

HA! HA! HA!

"Well, I'm blest! So this is one of those so-called metal roofing guarantees I've read about," laughs the Wise Man of Metal Town.

"It certainly is a good joke, for it doesn't really guarantee anything to anybody, and isn't legally binding. Ask your own lawyer and you'll find I'm right."

"Stripped of all its exceptions and provisions I don't see how anyone could be serious about it."

"I go by what I know has been done, not by what is promised. For instance, I know that 'Eastlake' Metallic shingles have been in use for twenty-five years right here in Toronto, where they're made, and that those same shingles are in perfect condition now."

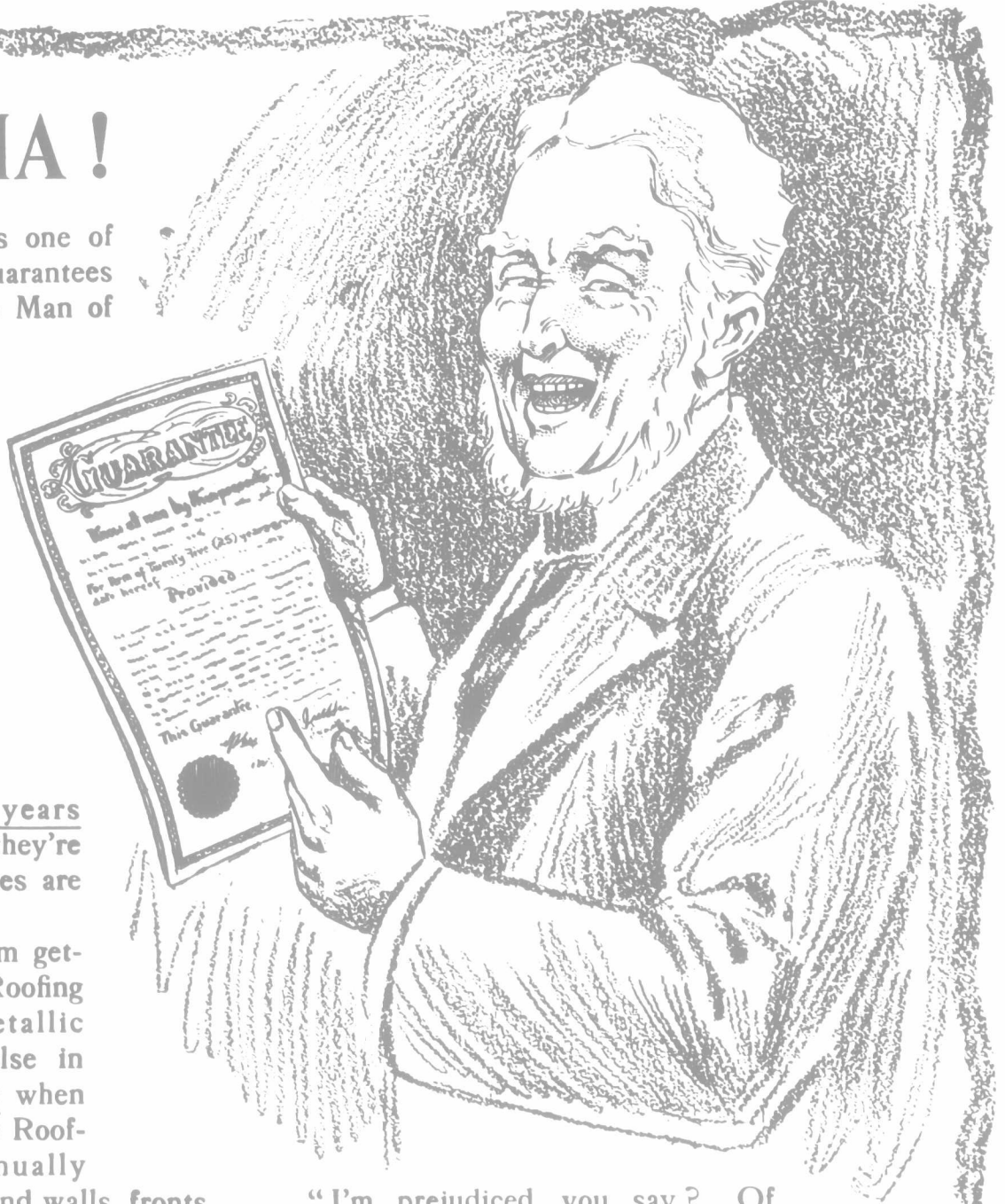
"Just listen here a minute. I'm getting serious now. The Metallic Roofing Company began to make metallic shingles years before anyone else in Canada. They were made right when they were first made. The Metallic Roofing Company have been continually making new designs for ceilings and walls, fronts and cornices, but as for shingles they have never seen an improvement on the 'Eastlake' steel shingles which have been made, laid and proven for twenty-five years."

"I've noticed that most metal shingle manufacturers change their pattern so frequently that I'm led to believe they, themselves, haven't much confidence in their own goods. Yes, they even change the name to cover up some weakness in a previous product."

"TWO OTHER PERSONS' SAY-SO'S"

The Metallic Roofing Co., Limited,
Toronto.
Simcoe, Ont., April 9th, 1908.
Dear Sirs:—"We have handled your 'Eastlake' Shingles for nearly a quarter of a century. They have been on the Court House, Free Library and other public buildings in this town for 18 years. We have used very large quantities during the past 25 years, and they have always given first-class satisfaction, and have never required any repairs."
(Signed) MADDEN BROS.,
Tinsmith and Hardware Merchants.

The Metallic Roofing Co., Limited,
Toronto.
Lucknow, Ont., April 9th, 1908.
Dear Sirs:—"I take great pleasure in testifying to the good qualities of your 'Eastlake' Shingles. We put your painted shingles on our Town Hall here in 1883, 25 years ago, and although they have only been painted twice since that time they are in good condition yet. I consider the lock on the 'Eastlake' the very best, and believe that a roof covered with the galvanized 'Eastlake' will last for ever."
(Signed) THOS. LAWRENCE,
Hardware Merchant.



"I'm prejudiced, you say? Of course I'm prejudiced, but it's a prejudice founded on years of active use of the metallic goods made by The Metallic Roofing Co. It's an old man's prejudice based on a long experience."

"Write for booklet which tells more about 'Eastlake' Metallic Shingles. They are sure proof against fire, lightning, rust or weather in all climates. They are the easiest and quickest to put in place and the most durable when laid. If you send the measurement of any roof an accurate estimate of cost will be sent free."

—The Philosopher of Metal Town.

The Metallic Roofing Co.

Limited

TORONTO and WINNIPEG

Agents wanted in some sections. Write for details, mentioning this paper.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Miscellaneous.

DISEASED COW.

A farmer sells an apparently healthy cow to a drover, who sells it to a butcher in Montreal, and, on post-mortem examination by an inspector, is found to be infected with tuberculosis.

1. Can the butcher recover from the drover, and can the drover recover from the farmer, the price of the cow?

In case the law favors the farmer, can he recover money already paid in settlement?

Quebec.

Ans.—1. We think not.

2. Hardly.

SILO, MONOLITHIC STYLE.

I would like some information in regard to building a cement silo, monolithic style. We have no gravel, but can get broken stone and have plenty of sand. About how many yards of crushed stone would it take to build a silo about 15 by 32? Do you know of anyone who has the necessary outfit and would undertake the construction of a silo of this description?

Ans.—Clean, sharp gravel is superior to stone for silo construction, but if the stone is well crushed, and care is taken not to allow pieces of rock to lie too close to the surface, it will do fairly well along with the sand. For a silo 15 feet diameter and 32 feet high, with wall 10 inches at the bottom and 6 inches at the

top, you would require, approximately, 40 cubic yards of broken stone. Consult our advertising columns for those who have the necessary appliances.

WOOD PRESERVATIVES.

How would creosote paint last on a barn? Would it preserve the lumber? Would you advise using it, or what would be better?

Ans.—Creosote is a crude product distilled from coal tar at very low temperatures. While it preserves the wood, its effect is not lasting, and it is necessary to force the oil into the timber under pressure to make it of high value. A preparation made by special process known as Axonolite Tarbolean is very highly spoken of for preserving wood.

WARTS.

Is there anything that will take large seed warts off a heifer's neck? There are two about 1 1/2 inches in diameter, and some smaller ones just front of shoulders. She had them last fall when brought in from pasture. There is an offensive odor from them now.

Ans.—Such warts are sometimes successfully removed by tying a horse hair tightly around them, and renewing the figure as it slackens. They may also be removed by touching them once a day with a stick of caustic potash, or with butter of antimony applied with a feather. Any having slim necks, may be clipped off with shears, and the raw surface touched with either of the above remedies.