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RELATING TO MARINE APPARENT EFFECT OF NEW RECIPROcity LAW.

How it Will Work in Regard to Passenger Steamers—The United States Boat Owners Have Everything to Gain by It—Marine Notes.

Marine men are discussing the apparent results of the Canadian government's action in deciding to accept United States marine examination certificates for vessels trading to Canadian ports, thus reciprocating what the United States government has done in regard to Canadian boats. This piece of reciprocity, while beneficial in one way, will not be in another. It is well known that the United States marine laws are not up to the standard of Canada's, whose inspection system is far stricter. For instance, the United States law allows a river steamer to carry passengers in proportion to the area of all her decks. The Canadian law concerning a river steamer allows passengers to be carried in proportion to the length of the vessel by the beam. There is an excursion steamer at Detroit which is allowed to carry 3,500 passengers by the United States inspectors, while the Canadian inspectors allow her to carry only 1,500 out of 1 Canadian ports. It will be seen that some trouble will result from the new reciprocity act.

Looking at the matter from a local standpoint, the United States government has everything to gain by the reciprocity. For instance, the steamer American, a Canadian boat belonging to this port, is allowed by the local inspector to carry 600 passengers. The United States inspectors allow her to carry about 700. The steamer St. Lawrence is of United States registration, and although the Canadian inspector would allow her to carry perhaps 100 less than the United States inspectors, the latter will have to be accepted at this port. The case might arise in connection with a steamer from the other side which has passed United States inspection and which the Canadian inspectors would not pass under any consideration as fit to be in commission. How will the reciprocity arrangement work out there? Must such a vessel be accepted here?

Movements of Vessels.

The R. O. steamer Cornwall, was due up to-night.

The steamer Cula is due up at Craig's wharf to-night.

The M. T. barges Acadia and Jennie were due to-day at Swift's wharf, with coal from Oswego.

Cabin's steamship Ceylon, will go into the government dry dock tomorrow for repairs.

Richardson's elevator, Tug Nellie Reid and barge Cherokee cleared for Montreal with grain.

The SS. Westmount is expected at the T. company's elevator tomorrow from Port William.

The steamer Pictou, formerly the Corican, was at Swift's wharf on her first trip down last night.

The SS. Fairmount, which ran aground last Friday after leaving Port William, was expected to leave that port to-day for Kingston, wheat laden.

It is probable that next fall the steamer Wolfe Islander will be so altered that the complement of passengers may be increased by one hundred. The cost of additions would not be large.

M. T. company elevator, SS. Rosemount cleared for Charlotte to take the lake barges, Minnesota and Michigan, coal laden, in tow for Fort William; tug Emerson from Oswego with two coal-laden barges; tug Thomson cleared down with three grain-laden barges.

Capt. Thomas Donnelly has returned from Sarnia, where on Tuesday, he was a witness in the case of the schooner Vienna owners vs. the steamer City of Rome owners, for \$6,000 damages caused by a collision on Lake Huron last autumn. The case was adjourned. Capt. Donnelly gave evidence on behalf of the plaintiffs.

Several marine cases are now being tried in Canadian courts, although the plaintiffs and defendants belong to the United States and the accidents happened in the waters of that country. One reason for this is that United States marine men say they get justice in Canada, and not in their own country. Against the United States' courts are very much congested. In one case just ended, four years has elapsed before the judge has rendered his verdict.

Rideau King will leave for Smith's Falls, Friday morning, May 31st, at 6 a.m. and next week will be on regular trips, leaving Monday and Thursday at 6 a.m. James Swift & Co., agents.

"Fashion Notes for Men" shows some of the new shirtings popular this season, and the departments of "What Women Are Doing," "Mothers' Club," "Kitchen Kingdom" and "For Lovely Women" are filled with interesting and helpful items.

P. M. Thompson, P.G., went out to Snow Road to-day to accompany Cornucopia Lodge, I.O.O.F., of that place on their visit to Lanark to-night, where a big banquet is being held.

The woman who meditates travelling this summer will be especially interested in the Jean Designer, which pictures the latest inventions which will add to her comfort.

There was a blank docket at the police court to-day.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, } ss.
Lucas County.

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JOSEPH CRAMER

Enterprising President of Frontenac Cheese Board.

The members of the Frontenac cheese board displayed commendable judgment when, at their annual meeting recently, they selected Joseph Cramer, the well-known Glenvale maker, to guide the destinies of the board for the current year from the president's chair. The dominion does not contain a more enthusiastic maker, nor one better versed in the art of cheese-making than Cramer. He keeps in close touch with the needs of the market and is a careful and zealous manufacturer. The latter fact has many times been exemplified, both at home and abroad, in the number of prizes and diplomas which his cheese has carried off. At the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo, his cheese was awarded first prize in the manufacture of cheddar cheese, earning a certificate of merit for its maker. At Canadian fairs, also, Cramer has won many prizes, when exhibited, invariably securing the premier prizes.

Joseph Cramer is a native of Frontenac, having been born on the highlands near Sharpton. When a youth he learned the art of cheese-making in a first class factory at Port Hope, conducted by Henry Wade, secretary of the Ontario Fine Arts Association. Coming east again, he entered the employ of St. D. Clarke, Odesa, for whom he made high grade cheese for a few years. Leaving there, he settled in Glenvale twenty-two years ago, and made that place famous as the village where the best cheese in the country is made.

Under his care, the Glenvale factory, which he founded twenty-two years ago, has progressed and extended; from a small concern it now ranks with the best, last year 1,570,000 pounds of milk was received; this year the supply will go over the four million mark, or more than double last year's business. The first year Mr. Cramer conducted the Glenvale factory turned out 4,000 pounds of cheese and he has since increased the output will go over 30,000 pounds, an increase of nearly eight times the volume of business originally done by the factory.

Mr. Cramer follows closely all suggestions offered by experts for improvement of the cheese industry, and is credited with being one of the best informed men in the dominion in cheese matters. He has always been a leader in ideas, and his arguments are characterized by that wisdom and sound judgment that is born of knowledge and a thorough grasp of every detail of the subject. Twice he has raised to the dignities of first vice-president, and as often refused to accept the office of president, on account of not having to spare the time necessary to fill the position. Now that he has been unanimously elected to the chair, it is probable that the board will continue to flourish and increase in importance under his ruling. He is one of the oldest members of the board, having become connected with it twenty-two years ago, and has been a salesman at its weekly meetings ever since.

His home is near the village of Glenvale, on what was formerly known as the Cloak farm, and is one of the neatest and most prosperous appearing in the district.

THE O'KILL STREET SEWER

A Visit Paid the Noxious Place By the Board of Health.

Yesterday afternoon, members of the board of health and the city engineer visited the noxious O'Kill street sewer outlet, at twenty-two feet above the level of the street. The sewer is a pipe of iron, and is in a state of decay. It is proposed to reconstruct the sewer, and to utilize the pier for the purpose of attaching the building of a new pier in connection with their proposed new quarters would cost the city about \$1,000. They proposed asking the city to utilize their pier for the purpose of attaching the building of a new pier in connection with their proposed new quarters would cost the city about \$1,000. They proposed asking the city to utilize their pier for the purpose of attaching the building of a new pier in connection with their proposed new quarters would cost the city about \$1,000.

AGRICULTURAL CONDITIONS.

Enquiries show that the fall wheat sown in this district looks fairly well. Of course it is not sown to any great extent in these parts. There has been plenty of moisture so far, a condition that has not prevailed in most parts of the province, and which will affect some of the crops. Meadows have turned out well this spring, not having been injured by the winter.

A Valuable Contract.

Joseph Cooper, contractor, left this morning for Cobourg, where he will erect a beautiful home for Mr. Oliver, a wealthy New Yorker, who will use it during the heated term each year. It will take over a year to complete the building, which will be a veritable palace.

GIVEN SOUVENIRS FOR WINNING THE CITY LEAGUE GAMES.

Presents Made to the Players on St. George's "B" Hockey Team—The Sporting News from Many Points.

The members of St. George's "B" hockey team, champions of the city league, and winners of the Flanagan trophy last winter, have each received a souvenir in the form of a gold watch chain of dainty workmanship and design. On one side of the trophy is engraved the name of the team and the date of their winning the championship and on the other is the St. George's shield. The team is being tendered a complimentary banquet by their executive at the Club cafe this evening.

"Chaucer" At Brantford.

Brantford, Ont., Dec. 3.—"Chaucer" drove the great Quebec football man and baseball catcher, who will be behind the bat for the local club this season, has arrived in the city. He will have a few workouts before the game with the "B" team. He is in the best of trim and his work is sure to be of the very best calibre. Elliott has refused some very good offers from teams in the States. "Chaucer" is a very fine player, and he has gathered up a fine bunch, who ought to make the game well worth while all the time.

The City Baseball League.

Letters have been received by J. J. Lawless, president of the city baseball league, from Rochester and Ottawa asking if any team here would care to arrange games to be played here this season. The former letter is written on paper with the Rochester Eastern League business heading, but it is hardly considered probable that that team would visit Kingston. There is no single team in the city league sufficiently strong to take on the Eastern League, but sufficient players may be secured to form a joint team and arrange games later on in the season. Meanwhile, the local schedule of games will probably be commenced next Saturday. If some slight differences which exist at present are settled, a date. At last night's meeting, with a fairly large attendance, present, the question of the eligibility of several of the players being signed by some of the teams was brought up and discussed without any definite conclusion being reached. The meeting was adjourned until Friday night when a full representation of all the teams in the league will be present to come to a final decision. The hockey mill team has been admitted to membership.

Had A Contest.

A football match was played yesterday afternoon on the college grounds between the R.M.C. and the R.C.F.A., resulting in a victory for the R.C.F.A. by a score of 3 to 0.

Soon To Organize.

The Ontario baseball team, which had a very successful season, last summer, have not yet organized. For this season but will probably do so at an early date as the team will be ready to get in shape for their expected game on Saturday day with either Renfrew or Cape Vincent. All of last year's players are available, with the exception of "Jimmy" Laird, who is in Toronto.

Games Scheduled.

Two games of ball will be played at the Cricket Club on Saturday afternoon, in the city league series. At two o'clock the Black Watch and Battery teams will play and at four o'clock, the Beavers will meet the Lakewoods, the hockey mill aggregation.

Baseball Briefs.

Charlie Kuhns has been released by Rochester.

Pitcher Cronin is playing first base for Providence.

Clayton made only three runs in Detroit, but won the game.

The Buffalo Courier says that Toronto seems to have a fast team this season.

Parent, of Boston, one of the greatest shortstops in the game, made ten errors in the first twelve games this season.

Shortstop Elberfeld of the New York Americans accepted fourteen chances without an error in Monday's eleven-inning game with Boston.

Montreal led strong in the pitching department, but very weak in the infield. The only infielder on the team who has the goods is Miller.

Rochester, the home of "Silk" O'Loughlin, is a great umpire-keeping city. Carpenter, Klum, Sullivan, Penninger, and Stone, all of whom will do indicator work this season, live in that city.

Manager Harley of Toronto has signed Pitcher McGee, late of the Indianapolis Club, of the American Association. McGee pitched for Buffalo last year, and had a record of fifteen victories and eight defeats.

Pitcher McGee of last year's Buffalo team drew up on Manager Barrow on Monday and the pitching staff is reduced by one. Since Fisher joined the team and reports to be in good shape there are more men on the staff than are needed. McGee has

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failed to get into good shape, and Manager Barrow is afraid he would not round into form very early in the season. McGill will have to show better form or he will have a very hard race to hold his own with Bruce and Fisher joining the team.

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THE BONNIE BRIBER BUSH.

It is a Play That Will Very Long Survive.

The people seem never to tire of "The Bonnie Briber Bush," which was at the Grand Opera House, last night for the fourth time in as many seasons. There was a good audience present. J. H. Stodart, the veteran Scotch actor, was missed. His role of "Lachlan Campbell" was taken by J. Palmer Collins, whose interpretation was very good, but his acting had not the force and naturalness of the old stary of the stage. The part of "Flora Campbell" was cleverly taken by Miss Irene La Pierre. "Posty" was again played by Reuben Fax, without whom the production would be very incomplete. It will be a very long time before a comedian is found to fill the shoes of Mr. Fax in that role. His acting is so natural that the audience seems to have a very glimpse into the life of Drunkenly. The play, as usual, was admirably staged. "The Bonnie Briber Bush" is a play that will long survive.

Shakespearean Treat.

Shakespeare's choice verbiage, his most delightful and interesting phrases, his most brilliant ideas are unquestionably to be found in his "Merchant of Venice," and the master minds of the world, of the stage and literature have agreed as a unit on the strength and forcefulness of his



JOSEPH DEGRASSE in "The Merchant of Venice" and "Hamlet" on Saturday.

conception of the role of "Shylock," and thus it is that when the production is seen in this city on Saturday, matinee, May 6th, there should be a crowded house to greet that sterling player, Joseph DeGrasse, in the role of "Shylock." The attraction is one worthy the attention of the most critical. Saturday evening "Hamlet" will be given.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newspapers Picked Up By Reporters on Their Rounds.

William & Shaw's "samples."

No need to tell you to keep your flannels on.

Flour has taken a drop. Will bread drop in sympathy.

William Swain, piano tuner. Orders received at McAnn's book store.

Companies No. 2 of the 14th Regiment had good turn-outs last night.

Bu-Yu Kidney Pills are sold at Gilson's Red Cross Drug Store.

Many of the local merchants are placing stickers on all goods sold from their stores, advocating the booming of the city by patronizing local stores.

The council will not likely allow the recommendation to pass asking salvage from the government for saving the steamer Scout. Business men cannot endorse the suggestion.

Walter Ford, of Hamilton, who pleaded guilty to forging his father's name to two checks, which the Bank of Hamilton cashed, was sentenced to three years in Kingston penitentiary.

Mixed sweet pea seed fresh at Gilson's Red Cross Drug Store.

A striking cover design, a girl's head in pastel, by George Gibbs, introduces the reader of the June Determinator to a varied and interesting table of contents, supplemented by a complete summary of the season's styles.

The Brantford police have laid their hands on the thieves who entered the store of Mr. Mallagh, formerly of Kingston, on Sunday and stole \$200 worth of goods. They expect to recover the stolen goods very shortly.

People living in the vicinity of the prospect of having the battalion drills by the 14th Regiment on the Cricket Field this season. The new electric lights to be installed will make the field as bright as in daylight and baseball and tennis at night may be made a possibility.

The specially patriotic and up-to-date character of the Methodist Magazine and Review for May, is shown by the varied contents of this number. Among the illustrated articles are "The New West," with thirteen engravings; and "In Attendance on the King," with seven more. Current history is illustrated by numerous cartoons.

AFFAIRS OF THE CITY CUT THIS OUT

REPAIRS NEEDED FOR FAIR GROUNDS STAND.

Tenders for Cabinet for City Clerk's Office—Heating Improvements for City Buildings—Left Over Again.

The city property committee had a meeting yesterday afternoon. Those present were Ald. Sears (chairman), McCann and Sands.

The engineer's report regarding the heating of the west wing and sanitary improvements in the same, was left over till a later meeting. The chairman pointed out that the question should not be left until too late in the year.

The tenders were received for a cabinet for the city clerk's office: James Reid, \$98; T. F. Harrison company, Toronto, \$83.50; Canada Cabinet company, \$84; T. F. Harrison company, \$81. The Office Specialty company offered to ship their cabinets through either R. J. Reid or J. R. C. Dobbis. On motion of Ald. McCann, it was decided to authorize the chairman to purchase from the Office Specialty company through a local agent.

Applications were received from the engineer for two revolving chairs for his office, and from the auditor for one chair. The chairman and Ald. McCann were given authority to make the purchase.

The engineer, at the request of the chairman, reported regarding the condition of the open grand stand at the fair grounds. It will take about \$35 to put it into good condition. The steps leading to the palace also require repairs. It was decided to call for tenders for the required work, and the chairman was authorized to award the contract. The chairman was also given authority to sign orders for small supplies required for the city buildings.

The People Dissatisfied.

The people are becoming more and more dissatisfied over the laggardness of the civic light and power committee, claiming that the by-law for the plant extension, with a reduced amount, should have been submitted for the decision of the ratepayers. Inability to cope with the situation is charged against the committee. Last year's committee had some nerve and the ability to meet the various situations, but those at the head of affairs this year are charged with lamentable lack of initiative. Residents upstream expected to have gas for cooking this coming summer, but they won't have it because extensions to the mains cannot be made.

DEMANDS OF MASONS.

They Want Advance in Wages—Other Requests.

The agreement which the masons submitted to the contractors, requesting their signatures by May 1st, have not yet been signed and as a consequence, the former have not yet started work, although there are several contracts ready for commencement. The men are asking an increase, from \$3 1/2c. to \$7c. per hour, for a nine hour day. It is said that the contractors do not object so much to this clause of the agreement as to others which are embodied in the masons' demands. The latter have asked for a meeting with the contractors, to which request the latter will probably accede and a settlement of the difficulty is expected.

A Good Suggestion.

C. B. Wainwright of Lemon City, Fla., has written the manufacturers that much better results are obtained from the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in cases of pains in the stomach, colic and cholera morbus by taking it in water as hot as can be drunk. That when taken in this way the effect is obtained in rapidity. "It seems to get at the right spot instantly," he says, "for sale by all druggists."

Given A Treat.

The officials and patients of Rockwood hospital were given a treat yesterday afternoon in the name of a free-entertainment given by Pritchard Moving Picture Show company. This company have completed a most successful season, having filled their last engagement last Saturday night, and taken in this way the effect is obtained in rapidity. "It seems to get at the right spot instantly," he says, "for sale by all druggists."

Of Interest To Men.

A most interesting 20 per cent. cash discount sale of men's fashionable rainproof coats is now in progress in the big store of George Mills & Co., 106-108 Princess street. Their garments are made of excellent materials and in the most approved spring overcoat style. Prices range from \$5 to \$18, less 20 per cent. discount. The sale will positively close on Saturday night.

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