

COOK STARTS A STRIKE

Oiler Also in Fracas Which Delays Liner's Departure.

FIREMEN'S UNION AROUSED

Vice-President of Clyde and Mallory Lines Plays the Role of Pacifier.

A quarrel between a fat cook and a busy oiler on board the Mallory liner Brazos caused that vessel and two others scheduled to leave port at 1 p. m. yesterday to be detained in the harbor until after dark.

Just as the Brazos, with a large passenger complement was about to depart for Galveston, a cook and an oiler engaged in a war of words, and the oiler was discharged.

As soon as the firemen heard of it word was sent to the firemen's union, and a strike was declared. The union folk lost no time and soon had all the firemen of the Brazos on the pier.

The skipper, however, chartered three tugs and had the vessel towed from Pier 4, North River, to an anchorage below the Statue of Liberty.

Like a prairie fire the strike news spread to the Mallory liner Comal and the Clyde liner Comanche, each lying at piers nearby, and the gang from the Comal's fire room walked out. Word reached Captain Watson of the Comanche, lying at Pier 35, that a strike was likely, so he had the Comanche taken out by tugs to moorings near the Brazos.

H. H. Raymond, vice-president and general manager of the Clyde and Mallory lines, heard of the difficulty, and acting as mediator between the unions of the cooks and firemen restored order and brought about an agreement. The cooks' union threatened a strike if the dismissed oiler was taken back on the Brazos.

Tugs were sent down the bay by the firemen's union to take off whatever members chanced to be aboard any of the three vessels, but a compromise had been made before the tugs got below the Battery. The three steamships passed out the Narrows about 5 p. m.

5,000 MEN DIG SUBWAYS

Work Now Under Way Will Cost About \$50,000,000.

An army of more than 5,000 men is now engaged in making the dirt fly on the new subways, of whom 2,100 are at work on the Broadway-Lexington avenue subway in Manhattan and The Bronx; 2,500 on the Fourth avenue subway in Brooklyn, and 122 on the Chambers street section of the Brooklyn loop subway in Manhattan.

Six different contracting firms are engaged on ten sections of the Broadway-Lexington avenue line, the contract prices of which aggregate \$39,639,185. Contracts for two other sections on this line aggregating \$3,331,478 have been awarded by the Public Service Commission, but have not yet been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, making a total of such contracts let to date of \$43,000,663.

On the Fourth avenue subway in Brooklyn four different contractors are completing six sections of that work at a total cost of about \$15,000,000. The Fourth avenue subway is about 87 per cent completed.

JUDGE O'BRIEN 62 YEARS OLD

Says Political Conditions Are Changing and Expects New Parties.

Morgan J. O'Brien, former justice of the Supreme Court, and at present a member of the law firm of O'Brien, Boardman & Platt, celebrated the sixty-second anniversary of his birth yesterday. He was at his office early, and after doing a day's work would have celebrated the occasion further by playing a game of golf had not rain prevented.

Mr. O'Brien, who lives at No. 729 Park avenue, says he still feels as he did when he was a young lawyer just entering the profession. "I am hand at work in these days, as then," Mr. O'Brien declared yesterday, "and I think the secret of life is to keep usefully and continuously employed."

In commenting on the political situation of today Mr. O'Brien said he did not believe conditions were materially different from former years. He did say, however, that our political condition was in a state of transition, and that it was his belief that out of the radical conservative and other factions would grow new political parties.

51 MILK STATIONS NOW OPEN

Health Department Better Able to Watch Them from New Quarters.

The Department of Health has now become a part of the proposed civic center, and the moving downtown has already proved a boon to hundreds of poor persons on the East Side. The department now has 50,000 square feet at its disposal—sufficient room to permit of the extension of a number of the divisions—and situated where it can be in close touch with the big milk stations in the lower part of the city.

Of the fifty-five milk stations to be conducted by the department this summer, fifty-one are already dispensing milk, and thousands of mothers receive free medical advice as well.

It was said at the department yesterday that there had been 37 fewer deaths of infants under one year since January 1, as compared with the same length of time last year.

A spacious assembly room and a library will be two of the features of the new headquarters of the department.

SUN PARLOR IN WALL STREET

Rumors That Bankers' Trust Projection Would Be Morgan's Office Untrue.

Rumors that have been current in Wall Street since the erection of the Bankers' Trust Building, at Wall and Nassau streets, that the projection on the western side of the building at the base of the pyramid tower was to be used by J. P. Morgan as a private office, were proved untrue yesterday, when it was announced by the Bankers' Trust Company that this space had been set aside to be used as a sun parlor.

It will be entirely surrounded by glass and will be at the disposal of tenants of the building and visitors as an observation point. A view in nearly all directions will be afforded. It will also be used to provide sufficient ventilation in the elevators and airshafts.

TWO EXCHANGE TICKETS IN 1913.

The independent element of the members of the Stock Exchange met after the close yesterday to confer on the matter of making a contest at the annual election of the exchange in May. It was decided to offer no opposition to the regular candidates for executive officers and members of the governing committee, but to nominate an independent nominating committee for 1913, which will be voted for at the coming election. The opposition candidates on this committee are A. L. Norris, Oliver B. Bridgman, Lindsey Tappin, William C. Brant Antwerp and Frederick Gilliam, Jr.

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All overstuffed Arm Chairs and Rockers, in exclusive patterns of Cretonnes, at \$25.00 to 35.00

Monday, a Special Exhibit of High Grade

Enamel Bed Room Suites

White Enamel, hand painted decorations, nine pieces, Plate Glass Tops, lined with Cretonne, Colonial Demi-poster Bedsteads, at \$322.50

French Gray, nine pieces, plate glass tops, lined with soft light blue damask, at 392.50

Cream Enamel, shaded, nine pieces, Plate Glass Tops, Twin Bedsteads with cane panels, at 410.00

Shaded Ivory, nine pieces, including a unique Vanity Case with Cheval mirror and two hinged side mirrors, at 547.50

White Enamel, with blue lines, Sheraton, eleven pieces, including Gentleman's Wardrobe, at 575.00

Cream Enamel, hand painted decorations, Sheraton, eleven pieces, Plate Glass Tops, at 657.50

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Brass Bedsteads, with round or square tubing in handsome designs, bright and satin finish, of the finest construction, lacquer guaranteed for five years, \$10.75, 14.50 to 63.00 Formerly from \$15.50, 18.50 to 84.00

Upholstered Box Springs, Formerly \$12.50, at \$8.75

Woven Wire Springs, close woven mesh, roll edge, Formerly \$5.25, at 3.95

Mattresses, of Special Hard Black Drawings, Formerly \$28.00, at 19.75

of Elastic Felt, French Roll Edge, " 13.50, " 9.75

Summer Floor Coverings

All the best makes of Imported and Domestic Weaves are being shown in a large variety of colors and sizes, many being exclusive designs.

Also for Monday and Tuesday

Hit and Miss Rugs, Size 6 by 9 ft., Regular Value \$5.75, at \$3.75

" 7 ft 6 by 10 ft 6, " " 7.95, " 5.75

" 9 by 12 ft., " " 11.00, " 7.50

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" 9 by 12 ft., " " 14.50, " 11.90

Axminster Rugs, in Oriental 8 ft 3 by 10 ft 6, Value \$19.50, at 16.50

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Wilton Rugs, Size 9 by 12 ft., Regular Value \$40.00, at 26.00

West 23d and 22d Streets

AMUSEMENTS.

Announcement!!

The proceeds of the OLIVE TREM-STAD Concert at CARNegie Hall, New York, Tuesday Night, as advertised in this issue, will be divided equally between the GERMAN GOVERNMENT HOME and THE TITANIC SURVIVORS' FUND.

TITANIC SURVIVORS' FUND

STEAMERS AT FOREIGN PORTS. ARRIVED. Eboe, April 26—Eboe (Br), New York via Agaña, Singapore and Manila. Rotterdam, April 26—Eboe (Br), New York via Agaña, Singapore and Manila. Rotterdam, April 26—Eboe (Br), New York via Agaña, Singapore and Manila.

SHIPPING NEWS

Port of New York, Saturday, April 27, 1912.

ARRIVED. Steamer Santiago, Brunswick April 23, to the Clyde Co. with mds. Passed in Quarantine at 4:50 a. m.

OUTGOING STEAMERS. MONDAY, APRIL 23. Vessel For Line Mails Vessel

TUESDAY, APRIL 24. K. Wilhelm II, Bremen, N.Y. 5:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1. Maracabo, La Guayra, Red D. 8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, MAY 2. Maracabo, La Guayra, Red D. 8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m.

FRIDAY, MAY 3. Maracabo, La Guayra, Red D. 8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m.

SATURDAY, MAY 4. Maracabo, La Guayra, Red D. 8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m.

SUNDAY, MAY 5. Maracabo, La Guayra, Red D. 8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m.

MONDAY, MAY 6. Maracabo, La Guayra, Red D. 8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, MAY 7. Maracabo, La Guayra, Red D. 8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m.

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Also for To-morrow, Three Special Values in

Dresses for Street and Afternoon Wear,

Clearance of various styles from regular stock, showing the newest effects, of Meteor, Taffeta, Charmeuse Voiles, Serges, Pongee and Foulard Silks.

at \$15.00, 19.75, 27.50

Actual Values from \$29.50 to 49.50

To-morrow, Another Important Sale of

Printed Foulard Silks

42 inches wide, this season's designs and colorings, in plain and Jacquard grounds, including a large assortment of Borders.

Actual Value \$1.75 Yard, at 85c

4500 Yds. Black Satin Crepe Charmeuse, 40 inches wide, Actual Value \$2.25 Yard, at \$1.58

Large Reductions have also been made in this season's Novelty Silks, such as Printed Radia, Fleur de Soie, Fancy Chiffons, Satin Faconne, Twill Imprime, Jacquard Taffetas, Etc.

Cotton Dress Fabrics

Unusually large reductions have been made in this season's

High Class Imported Novelty Dress Materials,

Also for To-morrow

9500 Yards Embroidered Voiles, in a large assortment of desirable designs and colorings, at 18c

Regular Price 35c Yard

225 Pieces Imported Dress Linens, 36 inches wide, pure flax, yarn dyed, in the newest colors, also black and white, at 30c

Regular Price 50c Yard

Embroidered Dress Patterns, of French Linen, in colors and white, with banding to match, at \$6.85

Decided Values will be offered Monday in

Parsols and Umbrellas

Parsols of Changeable and Plain Taffeta Silks, Black and White Effects, also Imported Pongees, at \$1.90

Actual Value \$3.00

Parsols of Black and White Striped Silk, Floral Borders and Imported Hand Embroidered Linens, at 2.85

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