

REPORT No. 14.—Copy from the Records of all Offers made for carrying the Mails upon Contracts advertised for public competition in Nova Scotia, from the 1st July, 1869, to 30th June, 1870.

Service.	Conditions stipulated by Department in advertising Service.—Proposed duration of contract.	Date of advertising for Tenders.	Date of reception of Tenders.	Name of Person Tendering.	Residence of Person Tendering.	Date of Tender.	Date of receipt of Tender by P. M. General.	No. of Tender.	Terms proposed in Tender.	Amount per annum proposed in Tender.	Observations.
Pleasant River & Brookfield (8 miles)	Service twice per week, to commence on 1st September, 1869. Mails to be conveyed in a suitable vehicle. Proposed term of contract four years, with usual reservation in favor of Postmaster General.	1870. July 26.	1870. Aug. 27.	H. A. Freeman. Howard Dexter. Wm. McKay. J. M. Freeman. Wm. Hendry.	Pleasant River. do do do Brookfield.	1870. Aug. 19. Aug. 7. Aug. 13. Aug. 18. Aug. 3. Aug. 4.	1870. Aug. 27. Aug. 13. Aug. 21. Aug. 13. Aug. 11.	1 2 3 4 5	1. In conformity with terms of advertisement.	\$ cts. 58 00 60 00 76 00 80 00 100 00	No. 1 accepted.
Shubenacadie and Noelton Greenfield Settlement & Indian Road (28 miles)	Service once per week, to commence on 1st October, 1869. Mails to be conveyed in a suitable vehicle. Proposed term of contract as above.	Aug. 12.	Sept. 10.	J. W. Deunsmore Don. McDonald. George Bitter. Gilbert Walker. Ed. Lynch.	Shubenacadie. Hardwood Lands Shubenacadie. do Matiland.	Sept. 8. Sept. 9. do do do Sept. 8.	Sept. 10. do do do do Sept. 9.	1 2 3 4 5	do	128 75 139 00 165 00 175 00 196 00	No. 1 accepted.
Shubenacadie & Nine Mile River via Hardwood Lands, returning by the Blois and Indian Roads (40 miles)	Service once per week, to commence on 1st October, 1869. Mail to be conveyed by horse and wagon. Proposed term of contract as above.	Aug. 27.	Sept. 10.	J. W. Deunsmore Don. McDonald. R. K. Phillips. Ed. Blackburn. J. L. Blackburn. Gibb. W. Walker. J. S. Lynch.	Shubenacadie. Hardwood Lands Shubenacadie. do do do do	Sept. 8. Sept. 9. Sept. 8. do do do Sept. 9. Sept. 10.	Sept. 10. do do Sept. 10. Sept. 9 Sept. 10 do	1 2 3 4 5 6 7	do	78 50 94 00 98 00 108 00 110 00 125 00 156 00	No. 1 accepted.
Enfield and Oldham (3½ miles)	Service six times per week, to commence on 1st November, 1869. Mail to be conveyed in a suitable vehicle. Proposed term of contract as above.	Oct. 7.	Oct. 22.	George Johnston	Oldham	Oct. 21.	Oct. 22.	1	do	110 00	Accepted.