ENQUIRIES OF THE MINISTRY IN THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY AND THE ANSWERS THERETO

No. 94—

HON. MR. STEWART in reply to Mr. Dysart.

Q. How many gravel crushing, screeening and loading plants does the government own today? Specify made of machine, from whom purchased, when and what price paid for each. Give detail cost of repair made on each machine since same has been in service .Copy of invoice in each case, with letters, if any, covering machine is required.

A. Nine. Copy of invoices follows next answer.

Q. Were tenders asked for when making purchase of these machines? If no, why not? If tenders were not called for, will the government indicate what steps, if any, were taken to purchase these machines at a favourable price?

A. Tenders were not called for. The make of equipment purchased was selected as being the most serviceable. Manufacturing Company has only one representative in the Province and purchase must be made through him. List factory price is quoted and this is as favourably as can be obtained. The policy in regard to the purchase of equipment is no different from that of the former administration.

The Lounsbury Company, Limited,
Moncton, N. B.
June, 1928.

Sold to Department of Public Works, Fredericton, N. B.

1. County Mounted Crushing Outfit, consisting of one No. 4 Champion Low Mouth Crusher, with 20-foot, No. 4 Elevator, Screen 32" dia. x 8' long with 3 ft. of ½" perforations, 2-ft of ¼" and 3-ft of 1½" perf. with wire sand screen, 25-ton capacity portable pin with side loader 14' x 6" long and drive from Crusher, hopper at the bottom of Elevator and rizzley, over Crusher, together with a 15 x 30 McCormick-Deering Tractor with magneto and 1 Set" Spade Lugs, complete with 80 ft. rubber belt, as per quotation, $5,600.00, Extra for 1 set Highway lugs for Tractor, $40.00; Total $5,640.00.

Moncton, N. B.
June 30th, 1928.

Province of New Brunswick, Public works Department—Highway division, Fredericton, N. B.

To F. W. Smyth:

1 only Russell "patented" No. 12, combined screening, crushing and loading plant. With 56 ft. loading conveyor to Railroad Car with 80 ft. loading sand conveyor, complete with all connections and belts.

1 only Russell Timken Bearing Portable Dragline No. 60.

1 only Russell Portable power unit No. 60. Delivered freight prepaid. $21,365.65; Repair parts as per list attached $769.95; No Sales Tax or Excise Tax Included; Total $22,135.60.

No. 12 Screening, Crushing and Loading Plant Russell; The following comprising units delivered to Portate Pit:

1 only Russell No. 12, Screening, Crushing and Loading Plant. Latest model, complete with delivery conveyor 56 ft. long 18 in. wide, with all drive connections.

1 only Russell 80 ft. x 18 in. Sand Conveyor with necessary drive pulleys and belt. This furnished made up as follows 1 44 ft. conveyor with 88½ ft. of 18 in. 5 Ply Heavy Duty Rubber belt, complete with chain driven countershaft with 24 x 5 in. Drive Pulley, support-horse with telt tightener; also 3 11 ½ ft. extensions for 18 in. conveyor, including necessary additional 24 ft of 18 in. 5 Ply heavy duty rubber belt..

Please Note:—

The 56 ft. Delivery Conveyor furnished with this Plant is an extra and made up from the following; 1 44 ft. Conveyor, as stated above, with 2 only extensions of the types shown above furnished with 80 ft. Conveyor.

1 only No. 60 Russel Timken Bearing Latest model Portable Dragline, complete with 1 yard bucket, equipped with heavy Duty Sheave on bucket, extra side tooth and portable loading trap.

1 only Russell No. 60 Portable Power Plant, complete with Power belt.

Main Plant furnished with the following screens. Perforations in Main Screen on inch, with ½ in. perforations in plate over wire mesh on Sand Screen. Two wire meshes in Sand Screen. All drive belts included with this plant.

Moncton, N. B.,
June 30, 1928.

List covering repair parts for No. 12 Crushing Plant:—

2 L-339, 4 L-340, 4 L-341, 4 L-342, 1 L-396, 1 L-397, 1 L-656½ with Bushings L-395; 1 CPEC-13 Clutch Spider Assembly; 12 BE-029 Buckets; 1 No. 782, Novable Jaw, heavy; 1 No. 777 Stationary Jaw, regular; 1 No. 784 Toggle Plate, 17" 1 No. 3674 S Taggle Plate Seat MS; 1 Tension Spring; 2 L-634; 2 L-633; 2 CP-02181 Upper Hanger Stud; 2 L-663; 2 1310 SKF ball bearings; 2 No 6310 SKF ball bearings; 2 No. 15 SKF lock nut; 53 links No. 520 Chain; 57 links $520 Chain; 90 ft. No. 517 Chain.

November 5th, 1928.
Moncton, N. B.,

Province of New Brunswick, Public Works Department, Highway Division, Fredericton, N. B.

To F. W. Smyth.

No. 901.

1 only Russell "Patented" No. 22 combined screen, crushing and loading plant, with 44 ft loading conveyor to plant, 20 ft delivery Conveyor, complete with all connections and belts.

1 only Russell No. 60 Timken Bearing Portable Dragline, with 60 H. P. Waukesha Power Plant mounted on same.

1 only 60 Portable Power Plant with Waukesha 60 H. P. Engine.

Detailed list of Complete Plant attached; Delivered Freight Prepaid, River Glade Station, N. B., $17,476.65. No sales tax or excise included.

No. 22 Russell Screen and Loading Plant.

The following comprising units delivered to River Glade Station:

1 only Russell No 22 Crushing plant main frame with built in Sand rejector, 824 crusher Mounted with 50" x 36" fly wheels. Ton Yale screw geared block.

1 44' x 18' Conveycr. Geared counter shaft clutch. Horse support belt tightener 88½ ft. x 18" belt. 4 wheeled cradle truck.

1 20 ft x 18" Delivery conveyor, 40½ ft. x 18" Conveyor belt.

1 No. 60 Portable power unit for same 4 wheeled truck for same with 60 H. P. Waukesha Engine mounted. 75 ft. x 10" 6 ply endless condor drive belt.

1 No. 60 Russell Timken Bearing Latest Model Portable Dragline, mounted with 60 H. P. Waukesha engine for power plant, complete with Heavy Duty Bucket Sheave; Anchor Horse with sheave; Double Sheave over trap; Portable loading trap; DLEP 88 side tooth for bucket; Waukesha Service Kit. 300 ft extra special ½" Cable; 600 ft. extra special ⅝" cable; One $100 1 yard self filling bucket; 100 ft. ¾ pit Cable.

Main Plant furnished with Main Screen conforming to specification furnished by Minister of Public Works. Sand Screen also provided with perforations covering instructions (Steel Plant) Shipment made Freight Prepaid to River Glade Station, N. B., Car C.M. St. P. No. 6-777.

Moncton, N. B.,
May 30th, 1929.

Province of New Brunswick, Public Works Department, Highway Division, Fredericton, N. B.

To F. W. Smyth.

No. 34,279.

1 only Pioneer (patented) No. 12 one unit screening, crushing, loading plant, complete outfit, with extra equipment, 1 56 ft. loading conveyor to railroad car; 1 80 ft. loading sand conveyor; Complet with all drive connections and belts.

I only Pioneer Timken Bearing Portable Dragline No. 60.

1 only Pioneer Portable Power Plant 60 Horse Power; Delivered freight prepaid to Portage Pit, N. B.; $21,978.45; No sales tax or excise included.

No. 12 Pioneer Screening Crushing and Loading Plant:

No. 12 Screening, Crushing and Loading Plant, Main frame unit 1⅛ inch perforations with Hopper Bucket Elevator, screen built in Sand Rejector, 1 ton block 8 ft. lift.; 40' x 24' feeder conveyor geared countershaft clutch; Support Horse, trap grate; 4 wheeled cradle truck, mechanical feeder 80½' x 24' belt.;836 crusher mounted with 50' &36 fly wheels; 55 ft x 18' delivery conveyor; Intermediate countershaft; 112½ ft x 18' conveyor Belting.

No. 60 Dragline; No. 60 Drum mounted on truck; 60 Horse Power Waukesha English Mounted; 200' ¾' Cable; 600 ft. ⅝' Cable; Heavy Duty sheave; Anchor Horse with sheave; Double sheave over trap; 100 ft. ¾" pit cable; No. 100, 1 yd bucket; 1 Portable Loading Trap complete.

No. 60 Power Unit for crushing plant mounted on four-wheeled truck; with: 60 Horse Power Waukesha Engine mounted.

One Sand Conveyor, 78' x 18" conveyor, countershaft pulleys, sprocket and chain intermediate counutershaft with pulleys and drive belts heavy duty; 2 support horses, I belt tightener; 156½ ft x 18" heavy duty conveyor belt.

One Drive belt for crusher; 75 ft, 10' 6 ply endless condor heavy duty.

Extra Drive Chains; 57 links No. 529 CPXEP 19 chain; 53 links No. 520; CPXEP 9 chain; 45 feet No. 517.

Extra Screen Plates. 2 SG 0235 screen plates; 1 SG 020 screen plates;

Extra side teeth for bucket, 2 DLEP 88 side tooth.

Moncton, N. B.,
April 25, 1930.

Province of New Brunswick, Public Works Department, Highway Division, Fredericton, N. B.

To F. W. Smyth.

No. S34,399.

1 only Pioneer (Patented No. 12 B.) one unit screening, crushing and loading plant, complete outfit. with extra equipment; 1 55 ft. loading conveyor; 1, 44 ft Portable sand conveyor; 1 Portable steel bin 21 yard type; Above Plant complete with all drive connections and belts.

1 only Pioneer Timken Bearing Portable Dragline No. 60 with No. 100 bucket, sheaves, etc.

1 only Pioneer portable power plant 60 H. P.; Detailed list attached. Delivered freight prepaid, $21,987.60, to Saint Stephen, N. B. No sales tax or excise included.

Units Comprising No. 12 B Pioneer Screening Crushing and Loading Plant complete with extra 21 yard bin: No. 12 B. screen crushing and loading plant main frame unit, 1" perforations, built in sand rejector ⅝" perforations over build-in-sand rejector-blank plate & No. 3 mesh for sand screen. Screw geared block 8 ft, life 40 ft. x 24" feeder conveyor with geared clutch countershaft, support horse trap grate, mechanical feeder, 4 wheeled cradle truck, 81 ft. x 24" Conveyor belt 836, crushed with 50" x 36" Fly wheels, 55 ft x 18" delivery conveyor with geared countershaft, intermediate countershaft and 100 ft, No 517 chain, support horse and belt tightener. 111 ft. x 18" special belting four wheeled cradle truck.

One twenty one yard steel bin with lifting jacks; built in 1 hoist boom for 21 yard bin.

One CPEP 355 No. 4 wire mesh in frame; One CP 2504 No. 6 wire mesh only 29¾ x 63¼.

Number 60 Power United for Crushing Plant 60 H. P. Waukesha; Engine with Donaldson Air Cleared all mounted on four wheeled truck, belt tightener; Seventy-five feet special endless drive belt for crushing plant.

No. 60 Dragline complete with: 60 H. P. Waukesha engine with Donaldson Air Cleaner, all mounuted on four wheeled truck; 300 ft. ¾ pioneer special cable; 600 ft. ⅝" Pioneer Special cable; Heavy duty bucket sheave; Anchor Horse with sheave; Double sheave over trap; 100 ft. pit cable;

One No. 100 one yard self filling bucket.

One Portable Sand Conveyor belt; Eight Horse power; double cylinder, LeRoi Engine; Mounted with air cleanr, clutch, drive belt, countershaft, pulley shaft, belt tightener, sprocket pulley and chain.

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CREAM OF ASPARAGUS SOUP

1 bunch or can asparagus; 4 cups cold water; 2 slices onion; ½ tspn. sugar; blade of mace; 2 tblspns. butter; 2 tblspns. flour; 1 tspn. salt; 1-8 tspn. pepper; 2 cups Borden's St. Charles Milk; 1 egg yolk; dash of paprika.

If fresh asparagus used, remove tips and cook them in a little boiling salted water until tender; if canned, cut off tips and lay aside. Cut up stalks. Cover with cold water. Add onion, sugar, and mace. Cook until tender. Strain through sieve, pressing asparagus well to extract flavor. Melt butter in saucepan and stir in flour. Add salt, pepper, and asparagus puree. Continue stirring until thickened. Add one-and-a-half cups St. Charles Milk and the asparagus tips. Bring to boiling point, and simmer five minutes. Combine beaten egg yolk with the remaining milk and add to mixture. Let come to boil. Serve each portion with a dash of paprika over top.

POP-OVERS

3 eggs; 1 cup Borden's St. Charles Milk; 2 cups flour; ½ small tspn. salt; 1 cup water.

Beat the eggs ten minutes and then add the milk. Gradually add the flour, sifted, and the salt. Beat until absolutely smooth. Turn into hissing-hot, well-oiled gem pans and bake quickly.

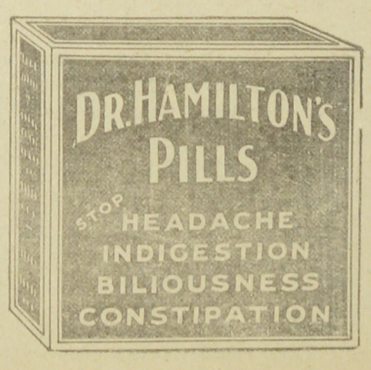
LEMON MERINGUE PIE

¾ cup Borden's St. Charles Milk; ¾ cup hot water; 1½ cups sugar; 4½ tblspns. corn starch; 1 tspn. butter; 2 eggs; juice 2 lemons; grated rind 1 lemon; few grains salt; 1 cooked pastry shell.

Combine the milk and water in a double boiler top, add the sugar and cornstarch, thoroughly mixed together, and cook fifteen minutes, stirring occasionally. Separate the eggs, beat the yolks light, combine them with a little of the hot milk, stir into the thickened mixture and cook five minutes longer, stirring occasionally. Then add the salt and when somewhat cooled stir in the lemon juice and rind, pour into the pastry shell, heap with a meringue made of two egg whites, and a third cup of powdered sugar, and cook in a slow oven for ten minutes until the meringue is firm and delicately browned.



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(Unsweetened)



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n delicious biscuits this way. Sift together twice, 2 cups 2 tspns baking powder, 1 tspn salt. Cream 1 tbspn each of ter and mix with the dry ingredients, using the tips of your d ½ cup each of milk and of water, mixing with knife until very soft dough. Pat out lightly on mixing l ¾-inch thick. Cut out and bake in hot oven inutes.

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