

NEW STEAMER CITY OF DETROIT III

Dinner

Tomato Soup
Radishes Celery
Baked Whitefish with Dressing
Quartered Cucumbers
Prime Roast Beef, Demi Glace

Roast Young Chicken, Giblet Sauce

Mashed Potatoes

New Potatoes in Cream

Creamed Carrots or Breaded Egg Plant Lettuce Plain or with French Dressing

Saratoga Crackers Peach Shortcake

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Vanilla Ice Cream Assorted Cake

Watermelon

Roquefort or Royal Luncheon Cheese

Toasted Crackers

Coffee

Tea

Iced Tea

BREAKFAST A LA CARTE 6:30 to 8:30 A. M. DINNER TABLE D'HOTE 5:30 to 8:30 P. M.

SERVICE A LA CARTE 8:30 to 12 P, M.

FOR MINERAL WATERS, GINGER ALES, ETC., SEE LIST

Patrons will confer a favor if they will report any inattention on the part of employees or inefficiency in the service to A. A. Schantz, General Manager, or Louis Thorne, Chief Commissary, Detroit, Mich.

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This menu, reprinted only slightly larger than the original, recalls the Detroit & Cleveland Navigation Company's famous sidewheel passenger steamer CITY OF DETROIT III. At the time of her construction in 1912 (she was Hull 187 of the Detroit Shipbuilding Company, Wyandotte), she was the largest sidewheeler in the world. Many consider her to have been the most beautiful passenger boat ever to operate on the lakes, although she was to be surpassed in size by the SEEANDBEE of 1913, and by GREATER BUFFALO and GREATER DETROIT of 1923-1924. The "D-III", as she was known with affection, was 470 feet in overall length, with a beam of 93 feet over the guards. She made her maiden voyage on June 26, 1912, and this menu card comes from the dinner served aboard on Friday, July 12, 1912, as its holder made the overnight trip from Detroit to Buffalo. The card features one of the famous Van Leyen & Hensler "mile-long" images which the D&C would use for many years. CITY OF DETROIT III last operated in 1950 and was dismantled in 1956.

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