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Notice is hereby given that a dividend of 3 per cent. on the Capital Stock of the Company has been declared for the current half-year, payable on and after the first day of June next, at the office of the Company, corner of Victoria and Adelaide Streets, Toronto.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st May, inclusive.

Notice is hereby given that the General Annual Meeting of the Company will be held at 2 p.m., Tuesday, June the 2nd, at the office of the Company for the purpose of receiving the annual report the election of Directors, etc.

By order of the Board, S. C. WOOD, Managing Director. Toronto, 22nd April, 1896.



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Post Office, etc., Arnprior, Ont." will be received at this office until Thursday, 7th May, 1896, for the several works required in the erection of Post Office, etc., Arnprior.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and at the office of Messrs. Duling & Burwash, barristers, Arnprior, Ont., on and after Friday, 24th April, and tenders will not be considered unless made on form supplied and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

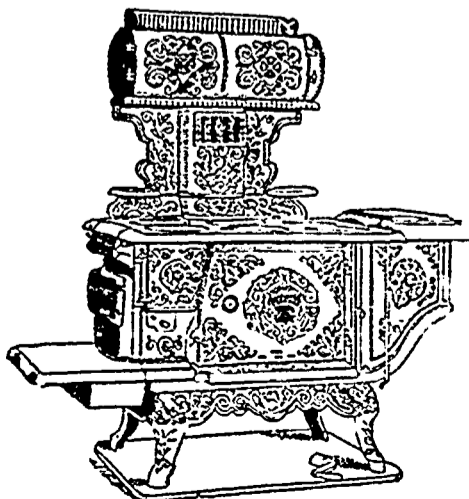
An accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent of the amount of tender, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party declines the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order.

E. F. ROY, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 30th April, 1896.



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MEETINGS OF PRESBYTERY.

- ALGONA.—At Gore Bay in September.
BARRIE.—At Barrie, on May 26th, at 10.30 a.m.
BRANDON.—At Brandon on July 14th, at 10 a.m.
BROCKVILLE.—At Lyn, on July 14th, at 3 p.m.
BRANDON.—Regular meetings in March, first Tuesday; second Tuesday of July and September of each year. Meets next in Brandon.
CALGARY.—At Pincher Creek, Alberta, on September 2nd, at 8 p.m.
CHATHAM.—At Chatham, in First Church, on July 14th, at 10 a.m.
GLENGARRY.—At Alexandria on July 14th, at 11 a.m.
GUELPH.—At Guelph, in Knox Church, on May 19th, at 10.30 p.m.; adjourned meeting at Fergus, in Melville Church, on April 9th, at 2.30 p.m.
HAMILTON.—At St. Catharines, on May 21st.
HURON.—At Brucefield, on May 12th, at 10.30 a.m.
KAMLOOPS.—At Enderby, on Sept. 1st, at 10 a.m.
LONDON.—At St. Thomas, in Knox Church, on May 11th, at 2 p.m.; for conference; and for business on the 12th, at 9 a.m.
MAITLAND.—At Wingham, on May 19th, at 11.30 a.m.
MONTREAL.—At Montreal, in Knox Church, on June 30th, at 10 a.m.
ORANGEVILLE.—At Orangeville, on May 5th, at 10.30 a.m.
OWEN SOUND.—In Division Street Hall, Tuesday, April 21st, 10 a.m.
PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE.—At Portage La Prairie May 4, at 7.30 p.m.
PARIS.—At Ingersoll, in St. Paul's Church, on July 7th, at 11 a.m.
PETERBOROUGH.—At Peterborough, in St. Andrew's Church, on July 7th, at 9 a.m.
REGINA.—At Qu'Appelle on July 8th.
SARNIA.—At Sarnia on July 14th, at 7 p.m.
SAUGEN.—At Harriston on July 14th, at 10 a.m.
SUPERIOR.—At Rat Portage on September 9th, at 2 p.m.
STRATFORD.—At Stratford, in Knox Church, on Monday, May 11th, at 7.30 p.m. First Sederunt Conference on Church Life and Work.
WESTMINSTER.—At New Westminster, on June 2nd, at 2 p.m.
LINDSAY.—At Wick, on June 2nd, at 10.30 a.m. Presbyterian Sabbath School Convention the following day.
HAMILTON.—At St. Catharines, on May 19th, at 10.30 a.m.



TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for Works," will be received at this Department until noon on Tuesday, May 16th, for the following works:—

Rebuilding of Chemical Laboratory and reconstruction of Sewage Disposal Works at the Agricultural College, Guelph; Porch to North Building, Asylum for the Insane, London; Addition to East Wing of the Asylum for the Insane, Kingston; Residence for Medical Superintendent, Asylum for the Insane, Brockville; Addition to Gaol, North Bay; and for a Carstaker's Lodge on the grounds of Osgoode Hall, Toronto.

Plans and specifications may be seen at this Department and at the above named Institutions.

(Sd.) WM. HARTY, Commissioner.

Department of Public Works, Ont., May 1st, 1896.



MILITIA.

SEALED TENDERS for the supply for the Permanent Force and Active Militia, for Necessaries, Barrack Stores, and Camp Equipment, consisting of Boots, Socks, Underclothing, Shirts, Razors, Brushes, etc.; Rugs, Sheets, Corn Brooms, etc.; Blankets, Waterproof Sheets, Marquees, Sallory and Numnahs, will be received up to noon, Friday, 8th of May, 1896. The Tenders are to be marked on the left hand corner of the envelope, Tender for "Militia Store Supplies," and are to be addressed to the undersigned.

The contract for Boots is to cover a period of three years from the 1st July, 1896. Those for Necessaries, Barrack Stores, and Camp Equipment are for one year from 1st July, 1896.

Printed forms of tender containing full particulars may be obtained from the Department at Ottawa, at the offices of the District Paymasters at London, Toronto, Kingston, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, N.B., and Winnipeg, Man., and the office of the Deputy Adjutant General of Military District No. 2, Halifax.

Every article of Necessaries, Barrack Stores, etc., to be furnished, as well as the material therein must be manufactured in Canada, and similar in every respect to the sealed pattern thereof, which may be seen at the office of the undersigned at Ottawa. This does not apply to material for saddlery. Neither sealed patterns, nor samples, will be sent to parties desiring to tender.

No tender will be received unless made on a printed form furnished by the Department, nor will a tender be considered if the printed form is altered in any manner whatsoever.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted Chartered Canadian Bank cheque, payable to the order of the Honourable, the Minister of Militia and Defence, for an amount equal to ten per cent. of the total value of the article tendered for, which will be forfeited if the party making the tender declines to sign a contract when called upon to do so. If the tender be not accepted, the cheque will be returned. The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

A. BENOIT, Capt., Secretary.

Department of Militia and Defence, Ottawa, 15th April, 1896.

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ANNUAL MEETING.

Pursuant to the Act of Incorporation, notice is hereby given that the 26th annual meeting of the

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on

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Synod of Montreal and

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The Synod of Montreal and Ottawa will meet (D.V.) in Erskine Church, Montreal, on the second Tuesday of May next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Business Committee will meet the next day, at 4 p.m.

All papers intended for the Synod should be in the clerks hands at least ten days before the date.

The usual privileges for travel will be given by the leading railway companies; and careful attention to the conditions imposed, at the commencement of the journey, is particularly noted.

K. MACLENNAN, Synod Clerk

Louis, March 30th, 1896.