

ALONG THE WATERFRONT

Many Vessels are Stormbound in Hampton Roads.

WAITING FOR FAIR WEATHER

Of the Fifty Or More Craft at Anchor in Harbor, Some Have Been Here For a Week—Notes of Interest to Shipping Men.

Fifty or more coal laden schooners and barges are storm bound in Hampton Roads. Many of the vessels have been in the Roads for several days while others have been there for more than a week.

SHIPPING REPORT

Tuesday, September 1, 1908.

Arrived. Steamer Hermod (Nor.) Jorgensen, Boston—to Bowdoin-White Coal Company in ballast. Steamer Hermod (Br.) Bain, Car. diff—to N. W. River Consolidated Coal Company in ballast.

Cleared. Steamer Powhatan (Br.) Maxwell, Liverpool—Furness, Withy & Company, Ltd.

Coal for Pacific. The British steamship Hermod arrived in port yesterday from Cardiff to load a full cargo of coal here for one of the United States naval coaling stations in the Pacific.

Coal for West Indies. The Norwegian steamship Hermod arrived here yesterday from Boston to load a cargo of coal here for the West Indies.

Powhatan Steams for Liverpool. Carrying 152,000 bushels of wheat, valued at \$154,000, and also a quantity of miscellaneous exports, the British steamship Powhatan, of the Furness-Withy Line, steamed from this port yesterday for Liverpool.

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The Latest Fall Styles in Soft and Stiff Hats.

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yesterday for Liverpool. Her cargo is valued at more than \$200,000.

Kilpatrick Off For Cuba. Carrying a quantity of stores and supplies for the Army of Cuban Pacification, the United States army transport Kilpatrick, Captain Rogers, steamed from this port yesterday for Havana, Cuba. The vessel also took a number of passengers.

Immense Output of Coal in August. The total amount of coal dumped at the Chesapeake & Ohio coal docks here last month was 256,016 tons. This is 12,235 tons in excess of the total dumpings in May, which was the former record month at the port.

He Had Another Name for It. J. F. Johnson, the new United States Senator from Alabama, is an ardent agriculturist. One day, shortly after retiring from the governorship and returning to his home in Birmingham, he donned his overalls and went to work in the garden.

A society lady, a newcomer, entered the yard to call on Mrs. Johnson. Her ring at the door not being answered, she walked into the garden. "How long have you worked for the Johnsons?" she inquired of the man she found there.

"I have always called it marriage," replied the Senator. —Success Magazine.

Live Stock Illusion on the Danube. "Approaching Belgrade we saw a curious sight. The banks were very high and bare; behind them appeared to be tumbling almost destitute of vegetation. Looking shoreward we saw what seemed to be a black ball rolling with incredible swiftness down a steep fissure in the bank."

Art of the Superior Smile. The superior smile is a useful accomplishment for any young man. It is much in vogue at the universities, where it may be studied at its best on young Don. Many men who learn nothing else at the universities learn this art, and find it uncommonly useful in after-life.

An Infrequent Traveler. Mrs. Sylvia Merriman, who is 72 years old, took her second ride in a railroad coach the other day—her first ride she took 42 years ago.

Place for Everything. Every house should be supplied with a handy box which contains one tube of glue, ball of twine, box of assorted fasteners and suspension rings, rubber bands, gummed labels, bottle and jar labels, small string tags, package of large and small tags, spool of adhesive tape and a box of key tags.

In a Morocco Harem. Every woman in the harem has her face decorated in the most curious manner. The practice is to delineate the eyebrows to the ears and to embellish the chin with little points of black paint.

Man as Dictator. As long as there are typewriters, no long shall man dictate to woman.

EXCURSION TO RICHMOND. VIA C. & O. RAILWAY LABOR DAY. Monday, September 7th. \$1.25 ROUND TRIP \$1.25.

DIES IN SHIP'S HOLD

Men Suffocated by Smoke From Burning Cargoes.

FOUR SEAMEN SUFFOCATED

Were Sent Into Vessel's Hold to Investigate and When They Did Not Return It Was Discovered That Ship Was On Fire.

Coming to the deadly fumes of burning pitch and okum deep down in the fore peak of the British bark Puritan as she lay at anchor in President Roads today, four seamen were suffocated and a fifth was partly overcome before he was rescued by shipmate.

The dead: Harry E. Oisen, Carl Morsen, Peterson Becks, George S. Sullade. The fire which caused only slight damage is supposed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion.

This afternoon Captain Chapman sent seaman Olsen down into the fore peak to stow away a sail when the man failed to return to the deck after some time had elapsed, three other men were sent down to investigate.

AT THE ACADEMY

A plenty of pretty, sprightly and well trained girls who can sing and dance; some clever comedians; a wealth of dazzling and startling costumes, and various attractive stage effects make Samuel E. Rork's production of "The Land of Nod" one of the most entertaining light musical shows seen here in a long time.

Knock Wilson, as April Fool, gets all kinds of fun out of a part that calls for almost anything he puts into it. What he put in seemed to suit the audience exactly, roars of laughter and applause greeting his every appearance.

Miss Grace Drew, as the Jack of Hearts, is a stunner as to face and form, and can sing and act very well. Little Miss Dorothy Webb makes a sweet little singing and dancing Bonnie.

Maurice Darsy, who is the Man in the Moon, is the most attractive singer of the company. He has a rich sympathetic baritone and sings with fine expression.

Of course everybody who did not see the show wonders about the Dance of Salome. Some expected it to be very, very scandalous and staid away on that account; others expected the same thing and didn't stay away.

And, wonderful to relate, the gallery behaved itself remarkably well. The demonstration which made this dance objectionable in Norfolk, was entirely lacking.

"Forty-five Minutes from Broadway." "Forty-five Minutes from Broadway," which Cohen and Harris will present at the Academy of Music Friday night, is said to have a well defined plot which holds the attention of the audience throughout.

TESTED AND PROVEN.

There is a Heap of Solace in Being Able to Depend Upon a Well-Earned Reputation.

For months Newport News readers have seen the constant expression of praise for Doan's Kidney Pills, and read about the good work they have done in this locality.

A Permanent Cure. Mr. Hauser confirmed the above statement on August 29th, 1907 in the following words: "I think just as highly of Doan's Kidney Pills at this time as when I gave a statement some time ago recommending them."

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other. The patrons of Dreamland will have a last chance to see Steele and Sibley and Mr. and Mrs. Smiley this afternoon and evening.

At the Bell. "The Fascinating Fluffy Dimples" is billed as the feature of the show at the Bell moving picture theater this afternoon and evening.

Vaudeville and Pictures

Had Delirium Tremens Eighteen Days. One of the most extraordinary human documents published in many a day is a part of the autobiography of Charles Roman, published in the September and October number of the American Magazine.

Reflector Sentiment. "Whenever that man speaks, you know exactly what he thinks," remarked the admiring auditor.

The Misfit Gift. The Boston boy baby contemptuously rejected the alphabet blocks that some misguided Western relatives had sent him as a present.

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3. The Extravagance of Cheapness in a Sewing Machine. Every woman knows the foolish extravagance of buying anything for her house just because it is "cheap."

Every woman also knows that what seems "dear" at first is often "cheapest in the end."

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administered difference of 115 degrees There was no attempt at graduation in applying the cold water—it was as a plunge; consequently the attendant shock may be easily understood.

Everybody—Nobody. "You have come to see us at a bad time," said the Best Citizen. "Everybody has gone away for the summer. I would not be here myself if it were not for some unexpected business matters."

"What do you mean?" queried the Man from Mars. "You say that everybody has gone away, and yet the streets are to be actually crowded with people."

"Of course; how stupid of me!" returned the Best Citizen. "That is one of our idioms, you know. I mean everybody who is anybody has gone away. The workers are all here, to be sure."

"Who is anybody?" persisted the Man from Mars. "Well, you see that is another of our idioms," responded the Best Citizen. "I hardly know how to explain it. It means anybody who amounts to anything."

"Well, not in that sense. Of course they amount to a good deal in their way." The Best Citizen was beginning to feel that he was in deep water.

"The Man from Mars reflected a moment. Then he said: "Anybody who has gone away for the summer is somebody, and anybody who is compelled to stay at home is nobody."

"Very clever, very clever," agreed the Best Citizen.—Success Magazine.

"I shouldn't say that," answered the cautious person. "But you know exactly what he thinks his constituents want him to think."—Washington Star.

"Of all the intellectual diversions," he exclaimed, "playing on words is absolutely and unquestionably the most trivial."—Chicago Tribune.

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