

Mr. William Randolph Hearst, Los Angeles Examiner, Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Hearst:

Herewith are attached two bills from Mattoon & Company, Customs brokers, one in the amount of \$212.38, and the other for \$4743.74.

The first is for Customs entry, bond, toll and duty on the wooden arch centerings from Montolive. These were the arches used in taking down the arches and were shipped over for use in reerecting the arches in their exact form. These arches being new, Customs authorities claim are dutiable at 33-1/3 per cent. This duty must be paid before the arches can be warehoused with the monastery stone.

The second bill is for Customs entry, toll, bond, storage and duty on the Carillon from Belgium. This shipment was placed in the Customs warehouse pending Customs inspection, and the second months storage will begin on December 4th. These charges cover both bells and automatic player. We have succeeded in getting this shipment entered as a complete Carillon under the 20 per cent rate, whereas, as the time of the purchase, the duty was estimated at 40 per cent.

Yours very truly, Julia Morgan

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