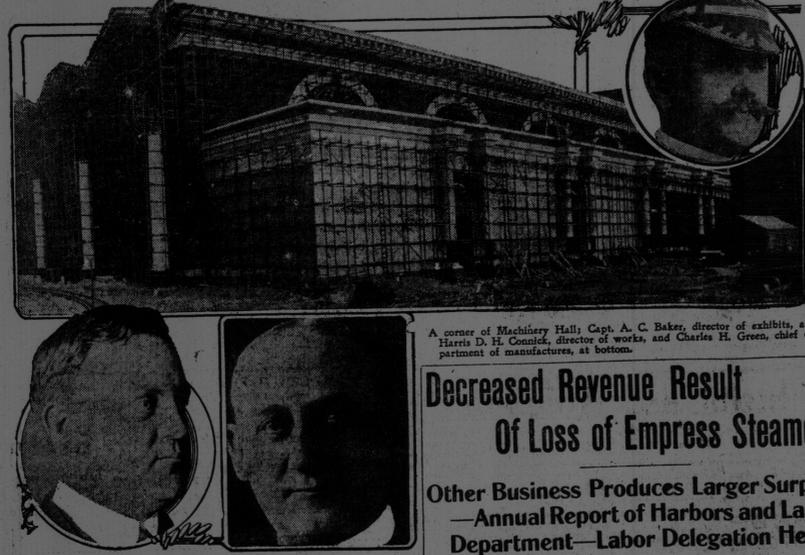


THOUSANDS OF WORKMEN ENGAGED IN CONSTRUCTING HUGE EXHIBIT PALACES ON THE SHORES OF SAN FRANCISCO BAY FOR MARVELOUS EXPOSITION IN 1915



A vast army of workmen is busily engaged on the grounds of the Panama-Pacific International Exhibition and construction is being rushed at high speed. Seventy million feet of lumber will be needed for the main exhibit sections...

Decreased Revenue Result Of Loss of Empress Steamers Other Business Produces Larger Surplus—Annual Report of Harbors and Lands Department—Labor Delegation Heard by Council

At the meeting of the common council yesterday afternoon the report of Commissioner Schofield on the harbor and public lands departments for 1913 was adopted. The harbor report showed a net surplus of \$10,808.87 as compared with \$4,508.35 for 1912.

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Indigestion and practically all forms of stomach trouble are, in almost every instance, due to hyper-acidity. Too much acid produces dyspepsia and indigestion; next the stomach walls become irritated and it is only a short time until it eats through the walls, causing ulcers in the abdomen, which in turn are followed by cancer and death.

INSECT INJURIES INCREASE

As the result of recent scientific investigations, of insect ravages in British Columbia, it was found that in some places forest insects have destroyed twenty-five per cent of the timber crop in California, on the Sierra National Forest, the damage done by insects last summer far exceeded that done by fire.

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along the Gypsy Settlement, so called. The west lands account carried a balance of \$5,893.16 to general revenue, which is about \$1,000 less than in 1912, due largely to the sale of lots to lessees.

After the adoption of the reports, Mayor Frink remarked that he had been trying to get measures for the development on the east side of the harbor, and had interviewed Mr. Gutelius in the matter of additional berths below Reefs Point the other day.

With a request from the management of the Atlantic Sugar Refineries, a statement to the effect that \$884,890.43 had been spent in the building up of the refinery, it was decided to refund the amount according to agreement.

It was decided to increase the number of polling booths in the city for the next election. Wednesday was fixed for the consideration by the council in committee of the whole of the various bills proposed for presentation to the legislature.

As the general work of constructive development in the harbor, such as the creation of the eastern harbor in Courtenay Bay, the building of new docks on the west side, the establishment of the marine dock and depot, etc., is all being carried out by the federal government, there is little need of comment by the city harbor commissioner.

The year 1913, so far as the harbor revenues and the net results, are concerned, has been most gratifying—here are the net receipts:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Harbor Revenue, Public Lands, and other items.

Steps are now being taken to prepare some definite working plan for the sale or lease of the 120 acres of vacant land between Manawegish road and the C. P. R. tracks.

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The committee, after promising completion of the various matters brought up, rose and reported in council. The council adjourned.

Catarah Cannot be Cured with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarah is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies.

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HER LITTLE SON WAS DYING. Campbellville, Ont., May 8th, 1913. "Our little boy, Lawrence, was sorely afflicted with Chronic Indigestion, and the doctor did not think he would recover. He started with a sore mouth and developed into this other trouble. Everything he ate just passed right through the system without any change. He never benefited from any medicine, getting more benefit from them, and I thought what did him good, might help our boy. We tried "Fruit-a-Lives" giving Lawrence 1-2 a tablet at a dose, and the result was marvellous. Today, he is the picture of health, and he is perfectly well."

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use this stone for the streets. Much of the cracked stone that was used here on the streets last summer—was it not brought here from Halifax by the firm that had the contract to fix the streets?—Halifax has a stone-ledge doing this kind of work, opened only in the winter time. Why can't St. John have the same?

Suppose the city spend \$500 this winter getting cracked stone ready for the streets next summer. The city would be getting some return for its money. They give \$600 to the Salvation Army. Why not start a stone yard? The commissioners should have the handling of the taxpayers' money.

Yours truly, GEO. MILLS.

This correspondent presents a further long list of questions to Adj. Cummins of the Salvation Army, some of which have already been answered, and others which should be put direct to the officers of the army.—Editor Times.

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