

BETTER FEELING IN INDUSTRY IS NOTED

Confidence in Coming Heavy Demand for Various Commodities.

In its summary of the iron, steel, metal and machinery markets, Canadian Machinery and Manufacturing News, Toronto, makes the following comment in its Jan. 10 issue:

While the last week, with the effect of the holiday and year-end activities still in evidence, could not be taken as an indication of the future of business, there is evident in industry a feeling of confidence, and an apparent assurance that the coming weeks will bring a heavy demand for metal commodities of all kinds.

The iron sales of the week were in small lots for quick shipment and at unchanged prices. No. 1 and malleable iron is quoted at \$20.95 at Montreal and \$21.15 at Toronto.

The iron market is strong, despite the dearth of sales, and a further advance in price is not improbable.

The railways have commenced to place contracts for rails, fastenings, etc., and the Dominion Iron and Steel Company has received an order for 35,000 tons of rails from the Canadian National Railway.

The order, it is reported, calls for delivery in March, and rolling at the plant will start early this month.

No. 2 blast furnace of the Algoma No. 4 plant.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THE THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

TONIGHT'S CONCERT AT THE IMPERIAL

The programme for tonight's concert between 8.15 and 9 o'clock in Imperial Theatre, as an additional feature for the one price of admission to the splendid Paramount feature "The Cheat," will be as follows:

- 1. Overture, Robespierre, (Litolof)—Orchestra.
2. Song, "Even Bravest Hearts," (Gounod)—Frank H. Hazel.
3. Idyl, "In The Vineyard," (Dider)—Orchestra.
4. Song, "Thou Art With Me," (Helmund)—Frank H. Hazel.
5. Jazz, "The Hurdy-Gurdy Blues," (Scott)—Orchestra.

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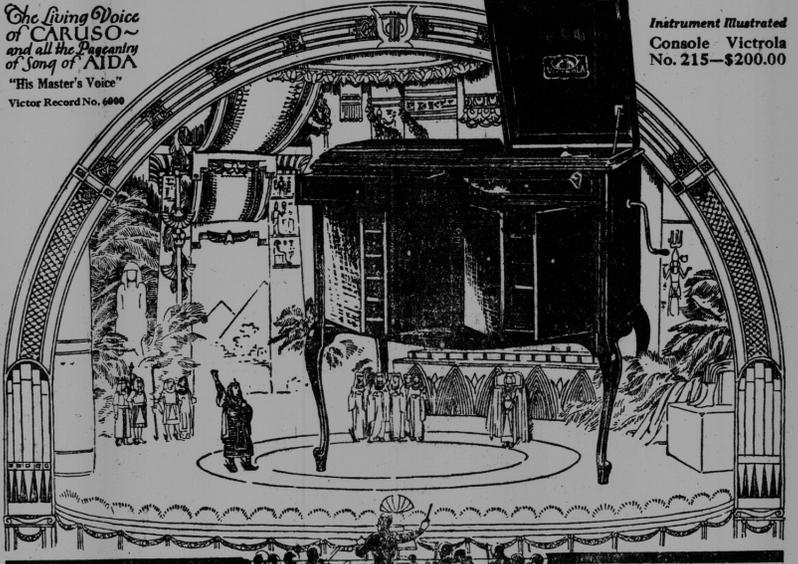
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