbs. per square foot. Roadway 18 ft. clear width. Needle beams to extend on each side for two 5 ft. sidewalks. Tenderers to state price with sidewalk completed, also without being completed. Detailed plans and specifications to be furnished by tenderers, and state earliest time for completion. Particulars obtained from James Warren, Engineer, Walkerton. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tara, Aug. 12th, 1895.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

BENSFORT, ONT.—W. Smyth will erect a saw and shingle mill here.

ST. ALBANS, QUE.—The sum of \$20,000 will be spent on new schools.

MORRISBURG, ONT.—A sewerage system for the village is necessary.

SARNIA, ONT.—The corner stone of the general hospital was laid on the 13th inst.

WATERLOO, ONT.—A new Anglican church is to be built here in the near future.

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, MAN.—The Salvation Army intend erecting a \$5,000 barracks here.

EAST ANGUS, QUE.—The St. Francis Lumber Co. has decided to build a large saw mill here.

SHERBROOKE, QUE.—The Sisters of the Precious Blood are preparing to erect a large nunnery.

BERLIN, ONT.—Ten thousand dollars have been subscribed towards the Hospital building fund.

GATINEAU POINT, QUE.—The council is again considering the question of constructing waterworks.

HUNTINGDON, QUE.—The Mayor has been authorized to sign the contract with the Stadacona Water, Power and Light Co., of Montreal, to supply the town with waterworks, sewerage and electric light.

ST. CATHARINES, ONT.—The Council is considering drainage extension estimated to cost \$15,000.

VICTORIA, B. C.—C. O. Wickenden, architect, is receiving tenders for two houses on Thurlow street.

SUMMERVILLE, ONT.—C. O. Shavre invites tenders until the 24th inst. for building a stone wall under barn, 80 x 35 feet.

NINGA, MAN.—The elevator of the Lake of the Woods Milling Co., which was burned last week, will be rebuilt at once.

WELLINGTON, B. C.—Frank Richards, of Victoria, is organizing a company to supply a waterworks system for this place.

HAWKESBURY, N. S.—It is stated that Mr. Killeen has secured the necessary funds to build the Hawkesbury-Louisburg railway.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—Three dwelling houses at Rat Portage, and the Methodist church at Assiniboine, were wrecked by a recent storm.

SCHOMBERG, ONT.—It is reported that a company of Scotch capitalists are considering the construction of a railway around this town.

ST. THOMAS, ONT.—St. John's Anglican church intend erecting a new parsonage for their rector, on the grounds adjoining the church.

WOODSTOCK, ONT.—The plans of Mr. W. M. Davis for sewerage works will be submitted to the Provincial Board of Health for approval.

FREDERICTON, N. B.—J. A. Ruel, C. E., has about completed his survey of the city for a sewerage system, and plans will be prepared at once.

NAKUSP, B. C.—It is understood that the Kansas City Consolidated Smelting & Refining Company has decided to erect a large smelting plant here.

RODNEY, ONT.—Horace J. Jell, municipal clerk of Arlborough, is asking for tenders until the 1st of September for the purchase of \$4,000 of debentures.

KINGSTON, ONT.—The Court of Revision has confirmed the assessments for a main sewer on William street, and the work will be proceeded with at once.

ELORA, ONT.—Tenders for laying about ten thousand square feet of artificial stone sidewalk in this village will be received by Alex. Petrie, Clerk, until the 30th inst.

WINDSOR, ONT.—The Windsor and Essex Committee appointed to select a joint city and county building site have decided in favor of the Central High School block.

CARLTON PLACE, ONT. The foundation for Mr. G. E. Leslie's new building has been commenced. The building is to be solid brick, three stories high, with basement. The front will be of iron. 100,000 Donkey Pressed bricks will be used.