MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 13th day of September, 1918, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week, over Melbourne No. 1 Rural Route, from the Postmaster-General's pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Postoffice of Melbourne, Middlemiss, Longwood and Appin, and at the office of the Postoffice Inspector, London.

CHAS. E. H. FISHER,
Postoffice Inspector.
Aug. 20, 27, Sept. 3.

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 20th day of September, 1918, for the conveyance of his majesty's mails, on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week, over Northwood No. 1 Rural Route, from the 1st of January, 1919. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Postoffices of Northwood, Kent Bridge, Chatham and Thamesville, and at the office of the Postoffice Inspector, London.

Postoffice Inspector's Office, London, August 9, 1918. Chas. E. H. Fisher, Postoffice Inspector. Aug.13,20,27

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SEALED TENDERS will be received at the office of Victoria Hospital up to noon on Friday, August 23, for the following supplies for one year from September 1 next: GROCERIES, BREAD, MEATS, FISH, MILK AND DRUGS.

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DR. HOLMES, 344 RICHMOND—SPECIALTY, skin diseases, electro-therapy and X-ray. Office closed till September 4.

DR. WEEKES, 436 WATERLOO — Hours, 1 to 3, and 7 to 8.

DR. W. F. BABB, 205 QUEEN'S avenue. Eye, ear, nose and throat.

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DR. A. A. McLEAN, CORNER DUNDAS and William—Specialty, diseases of stomach and children, and non-surgical treatment of women.

DR. G. L. CLARKE—EYE, EAR, NOSE and throat. 395 Dundas street.

R. W. SHAW, M.D., L.R.C.P. AND M.R.C.S. (England), 287 King street. Phone 839.

DR. W. M. SHOEBOTHAM, 620 RICHMOND, corner of Hyman. Specialty, surgery, diseases of women.

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DR. W. J. STEVENSON, 389 DUNDAS street—Specialty, diseases of women and surgery. Phone 510.

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MERVILLE TAKEN AND ROYE ENTERED BY HAIG'S FORCES IN DRIVE ON 6 MILE FRONT

French Reach the Outskirts of the Town of Lassigny—2,200 Prisoners Capture d Northwest of Soissons.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—8 p.m.—British troops today captured the railway station at Roye, according to the latest news received this evening from the Anglo-French battlefront.

The attack today by the 10th French army under General Mangin was brought to a satisfactory conclusion. All the objectives were attained. The French entered the village of Le Hamel, north of Ribecourt, which represents an advance of one mile and three-quarters.

Mervile Is Captured.

The British forces on the Lys salient have advanced on a front of 10,000 yards, capturing the town of Merville and reaching the road running from Paradis to Les Puresbecques through Merville, according to Field Marshal Haig's communication tonight.

Northwest of Chaulnes the Germans this morning in an attack over a mile front between Herleville and Lihons penetrated the British line at two points, but immediately afterward were driven out in a counter-attack and the line was restored, according to Field Marshal Haig's communication from British headquarters in France tonight.

The text reads:

GERMANS TRY THE OFFENSIVE.

"The enemy this morning strongly attacked on a front of a mile against our positions between Lihons and Herleville. He succeeded in penetrating our line at two points, but was immediately driven out by our counter-attack, and the situation was completely restored.

"Many casualties were inflicted on the enemy, and a few prisoners were taken.

"Our advance has continued in the Merville sector (Lys salient, Flanders), and considerable progress has been made on a front of 10,000 yards. We reached the line of road running through Merville from Paradis to Les Puresbecques and have entered Merville.

"There was sharp fighting at different points in the course of our advance, and a number of prisoners and machine guns were captured. The total prisoners captured yesterday in the neighborhood of Outtersteen was 676."

FRENCH GAIN EVERYWHERE.

Paris, Aug. 19.—The French troops north of the Oise River have reached the western outskirts of Lassigny, according to the official communication issued tonight. They also have made their way out of Thiescourt Wood, and farther south have captured the village of Pimprez, on the Noyon-Compiegne road.

Northwest of Soissons the village of Morsain has been captured, and 2,200 Germans have been made prisoner in this region.

The text follows:

At Doors of Lassigny.

"Between the Matz and the Oise we continued to make progress during the day. Our troops, in spite of stubborn resistance by the enemy, have captured Fresnieres, and reached the western outskirts of Lassigny.

"Farther south we have succeeded in debouching from the Thiescourt wood.

"On our right we have conquered Pimprez and advanced to the southern outskirts of Dreslincourt.

"To the north of the Aisne, completing our successes betweeen Carlepont and Fontenoy, we have taken the village of Morsain.

2,200 Prisoners Taken.

"The number of prisoners captured in this region since yesterday has reached 2,200."

This morning's statement recorded that between the Oise and the Aisne French troops attacked at 6 o'clock last night over a front of fifteen kilometres, between Sarlepoint, about four miles east of Ribecourt and Fontenoy, approximately six miles west of Soissons. They advanced an average distance of two kilometres over the whole front. The French occupied the plateau west of Nampoel, about seven miles northwest of Fontenoy, and the edge of the ravine south of Andigncourt, two miles and a half east of Nampoel, according to the statement. Nouvron-Vingre was captured.

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GLEN BROS., SIGN PAINTERS—Designs and estimates furnished free. 420 Talbot street. Phone 1842.

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DR. JARVIS, SPECIALIST—EXTRACTION and pyorrhea. Painless method. 213 Dundas street.

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DR. S. M. THOMAS, 252½ DUNDAS — Phone 2085.

EDUCATIONAL.

DR. CODY AND GEORGE HENRY ELECTED TO THE ONTARIO LEGISLATURE

Poll Was Small in Northeast Toronto and East York By-Elections.

Toronto, Aug. 19.—Both of the new members of the Ontario Government were elected to the Legislature by large majorities in the by-elections held in Northeast Toronto and East York today.

In Northeast Toronto, Hon. H. J. Cody, minister of education, defeated William Varley, soldier-labor candidate, by a majority of 4,863, the poll standing: Cody, 9,098; Varley, 4,235.

In East York the majority of Hon. George S. Henry, minister of agriculture, over John Galbraith was 2,631, with nine polls still to be heard from. The standing of the candidates was: Henry, 3,343; Galbraith, 712.

The poll in both ridings was a small one, though the women's vote was fairly heavy. In Northeast Toronto only 11,333 votes were cast out of a possible 65,000, while in East York the proportion was still less, being some 4,000 out of a possible 32,000.

BRITISH TANKER SINKS FOE SUB OFF NANTUCKET

Flames Burst From Side and She Rolls Over and Under.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 19.—A German submarine was sunk in a running battle with a British tank steamer last Friday about 300 miles northeast of Nantucket, according to members of the tanker's crew. The oil ship arrived here tonight from Mexico.

When first sighted the U-boat was two miles away, according to the captain of the tanker, who said he immediately opened fire. Two shots from the submersible struck the British ship, one of them passing through the boiler room and the other through a tank. Neither of the shells exploded and did no material damage, the captain reported.

Twenty-seven shots were fired by the tank ship, one or more of which her master declared scored clean hits, as flames were seen bursting from the port side of the submarine, which, he said, sank a few minutes later.

OSTEOPATHIC CLINICS

FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS — 444 Waterloo. Clinics closed during summer months.

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FOR SALE—EXCELLENT GROCERY business in city of Windsor. Owner did $16,000 in 1917. In best location in city for strictly cash business. Store rents for $30. Price $2,000. Stock and fixtures. Snap for right party. See this at once. Owner retiring. Winter, Williamson & Little, 16 Pitt street west, Windsor, Ont. 67c

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FOR EXCHANGE—TWO LOTS IN Calgary for a second-hand auto. Apply Box 189, Advertiser, or phone 5399. *67c

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AUCTIONEERS.

AUGER, AUCTIONEER, VALUATOR, 141 King. Boots, shoes, clothing. Private sale daily. See my shoes. You save.

SEE H. VAN LOON, 261 DUNDAS street, if you need an auctioneer. Telephone 120.

POSTIES TO RECEIVE EXTRA ALLOWANCE OF $100 EAST OF "SOO"

Those in West Will Receive Allowance of $50.

DIFFERENCE IS RESENTED

$1,880 Is the Limit in Both Eastern and Western Canada.

OTTAWA, Aug. 19.—The sub-committee of the privy council, which recently heard the representations of the letter carriers, railway mail clerks and postal clerks of the postal service of Canada for increases in salaries, has made its report, which was today adopted by the Government and consequently goes into effect at once.

The principal recommendation in the report is that in addition to all salaries and allowances voted by parliament and now payable, there shall be paid a further provisional allowance for the current fiscal year, and as from April 1, 1918, of one hundred dollars to east of Sault Ste. Marie, and fifty dollars to those at and west of Sault Ste. Marie. For many years the western employees have received special living allowance of one hundred and eighty dollars over those of the east, and this has been taken into consideration by the committee. At the hearings the view was strongly expressed to the committee that this difference was not justified under present conditions.

The Salary List.

The present salaries of those affected by the increases and the salaries which they will now receive are shown in the following schedule:

Letter Carriers.

	Previous Income.	As Increased.
Eastern Canada—		
Minimum	$ 876	$ 976
Maximum	1,189	1,289
Western Canada—		
Minimum	1,056	1,106
Maximum	1,369	1,419

Railway Mail Clerks.

	Previous Income.	As Increased.
Eastern Canada—		
Minimum	$ 850	$ 850
Maximum	1,600	1,700
Western Canada—		
Minimum	1,030	1,080
Maximum	1,780	1,850

Postal Clerks.

	Previous Income.	As Increased.
Eastern Canada—		
Minimum	$ 850	$ 950
Maximum	1,880	1,880
Western Canada—		
Minimum	1,030	1,080
Maximum	1,880	1,880

$1,880 the Limit.

It is provided that the above additional provisional allowance shall not be paid in excess of the proportion which together with any salary or provisional allowance now payable to any employee shall constitute a salary of $1,880.

Another important recommendation of the committee is that the limitation contained in the vote in the last session of parliament which confined the provisional allowance which was voted to certain employees of the department to married men, widowers and widows with children and to unmarried persons with dependents and permanently employed, be now removed.

The result is that temporary employees as well as permanent and unmarried persons without dependents of the classes mentioned will now be entitled to such provisional allowance as the vote provides. The provision for the deduction from this provisional allowance of any permanent increase in salary given since April 1, 1918, is also eliminated.

The committee also recommends that all provisional allowances, including that which they recommend be payable in proportionate installments with the usual salary checks to those entitled thereto.

Must Go to Parliament:

The committee dealing with the subject of salary schedules or amendments thereto points out that the establishments of such schedules or such amendments has always been regarded as a function of parliament. Any action of this character, by order-in-council, would be without precedent, and, in the opinion of the committee, unwarranted. They further point out that the request for an immediate increase of salaries is based on present economic conditions, due to the war. The report specially states that the allowances recommended are provisional, and pending the action of parliament upon the report of the civil service committee, which is now under legislation of last sessistion, engaged in inquiry into salaries and classification of the outside civil service, and is in fact at present investigating the conditions of employment and remuneration of the postal employees of Western Canada.

Council at its meeting today in addition to adopting the report of the committee on salaries of the postal service authorized on the recommendation of the minister of customs and inland revenue, payment to officers of the outside service of the department of customs and inland revenue receiving less than $1,800 per annum of a provisional allowance, not exceeding $100 each for the present fiscal year, provided that such provisional allowance and salary combined shall not amount to more than $1,800. Those in the west who are receiving a living allowance of $180 will receive not more than fifty dollars.

The ministers of several other departments will consider the salary lists of their staffs of the outside service with a view to such further action as may be deemed proper.

CASH GRAIN

WINNIPEG.

Winnipeg, Aug. 19.—The local cash grain markets were lifeless at the opening session today. There were no offerings of oats, barley or flax, and no demand and no bids were received up to 12:30 p.m.

Oats closed ⅝c higher for October, and ½c higher for December.

Flax closed 5 cents higher for October, 4½c higher for November and 4½c higher for December.

Futures:

Oats—	Open.	Close.
Oct.	$ 84⅝	$ 84⅝
Dec.	80⅝	80⅝
Flax—		
Oct.	4 30	4.30
Nov.	4 21	4 19
Dec.	4 13	4 13½

Cash prices:

Oats—No. 2 Canadian western, 92⅝c; No. 1 feed, 84⅝c.

Barley—No. 3 C.W., $1.20; No. 4 C.W., $1.15.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Aug. 19.—Grain quotations at Toronto are:

Oats—Canada western, No. 2, 92⅝c; No. 3 Canada western, 92⅝c, at lake ports for immediate shipment; Ontario, No. 2 white, 77@79c, outside; No. 3 white, 76@77c, outside.

Barley—$1.03@1.05, outside for malting.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Aug. 19.—There is a steady demand from local buyers for new crop Ontario oats and further sales of several cars were made, while the trade in Canadian Western grades was slow.

Oats—Canadian Western, No. 2, $1.02 @1.03; extra No. 1 feed, 99c@$1.

FLOUR

Montreal, Aug. 19.—Flour—Manitoba spring wheat, war grade, $10.95@11.05.

Rolled Oats—Bags, 90 lbs., $5.20@5.30.

Bran—$35.

Shorts—$40.

Moullie—$67.

New York, Aug. 19.—Flour—Barely steady; springs, $11.15@11.40; winters, $10.40@10.70; Kansas, $11.10@11.35.

Rye Flour—Steady, firm; good, $8.50 @8.90; choice to fancy, $9.45@10.50, jute, spot and to arrive.

Barley Flour—Dull; $8.60@9.50, in 98-lb. sacks.

Minneapolis, Aug. 19.—Flour—Unchanged.

THE LOCAL MARKET

Tomatoes took another drop on the local market this morning, and brought from 40c to 50c per basket. Pumpkins made their first appearance, and although this time of the year is early for them, there were some very fine samples on the market, selling for 10c and 15c each. Corn brought 12½c to 15c per dozen, and was of extra good quality. Hay still remains very scarce, and this morning brought from $15 to $16 per ton. Oats brought $2.50 per bushel, while old oats sold for $2.70 and $2.75. A shipment of hogs was received and consisted of some very fine animals which brought $19.50 per cwt. Fat sows sold for $16.50. All other produce remained firm.

Grain, Cwt.—			
Oats, per cwt.	$2 70	to	$2 75
Oats, new, cwt.	2 50	to	2 50
Grain, Bushel—			
Wheat, per bu.	2 10	to	2 12
Oats, per bu.	92	to	92½
Vegetables—			
Cabbage, per doz.	50	to	75
New cabbage, doz.	1 00	to	1 00
New potatoes, wholesale, per bu.	1 50	to	1 50
New potatoes, retail, per peck	50	to	50
Celery, per doz.	45	to	60
Rhubarb, per doz.	40	to	45
Radishes, doz bunches	20	to	30
Green onions, doz.	30	to	40
New beets, doz.	35	to	40
Tomatoes, per lb.	18	to	20
Tomatoes, basket	40	to	50
Beans, per qt.	6	to	8
Green peas, qt.	25	to	30
Pumpkins, each	10	to	15
Cauliflowers, doz.	1 00	to	1 50
Corn, on cob, doz.	12½	to	15
Sage, savory, per doz.	40	to	40
Green peppers, doz. retail	15	to	15
Green peppers, doz. wholesale	10	to	10
Dry onions, bu.	1 75	to	2 00
Pickling onions, 10-quart basket	1 80	to	1 80
Pickling cucumbers, per 100	35	to	40
Parsley, doz.	40	to	40
Vegetable marrow	5	to	15
Fruits—			
Apples, per bus.	50	to	75
Plums, 11 quarts	1 00	to	1 00
Small harvest pears per box	5	to	5
Gooseberries, box	12½	to	15
Thimbleberries, per box, retail	28	to	28
Thimbleberries, per box, wholesale	25	to	25
Blueberries, box	30	to	30
Blueberries, 11-quart basket	2 00	to	2 25
Hay and Straw—			
New hay, ton	15 00	to	16 00
Straw, per ton	7 00	to	8 00
Dairy Produce, Retail—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	47	to	48
Butter, dairy, lb.	45	to	46
Butter, crocks, lb.	46	to	46
Eggs, per doz.	47	to	48
Dairy Produce, Wholesale—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	44	to	44
Butter, dairy lb rolls	43	to	43
Butter, crocks, lb.	43	to	43
Eggs, crate lots, doz.	44	to	45
Eggs, basket lots, doz	44	to	45
Poultry, Dressed, Retail—			
Spring chickens	80	to	1 10
Chickens, per lb.	33	to	35
Spring ducks, dressed	1 10	to	1 40
Ducks, per lb.	25	to	28
Geese, per lb.	24	to	28
Turkeys, per lb.	30	to	35
Live Stock—			
Hogs, per cwt.	19 50	to	19 50
Fat sows, cwt.	16 50	to	16 50
Small pigs, pair	18 00	to	20 00
Butchers' Meats—			
Dressed hogs, cwt.	26 00	to	26 00
Beef, per cwt.	17 00	to	20 00
Veal, per cwt.	16 00	to	20 00
Heifer beef, cwt.	20 00	to	22 00
Lamb, per cwt.	30 00	to	32 00
Hides and Wools—			
Wool, washed, lb.	70	to	85
Wool, unwashed, lb.	60	to	65
Calfskins, per lb.	30	to	35
Country hides, lb.	11	to	11
City hides, lb.	13	to	13

GRAIN.

Winnipeg, Aug. 20.—Oats opened unchanged for October at 84⅜c.

Flax opened 1c up for October at $4 31.

Inspections on Monday totaled 50 cars for all grains. The contract grades of wheat were 16 cars.

Chicago, Aug. 20.—The corn market opened quiet, but soon displayed activity and strength on crop damage reports, with short getting under $1 61⅞ at the opening, advanced to $1 63¾; October rose to $1 65; August advanced 4c.

Oats felt the corn strength to some extent. September opened unchanged at 70⅞c, and sold at 71⅝c; October rose to 73c. Trading was fairly active.

LIVE STOCK.

Toronto, Aug. 20.—The trade at the Union stockyards here this morning was very slow, and cattle prices were about steady. Lambs were firmer and hogs easier. Receipts, 16 cars, containing 206 cattle, 66 calves, 220 hogs and 141 sheep. Quotations:

Cattle—Exporters, choice, per cwt, $14@15 50; do, medium, $12 75@14; do, bulls, $10@10 50; butchers, choice, $10@10 75; do, medium, $7 75@8 75; do, common, $7@7 75; do, cows, choice, $8 75@9; do, medium, $7 75@8 75; do, canners, $5 50@6 25; do, bulls, $7 75@8 75; feeding steers, $8 25@8 75; stockers, choice, $8@8 25; do, light, $6 50@7; milkers, choice, each, $75@120; springers, choice, each, $50@100; calves, $15 @17 50.

Sheep—Ewes, cwt, $14@15; bucks and culls, $6@10; lambs, $20@21.

Hogs—Fed and watered, cwt, $19 50; f. o. b., $18 50.

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Chicago, Aug. 20.—Hogs—Receipts, 23,000; steady; heavy butchers, $19 30@19 75; medium and light butchers, $19 60@19 95; light hogs, $19 25@20 10; heavy packing, $18@18 75; medium and mixed packing, $18 15@19 25; roughs, $17 50@18; bulk of sales at $18@19 90; pigs, good and choice, $18@18 50.

Cattle—Receipts, 12,500; strong; calves 25c higher, a few going to outsiders at the new record price of $18.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; lower; lambs, $16 25@18 50; feeders, $16 50@17 75; ewes, $11 25@13 25.

East Buffalo, N.Y., Aug. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 600; good steady, common easier.

Calves—Receipts, 250; market steady at $7@19.

Hogs—Receipts, 26,001; steady to strong; heavy, $20 50@20 75; mixed, $20 75@20 80; yorkers, $20 75@20 85; light yorkers, $20@20 50; stags, $12@15; roughs, $17 25@17 50; pigs, $20@20 25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,000; steady and unchanged.

PROVISIONS.

Liverpool, Aug. 20.—Beef—Extra India mess, 370s.

Pork—Prime mess western, 330s.

Hams—Short cut, 137s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 152s; clear bellies, 160s; long clear middles, light, 160s; do, heavy, 159s; short clear backs, 157s; shoulders, square, 128s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 149s 6d; American refined, in pails, 152s; do, in boxes, 150s.

Chicago, Aug. 20.—Provisions were dull, but higher at the opening.

OILS.

Liverpool, Aug. 20.—Tallow—Australian (in London), 72s.

Turpentine Spirits—125s.

Rosin—Common, 64s 6d.

Petroleum—Refined, 1s 6⅝d.

Linseed Oil—62s.

Cottonseed Oil—68s 6d.

War Kerosene—No. 2, 1s 2¾d.

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London, Aug. 20.—Calcutta Linseed—£29 15s.

Linseed Oil—58s.

Sperm Oil—£54.

Petroleum—United States refined, 1s 10½d; spirits, 1s 11½d.

Turpentine Spirits—120s.

Rosin—Type G, 55s.

COTTON.

Liverpool, Aug. 20.—Cotton—Futures closed steady: August, 23.67d; September, 23.33d; October, 23.07d; November, 22.87d; December, 22.76d.

MONEY.

Paris, Aug. 20.—Trading was active on the bourse today; 3 per cent rentes, 62 francs 70 centimes for cash; exchange on London, 26 francs 39 centimes.

London, Aug. 20.—Bar silver, 47 13-16d per ounce.

Money, 3 per cent.

Discount rates—Short bills and three months, 3 17-32 per cent.

Gold premiums at Lisbond, 130.00.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Montreal, Aug. 20.—Morning sales: Ames, 10 at 27; Brazilian, 50 at 38@38¼; Brompton, 30 at 58¾; Canadian Cottons, pfd., 5 at 76; do, com., 15 at 64¼; Cement, 35 at 63¾@64; Converters, 25 at 45; Locomotive, 100 at 62¼; Smelters, 555 at 25; Forgings, 135 at 208½; Dominion Steel, 925 at 63¼@63¾; Laurentide, 720 at 176@177¼; Power, 499 at 80½; Nova Scotia Steel, 150 at 66½@67½; Quebec Railway, 100 at 18; Penmans, 10 at 78; Shawinigan, 5 at 112; Spanish River, 15 at 13; Steel of Canada, pfd., 10 at 97; Wabasso, 20 at 54¼@55; War Loan, 1925, $2,000 at 96⅜; do, 1937, $200 at 93½.

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