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CEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned "Secretary of Railways and Canaba and endorsed "Tender for Bridges, Welland Canab," will be re-ceived at this office until the arrival of the Western nails on TUESDAY, THE 15th DAY OF JUNE next, for the construction of swing and stationary bridges at various places on the line of the Welland Canal. Those for highways are to be a combination of from and wood, and those for railway purposes are to be of iron. are to be of iron.

Plans, specifications and general conditions can be seen at this office on and after MONDAY. THE Sist DAY OF MAY next, where Forms of Tender can be be obtained.

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Ninety per cent, only of the progress estimates will be paid until the completion of the work. This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order,

F. BRAUN, Secretary.

DEPT. OF RAILWAYS & CANALS, Ottawa, 20th March, 1880.



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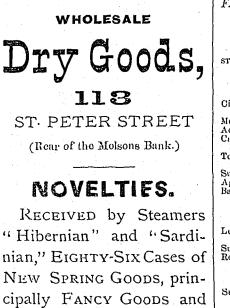
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FIRE INSURANCE CO. OF CANADA. Head Office, Toronto. STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1879. Assets.

THE SOVEREIGN

City of Toronto and Hamilton Debentures	\$105.010	0.1.
Mortgage Receivable	858	32
Accrued Interest	225	50
Canadian Bank of Commerce Stock Toronto and Montreal Office Fur-	6,870	
niture and fittings	1,808	
Sundry other Assets	1,373	16
Agents' Balances	24,331	29
Balance of Call due March, 1880	42,907	25

\$183,385 27

Losses under Adjustment.....\$30,860 17 Sundry Liabilities..... 765-06 Re-Insurance Reserve.... 61,321 95 82,947 18

Liabilities.

\$100,438 09

Subscribed Capital not yet Called 480,000 00 up.....

120,000 00

> HON. ALEX. MACKENZIE, President J. MAUGHAN, Jr.,

Manager.



WELLAND CANAL.

Notice to Machinist-Contractors.

Notice to Machinist-Contractors. StateD TENDERS addressed to the undor-signed (Secretary of Railways and Canals) and endorsed "Tender for Lock Gates, Welland Canal," will be received at this office until the arrival of the teastern and Western Mails on THUISDAY, they and the necessary machinery connected with them, for the new locks on the Welland Canal. "Plans, Specifications and General Conditions can be seen at this office on and after THURSDAY, they 20th day of JUNE, next, for the construction of rates, for the new locks on the Welland Canal. "Plans, Specifications and General Conditions can be seen at this office on and after THURSDAY, they 20th day of MAY, next, where forms of tender can also be obtained. "Trattles tendering are expected to provide the specific tools necessary for, and to have a practical knowledge of, works of this class, and are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered upless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms-except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the asmo-can d, further, an accepted bank cleque for a sum-equal to \$250, for the gates of each lock, must accom-pany each tender, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the work at the rates and on the torms stated in the offic submitted. The ineque thus sent in will be returned to the party tender in the stenders are not accepted. The tore due fulliment of the concuract the party

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DEPT. OF RAILWAYS & CANALS, Ottaws, 29th March, 1880.