

ALONG THE WATERFRONT

Export Grain Beginning to Move Through This Port.

GOOD PROSPECTS FOR FALL TRADE

Newport News Will Have Advantage of Lower Rates Over New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore This Year—Two Ships Now Loading.

Although the regular fall and winter rush of export grain has not yet started, large quantities of grain are being shipped from this port at the present time and shipping men believe that this is an indication of even a greater rush of grain here this winter than there was last year.

Grain first began moving through this port to foreign ports about six weeks ago and since that time nearly a half million bushels have been exported from Newport News. All of that amount has been shipped in regular trans-Atlantic liners and up to this time no vessels have been chartered to load full cargoes of grain here.

Two regular liners, the Soestdyk and Kanawha, are now loading part cargoes of grain. The former will take on about 120,000 bushels of wheat, corn and oats and the latter will load nearly 100,000 bushels of mixed grain. Other regular liners now bound to this port will also load part cargoes of grain.

Reports from the West indicate an unusually good grain crop there this season and no doubt the output of grain at Atlantic coast ports will be larger this fall and winter than in several years. This city will have an advantage over Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York in the trade as the rate on grain from Illinois to Newport News is less than it is from that State to the above mentioned ports.

Thursday, August 23, 1906.

Arrived.

Steamer Soestdyk (Ditch), Baron, Rotterdam—To Holland-American Line with import cargo.

Steamer Liv (Nor.), Rasmussen, St. Thomas—To Berwind, White Coal Company in ballast.

Steamer Evelyn, Halvarsen, Baltimore—(Unassigned).

Steamer Dorchester, Johnson, Baltimore—To Merchants and Miners Transportation Company with passengers and merchandise.

Steamer Powhatan, Ryan, Providence and Norfolk—To Merchants and Miners Transportation Company with passengers and merchandise.

Steamer Ontario, March, Boston and Norfolk—To Merchants and Miners Transportation Company with passengers and merchandise.

Steamer Princess Anne, Catharine, New York and Norfolk—To Old Dominion Steamship Company with passengers and merchandise.

Steamer George W. Clyde, O'Neil, Philadelphia and Norfolk—To Clyde Steamship Company with merchandise.

Cleared.

Steamer Evelyn, Halvarsen, Tampa.

Schooner Alice B. Phillips, Lundt, Mayport, Fla.

Sailed.

Steamers Lord Roberts (Br.), Boal, Rotterdam; Sarstoon (Dr.), Sapelo, Ga.; Bayport, Jensen, Providence; Powhatan, Ryan, Baltimore; Ontario, March, Baltimore; Dorchester, Johnson, Norfolk and Providence; Jefferson Dole, Norfolk and New York.

Schooners Alice B. Phillips, Lundt, Mayport; Brina Pendleton, Small.

Bangor; M. D. Cressy, Johnson, Searsport.

MARINE NOTES.

The Dutch steamer Soestdyk, of the Holland-American line, arrived in port yesterday from Rotterdam with 500 tons of imports. The steamer left Rotterdam at 10 o'clock on the night of August 10 and arrived here after a voyage of twelve days and twelve hours.

The schooner Alice B. Phillips sailed yesterday for Mayport, Fla., with a cargo of 940 tons of coal, which she loaded at this port.

The American steamer Evelyn arrived in port yesterday morning from Baltimore and proceeded to the local shipyard, where she will undergo slight repairs. The vessel cleared yesterday for Tampa, Fla.

The Norwegian steamer Liv, which recently sailed from this port for St. Thomas with a cargo of coal, returned here yesterday to load another cargo of coal for St. Thomas.

Calendar for This Day.

Sun rises ..... 5:29 a. m. Sun sets ..... 6:44 p. m. High water ... 1:14 a. m., 8:11 p. m. Low water ... 7:32 a. m., 8:11 p. m.

Social-Personal

Captain and Mrs. Babbitt entertained a party of friends at dinner on board the seven-masted schooner Thomas W. Lawson, at the local shipyard, yesterday evening. Among those present were Captain and Mrs. Babbitt, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moss, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Moss, Miss Florence Stewart and Miss Mary Green, of Richmond.

Miss Anna Coke Rogers leaves today for Williamsburg to join a party of friends for a two weeks' trip to Canada. Miss Rogers has just returned from Ewell, Va., where she spent two months with her sister, Mrs. Scott.

Messrs. Thornton N. and E. E. Harris returned yesterday from Hardware, Va., where they were called to attend the funeral of their father, Mr. B. F. Harris. The elder Mr. Harris died at Hardware last Friday at the age of 88 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henley have returned to their home on Thirty-second street after spending two weeks in Chase City where Mr. Henley has been for his health.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus W. Powell left yesterday for Guyan, Va. where they will spend two weeks visiting Mr. Powell's relatives.

Miss Florence Gerson and little sister will leave Sunday for Manchester to visit Mrs. Louis Gary, and to attend the Seaf-Gary wedding.

Misses Helen and Lena Schwartz, of New Jersey, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Mamie E. McDorman, on Jefferson avenue.

Mr. Fred G. Abbott will leave tonight for Winston-Salem, N. C. to spend several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradshaw have returned from a two weeks visit to Mr. Bradshaw's old home in Goshen, Va.

Mrs. Charles C. Beal and little daughter left yesterday for Albemarle county to spend several weeks with relatives.

Mrs. A. J. Rahm, of Richmond, is stopping with her sister, Mrs. Wm. P. Brett, 116 Twenty-ninth street.

Mr. A. B. Collins, of 225 Thirtieth street, who has been visiting relatives in Staunton, has returned home.

Miss Sallie Corbell, of Thirtieth street, who has been visiting friends and relatives in North Carolina, has returned to her home.

Mrs. B. D. Chandler, of Lee Hall, formerly of this city, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Anne Hamilton has gone to Ocean View to spend two weeks.

Miss Minnie Peyton has returned from a visit to Norfolk.

Miss Annette Walsh, of Baltimore, is the guest of friends here.

Miss Beatrice Humpries is convalescing after an illness of a week.

Eagles Back Home.

Messrs. B. J. O'Hara and A. Mueller have returned from Denver, Col., where they attended the annual convention of the grand aerie F. O. Eagles as representatives of the local lodge.

CHIEF STOW HONORED

State Firemen's Association Makes Local Man President.

NEXT ANNUAL MEETING HERE

Principal Events of Convention Yesterday Were Parade and "Brunswick Stew Feast"—Hose Reel Races Take Place Today.

Fire Chief W. K. Stow, of this city, is president of the Virginia State Firemen's Association for the ensuing year and the 1907 convention of the firemen will be held in this city. Chief Stow had been slated for the highest office in the association and he was chosen practically without opposition when the body elected officers in Richmond Wednesday night. Mayor Buxton attended the convention and made a speech inviting the association to hold its next annual meeting here.

The principal events yesterday were the big parade, in which all of the companies of the State participated, and a "Brunswick stew feast" at Idlewood park. The Peninsula companies marched in the third division. Two thousand firemen, their wives, children and sweethearts enjoyed the "stew" at Idlewood.

Last night all of the bands in attendance gave a concert at Idlewood. This Eagle Engine Company and Phoebus bands participated.

Today the hose reel races will take place and in these events the running team of the Eagle company should figure conspicuously. This team now has the custody of the State trumpet, having won it last year, and when the boys went away Wednesday they were confident of bringing the trumpet back home. In addition to the trumpet there is a cash prize of \$75 for the State race. Then there is what is called the World's race, open to any and all teams, for which a cash prize of \$100 is offered.

KNEADED BREAD WITH FEET.

Filthy Conditions Exist in Food Factories in Prussia. (By Associated Press.)

BERLIN, Aug. 23.—The government medical department has issued a report on the sanitary condition of the Prussian bakeries and slaughterhouses, to which the newspapers are giving sensational prominence one of them using the caption "America in Prussia."

The report sets forth that many of the butchering establishments were found in an unclean condition. Some of them were located in dark cellars, where cleanliness was impossible, and others had no facilities for the employees to wash themselves.

The government inspectors found particularly objectionable conditions in the bakeries.

In one town boys kneaded the dough with their feet, and one bakery was occupied by cats and hens. In another town a baker's oven served, ad interim, as a goose pen.

One baker admitted that his floors and vaults were scrubbed only once a year.

"HELLO GIRLS" STRIKE.

Chicago Telephone System Crippled Because They Would Not Use Alley. (By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 23.—The telephone system in the downtown section was crippled this morning when 300 "hello girls" went on strike, defying a command that they pass through an alley for 160 feet to a rear entrance of the telephone room on an elevator located there, instead of using the main entrance.

The young women employed the tactics of a union strike by throwing out pickets to prevent later arrivals from entering the building until the owners of the building, which is leased, rescinded the order.

LAUNCH CAUGHT AFIRE.

Exciting Times Along the Waterfront Yesterday Evening.

Considerable excitement was caused among the boatmen in the small boat harbor just below pier A, late yesterday evening by a blaze aboard Mr. J. Reyner's gasoline launch. The J. Reyner Fire started near the stern of the launch in some unaccountable way and before anything could be done the boat was in a mass of flames.

Fortunately, the launch was sunk in shallow water in time to prevent the gasoline tank from exploding. At the time there were a number of launches in the harbor, one of them having aboard a party of ladies.

Mr. Reyner will be unable to estimate the damage to his boat until it can be raised.

EXCURSION EVERY SUNDAY.

VIA C. & O. RY. TO RICHMOND AND RETURN. Special train to leave Fort Monroe 8:30 A. M.; Phoebus, 8:33 A. M.; Hampton, 8:38 A. M.; Newport News 9:00 A. M.; arriving Richmond 10:45 A. M.; returning leaves Richmond 7:30 P. M. \$1.25 round trip.

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"I wish everyone who is sick would take Peruna and thus recover their health."

"I have Peruna in the house continually. I thank you for all that you have done for me."

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"I find that it strengthens and infuses new life into the system, and whenever I feel rundown or over-tired, a few doses of Peruna will strengthen me again."

Found a Friend in Need—Pe-ru-na.

Mrs. Florence Aitkens, 1101 Front St., Toledo, Ohio, writes:

"Peruna cured me of catarrh of the uterus. I took about four bottles when I noticed an improvement and five bottles cured me."

"I do not know what I would have been like to-day had I not obtained Peruna, for I was in a terrible state."

"I had pains all over and was cross and irritable. I was losing hope of ever being well again."

"I am to-day a well woman after suffering for nine months. I cannot tell you how happy I feel, but you will know."

"Peruna is the best medicine on earth. My husband is now taking it and I will always keep Peruna in my house."

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Miss Anna McGinn, 101 Plain street, Providence, R. I., writes:

"I wish to let you know of the good your medicine has done for me."

"I had what the doctors called heart trouble. I had been doctoring for a year before I tried your Peruna."

"I got a bottle of your Peruna and after a week's use of it I began to feel better. I could not eat, sleep, or work, but I have at last found that the medicine that will cure me is Peruna."

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