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### CAR FERRY SERVICE

#### ABOUT TO START

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After being towed over and placed in position, they were filled with concrete, thus making a solid mass. The core of the remainder of the pier is of stone, known as "quarry run." The slopes are laid with heavy stones, not less than five tons each, built to fit in with one another. These stones were laid by means of a cable-way, being handled by an endless chain between two towers, one on the pier and the other on the bank, about 1,500 feet apart.

The pier is of curving formation and has a J termination, the hollow part of which forms a dock for the steamer. In order to prevent a boat from being damaged by coming into contact with the concrete an automatic fender, designed by the Rogers Miller Co., was built. This is composed of vertical piles, with steel points driven into the rock. These piles are set in pairs, between them timbers are set lengthwise, and there are other piles placed to strengthen the structure. There are sixty-four plungers altogether fitting into pipes and resting against clustered car springs. By means of these springs the compression of the boat is taken up and 100 tons pressure will close the springs up a foot.

The cars will be taken on and off the steamer by means of a large steel transfer bridge or apron, built by the Dominion Bridge Company. This has six large girders with an apron girder suspended from the top. The apron is in three sections, the outer one of which rests on top of the steamer's stern. By means of counter weights, the structure is so balanced that it can be hoisted or lowered by means of a small steam engine to suit any condition of the tide. The breakwater, also built by the Rogers, Miller Co., is situated to the eastward on a pier and affords protection from the east winds. It is 385 feet long and 110 feet at the bottom, tapering to eighteen feet at the top. Before operations were started there was no harbor

and a new one had to be created. An area of 750,000 square feet was dredged to a depth of twenty feet.

Since the steamer began running, the doubt has been expressed as to whether she will be able successfully to carry on the service with the present accommodation. In the first place the turning basin is too small and too shallow. When loaded with twelve cars in summer the steamer draws nineteen feet at the bow and twenty feet at the stern. In winter, in ice-fighting trim, with her waterballast there will be imminent danger of her running aground. In fact the contractors urged the government to have the whole harbor dredged to a depth of twenty-five feet, but the government did not consider it necessary. However, after the pier had been well got under way and some of the concrete cribs laid they decided to deepen the steamer's berth to twenty-five feet. As this was not done before the cribs were laid down, the result was that the dredge was unable to get sufficiently close to the berth to deepen all the area required and the balance of this had to be done by drilling and blasting.

Moreover, it has been found that another breakwater 700 feet long will be necessary to afford adequate protection on the west side.

The deepening of the harbor and the building of the breakwater will take at least another year to accomplish. Of other occasions in fine weather and at different stages of the tide she has docked, been unloaded and re-loaded in twenty-two minutes.

Fortunately the steamer fits the dock on the island side perfectly. At Cape Tormentine, the dock was too small and it was necessary to strip off sheathing from the fenders and replace them with thinned planks before the boat could enter. Even now it requires all her propellers with the aid of the steamer's winch to get her stern squeezed in.

### THE METAL MARKETS

In its summary of the iron, steel, metal and machinery markets for the week ended Oct. 9, Canadian Machinery and Manufacturing News, Toronto, makes the following observations: The industrial situation continues un-

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settled owing to the embargo on steel from the States, but it is hoped that some relief will be obtained when representations have been made to the priority board at Washington. It is absolutely essential that steel for shipbuilding be allowed to enter Canada, but while such materials may be licensed, it is extremely improbable that steel will be permitted to enter for purely domestic purposes. The situation is acute and the shortage of steel cannot help but restrict manufacturing operations. There have been no further developments in regard to prices and the market is holding firm in the meantime. Indications point to the embargo tending to keep prices up in Canada in spite of the reductions in the States.

The outlook is so obscure, however, that it is difficult to say what will be the outcome of the prevailing unsettled conditions. The appointment of a controller of steel and iron should help matters.

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terially in clearing up the situation. The non-ferrous metal markets are dull and prices unchanged. The embargo on copper has resulted in a scarcity of this metal and prices are firm locally. Scrap prices are also unchanged and the market is stagnant. Consumers continue to stay out of the market until the situation is more settled. Prices of machine shop supplies are holding firm with an upward tendency on some lines.

### RECENT DEATHS

Newcastle, Oct. 11.—The death of Robert McCullum occurred at Nelson on Friday. He was one of the oldest and most respected residents of the parish.

ROBBERS GET \$6,000 FROM EXPRESS COMPANY CLERKS

Hoboken, N.J., Oct. 11.—Four masked robbers held up here on Thursday two Adams Express Company employees, shot one of them, Ernest Hecker, a clerk, in the back, and with money reported to amount to \$6,000 made their escape.



## NEW FALL SHOES

## FOR WOMEN ARE READY.

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