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To Contractors

Separate tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received through registered post up to noon on

JANUARY 1st, 1898,

for the various works required in the erection and completion of a

HOUSE OF INDUSTRY

at Beeton, Ontario, for the Municipal Corporation of the County of Simcoe.

Plans and specifications may be seen on and after Monday, the 13th day of December next, at the offices of EDEN SMITH and EUSTACE BIRD, A.R.I.B.A., Architects, Toronto and Barrie.

A deposit in cash or marked cheque, payable to the order of the Treasurer of the County of Simcoe, equal to 5 per cent of the value of the work tendered for, must accompany each tender as a guarantee of good faith. Should any party or parties whose tender may be accepted fail to execute the necessary contract and give satisfactory security for the due fulfillment thereof, his or their deposit will be forfeited to the said counties.

Deposits of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOSEPH WHITESIDES,
Chairman Property Committee.

Elmgrove P.O., County of Simcoe, Ont.

Monaghan & Sutherland, contractors, Halifax, N.S., are said to have assigned.



Tenders for Stone

Tenders will be received by registered post only, addressed to the Chairman of the Board of Control, City Hall, Toronto, up to noon on THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23rd, 1897, for the supply and delivery of 200 tons of stone, in ten ton lots and upwards, at the House of Industry, in this city.

Contents of envelopes containing tenders must be plainly marked on outside.

Specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the City Engineer.

A marked cheque, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, Toronto, for 5 per cent of the amount tendered for up to \$1,000, and 2½ per cent of the amount over that sum, must accompany each and every tender, otherwise it will be ruled out as informal.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted

JOHN SHAW (Mayor),
Chairman Board of Control.

Toronto, Dec. 7th, 1897.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

DAUPHIN, MAN.—A new school is required.

SOUTH WOODSLEE, ONT.—The erection of a new school is talked of.

EDEN GROVE, ONT.—The G.T.R. has decided to rebuild the station here.

NIAGARA FALLS, ONT.—The Synod of Niagara will build a see-house for the bishop.

FAIRVIEW, B. C.—The Winchester Mining Company purpose erecting a large stamp mill.

SLOCAN CITY, B. C.—A local company has made a proposition to install an electric light plant.

ROSSLAND, B.C.—T. G. Elgie has made a proposition to the town to erect reduction works next spring.

DOMINION CITY, MAN.—The village has decided to offer a bonus of \$3,000 for the erection of a grist mill.

MORRISBURG, ONT.—The town is discussing the question of bonusing a paper mill to the extent of \$20,000.

LONDON, ONT.—James A. Page has been granted a permit for a brick veneer cottage on English street, to cost \$800.

MARYSVILLE, N.B.—Arrangements are being made for the erection of a pulp mill on the island below the large saw mill.

HAMPTON, N.B.—The Methodist congregation have decided to build a new parsonage. James Piers has the contract for foundation.

LISTOWEL, ONT.—The town is offering for sale \$6,110 worth of local improvement debentures, bearing interest at 4%, payable yearly.

BRANTFORD, ONT.—The Verity Plow Company offer to erect buildings to cost \$40,000, in consideration of certain concessions by the city.

BRANDON, MAN.—Mr. C. Adams, M.

P.P. for Brandon, advocates the building of the Dauphin road to Brandon and then south, probably to Boissevain.

CHATEAU RICHER, QUE.—We understand that a waterfall, presumably the Sault a la Puce, is to be utilized for furnishing power for manufacturing.

FREDERICTON, N. B.—Mr. Willard Kitchen has purchased the Cummings property. It is the intention to erect thereon a Masonic temple of brick and stone.

BELLEVILLE, ONT.—The Intelligencer states that an English syndicate is negotiating for the control of the Belleville street railway, with a view to the extension of the road to Tweed.

PORT ARTHUR, ONT.—Mr. Jenison will proceed at once to complete plans for developing the water power of the Kakabeka Falls, which will be transmitted to Fort William and Port Arthur.

OWEN SOUND, ONT.—The C.P.R. are said to contemplate the erection of a third elevator here.—The Beet Sugar Company will ask the Ontario government for a bounty. They offer to erect extensive buildings.

ANDOVER, N.B.—Dr. Welling, A. E. Kupkey and J. S. Sutton have been appointed a committee to report on the cost of a suitable waterworks system for the village. The work is not likely to cost over \$5,000.

SUMMERSIDE, P.E.I.—Chairman Hunt, of the town council, has received from Prof. Lee an estimate of the cost of waterworks and sewerage for this town. The estimate for the waterworks system is \$72,000, and for the sewerage \$30,000.

BRAMPTON, ONT.—The town has purchased the Crowforth residence for a House of Industry.—A by-law will be submitted to the taxpayers to raise \$10,000 for the improvement of roads and bridges. The vote will be taken on the 3rd of January.

VICTORIA, B.C.—It is the intention of Weiler Bros. to erect a large business block on Broughton street.—Mr. Frank Jaynes, general superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Company, states that the line is to be extended to this city.

GALT, ONT.—At a meeting of the council last week it was decided to submit to the ratepayers, at the municipal elections, by-laws for the enlargement of the market square, the erection of a modern fire-hall, a fire alarm system, and a sewerage system for a portion of the town.

ST. THOMAS, ONT.—The by-law to confirm an agreement between the city council and the Street Railway Company for the electrification of the street railway was carried by the ratepayers last week. The company agrees to build six and one-half miles of track and to strengthen the Wilson bridge.

ST. JOHN, N. B.—Fred. Sandall, Chamberlain of the city of St. John, will