

FRAME THE PROPER MATERIAL.

For Buildings on East Side of St. Croix Avenue.

The mayor said yesterday that he believes that removing the fire limits on the east side of St. Croix avenue is the proper thing to do. He said that the buildings could not be built there safely.

The mayor said that in a northeast storm, the cribs would not hold a brick building. The only way brick buildings could be built firmly would be to build a breakwater and this would cost thousands of dollars.

On the west side of the avenue, however, the mayor thought that brick buildings should be built. He said that he thought brick buildings could be erected quite cheaply and that owing to the high insurance rates on wooden buildings it would be more profitable to the owners to build them.