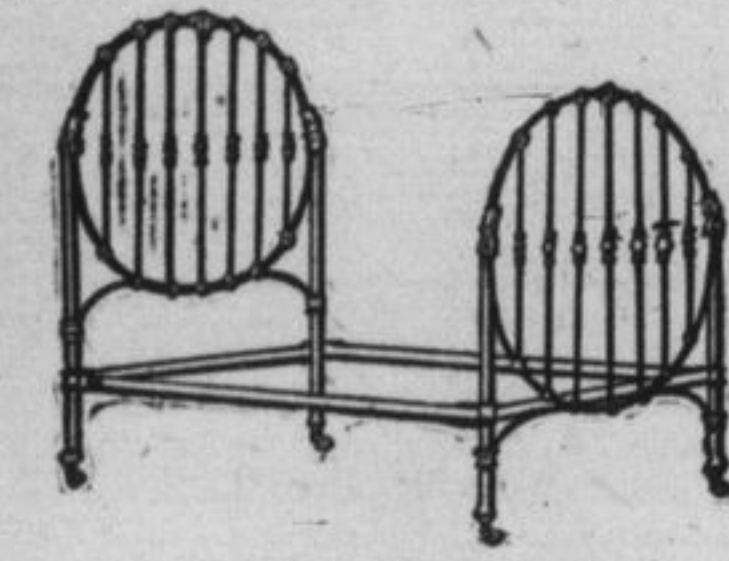


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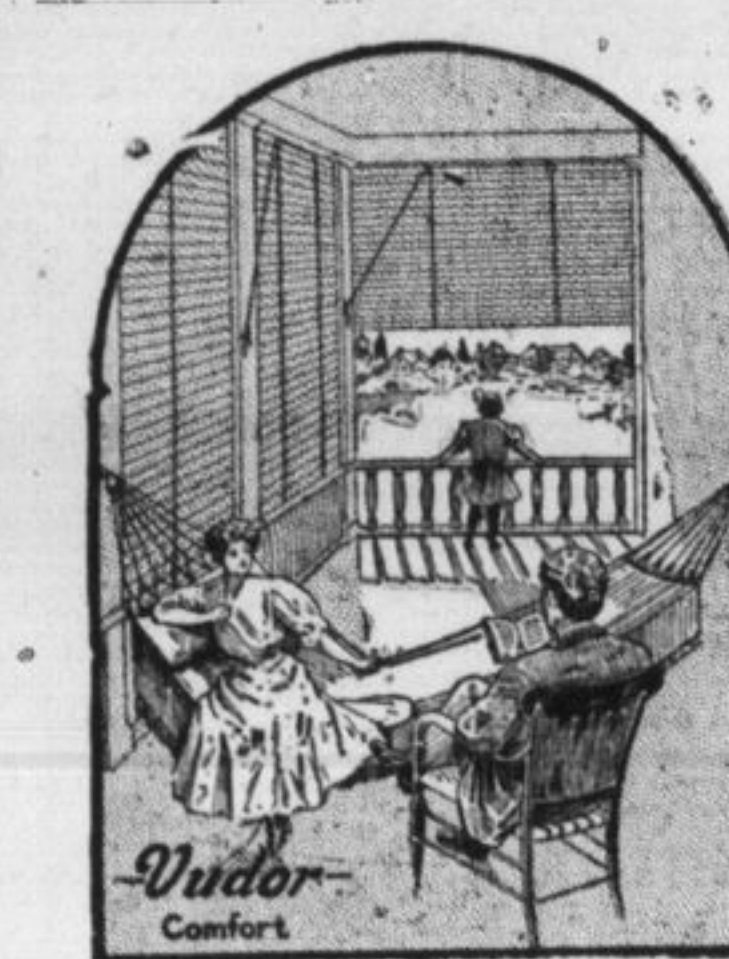
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IS TOO LOW A RATE FOR CARRYING GRAIN FROM FORT WILLIAM.

Will Not Be When the Welland Canal is Deepened and Vessels Can Carry Hundreds of Thousands of Bushels—The Shipping Problem.

H. W. Richardson, the head of the grain firm of James Richardson & Sons, was shown the charges made in a recent issue of the Montreal Herald which alleged that a grain combine was working against the interest of Canada and Montreal, and connecting with it charges made against the Dominion Marine Association of fixing arbitrary rates, and was asked his opinion. Mr. Richardson at once became retrospective and recalled the formation of the association, years ago, with the object of protecting Canadian marine.

"At that time," said Mr. Richardson, "the Canadian marine was small in character, the number of steamers owned by Canadians were very few, and the grain that arrived by these steamers, at Montreal, amounted to very little.

"There were tolls on the Welland canal of about three-eighths of a cent per bushel. This had the effect of stopping grain at Buffalo or the Georgian Bay ports, and the association was formed to encourage Canadians to build ships for the great lakes, to get the government to take the tolls off the Welland, also to get the government to modify and change a great many of the restrictions that were imposed on the association.

"The government listened to its request, and granted about all it asked for. Since then the Canadian marine has grown steadily. To-day there is probably four times as much tonnage there as when the organization occurred, showing that the association certainly was for the interest of the marine of Canada. No doubt, taking of the tolls from the St. Lawrence canal had a good deal to do with the increased tonnage that came through to Montreal.

"The first paragraph in the Herald's article," went on Mr. Richardson, "questioned if three and a half cents per bushel to Montreal in 1900 were profitable, why should they have paid seven cents in succeeding years? In fact, is, three and a half cents per bushel to Montreal is not a profitable rate. No one would think of building ships to carry grain to Montreal at three and a half cents from Fort William and carrying a maximum cargo of 75,000 bushels. If the canal were deepened and enlarged to allow steamers to take the tolls that carry 350,000 to 400,000 bushels, then the rate to Montreal would never likely be over three and a half cents per bushel and it would not be possible to advance the rate to seven cents per bushel, or to eight and a half cents, which has been paid in exceptional cases.

"In regard to grain going to Buffalo," said the shipper, "a great deal goes in December, or very late in November, when the port of Montreal is closed, and when the Georgian Bay elevators are full, when the Canadian tonnage is all taken up to winter grain in, for many steamers carry their cargoes alongside the Georgian Bay elevators, until well on in the spring, acting as warehouses. It would not pay Georgian Bay to build elevators that would accommodate this grain for the few weeks that it would be in store. Then there comes in a lot of American tonnage that carries iron ore during the summer season and on late into the fall, until the ore chutes freeze up. This tonnage comes on the market at the end of the season and takes whatever rate is offered, consequently a large quantity of the grain shipped during the last week in November and the first ten or twelve days of December, goes to Buffalo and is held there by these steamers free of any storage charge or any heavy burden of fire insurance. Freight is taken for it from the ports of New York or Boston, and it is shipped out during the winter months.

"Regarding shipping grain to Buffalo during the summer months, the steamer that goes to Buffalo, takes a cargo of coal back from Lake Erie, and if she went to Tiffin or Depot Harbor, or any of the Georgian Bay ports, would necessitate her either going back light to Fort William, or going down to Lake Erie light to get this cargo of coal, therefore, it is not unreasonable to suppose that a steamer would carry cheaper to Buffalo than she would to the bay ports.

"The rate to Montreal made by the boats is generally based on the Georgian Bay rate plus the Montreal rate, or, in other words, the steamer figure on getting as much to Montreal, for the through trip, via the St. Lawrence, as the grain would cost the shipper if he placed the grain in Georgian Bay ports, and shipped by rail.

"There is no doubt but at times the rate has been modified. By the railroads, owing to the Canadian steamers being willing to carry for less than the Georgian Bay rate, and 'at the East and West rate.' A year ago this spring, I think, the rate was reduced by the railroads owing to this competition, and quite a saving made on the shipping of grain to Montreal.

"You will notice from the above that a lot of grain that goes to Buffalo is for winter storage. Why? Because New York is one of the best shipping points on the continent. There are more ports available from New York than from any other port

NEW CITY HALL DOME DISCUSSED AT MEETING OF PROPERTY COMMITTEE.

Local Architects to Be Asked For Figures of Cost For the Work—Tenders Accepted For Coal and Wood.

A meeting of the property committee was held at the city hall, on Tuesday afternoon. The chairman, Ald. Angrove, presided, and also present were Alds. Free, Graham, Couper, McCartney and Toye.

The chairman informed the members that the chief business was to consider the appointment of an architect, to look after the reconstruction of the city hall dome. He called upon the secretary, to read two communications.

The Hamilton Bridge company wrote stating that they would be pleased to give a price for the steel frame work required, if furnished with specifications.

The other letter was from Weekes & Keeler, architects, Ottawa, offering the services of an architect for the work.

Ald. Free said that outside help should not be considered, and on his motion, the letters were filed.

The chairman said that no doubt different ideas would be expressed regarding how the work of reconstruction would be proceeded with, and on that account, deemed it advisable to have the question discussed. His own idea would be to have a sub-committee appointed to interview the architects, for the purpose of taking up the matter of cost.

Ald. Free suggested that the chairman and Ald. McCartney be appointed to wait on the architects.

Ald. Toye pointed out that it would be proper to have the city engineer write the architects, and then they would have in black and white, what the architects would agree to do.

The chairman thought that this would be the best way to deal with the matter, and Ald. Free was of the same opinion.

On motion of Ald. Free, the engineer was instructed to write the local architects in reference to the reconstruction of the dome, and general repairs to the city hall, asking that figures of cost be submitted for the plans, specifications and the estimated tenders of the work and fees charged.

The chairman remarked that there would be a few days delay in the work, but it would be necessary to have all this information so that the committee would know their position, and the lowest tenders were accepted. P. Walsh, for coal, at \$6.72 per ton, and wood from R. Crawford, at \$6.80 for four feet, and \$7 per cord. The contract for the coal at \$6.83, and Frederick Whitney supplied the wood at \$5.90.

Erected And Stuck.
A large section of marsh has drifted down the Cataract, and has lodged on some partly sunken timber, just out from the cotton mill wharf. It forms quite an island, and adds a touch of picturesque to the surrounding scenery.

1,000 Islands—Rochester.
Steamers North King and Caspian leave for Rochester Monday, at 10.15 a.m., for Thousand Island ports, and at 5.00 p.m. for Bay of Quinte ports and Rochester.

READY FOR THE GAME.

The Lacrosse Players Will Be Quite Fit.

The lacrosse men were out and had a good practice on Tuesday night. The boys were never in better condition than at the present time, and they should win their game on civic holiday against Belleville. Both teams are working hard, and both feel confident of winning. One or two changes will be made in the local line-up to strengthen the team to quite an extent. MacIntyre will be away, but another player has been secured who can play a pretty fast game in Mac's old position. Capt. Singleton is keeping his men right at work and certainly deserves to win out.

The Water Sports.
The sports in charge of the water committee reports that everything is going along nicely in their line. The events are filling up fast and from present appearance, the best water sports ever put on here will be the attraction on Monday morning.

Arranged For Races.
At a meeting of the Gentlemen's Driving club it was decided to put on two racing events on the afternoon of civic holiday. The events will include a trotting race and two for pacing. Valuable cups will be offered for prizes and good sport is promised.

Sporting Notes.
Tucumseh defeated Toronto by 7 to 5, in the first lacrosse game for the city championship.

Just now it looks like Providence or Newark for the championship of the Eastern Baseball League.

The policemen's baseball team was presented with a Spalding baseball by the King Edward club, to-day.

The Smith's Falls Lacrosse Club protected the match played in Brockville one week ago, and the Eastern Ontario League has ordered it to be played over again on the 29th inst. Exception was taken to the work of the referee, a Brockville man, which was upheld. An outside referee and judge of play will handle the next game.

Seven members of the United States Olympic team competed in the games of the Dublin police at Ballsbridge. The feature of the contest was the throwing of the hammer by John Flanagan, who made 173 feet 10 inches, beating his own Olympic record. Ralph Rose, the Californian, set the shot 49 feet 5 inches, breaking the British record of 48 feet 2 inches, made by Denis Hogan at Queenstown, in 1897.

Southpaw McCaig, the Toronto's Georgetown acquisition, will not be taken east. It is the intention of Manager Schady to pitch him against Rochester or Baltimore in their next series here. Both teams are supplied with more than the average number of left hand hitters. Schady was well pleased with McCaig's workout. Fred Hickey will be taken along. Hickey is well known in Kingston, as he played last year for the old Peaves and Rochester. He pitched for "Chauver" Elliott when he won the pennant for Oswego.

"Jim" Jeffries gave the heavyweight championship to Marvin Hart when he beat "Jack" Root. "Tommy" Burns whipped Hart, says the Goldfield News, one of the few papers across the line that sticks up for Burns. Jeffries called Burns a lemon. Just to keep up his good work, Burns beat the life out of "Bill" Soures, Australia's best, in one round. "Jeff" called him a lobster. Then Burns travelled across the pond and defeated Ganger Moir, England's champion, with ease. "Jeff" called Burns a quince.

WAS A SUCCESS.
The Garden Party at Church of the Good Thief.

A real old-fashioned garden party and social was held on Tuesday evening on the ground surrounding the Church of the Good Thief. The grounds were beautifully decorated with flags, bunting, Chinese lanterns and electric lights, and presented a very pretty scene. Four large streamers were strung from the four corners of the church tower to the grounds, and the small flags could be seen for a long distance. Around the grounds many pretty booths were put up, where tempting wares were offered for sale. From five o'clock until eight o'clock supper was served and the host of pretty young waitresses had all they could do to attend to the large number of guests. Many new and original booths and lotteries were on the grounds.

At night, when all the lights were lit, and the crowds began to pour in, the place looked like fairy land. A fine dancing platform was erected and from eight until eleven o'clock it was in constant demand. Father McDonald is to be congratulated on the success of his venture, as it was one of the best ever held in the village.

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The Kingston old boys of Toronto, have invited their honorary presidents Hon. Justice B. M. Britton and Col. Sir H. M. Pellatt, with their families, to be guests of the association on the occasion of the sixth annual excursion to Kingston on Saturday next.

For An All Day Sail.
Take the steamer America for Ogdensburg, Friday, 8 a.m., returning leaves Ogdensburg 3:30 p.m. Fare 50c. Meals on board.

Rev. H. R. Grant, Presbyterian minister at Fernie, B.C., is a graduate of Queen's, and is a vigorous Christian worker. Kingstonians visiting in the west have always found him companionable and interested in his Alma Mater.

A meeting of the Portsmouth school board has been called for Thursday night, to receive a report regarding repairs being made to the school.

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