Hearing To-day On Preferential Shipping Rates

Board and Traffic Experts to Take Up Question of Enforcing Section 28 of Jones Marine Act

Alien Spokesmen Barred

Testimony Sought on Adequacy of American Sea Services in Foreign Trade

Shipping Board commissioners will hold a hearing at 45 Broadway to-day on the adequacy of American steamship services from United States ports before deciding upon enforcement of Section 28 of the Jones act. This forbids the railroads to quote preferential rates for export or import commodities except upon American vessels when the board has determined that there are sufficient ships under the United States flag to accommodate the traffic.

Section 28 has been suspended for nearly two years. The Shipping Board has now decided to enforce it unless shippers can show convincing evidence that it would work hardship upon American foreign commerce. Lacking such information the board will certify to the Interstate Commerce Commission that the conditions outlined in the law have been met and the latter body is directed by law to issue the necessary orders.

Rate Experts to Participate

The Shipping Board committee, composed of Commissioners F. I. Thompson, Admiral W. S. Benson and George J. Chamberlain, will open the hearing at 10:30 this morning. They are accompanied by Clifford W. Smith, secretary of the board; Traffic Expert W. L. Clark and Fred Fraeser and Charles Gerry, of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

A number of commercial organizations will be represented, some of which will oppose application of the section at this time. C. J. Austin will appear for the National Industrial Traffic League, O. M. Mitchell for the Produce Exchange, J. C. Lincoln for the Merchants' Association, officials of the Consolidated Steel Company, the American packers and others.

In a statement made public yesterday Commissioner Thompson served warning that the board would ask information on the connections of the various witnesses and that no testimony would be received from any having relations with foreign steamship lines.

The hearing is the second of a series that will take in the principal ports of the Atlantic, Pacific and Gulf, the first having been held in Boston last Friday.

Thompson Outlines Aims

Commissioner Thompson, chairman of the committee, said: "The committee is desirous of ascertaining the future of commerce and maritime interests with respect to the adequacy of American flag tonnage to serve the needs of such American commerce to and from foreign ports as would move under preferential rate. The committee also wants to know what identity, if any, protestants may have with foreign shipping interests. The voice we seek is the voice of the American shipper and ship operator and not any voice that may reflect the views of those whose interest is best served by restriction from operation of certain preferential features of our marine law. Certainly it is the wish of the committee from the United States Shipping Board to accord full opportunity for the presentation of the views of those whose unquestioned attitude is for the upbuilding of an American merchant marine; but I wish it understood that we are not expected to give way to views that originate from sources known to be hostile, covertly or openly, to the marine expansion of the United States."

This will be the last hearing on the North Atlantic situation, and it is expected that representatives from Philadelphia and Baltimore will be present.

Gain in U. S. Shipping Too Slow, Says Board

35 P. C. of Import and Export Trade in Dry Cargoes, Record for March

From The Tribune's Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Despite a noticeable increase in water-borne trade in March, the percentage of cargoes carried in American flag vessels was far below what it should be, the Shipping Board said to-day. The increase in dry cargoes was 20 per cent over February and in tank ships 31 per cent greater.

American ships carried only 35 per cent of both the import and export trade in dry cargoes," the statement said. "It is vitally necessary for the commercial security of the United States to develop the carriage in American bottoms of at least 50 per cent of this dry and general cargo, as distinguished from the tanker shipments. For three months of last year American ships carried more than 40 per cent of this traffic. The average for the calendar year was 36 per cent. That this average is being still further lowered should give cause for concern."

General cargo, excluding tanker shipments, amounted in March to 3,844,000 tons, or 644,000 tons more than in February. Most of this increase lay in the export trade, which exceeded that of the previous month by 575,000 tons, or 28 per cent. March exports were greater than any month since August, 1921, the peak of the grain export movement. Dry imports were 1,157,000 tons, or 6 per cent, over February, and the highest figure attained since April, 1921.

Tanker imports for March exceeded those of February by 23 per cent and the export of bulk oil was 61 per cent over the previous month. American vessels handled 89 per cent of the inward movement of 1,600,000 tons and 38 per cent of the export of 496,000 tons, or 77 per cent of the total tanker trade.

Merchants' Association To Discuss N. Y. Canal

The New York State Barge Canal as "an avenue of prosperity" will be the subject of discussion at the luncheon of the Merchants Association at the Hotel Astor next Thursday. The principal speaker will be Charles L. Cadle, State Superintendent of Public Works, who will explain the possibilities and advantages of the waterway. His address will be illustrated by motion pictures taken especially for the purpose.

Ship Men Meet To-day

The Merchant Marine Joint Committee, composed of ship owners, builders and operators, will meet this afternoon at the offices of the American Steamship Owners' Association, 11 Broadway, to consider suggestions for amendment of the ship subsidy bill.

Marine Reports

THE TIDES

	High water AM	High water PM	Low water AM	Low water PM
Sandy Hook	5:43	6:08	11:39	—
Governors Island	6:16	6:48	12:27	12:41
Hell Gate	8:22	8:43	3:39	2:50

Winds at Sea To-day

North of Sandy Hook and Sandy Hook to Hatteras—Moderate variable, mostly northerly; fair.

Hatteras to Florida Straits—Moderate northeast and east; fair.

Bermuda and Vicinity—Moderate variable; generally fair.

East Gulf of Mexico—Moderate easterly and fair weather.

West Gulf of Mexico—Fresh east and southeast; generally fair.

Over Caribbean Sea and Windward Passage—Moderate east to northwest; fair.

Arrived Yesterday

Pastores, Cristobal April 13, Port Limon April 16 and Havana April 20; to the United Fruit Co. with 58 pass, mails and mdse, Pier 15, E R.

Saga, Ponce April 13, Mayaguez and Aguadilla April 14 and San Juan April 18; to the Atlantic Fruit Co, with 15 pass and mdse.

Corsica, Norfolk; to Castner, Curran & Bullitt, 75th st, N R.

Peris (Br), Rio Grande do Sul March 11, Santos March 17, Rio de Janeiro March 18, Victoria March 21, Macelo March 24, Ceara March 31, Para April 8 and Barbados April 14; to the Booth S S Line, with 34 pass, mails and mdse; 33d st, B'klyn.

Eastern Moon, Adelaide Jan 12, Brisbane Feb 8, Sydney Feb 17, Melbourne Feb 28, Balboa April 6, Cristobal April 7 and Boston April 21; to the U S & Australasia S S Co, with mdse; Pier 3, Army Base, B'klyn.

Bryntawe (Br), Sagua April 11 and Calbarien April 17; to the Munson S S Lines, with sugar, off Liberty.

Nieuw Amsterdam (Dt), Rotterdam and Boulogne April 12 and Plymouth April 13; to the Holland-America Line, with 76 first, 133 second cabin, 70 steerage pass, mails and mdse, 5th st, Hoboken.

Mexico (Br), Alexandria April 3, Naples April 6, Monaco April 8 and Ponta Delgada April 15; to the White Star Line, with 188 first, 81 second cabin, 131 steerage pass, mails and mdse; Pier 53, N R.

Edith, Arecibo April 8, Ponce April 10, Mayaguez and Aguadilla April 11, Humacao April 12, Manibo April 16 and San Juan April 17; to the Bull Insular Line, with mdse; Pier 27, B'klyn.

Santiago, Philadelphia; to Ward Line, Pier 17, B'klyn.

Mattie F Alles, Fall River; to Gilmartin & Co, off Red Hook Flats, B'klyn.

Karmoy (Nor), Manzanillo April 11 and Guantanamo April 16; to the Munson Line, with sugar, off Liberty.

Resolute, Hamburg April 11, Southampton and Cherbourg April 13; to the United American Lines, with 93 first, 200 second cabin, 226 steerage pass, mails and in ballast; Pier 86, N R.

Bordarer (Br), Mombasa Jan 18, Tunga Jan 19, Beira Feb 18, Durban Feb 25, East London Feb 27, Algoa Bay March 3, Cape Town March 17, St Vincent, C V, March 29, Bermuda April 13 and Boston April 21; to Norton, Lilly & Co, with mdse; Pier 2, Bush Docks, B'klyn.

Lucia (It), Trieste March 11, Bari March 15, Messina March 20 and Palermo March 25; to Phelps Bros & Co, with mdse, Pier 7, Bush Docks, B'klyn.

Vasconia (Br), London April 8; to the Cunard Line, with mdse; Pier 51, N R.

Angria (Swed), Calabar March 16, Acora March 28, Freetown April 8 and St Vincent, C V, April 8; to Moore & McCormack, with mdse; foot 18th st, E R.

City of Montgomery, Savannah; to the Ocean S S Co, with pass and mdse; Pier 20, N R.

Gulfstar, Port Arthur; to the Gulf Refining Co, with crude oil; Bayonne, N J.

Comancho, Jacksonville and Charleston; to the Clyde S S Line, with pass and mdse; Pier 4, N R.

Jefferson, Norfolk; to the Old Dominion Trans Co, with pass and mdse, Pier 51, N R.

Bylast, Boston and Norfolk; to the Pocahontas Fuel Co, 43d st, N R.

Harvey H Brown, Norfolk; to Castner, Curran & Bullitt, 95th st, N R.

Wm N Page, Norfolk; to Castner, Curran & Bullitt, Pier 7, Bush Docks, B'klyn.

Eugene F B Thayer, Tampico; to Sinclair Nav Co, off Liberty.

Edward Luckenbach, San Francisco.

Montauk (Br), London; to the Atlantic Trans Co, with mdse.

Santa Rosa, Mejillones.

Sailed Yesterday

Solberg (Nor), Petrograd via Baltimore; Roseric (Br), Manila via Norfolk; Camamu (Braz), Philadelphia; Belita (Nor), Baracoa; Nyanza, Mobile; Javery, Charleston; Arizona, P Lockenbach, Los Angeles via Philadelphia; Cabedo, Talara.

Mexican, San Pedro, Sarcoxie, Rotterdam.

Passenger Ships Due

Due To-day

Munargo, Nassau April 21 to Munson Lines, with mails, is expected to dock at Pier 2, E R (Old Slip).

Zeeland (Br), Antwerp April 13, to Red Star Line with mails; was 930 miles east Ambrose noon April 21; is expected to dock forenoon at Pier 60, N R (West 18th st).

Celtic (Br), Liverpool April 13, to White Star Line with mails; is expected to reach Quarantine about 4 a m and dock about 9 a m at Pier 59, N R (West 18th st).

Orpesa (Br), Southampton April 14; to Royal Mail Steam Packet Co with mail; is expected to dock about 10 a m at Pier 42, N R (Morton st).

Centennial State, London, April 10; to U S Lines with mails; is expected to reach Quarantine 6 a m and dock forenoon at Pier 4, Hoboken.

Martinique, Port Antonio April 18; to Clyde S S Co with mails; is expected to dock forenoon at Pier 44, N R (Christopher st).

Alsia (Br), Marseilles April 7 via Providence; to Fabre Line; is expected to dock at 21st st, B'klyn.

Vasari, Barbados April 18 via Bermuda; to Lamport & Holt Line; is expected to dock late to-day or early Tuesday at Pier 18, Hoboken.

Zulia, Maracaibo April 18; to Bliss, Dallett & Co. with mails; is expected to dock forenoon at Pier 11, Brooklyn (Montague st).

Porto Rico, San Juan April 13; to N Y & Porto Rico S S Co with mails; is expected to dock about 10 a m at Pier 35, Brooklyn.

Fort Hamilton (Br), Bermuda April 22; to Furness, Withy & Co with mails; is expected to dock forenoon at Pier 86, N R (West 56th st).

Denis, Para April 8; to Booth Line with mails; is expected to dock at 833 st, B'klyn.

Momus, New Orleans; to Southern Pacific Co; is expected to dock at Pier 48, N R.

Due To-morrow

Hansa (Ger), Hamburg April 15, to United American Lines with mails; is expected to dock forenoon at Pier 86, N R (West 46th st).

Colon, Cristobal April 19; to Panama R R Co with mails, is expected to dock late afternoon at Pier 67, N R (West 27th st).

Orizaba, Havana April 22; to Ward Line; is expected to dock late at Pier 14, E R (Wall st).

City of Savannah, Savannah, April 22; to Ocean S S Co; is expected to dock forenoon at Pier 36, N R (Spring st).

Mohaw, Jacksonville April 22; to Clyde Line; is expected to dock forenoon at Pier 86, N R (Charlton st).

Due Wednesday

Vessel	Port	Agency
Haverford	Hamburg, April 18	Am Line
Themistocles	Constantinople, April 5	N Galanos

Due Thursday

Lithuania, Copenhagen, April 15. Baltic-American Line

Stracia, Kingston, April 22. Un Fruit Co

Matura, Trinidad, April 19. Furness-Withy

Ft Victoria, Bermuda, April 20. Furness, Withy & Co

Due Friday

Aquitania, Southampton, April 22. Cunard

America, Naples, April 14. Italia-Am Line

City of St Louis, Savannah, April 20. Ocean S S Co

Due Saturday

George Washington, Bremen, April 20. U S Lines

Noordam, Rotterdam, April 19. Holland-America Line

Parima, Barbados, April 20. Furness-Withy

Due Sunday

Panhandle State, Cherbourg, April 20. U S Lines

Median, Liverpool, April 22. W Star Line

Due Monday, May 1

Kroonland, Southampton, April 21. Red Star Line

Hudson, Bremen, April 20. U S Lines

La Savoie, Havre, April 22. French Line

San Lorenzo, San Juan, April 26.

Caracas, Curacao, April 26. Bliss-Dallett

Fort Hamilton, Bermuda, April 29. Furness-Bermuda Line

Due Tuesday, May 2

Frederik VIII, Christiania, April 21. Scandinavian-American Line

Mount Clinton, Hamburg, April 20. United American Lines

Freight Ships Due

Due To-day

Vessel	Port	Agency
Liberty Glo	Santos, April 5	International Freighting Corp
Cragness	Tyne, April 5	U S Navigation Co
Canadian Hunter	Gibraltar, April 9	Wilford & McKay
Vasconia	London, April 8	Cunard S S Co
Mon auk	London, April 8	Atl Trans Line
Nevadan	Cristobal, April 13	Un Am Lines
Nebraskan	Cristobal, April 16	United American Lines
Havana Maru	Cristobal, April 15	Barber Lines
Robin Goodfellow	San Francisco, April 1	Isthmian Lines
Pipestone County	Rotterdam, April 6	Cosmopolitan Line

Due To-morrow

Vessel	Port	Agency
El Occidente	Galveston, April 19	Southern Pacific Co
Cabo Villano	Seville, April 5	Ybarra Line
Pioneer	Antwerp, April 8	Lloyd Royal Belge
West Eldara	Dunkirk, April 10	Cosmopolitan Line
Ossining	Buenos Ayres, April 4	Munson Lines
Sussex	Cristobal, April 12	Norton-Lilly

Due Wednesday

Vessel	Port	Agency
Panaman	Hamburg, April 12	U Am Lines
Cananova	Pt Antonio, April 19	Funch, Edye & Co
Fort Elliot	Liverpool, April 14	Funch, Edye & Co
Soerakarta	Gibraltar, April 12	Anglo-American Oil
Western Spirit	Antwerp, April 9	Black Diamond Line

Due Thursday

Vessel	Port	Agency
Nacoma	Liverpool, April 13	Booth & Co
Mesaba	London, April 13	Atlantic Transp
Knud II	Shields, April 12	Funch-Edye
Saranac	Avonmouth, April 13	Anglo-American Oil

Due Friday

Vessel	Port	Agency
California	Bordeaux, April 12	French Line
Welsh City	London, April 13	U S Nav Co
Marengo	Hull, April 13	Ellerman's Wilson Line
Amelia	Port Antonio, April 20	Atlantic Fruit Co

Due Saturday

Vessel	Port	Agency
Corson	Hamburg, April 13	Kerr S S Co
Robert Dollar	Gibraltar, April 13	Dollar Line
Harmodius	Liverpool, April 13	Houston Lines

Outgoing Steamships

NOTE.—Matic information will be found on Travel Page, Eighth Column.

Sail To-morrow

Vessel	Port	Sail	Pier
Mauretania	Southampton, 12 M	54	N R
Arabic	Genoa, 11 AM	60	N R
Panama	Cristobal, 3 PM	67	N R
Diefjord	Christiania, 12 M	30th st	B'klyn
Munplace	Vera Cruz, 2 PM	9	E R
Maraval	Grenada, 1 PM	47	N R
Sarpfos	Cristobal, 1 PM	3	B'klyn
Comanche	Jacksonville, 12 M	36	N R
City of Montgomery	Savannah, 3 PM	20	N R

Sail Wednesday

Vessel	Port	Sail	Pier
Paris	Havre, 12 M	57	N R
Scythia	Liverpool, 12 M	56	N R
Hanover	Bremen, 10 AM	5th st	Hoboken
Roswell	Buenos Ayres, 12 M	14	Hoboken
Metapan	Kingston, 12 M	9	N R
Ft Hamilton	Bermuda, 11 AM	96	N R
Evelyn	San Juan, 12 M	27	B'klyn
Concho	Galveston, 12 M	38	N R
Pawnee	Baltimore, 12 M	44	N R
Acropolis	Piraeus, 12 M	84	B'klyn
Manchuria	Hamburg, 3 PM	61	N R
Hyanthess	Buenos Ayres, 11 AM	3	Erie Basin, B'klyn
Lake Winthrop	San Domingo, 12 M	27	B'klyn

Sail Thursday

Vessel	Port	Sail	Pier
Hellig Olav	Copenhagen, 12 M	17th st	Hoboken
Rochambeau	Havre, 2 PM	57	N R
Susquehanna	Bremen, 12 M	1	Hoboken
City of Savannah	Savanah, 3 PM	35	N R
Morro Castle	Vera Cruz, 2 PM	14	E R
Mohawk	Jacksonville, 12 M	36	N R
Iowan	Seattle, 12 M	6	Bush D, B'klyn

Sail Friday

Vessel	Port	Sail	Pier
Bergenstfjord	Bergen, 12 M	30th st	B'klyn
Edgehill	Antwerp, 3 PM	5	Army B, B'klyn
Munargo	Nassau, 2 PM	9	E R
Prinz der Nederlander	Cape Hayti, 1 PM	6	Bush Docks, B'klyn

Sail Saturday

Vessel	Port	Sail	Pier
Centennial State	Plymouth, 11 AM	4	Hoboken
Lone Star State	Bremen, 11 AM	1	Hoboken
Buruta	Cape Town, 12 M	30th st	B'klyn
Zeeland	Antwerp, 12 M	58	N R
Nieuw Amsterdam	Rotterdam, 12 M	5th st	Hoboken
Rosalind	St Johns, 11 AM	Java st	B'klyn
Orizaba	Havana, 11 AM	12	E R
Pastores	Pt Limon, 12 M	9	N R
Porto Rico	San Juan, 12 M	35	B'klyn
Zulia	Curacao, 12 M	11	B'klyn
Pan-America	Buenos Ayres, 1 PM	3	Hoboken
Justin	Natal, 2 PM	53	st B'klyn
Celtic	Liverpool, 12 M	59	N R
Gen H F Hodges	Guayaquil, 3 PM	67	N R
Maid of Syria	Constantinople, 12 M	22	B'klyn
New York City	Bristol, 12 M	61	N R
Vasconia	London, 12 M	58	N R
Montauk	London, 12 M	60	N R
Oropesa	Hamburg, 12 M	42	N R
Ft Victoria	Bermuda, 11 AM	95	N R
Martinique	Port Antonio, 12 M	44	N R
F J Luckenbach	San Francisco, 12 M	25th st	B'klyn
Edith	San Juan, 12 M	27	B'klyn
Yucatan	Vera Cruz, 11 AM	14	E R
Tenalpa	Jacksonville, 12 M	36	N R
Momus	New Orleans, 12 M	38	N R

City Island

Bound South—Schs Albera, Greenport for New York; Hannah H, Greenport for New York; General Torbert, Providence for New York; Ella, South Norwalk for New York; Minnie, New Haven for New York.

Bound East—Schs Daniel Pompkins, New York for Bridgeport; Henry Crocker, New York for New Haven.

Reports by Wireless

By United States Naval Service

[Distance is given in miles. Reports are dated at noon unless otherwise specified.]

NOTICE TO OWNERS, AGENTS AND SHIPMASTERS

The Tribune publishes daily reports of the positions of merchant vessels received through the United States Naval Communication Service. Shipmasters of vessels with radio apparatus may, without charge, report their (TR) noon positions through the following naval radio stations in the United States proper: Bar Harbor, Me. (Ottercliffe); Cape Hatteras, N. C.; Jupiter, Fla.; Key West, Fla.; New Orleans, La.

These positions (TR) reports should be addressed only to the radio station called, and they will be forwarded to New York. It is important that these reports should be sent promptly at noon each day in order that they may be received in time for publication.

Position reports can also be sent through the stations of the Independent Wireless Telegraph Company, Inc., New York City (WCG), Babylon, L. I. (WSE), Easthampton, L. I. (WSA), New London, Conn. (WSP).

No charge is made for medical or surgical advice, latest news and weather reports.

The Radio Corporation of America will receive position reports through the following stations: Cape Cod (WCC), Siasconset, Mass. (WSC), New London, Conn. (WLC), Cape May, New York City (WNY).

Medical and surgical advice will be given free through the Radio Corporation of America by the U S Public Health Service.

Abangarez 218 N Cristobal April 23.
Agwisea 158 WSW Flores, Azores April 22.
Anaconda 1,352 E Nantucket April 22.
Atenas 738 S South Pass April 23.
Baton Rouge 332 E Tampico April 22.
Bremerton 653 E Ambrose LV April 23.
Camden 848 N Cristobal April 23.
Carson 1,289 E Ambrose LV April 22.
Charles E Harwood 400 from Cape Henry April 23.
Charles W Everest 210 ESE Sabine Bar April 23.
Charles Pratt 408 E Tampico April 23.
Chorlet lat 42 38 lon 64 28 April 23.
City of Weatherford 106 W Abaco Light April 23.
Clavarack lat 39 50 lon 36 24 April 22.
Coldwater 75 NE Charleston April 23.
Derbyline 12 E Pacific Reef April 22.
Eastern Dawn 641 E Ambrose LV April 23.
Eastern King 422 ESE Galveston April 23.
Edward L Doheny 8 N Fowey Rock April 22.
Esparta 394 N Bogas April 23.
Evergreen City 36 NE Jupiter April 23.
Faraby 473 E Ambrose LV April 23.
Federal 156 NE Hole-in-Wall April 23.
George W Clyde 120 N Tampico April 23.
George Washington 2,937 E Ambrose LV April 22.
Harold Walker 183 E Tampico April 23.
J A Moffett jr 167 NE Jupiter April 23.
J M Guffy 247 W Tampa April 23.
James McGee 55 N by E Fowey Rock April 23.
Japan Arrow 200 N Jupiter April 23.
Jomar 55 N Jupiter April 23.
Katrina Luckenbach 951 S Scotland April 23.
Kroonland 2,891 E Ambrose April 22.
Lio 460 NE Bermuda April 23.
Lorraine Cross 350 NE Havana April 23.
Maquan lat 27 36 lon 67 50 April 24.
Meanticut 2,078 E Cape Henry April 23.
Minnekahda 1,431 E Ambrose April 23.
Montana lat 42 21 lon 42 08 April 23.
Monterey 341 NE Havana April 23.
Mount Clay 1,687 E Ambrose April 23.
Muskogee 166 ESE South Pass April 23.
Nelson 50 ENE Jupiter April 23.
O T Wearing 140 SE South Pass April 23.
Parismina 306 N Port Limon April 23.
Pearl Shell 23 E Great Isaac April 23.
Peninsular State 826 E Ambrose April 23.
Perfection 45 S Jupiter April 23.
Quaker City 21 S Cape Sable April 23.
Reaper 22 S Jupiter April 23.
Red Hook 24 S South Pass April 23.
St Anthony lat 39 58 lon 51 00 April 22.
Samuel L Fuller 44 E Tampico April 23.
San Blas 110 S Nantucket April 22.
San Gil 685 SE Cape San Antonio April 23.
San Jose 256 N Tela April 23.
Santa Gertrudis 70 N Jupiter April 23.
Sapinero 285 SE Nantucket April 22.
Severance 13 E Jupiter April 23.
Swiftscout 257 N Tela April 23.
Tenadores lat 41 10 lon 51 29 April 22.
Venezuela 514 SE Ambrose LV April 22.
West Norranus 512 E Bermuda April 22.
Western Glen 1097 E Cape Henry April 22.
William Boyce Thompson 500 E Ambrose LV April 23.
William G Warden 7 E Miami April 21.
Annetta 118 S Cape Henlopen April 23.
Apache pd Wimble Shoals April 23.
C A Snyder 60 N Hatteras April 23.
Calamares 298 S Scotland LV April 23.
Cangarga 50 SW Hatteras April 23.
Centennial State 345 E Ambrose LV April 23.
Chester Sun 18 N Hatteras April 23.
Currier 75 SW Hatteras April 23.
El Mundo 76 N Hatteras April 23.
El Sud 91 N Hatteras April 23.
Hilde Hugo Stinnes 250 SW Hatteras April 23.
Glenpool 91 S Hatteras April 23.
J W Van Dyke 55 N Hatteras April 23.
Kenowia 36 NE Hatteras April 23.
Leviga 310 S Scotland LV April 23.
Swiftangle 50 NNE Hatteras April 23.
Thomas H Wheeler 140 SW Hatteras April 23.
Turrialba 231 S Scotland LV April 23.

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[Distance in miles, position at noon unless otherwise stated.]

Claireton 419 E Cape Henry April 23.
Centennial State 345 E Ambrose April 23.
Dauperata 600 E Cape Henry April 23.
Egremont 206 E Ambrose April 23.
Gargoyle 354 E Ambrose April 23.
Grecian 12 SW Fire Island April 23.
Harvard Maru will arr N Y noon Apr 25.
Helen left Porto Rico 2:30 PM Apr 23.
Iroquois 537 S Scotland April 22.
Kerimal left Belfast 6.50 S Scotland April 23.
Lake Gilboa 156 SE Diamond Shoals April 23.
Lancastrian lat 39 47 lon 75 02 April 23.
Kershaw 14 SW Fire Island April 23.
Lake Fannin 175 S Scotland April 23.
Macabi Preston Apr 23.
Mary 642 S Scotland April 22.
Monterey 315 S Scotland April 23.
Martinique 744 S Scotland April 23.
Montauk 109 E Ambrose April 23.
New Jersey 560 E Cape Henry April 23.
Munargo 294 S Ambrose Apr 23.
Ontario 20 SW Fire Island April 23.
Osakis 530 SE Ambrose April 23.
Ponce 266 S Scotland LV Apr 23.
Quantico 5 E Fire Island April 23.
San Lorenzo Mayaguez Apr 23.
Saugerties 470 E Cape Henry April 23.
Shiloshiny 248 E Ambrose April 23.
Sixaola 1,039 S Sandy Hook Apr 23.
Vandyke 940 SE Ambrose April 23.
West Eldara 690 E Boston April 23.
William A McKenny at Great Round Shoals April 23.

Radio Corpn. of America

[Positions given are noon except stated otherwise.]

Arlo 126 S Scotland April 23.
Airedale 153 S Ambrose April 23.
Brammel Point 485 ENE Charleston April 22.
Bylayl 4 S Barnegat April 23.
Bogota 20 S Scotland April 23.
Charles E Harwood 650 S Virginia Capes April 22.
Cokesit lat 40 18 lon 52 83 April 22.
City of Columbus 98 N Diamond April 23.
City of Rome 42 SW Gayhead Boston April 23.
City of Atlanta 111 SW Gayhead Buoy Savannah April 23.
Cananova 200 S Ambrose April 23.
Dallas 97 WSW Nantucket LV April 23.
Ed Luckenbach 322 S Ambrose April 22.
Everest 30 from Cape May 8 PM April 22.
Everett 26 S Montauk Point April 23.
Fred W Weller 248 S Ambrose April 23.
Lake Arthur 150 S Scotland April 22.
Mexanite 1,400 E Ambrose 6 AM April 23.
Monaus 193 E Portland April 22.
Matura 1,296 SSE Ambrose April 22.
Mayaro 210 N Demerara April 22.
Montgomery City off Cape Cod April 23.
Manhattan off Cape Henry April 23.
Muskogee 43 E Ambrose April 23.
Philadelphia 240 S Scotland April 23.
Porto Rico 185 S Scotland April 23.
Roanoke 116 N Diamond April 22.
Swift Arrow 224 S Block Island April 23.
Santa Rosa 120 S Sandy Hook April 23.
Standard 25 N Diamond April 22.
Vandyke 1,100 SE Ambrose 5 AM April 23.
Vacuum left Pazitchos April 20.
W Boyce Thompson 500 E Ambrose April 23.
Zulia 386 S Scotland April 22.
Lake Sterling cape Henry 5 p m April 23.
Manatellan 15 E Cape Cod April 23.
Surico 169 E Block Island April 23.
Peninsula State 825 E Ambrose April 23.
Agwinex Cape Cod April 22.
Liberty Glow 23 SE Cape Cod April 23.
Consuelo 230 E Ambrose April 23.
Tuscalitis 12 E Sandy Hook April 23.
Dallas 97 WSW Nantucket April 23.
Hera 540 SE Ambrose April 23.
Hudson 2655 E Ambrose April 23.
Herbert Pratt 63 S Diamond April 23.
The Wellington 36 S Lookout April 23.
Dixie Arrow 475 S Ambrose April 23.
Charles E Harwood 400 S Virginia Capes April 23.
Edgerspar 318 E Cape Henry April 23.
Flora 240 N Jupiter April 22.
Nantucket 80 WSW Boston, Azores, April 23.
Clavarack 1677 E Cape Henry April 23.
Tenafly lat 38 30 lon 40 38 April 23.
Mean Ticup lat 39 50 lon 32 15 April 23.
Hegira 2021 ENE Abolo Light April 22.
Salvador lon Hiss lat 38 31 lon 56 30 April 23.
S M Spaulding 102 S Hatteras April 23.
W L Speed 130 N Jupiter April 23.
Munamar 645 S Ambrose April 23.
Mincola 950 S Ambrose April 23.
Katrina Luckenbach 951 S Scotland April 23.

American Ports

BALTIMORE, April 23.—Arrived: Dunmail (Br), Cardiff; Eastern Queen, Colon; Persian, Jacksonville; Winchester, Boston; Ericsson, Philadelphia. Sailed: Willhilo, Los Angeles, etc, via Norfolk.

CRISTOBAL, April 23.—Arrived: Taushima Maru, Japan; New York, for San Francisco; Santa Ana, San Francisco for Boston and New York; Dretchko, (Br), Melbourne for Boston and New York; Eastern Knight, New York for Yokohama; Fred Luckenbach, New Orleans for San Francisco; Isatta Arrow, New York. Sailed: Vestalia, Charleston; San Bruno (Br), Boston; Kenneroth, from New York, Los Angeles; D G Schofield, Los Angeles.

GALVESTON, April 23.—Arrived: Jacob Luckenbach, San Francisco. Sailed: Casilane, Jacksonville; Monatoo, Lisbon; Cothis (Swed), New York; William Teagle, New York; Victoire (Br), New York.

HALIFAX, N. S., April 22.—Arrived: 22d, Canopic (Br), Liverpool (and sailed for Boston 23d); 23d, Sachem (Br), Boston; Canadian Coastal (Br), London.

JACKSONVILLE, April 23.—Arrived: Aranahoe, New York; Santa Barbara Inuique, West Caddoa, Hamburg. Sailed: E W Sinclair, Tampico; Nantucket, Philadelphia; Jomar, Port Tampa.

NORFOLK, April 23.—Arrived: Hwalinks, Mobile for Antwerp; Norman Bridge, Tampico; Bur (Nor), New York; Wagland (Nor), Philadelphia; Norden (Dan), Progreso; Tofuku Maru (Jap), New York; Jim Penn, New York; Chateau Thierry, San Francisco; Lincoln (schr), New York; Mahopac (Br), Philadelphia; Deep Water Baltimore; Seaconnett, Boston; Kildtreer, Lambert's Point; Lake Arthur, New York; Charles and Vernon (Br schr), Liverpool. Sailed: Elbegen (Du), Claymont, Del; Oregoman, Portland. Sailed: Lucline (Br), New Orleans; Grecian, Philadelphia; Quantico, Boston; Tosto (Nor), Cartagena; Sortehavet (Nor), Calbarien; Kremlin (Belg), Antwerp; Leitrim (Br), United Kingdom; Alder (Br), Manchester; Stinnes (Ger), West Indies; Harriet (Nor), Santo Domingo; Hallegrim (Nor), Hamburg; Briton, Boston; Mar Blanco (Span), Barcelona; Lowther Castle (Br), Antwerp; Warkworth (Br), Dundee; Tsuyama Maru (Jap), Yokohama; Manhattan (Br), New York; Sussex (Br) (from Melbourne), New York; Concordia (Br), Avonmouth; Lake Stirling, New York; Herbert L Pratt, ——; Superico.

NEW ORLEANS (Port Eads), April 23.—Arrived: Alexandrian (Br), Tampico; Conde Wilfredo (Span), Galveston; Gulf Coast, Port Arthur; G T Waring, Jacksonville; Trinidadian, Mexico. Sailed: Chalmette, Havana; E J Estero, New York; Nicaloa (It), Genoa; Santa Nicla (Br), Mintitlian, Mexico; Suriname, Tela; Tegucigalpa (Hond), Celba; Truxillo, Tampa.

PHILADELPHIA, April 23.—Arrived: Brant County (Br), St John N B; Runa (Nor), Porto Antonio. Sailed: Cuthbert (Dan), Guantanamo, etc; St Mary (Br), Port Barrios; Barbadian (Br), Hamburg and Bremen via Boston; sch Georgia D Jerkins, New York. Sailed: Vacuum, Texas City; Gulfoil, Port Arthur; Providence (Fr), Marseilles via Naples and Palermo; New York City (Br), Bristol via Norfolk; Sebastijik (Dt), Rotterdam via Baltimore; Helgoy (Nor), Havana; Eilbergen (Dt), Newport News and Norfolk.

PORTLAND, Me., April 23.—Arrived: Joancy, Norfolk; Bristol, Norfolk.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Arrived: Colusa, Valparaiso; West Haven, Anacortes for New York; Toba Maru (Jap), New York for Kobe. Sailed: 22d, Nanking, Hongkong; Providencia (Pr), Santa Rosalia; Dakotan, Liverpool, via San Pedro; Wabash, Boston; Anatina (Br), Shanghai; George Washington (Nor), Portland, Ore.

ST JOHN, N B, April 23.—Arrived: Sicilian (Br), Havana, via Boston; Prince Arthur (Br), Boston. Sailed: 22d, Rovaer (Nor), Havana; Canadian Aviator (Br), Cardiff; 23d, Empress of Britain (Br), Liverpool; schrs Wawenock, Philadelphia; Peter McIntyre (Br), New York; C Maud Gaskill, New York.

Foreign Ports

Arrivals

BUENOS AYRES, April 22.—Bonheur (Br), New York via Philadelphia.

QUEENSTOWN, April 23.—Baltic (Br), New York for Liverpool (and proceeded).

SOUTHAMPTON, April 23.—Homeric (Br), New York.

Departures

RIO DE JANEIRO, April 22.—Sailed: Troubadour (Nor), from Buenos Ayres, New York; Sallust (Br), New York; Canada Maru (Jap), New Orleans.

SOUTHAMPTON, April 22.—Aquitania (Br), New York.

Marine Disasters

SAN PEDRO, April 23.—Annette Rolph, trading coastwise, previously reported lost propeller, arrived 22d from San Francisco; will drydock for repairs.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Tug Sea Monarch left 22d for Ventura to tow San Jacinto, trading coastwise, back to San Francisco; San Jacinto at Ventura with engines disabled.

Canal Project Gains One Step In Commission

Congress Will Be Asked to Move for Treaty With Canada for Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Waterway

Cost Is Still a Puzzle

Resolution Does Not Commit the U. S. to an Actual Promise to Build

From The Tribune's Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The joint commission on agriculture inquiry will recommend to Congress about May 1 that the government proceed at once to the next step in the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence ship canal project—the negotiation of a treaty with Canada, it was learned to-day.

The commission does not declare outright for the project as outlined by the international joint commission in its recent report to Congress, but proposes that the necessary action be taken to determine whether the United States and Canada can come to terms on a working agreement and to investigate the engineering costs and feasibility of the ship canal.

There was sharp division in the commission on going even that far. Representatives Mills, of New York City, and Ten Eyck, of Albany, led the fight against anything that might even be considered as suggesting that a ship canal would be of value. On final division the committee stood five to four in favor of the recommendation. Representative Anderson, of Minnesota, the chairman, did not vote. He favors the action taken by the commission, which makes the commission stand six to four in favor of proceeding with the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence studies.

Senator Robinson, Ark