The Acton Free Press.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1888.

MANY MINOR LOCALS.

Collated by the Ever Thoughtful and Alert Free Press Reporters.

—Toronto Exhibition opens next Monday.

—Civic holiday, Wednesday, 19th inst.

—Only another week for the trout fishermen.

—Apple picking for shipment will soon commence.

—A man can borrow trouble without giving security.

—Coal dealers are again putting themselves in shape for business.

—An auction sale of real estate will be held at Agnew's hotel this afternoon.

—New subscribers are being added daily to our list, still there's room for more.

—Mr. Adam Cook received $22 from the Township Council last month for drawing gravel.

—Bank your small change; the tax collector will be knocking at the front door shortly.

—Rev's. Crossley and Hunter, evangelists, will hold a series of meetings in Oakville this month.

—Mr. James Matthews left on Saturday with three horses for the Buffalo Exposition.

—Plug hats seem to be all the rage now. Even the teamsters, woodcutters and whitewashers have adopted them.

—The Free Press has in stock a varied assortment of elegant wedding cards. Leap year will soon be over girls.

Messrs. H. H. Worden and Harry Jeaps left on Saturday to spend a week or so at Gloversville and New York.

—The 20th Halton Rifles were the winners of team cup and prizes at the recent Association matches at Toronto.

—Charles Ayr and Joseph McQuinn were fined $9 and costs at Orangeville, for stealing a ride on a C. P. R. freight train.

—A game of base ball will be played in the park here on Monday afternoon between the Pastimes and the Georgetown club.

—The close season for partridge, snipe, duck and hares ended on September 1, but quail shooting is illegal until October 15.

—Mrs. Kate Mooney, of Erin, is now putting in a 60 days term in the County jail in default of payment of a Scott Act fine.

—Next Sunday will be the last Lord's day Mr. G. O. Black will spend with the Disciples' at Acton before returning to college.

—The Free Press staff extend their heartiest thanks to Mrs. Speight for a basket of excellent apples sent to the office for them to discuss last week.

—Rev. Dr. Gifford will preach anniversary sermons in the Methodist church, Alma, next Sunday. Rev. W. W. Leach, of Alma, will occupy the Dr's. Pulpit.

—Owing to his continually increasing business and its demands for personal attention Mr. J. E. McGarvin has been obliged to resign the municipal clerkship.

—At a largely attended meeting of the Guelph Board of Trade last Friday resolutions were unanimously adopted in favor of making the Guelph market a free one.

—On Saturday last the Dewar block, on the corner of Main and Martin streets, Milton, was sold by public auction to Mr. John Hardy, of Esquesing, for the sum of $5,800.

—Rev. Mr. Jackson, of Pittsburg, Pa., has accepted the call from Knox church, Galt, and will preach his farewell sermon, on the 16th September, and will be in Galt by the 23rd of the same month.

—A social will be given in the Methodist Parsonage on Bower Avenue on Monday evening, 17th inst. On that evening Rev. Dr. Gifford will be glad to welcome hundreds of visitors to his home.

—If a man with ease would study he must eat, eat, but little at his dinner of his meat, meat, meat; and a youth to be distinguished in his art, art, art, must keep the girls away from his heart, heart, heart.

—London has two new evening papers entering for public favor. They are the *Times* and the *Speaker*. The *Times* is a lively and interesting candidate and the *Speaker* is doing its level best to keep up in the procession.

—The directorate of the Acton Union Exhibition,—to use a common but expressive phrase,—is "getting a move on." At a meeting on Saturday afternoon arrangements were completed for the exhibition and success is assured.

—The Canada Glove Works building has has been undergoing a complete course of renovating and repainting throughout the whole of the four stories and the premises are now as neat and tidy as any one could wish.

—"Our Little Ones" for September is to hand, bright and cheery as usual, a jollification for the little folks. Its abundant illustrations are refining and elevating to the mind and peculiarly attractive. $1.50 a year. Russell Pub. Co., Boston, Mass.

—A call from the congregation of Underwood and Centre Bruce to Rev. J. Little, of Princetown, formerly of Nassagaweya, was considered at a meeting of the Presbytery of Paris last week. All the parties having been heard, the Presbytery agreed to the translation of Mr. Little.

—A fire which had been smouldering for some time on the farm of Mr. George Ingles, Nassagaweya, broke out last Thursday and ran along the fence into the bush. Considerable lumber, rails and winter wood were destroyed, a dozen or so of the neighbors turned out and succeeded in subduing the flames.

—On Saturday night the Salvation Army obstructed the sidewalk in Newmarket, and refusing to move on, the whole army, officers and privates, were arrested and placed in the lock-up. They were bailed out in about half an hour, when they again began their religious exercises on the streets.

—A Toronto policeman arrested and took before the Police Magistrate a 5-year-old boy on a charge of stone throwing. That's tight. Keep up the reputation of the city for being "good," if you have to arrest a whole kindergarten. If five-year-old boys are allowed to throw stones they may go from bad to worse till finally they end up by stealing jam from their mother's pantries. Better nip them in the bud.—*Exchange.*

—In connection with the great political contest now in progress among our American cousins over the line a new game of a very amusing character has been invented by one of the country's enterprising citizens, Mr. Lum Smith, editor and publisher of the *Herald*, Philadelphia. The game has been christened "Political Euchre," and brings in all the principal characters engaged in the Presidential campaign with their portraits and historical notes. The game will be a entertaining and instructive one even to Canadians. Address 705 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

HOME GLEANINGS

Which are Mostly of a Local Character and All Interesting.

Drunk and Disorderly.

Moses Herron, of Erin, was arrested by Chief Lawson last Wednesday for being drunk and disorderly on the street. He spent the night in the cells. He went up for trial next morning before Reeve Storey and was fined $10.00 and costs, total $13.50. This was paid forthwith.

Grain Buyers On Acton Market.

Acton is likely to have a good grain market this season as usual. In addition to the two roller mills, Mr. Edward Nicklin will buy at his storehouse at the G.T.R. and Messrs. McCrae & Hewer, of Guelph, have arranged with Mr. J. A. Murray to purchase for them at the storehouse east of the freight sheds.

A Collision on Mill Street.

On Saturday evening a couple of single rigs collided on Mill street opposite Havill's tin shop, and a general mix up ensued. Both the buggies were badly smashed and one of the drivers was pretty severely stunned, but soon recovered. An intoxicated driver of one of the horses was no doubt the cause of the smashup.

Another Swindling Game.

There's now another swindle to keep track of. It is practiced by the ever-present canvassing agent. The farmer objects to giving his note and having it discounted for cash. The sharper says: "Oh, we'll keep the note," and writes across the face, "Not transferrable." In a short time it is found in the hands of another party, with an "e" added to the "not," making it read —"Note transferrable."

A Brilliant Meteor.

Those of our citizens who were out of doors last Wednesday about 9.30 no doubt noticed the brilliant illumination which accompanied the immense meteor which soared across the north-western sky at that hour. It was of great magnitude and had all the brilliancy of an electric light, while behind it remained a pathway of fire. The sight was a beautiful one and such as is not frequently seen.

Think Before You Grab.

A correspondent of a New York paper writes that he saw an advertisement which stated that 25 useful household articles would be sent for 25 cents. He sent the money and received 25 needles. He asks if there is no remedy in law. Why should there be? The contract was filled. Needles are useful household articles. Why did not the man use common sense and ask himself what these articles might be? Many other "useful articles" could be sold at a good profit for 25 cents. The moral is think before you grab.

Probably Fatally Burned.

Yesterday about noon the following ominous telegraphic message was received by the family of Mr. Alex. Grant:—

WINNIPEG, Sept. 5th, 1888.

Jessie badly burned, not expected to recover. ALEX. GRANT.

No further particulars are given, but the morning papers contained a despatch from Winnipeg to the effect that a woman was fatally burned last night, and this is supposed to refer to the same sad affair. Mrs. W. P. Brown left for Winnipeg last night to ascertain particulars respecting her injured sister.

Judges Criminal Court.

On Wednesday Miss Amanda Newton, of Georgetown, was tried before His Honor Judge Miller for stealing a watch from Mrs. Mark Barber, of Georgetown, between three and four years ago. From the evidence given it was shown that Amanda gave the watch (produced in court and identified by Mrs. Barber as hers) to one William Burnside, and it was given by him to one Gregg, at Churchville, in the county of Simcoe, from whom it was received by Constable Hartley of Georgetown. The Judge held that there was not enough evidence to convict, and the prisoner was acquitted. W. C. Adair was also tried on the same day for assault and was found guilty. Sentence suspended.—*Champion*

The W.C.T. Unions.

The annual meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Unions of Halton and Peel was held in Georgetown on Tuesday. Interesting sessions were held morning, afternoon and evening. Rev. Dr. Gifford was one of the speakers at the evening session and the programme referred to the Dr. as "The able, forcible and eloquent temperance exponent." He gave an excellent address which was listened to with undivided interest throughout, and in our opinion fully sustained the good name given him by the ladies in their programme. The officers were elected as follows:—PRESIDENT.—Mrs. L. L. Bennett, Georgetown. VICE PRES.—Mrs. Stonehouse, Brampton. COR. SEC.—Miss M. Lowes, Streetsville. REC. SEC.—Miss Jennie Harrison, Georgetown. TREAS.—Miss Shaw, Port Credit.

A Couple of Painful Accidents.

On Saturday last Mr. Robt. Kinnaird while leading a pair of colts to water met with an accident, which fortunately, was less serious than at first feared. A dog and a calf came running down the lane and startled the colts so suddenly as to force Mr. Kinnaird violently against a projecting fence rail then to the ground and while down was trampled upon. The muscles of both thighs were badly bruised. Upon examination it was found that no ribs were broken, though severe pain resulted from his colliding with the fence. His injury was such that he was unable to rise for some time, however, he signalled his mother who happened to come out to the orchard, when with assistance he reached the house. About a week ago a neighbor, Mr. Benjamin Anderson met with an accident under somewhat similar circumstances but was less fortunate, having sustained a broken rib from his colt stepping upon his chest. Dr. Lowry attended both the injured men and they are doing well.

The Merry Wedding Bells.

The Dundas *Banner* gives the following report of the marriage of Miss Minnie Forster, eldest daughter of Dr. Forster, of Lynden, who was for some time a resident of Acton:—"About 75 guests from Toronto, London, Paris, Halton and the village assembled at the residence of Dr. Forster last Wednesday afternoon, the occasion being the marriage of the doctor's eldest daughter, Minnie, to Geo. Stewart, Esq., of the Paris *Transcript*. Rev. C. A. Moore, of Platteville, conducted the ceremony in a very impressive manner. The bride was assisted by Miss Annie Forster, the groom by Mr. Brown, of Paris. After the ceremony all partook of the good things provided for the occasion, and when full justice had been done to them toasts to the newly married couple, bridesmaid and groomsman, host and hostess were proposed and responded to in a very pleasing manner, and closing by the company sing "God save the Queen." The newly married pair left amid showers of rice and old shoes for Harrisburg, taking the express for Toronto, thence going to the upper lakes. That happiness and prosperity may be their lot is the wish of many friends. Presents were numerous and very pretty." During her residence in Acton Miss Forster won for herself the highest esteem of our citizens, and the very large circle of friends who regretted her removal hence, now join in heartiest congratulations.

A VISITOR'S FIRST IMPRESSIONS.

The Editor of the Newmarket Era tells His Readers Something About Acton.

The last issue of the Newmarket *Era* has the following from the pen of its editor. The kind words will be appreciated by our readers:—

The editor of this journal had the pleasure of a visit with friend Moore of the Acton FREE PRESS and his estimable lady over Sunday, which was heartily enjoyed. Acton has a population of 1400, is distant from Toronto on the west exactly the same as Newmarket on the north, and its inhabitants take pride in artistic residences with beautiful surroundings. Two fine brick churches and a splendid brick Town Hall are also evidences of the wealth and thrift of the place. Of mercantile establishments it has nothing to boast of, but when it comes to manufactories Acton is well represented. The large four story brick Glove Factory of Messrs. W. H. Storey & Son stands at the head, in the point of employment, from 150 to 200 hands being engaged on no less than 335 lines of gloves and mits from the coarsest buckskin to the finest lady's kid, as well as 260 lines of moccasins. Then there is Messrs. J. E. McGarvin & Co's Trunk Factory, employing 30 hands; Messrs. Beardmore & Co.'s Tannery, in which about the same number of men work and where something like $20,000 to $30,000 worth of hemlock bark alone is used every year in the manufacture of leather; there are also three other tanneries in Acton, which gives it the nick name of the "leather-head town." A nice little sheet of water known as "Fairy Lake" extends along a portion of the Fair Ground, and a beautiful piece of ground has recently been laid out for a Cemetery. Acton has a good Brass Band which has been in constant organization for nearly 20 years and the only recognition the efficient leader, Mr. J. C. Hill, has received for his untiring zeal nearly the whole of this period was the presentation of a beautiful silver cornet. The question of Fire Protection and domestic water is now being agitated by the FREE PRESS and should a deputation visit Newmarket we can assure them that the officials of our Fire Brigade would be only too happy to show the power and efficiency of our water-works system.

Induction of Rev. W. G. Wallace.

The induction of the Rev. W. G. Wallace, M.A., D.D., late of Georgetown and Limehouse into his new charge, Bloor St. Presbyterian church, Toronto, took place on Tuesday evening. Rev. A. Gilray presided; Rev. Dr. McTavish preached the sermon, Rev. Dr. McLaren addressed the minister and Rev. E. D. McLaren, of Brampton, the people. The newly-inducted pastor was warmly greeted by his fellow-ministers, and after the benediction had been pronounced by Rev. Dr. Reid he walked through the church, accompanied by Profs. McLaren and Greig, and shook hands with the members of the congregation.

Acton's Civic Holiday—Wednesday 19 Sep.

In accordance with the petition of a number of ratepayers Reeve Storey has proclaimed Wednesday, 9th September, as a civic holiday for Acton. This is one of the best days of Toronto Exhibition and as cheap fares will prevail on the railway a large number of our citizens will visit the Exhibition. Besides being Farmers' day, with its consequent items of interest many other attractions are arranged for, including:—The Viennese Lady Fencers; Miss Oakes vs. Miss Von Blumen. Dog, Cat and Monkey Circus. Balloon Ascension and Parachute Drop from the clouds. Archduke Joseph's Hungarian Gipsy Band; the Edinburgh Concert Co., in Scotch Reels &c., the Sisters Souvares; Herr Weitzman, the wonderful high rope performer. Music by the Oddfellows Band of St. Thomas; the Doherty Organ Co.'s Band, Clinton; the Gananoque Carriage Co.'s Band; the Thomas Organ Co.'s Band, Woodstock; the Massey Band and the Exhibition Band, Evening.—Organ and Piano Recitals.—Concert by the Hungarian Gipsy Band and Stereopticon Views. Fireworks and the Siege of Sebastopol with troops, blowing up of forts and all special features. The stores and business places in town will be closed on that day.

The Last of the Season.

The lacrosse match played in the park here last Wednesday evening between the Excelsiors of Brampton and the Crescents of Acton, was the finest exhibition of lacrosse playing that has been seen in Acton this season. It was the last of the series for Acton, and being with Brampton, the champions of the district, considerable interest was manifested. It looked at the start as if Brampton expected to have an easy "walk over" with Acton but if this was their anticipation they were much disappointed. The first game occupied exactly forty minutes and a finer game could not have been played. Throughout the players were very evenly matched and the rubber bounded from one goal to the other in very evenly divided succession, both clubs playing a good team game all through. Brampton won the goal, and in thirty-three minutes they took the second, while the last game was won in two or three minutes it having become dark by this time. Brampton has one of the finest teams of lacrosse players in the province. They play with unusual grace and skill and work with each other to the greatest possible advantage, and notwithstanding that they were the opponents of our boys these features were noted and admired by our citizens. Referring to the match the Brampton *Banner* says:—The finest match of the Central district series was that played at Acton between the Crescents of that place and the excelsiors of Brampton. Although the Crescents have been in existence only two or three years and this year as an association club they put up a very strong game, and have among their players some good jones. As an exhibition of lacrosse the match was a grand event. The ground on which the match was played is a fine field.

—The conclusion of harvest work renders appropriate the following anecdote:—A colored preacher, in translating to his hearers the sentence, "The harvest is past, the summer is over, and we are not saved," put it, "De corn has been cribbed, dere ain't any more work, and de debbil is still foolin' wid dis community."

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CIVIC HOLIDAY.

REQUISITION.

TO W. H. STOREY, ESQ.,
Reeve of the Village of Acton.

We, the undersigned ratepayers of this municipality, in accordance with time honored custom, respectfully petition you to appoint and proclaim Wednesday, 19th day of September, 1888, as Civic Holiday for Acton for the present year:

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Kenny Bros	W. H. Rutledge
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M. Brennan	Thomas Agnew
Geo. Hynds	J. A. Murray
W. Williams	C. E. Stacey, M. D.
J. B. Pearson	John Lawson, V. S.
L. G. Matthews	J. McLean
Jno. Nelson	T. Bell
R. Hamilton	McNab & Co.
J. C. Hill	C. T. Hill
J. P. Worden	

PROCLAMATION.

In accordance with the above requisition I hereby proclaim

Wednesday, 19th Sept., 1888

Civic Holiday for the Village of Acton and respectfully request all good citizens to observe the same.

W. H. STOREY, Reeve.

Acton, Sept. 5th, 1888.

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SEPTEMBER 12, 13 & 14.

LIST OF ATTRACTIONS.

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Grand Vocal and Instrumental Concert in the Main Building by the best Local and Foreign Talent.

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The above programme will be repeated on Thursday evening.

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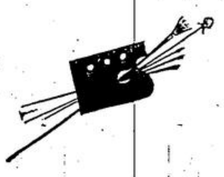

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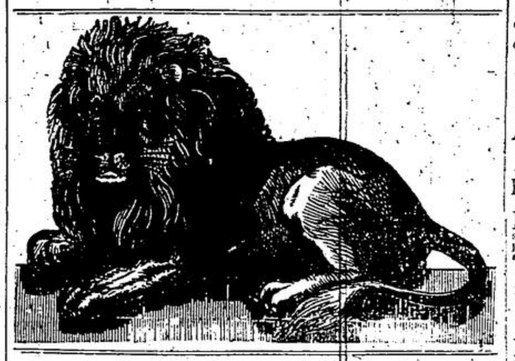

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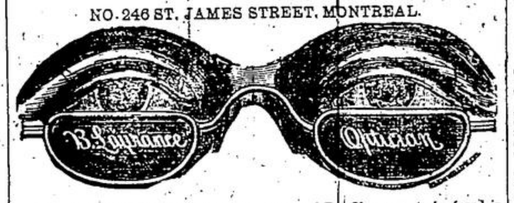

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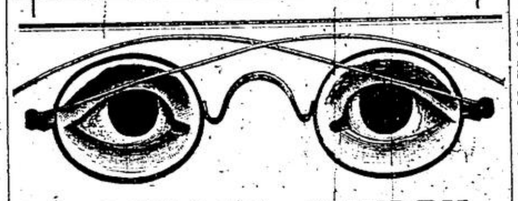

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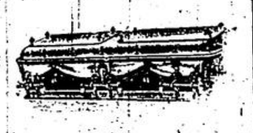

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A House and five acres to let. For further particulars apply to

DAVID WILLIAMSON,
Goldie's Mills, Guelph.

HOUSE & LOT FOR SALE.

HOUSE and Lot on Church Street, Acton. House is new, 4 rooms, with hard and soft water, good garden. Will rent to parties per month on reasonable terms. For Particulars apply to

D. HENDERSON, Acton, or
GEO. GARRETT, Oliverville N.

SALESMEN WANTED.

PERMANENT positions guaranteed with salary and expenses paid. Any determined man can succeed with us. Peculiar advantages to beginners. Stock complete, including many fast-selling specialties. Outfit free. Nameing paper. Address at once. BROWN BROTHERS, Nurserymen, Rochester, N. Y.

FIRST CLASS BRICK.

THE undersigned has his splendid new brick machine now in operation and intends turning out some 300,000 bricks this season. Parties who are building and desire first class brick at reasonable prices should order from

JOHN GIVENS, Erin.
Delivered F. O.

$5 REWARD.

THE above reward will be paid for information that will lead to the conviction of the party or parties who maliciously broke into our boat-house at the mill pond and stole sundry articles therefrom on Sunday, 19th inst.

W. STARK,
R. F. WODEHOUSE.

HOUSE & LOT FOR SALE.
IN ACTON.

THAT comfortable six-roomed brick house on Arthur St., Young's survey. Good well and cistern. The house is comparatively new, having been built but two years ago. Good frame stable on the premises. Terms made known upon application to

W. W. WORDEN,
Bricklayer.

PLANTS FOR SALE

I WISH to inform the Public that I have rented the Greenhouse of Mr. R. Hartwell and that I am prepared to furnish all kinds of plants, (Tomato, Celery, Cabbage, Cauliflower, etc., of the leading and most popular varieties.

R. A. CAMPBELL,
Georgetown

House & Lot For Sale.

THE subscriber hereby offers for sale the house and lot on the north west corner of Mill and John streets. This is the finest available corner for building upon in the business portion of our enterprising town. The house is built with a heavy timber frame and could be readily removed. Terms very reasonable. Apply on the premises to

ALEXANDER GRANT.

Fruit Trees, Small Fruits
And Ornamental Shrubbery.

REV. B. B. Cook, Acton, has been appointed sole agent for this section for the well known Old Rochester Nursery, S. Morrison, proprietor, and is prepared to take orders for any of the fruit trees, small fruits or shrubs which are shown in the illustrated catalogue of the nursery. The products of the Old Rochester Nursery are known to be specially reliable and correctly named, and I can promise satisfactory results to all who purchase stock from me. Prices reasonable.

REV. B. B. COOK, Agent.

DESIRABLE PROPERTY
FOR SALE.

THAT very desirable property known as the Manse and Glebe owned by the congregation of Knox Church, Acton.

This property containing 8 acres is beautifully situated within the limits of the corporation of the thriving Village of Acton, is within easy reach of school, church and railway. There is about six acres of valuable timber, the remainder capable of being easily worked.

The Manse is large, in a healthy situation, in excellent state of repair, hard and soft water, also good roomy out-buildings.

The property is likely to suit the taste of any farmer or business man who desires to retire from active work, or indeed is most suitable for any one wishing a comfortable home in a healthy locality.

For terms and particulars address,

THE MANSE COMMITTEE,
Acton, P. O.

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

VALUABLE FARM LAND

IN THE TOWNSHIP OF ERIN.

UNDER the order of the Real Representative of the County Court, of Wellington, in the matter of partition between Mary Catherine Peavoy, plaintiff, and Hiram A. Fisher and other defendants, the following property will be sold by public auction at

AGNEW'S HOTEL, VILLAGE OF ACTON.

—ON—

Thursday, 6th September, next,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

The north west half of the south west half of Lot 7 in the 6th Concession of Erin, containing 50 acres.

There are about 45 acres of excellent land cleared, under cultivation and fenced. Balance partly timbered, and all of good quality. Well watered with convenient buildings and excellent water.

This property is in a fine agricultural centre, distance about seven miles from Acton with excellent roads.

TERMS OF SALE:

$375 cash upon the 1st February, A. D., 1889, and balance in five equal yearly payments with interest at six per cent on each payment from date of possession of property.

Deed given by the Real Representative, and mortgage back for the purchase money balance of purchase money. Title is indisputable.

For further particulars apply to H. W. Peterson, Barrister, T. W. Saunders, Esq., Barrister, Georgetown.

WM. HEMSTREET,
Auctioneer Acton.

Acton, August 30th, 1888.

SAULT STE. MARIE CANAL.

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for the Sault Ste. Marie Canal," will be received at this office until the arrival of the eastern and western mails on TUESDAY, the 23rd day of October, next, for the formation and construction of a Canal on the Canadian side of the river, through the Island of St. Mary.

The works will be let in two sections, one of which will embrace the formation of the canal through the Island; the construction of locks, &c. The other, the deepening and widening of the channel-way at both ends of the canal; construction of piers, &c.

A map of the locality, together with plans and specifications of the works, can be seen at this office on and after TUESDAY, the 9th day of October, next, where printed forms of tender can also be obtained. A like class of information relative to the works, can be seen at this office of the Local Officer in the Town of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

Intending contractors are respectfully to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms and to be accompanied by a letter stating that the person or persons tendering have carefully examined the locality and the nature of the material found in the trial pits.

In the case of firms, there must be attached the actual signatures of the full name, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and further, a bank deposit receipt for the sum of $30,000 must accompany the tender for the canal and locks; and a bank deposit receipt for the sum of $7,500 must accompany the tender for the deepening and widening of the channel way at both ends, piers, &c.

The respective deposit receipts—cheques will not be accepted—must be endorsed over to the Minister of Railways and Canals, and will be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contracts for the works, at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

The deposits receipts in all will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tenders.

By order,

A. P. BRADLEY,
Secretary.

Department of Railways and Canals,
Ottawa, 8th August, 1888.