

SHIP OWNERS AND UNION SALORS AT LOGGERS HEADS

Wages Is the Bone of Contention.

A STRIKE NOW IN PROGRESS

EACH SIDE CONFIDENT OF GAINING THE VICTORY.

The Causes Leading Up to the Strike Told in the Correspondence — Ships Are Tied Up.

The trouble between the Shipowners' Association and the Sailors' Union of the Pacific has reached the acute stage. Each party thinks it has right on its side and neither will yield an inch. The shipowners assert they are paying "all the rates we bear," and the sailors hold that in view of the good times and the demand for ships "poor Jack" should for once be given more than a bare pittance.

That is how the matter stands and each side is using its best endeavors to carry its point. So far the shipowners have carried the day, but at a great expense. They have sent their vessels away with non-union crews, but the said vessels have been held in the stream for from two to five days at an expense of at least \$300 a day. This the Sailors' Union looks upon as a partial victory, as the expense to the owner has been in each instance more than the advance in wages would have amounted to.

It is an unequal contest. The shipowners have the money and the ships. The sailors have the muscle. The last time they measured their strength the union lost. As in the first instance the men consider they have right on their side and in spite of their weakness have again taken up the gauntlet.

The following letter from the Sailors' Union was written shortly after the shipowners announced an advance of \$5 per month in wages. The correspondence is self-explanatory:

SAN FRANCISCO, April 5, 1899. Sailors' Union of the Pacific, Charles E. Naylor, Secretary Shipowners' Association, San Francisco, Dear Sir: The Sailors' Union of the Pacific, at its adjourned meeting, held on the 4th inst., instructed me to advise your association that, taking into consideration the existing condition of trade and the generally improving times, the advance of wages from the following scale of wages from the port of San Francisco:

Sailing vessels going to Puget Sound or any other inside ports, \$40 per month. In sailing vessels to outside or open ports, \$45 per month. In steamers going to inside ports, \$45 per month. In steamers going to outside or open ports, \$50 per month.

And also the following resolution: "Resolved, That in view of the existing condition of all concerned (if your association will appoint a committee to meet a like committee from the Sailors' Union) that these laws shall be given an honest trial, and that if after a fair trial, and after the mutual lack of confidence, which we believe could be removed if some understanding could be reached, that we understand that any conference is contingent upon the acceptance of the above scale of wages from the port of San Francisco, and other questions are left open, to be considered in any meeting to which your association may agree."

Awaiting your answer, I am, in behalf of the Sailors' Union of the Pacific, truly yours, A. FURSETH, Secy.

Shipowners' Association of the Pacific Coast. SAN FRANCISCO, April 12, 1899. A. Furseth, Secy. Sailors' Union of the Pacific—Dear Sir: Responding to your favor of the 5th inst., I inclose you a copy of the proposed advance of wages adopted by the board of directors of the Shipowners' Association of the Pacific Coast, an increase of \$5 per month on all coasting voyagers and voyagers to the islands of the Pacific and Hawaiian Islands, and a scale to be fair to both the sailor and the ship, although from a comparative standpoint very liberal compensation for the service rendered. If this scale could be maintained throughout the year out of all Pacific Coast ports, I have no doubt it would be entirely satisfactory to the great majority of sailors, who are, I believe, reasonable men. Whether or not it should be maintained would depend largely upon themselves.

I have written so much relative to the wage question because, while your communication invited a conference for a reasonable purpose of devising ways and means of aiding the Government in the enforcement of its laws, yet you have practically shut this association off from the consideration of this important matter by asserting in your letter the condition precedent, as follows: "It will be understood that any conference is contingent upon the acceptance of the above scale of wages from San Francisco," etc.

Presumably 15 months, or directors would not feel justified in conceding a further raise as a condition precedent which the parent importance, at that time already given, I deemed it useless therefore to call a special meeting of our Board of Directors for the purpose indicated in your communication. And awaiting your further pleasure, I remain, respectfully yours, CHARLES E. NAYLOR, Secretary and Attorney.

(SCALE OF WAGES INCLOSED.) Shipowners' Association of the Pacific Coast. Rate of wages, able seaman, in effect April 15, 1899.

Table with 2 columns: Vessel type and Wage rate. Includes entries for Sailing vessels, Steam craft, and various regional routes like Puget Sound, Alaska, and Hawaii.

POSTUM CEREAL

IF COFFEE DIGESTS

All is well. About one person in three suffers some form of bodily ail that gradually disappears when coffee is left off entirely. Then "what to drink" is the question. Postum Food Coffee is the nearest approach in taste (identical when carefully made), but instead of being a drug it is the highest form of nourishment, fattening and strengthening babies, children and adults.

A PERMANENT TRANSPORT FOR THE PHILIPPINES

The Charles Nelson to Be Purchased.

FOR USE AMONG THE ISLANDS

CLEVELAND WILL ALSO CHANGE HANDS AT MANILA.

River Boat T. C. Walker in Trouble. A Sea Cook Nearly Asphyxiated. Maxim and Vine in Collision.

The transports Charles Nelson and Cleveland, now on their way to Manila, may never come back to San Francisco. The chances are that Admiral Dewey will keep the Nelson, as she is just the class of vessel he wants for an interisland transport, and some merchants of Manila are after the Cleveland. Friday last Captain Charles Nelson received a cable from the Philippine Islands asking if the Nelson was for sale, and the answer sent back was "No."

If the Government wants the Charles Nelson, says James Tyson, manager for Charles Nelson, yesterday, "I suppose it will be a matter of time before it comes out. Uncle Sam and there is no limit to the time he may keep her in the islands. She is a splendid vessel, almost brand new, a very big carrier for her size and draws very little water. She was built especially for the coast trade, and it was seen to, when she was being planned, that there would be no trouble in her crossing shallow bars and getting alongside the mills where there is very little water. She is just the boat for an interisland transport, but just the same I hope the Government won't take her, as we want her here as soon as we can get her."

It is stated authoritatively on the front that the Nelson will go on the ways at Cavite, after discharging, where she will be sheathed and repainted. She will then be put into service between the islands. She has accommodation for 750 troops, and can carry 900 tons of freight. With these she can go hundreds of miles up the rivers in the Philippine archipelago, thus prove to be an invaluable boat to the army. The Nelson was built at Alameda and is 167 tons net burden on its way, 105 feet long, 35 feet 5 inches beam and 14 feet deep. The Cleveland was also to be a merchantman, not as a transport.

All the transports now in port will get away this week. The Morgan City will be ready Monday night and will sail Tuesday morning. She was moved to the Government wharf yesterday and will take the field pieces of the army and 38 officers and civilians. The Ohio and Senator will probably get away Wednesday afternoon. The former comes down from Hunters Point, and the latter from Alameda. These two vessels will take the bulk of the troops, and a number of recruits. The work of getting the Leelanaw ready has been delayed owing to the strike among the shipwrights. She will be ready the latter part of the week and will take the light artillery from the East. The United States steamer Nero sailed for Honolulu last night. She will go direct for the islands and will begin surveying the route for the light between Guam, Hawaii and San Francisco.

Martin Samuels, cook on the schooner Nero, had a close call Friday night. He took a room in the lodging-house at 134 Stockton street and came out near to ending his life by drinking. Martin went to a wedding on Wednesday evening and had a good time. Thursday he did not go back to work, but Friday he went into a saloon at North Beach, kept by a Portuguese, and after taking a drink he fell into a chair and was lying more until he woke up in the hospital yesterday afternoon. The landlord of the lodging-house says that Samuels came to the room on Friday afternoon some time during the night came home and went to bed. He must have turned over on his side, lighting it, for the place was full of the poison when the landlord found him. Samuels was hurried to the Harbor Hospital, where Dr. Hummelbach worked over him for an hour before he was out of danger.

C. McNulty, mate of the Stockton steamer T. C. Walker, was badly injured yesterday morning. The vessel had just tied up after her trip down the river, and McNulty was lowering the apron to allow the passengers to go ashore. The apron is one of those affairs that is hauled up and down on a pulley system. McNulty was broken, and as McNulty began to lower the apron the second rope broke and the apron fell on the mate. McNulty's 8-year-old son was standing on the upper deck of the steamer, and when he saw his father under the apron he fell to the deck in a faint. McNulty was got from under the apron and taken to the Harbor Hospital, where Dr. von der Leith found he was suffering from a dislocation of the left knee, a number of contusions on the side and back and a lacerated wound of the scalp. In the evening McNulty was sent back to his home in Stockton on the steamer.

The Walker was unfortunate yesterday. While returning to her berth at Washington wharf late in the afternoon she ran into the end of Clay street wharf and tipped her nearly twenty feet into the structure. The davits used by the Harbor Commissioners were carried away and some of the fenders piles were broken into splinters. The vessel was heading into the slip when the tide caught her and carried her down on Clay street wharf. The Walker was not damaged to any great extent.

The schooners Veig and Maxim were in collision off Meigs wharf yesterday. The Veig was lying at anchor awaiting a crew and the Maxim was outward bound for Casper to load lumber. When off Meigs wharf the Maxim missed stays and the tide carried her down on her side. The latter lost her starboard rail and the Maxim her masting.

Captain von Helms of the steamer Curacao telegraphs the Merchants' Exchange that the United States training ship Ad-here was in Magdalena Bay on a cruise that all the boys were well and enjoying themselves.

The battleship Iowa will be open for inspection to-day and the launches Army and William D will carry visitors from Folsom street wharf to the ship.

H. J. Bish came down from Ukiah last Friday and yesterday morning was robbed of \$100 at the ferry. He was expecting some friends by the early morning train and went down to meet them. In his pocket he carried five \$20 gold pieces, and while he was in the crowd some thief used a sharp knife and took both pocket and trousers. He reported the matter to Captain von Helms, but the police have very little hopes of finding either pocket or money.

Captain Inman Sealy leaves on his last voyage in the Coptic in a day or two. On the return of the vessel to San Francisco the Captain's Association, under the leadership of Mr. Sealy, will command her. Captain Sealy is one of the most popular masters in the city. He has been coming here since 1880 and was formerly first officer of the Oceanic. He is a generous and kind-hearted command of one of the new steamers now being built for the White Star line. Chief Steward Glendon of the Coptic is going to leave for the railroad business and his place will be filled by Thomas Lilly.

The coast survey steamer Patterson will leave for the coast on Monday. Captain Pratt goes out in command and W. A. O'Malley will be executive officer.

ART GALLERY ANNEX TO MARK HOPKINS INSTITUTE

MONEY FOR ENTERPRISE CONTRIBUTED BY MR. SEARLES.

The Architect Estimates That the Structure Will Cost Twenty-Six Thousand Dollars.

No time will be lost in building the art gallery annex of the Mark Hopkins Institute. It is now ascertained that the sum of \$26,000 will be required to construct the gallery according to the accepted plans. Yesterday Horace G. Platt, representative of the architect, called on the architect and directed that the work should go on at once.

The artists have long desired a suitable gallery with proper light for the display of their pictures. When the "don't feel" was exhibited to Mr. Seales he asked for estimates of the cost. At first the modest sum of \$15,000 was given, but when the architects and the artists finished their calculations the figures of the cost were increased. Mr. Seales has agreed to a generous sum, but the outlay he kept at near \$25,000 as possible. The Art Association, under the leadership of Joseph D. Grant, is in a prosperous condition.

Ocean Water Tub Baths.

167 Seventh st., corner Mission. Salt water, direct from ocean.

FULTON RESIGNS.

Will Leave Southern Pacific Employ on May 1.

J. M. Fulton, master of transportation and practically general manager of the Nevada, California and Oregon Railroad, has sent in his resignation to the Southern Pacific and on the 1st of May will retire to private life in order that he may give his whole attention to his rapidly increasing private interests.

The Jockey Club Case.

Sergeant Helm was again on the stand yesterday morning in the case of the Pacific Coast Jockey Club against Chief Leas and his subordinates, and told his story regarding gambling that occurred at the track during the days of the police raids and the arrests that followed. Helm testified that he captured a ticket from a man he heard call the amount he wanted to bet and in short order the man and ticket were captured. His testimony was all on this line, nothing new being developed. At noon the case was continued till Monday morning.

HIRT'S DEATH ACCOMPANIED BY A MYSTERY

Thought to Have Died of Consumption.

POISON FOUND IN THE BODY

DOUBTS AT HOSPITAL AUTOPSY RESOLVED BY A CHEMIST.

Two Days in His Room Partly Unconscious Before He Received Medical Attention and Then It Was Too Late.

There is a mystery about the death of Bonifatus Hirt, who was sent from the What Cheer House to the County Hospital last Thursday and died there on the same day.

Hirt was a printer, 63 years old, and had roomed at the What Cheer House for the past year. Up to a week or two ago he had been of shiftness and temperate habits, but he suddenly became more careful of himself and remained by the stove in the office of the lodging house. He had been suffering for a long time with consumption, and appeared to grow weaker and weaker every day. On Tuesday morning the bedmaker reported to the clerk that the door of Hirt's room was locked and that he had looked over the transom and had seen Hirt asleep.

The clerk decided not to disturb the old man and nothing more was seen of Hirt until the next morning, Wednesday, when the bedmaker had a similar experience. The clerk and the bedmaker rapped loudly at the door, but received no reply. Then they stood on a chair and called to Hirt. He replied, "I'm all right," but they could not induce him to get up and open the door. Finally, after a half hour of hard work, the key was forced out of the lock and the door was opened.

Finding Hirt in a semi-unconscious condition the clerk notified the board of health that the man was dying and that an ambulance should be sent to take him to the City and County Hospital. The board of health decided not to disturb the board of health that the man was dying and that an ambulance should be sent to take him to the City and County Hospital.

He died there on the same day, apparently of consumption, and an autopsy was held by Dr. Tillman, who found in addition to the evidences of the disease, a puncture in the gullet, which might have been caused by the carbolic acid in the stomach was notified of that fact and the body was conveyed to the morgue, where the stomach was removed and handed to chemist Crackton for analysis.

Yesterday morning Mr. Crackton reported to Coroner Hill that he had found carbolic acid in the stomach of the deceased in sufficient quantities to have caused death. The What Cheer House clerk said yesterday that no carbolic acid or trace of that or any other poison was found in Hirt's room. The people at the hospital seemed to be unaware that Hirt had taken poison and ascribed his partly comatose condition to the ravages of consumption.

Coroner Hill will hold an inquest on the case to-morrow morning. Hirt was receiving a pension of \$12 per month from the Government, he having enlisted in the Seventh New York Heavy Artillery on September 5, 1864. Before being taken down with his last sickness he worked on the German Democrat.

He claimed to be the father-in-law of Captain Spillane of the Police Department. The deceased was buried yesterday by the G. A. R.

If your property is mortgaged and you need more money see H. Murphy, 630 Market.

CONTRACTS PROVIDED FOR.

Supervisors Accept Bids and Make Recommendations. The Public Buildings Committee of the Board of Supervisors met yesterday and agreed to recommend the acceptance of the bid of David G. Pierce, \$33,850, for building the new Mission police station. The committee will also recommend that the bids for furnishing the Hall of Justice be opened by the Board of Supervisors on Monday.

The Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors met yesterday afternoon and passed upon a large number of demands on the treasury. The expert Cyril Williams reported to the committee that from investigations made by him it appears that the Spring Valley Water Company has since 1897 been overpaid a total amount of \$610,919 for water furnished Alamo Square and Alta Plaza. The contention of the water company is that water supplied other squares was charged against Alamo Square in order to avoid confusion in the itemizing of bills. The committee took no positive action, but the majority of the members were of the opinion that the amount of the alleged overcharge should be deducted from the next bills presented by the company.

For the Sunday School.

"The Best Laid Plans," a charming comedy in two acts, by Paul L. Ford, will be given by an excellent amateur cast on May 2 in the Sunday-school of the First Unitarian Church.

In the past will be Miss Gertrude Church, Miss May M. Lowell, Miss Catherine S. Ayers, Miss Henrietta Stadtmuller, John E. Medan, E. Farquharson, Walter A. Scott, Isaac O. Upham.

The proceeds of the entertainment will go toward the Sunday-school fund.

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HONESTY REWARDED IN A TANGIBLE MANNER

D. JONES, interpreter of Chinese for the United States Attorney, was electrified yesterday on receiving a telegram from Washington informing him that his salary had been increased from \$75 to \$125 per month.

Jones' honesty and the fact that he has always refused to take a fee outside of his salary is the reason for the increase in his pay. It was asked for by United States Circuit Judge Morison, United States Commissioner Hancock, Internal Revenue Collector Lynch, District Court Clerk Morse, United States Marshal Shine, United States Attorney Combs and ex-United States Attorney Foote.

Before Mr. Jones was appointed to the position he now holds it was the custom to charge Chinese \$2 for each case in which the interpreter acted. This helped to swell the interpreter's salary, and though the collector of this fee was not authorized by law, no objection was made. When Mr. Jones took the office he refused to ask for or accept a dollar outside his salary. He has refused to accept a cent to preach Christianity on Sundays in Chinatown with money in his pockets extorted from his hearers.

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