

STEAMERS HYADES AND HAWAIIAN ARRIVE FROM SAN FRANCISCO

J. A. Reed of Wrecked Walla Walla on Hyades

Graphic Story of the Collision—New Local Line Here—Large Amount of Freight Brought by Two Vessels—The Hawaiian Goes to New York.

Two of the largest freighters that ever came into this port, arrived at Honolulu yesterday morning only one hour elapsing between the two arrivals. The Hawaiian and Hyades left San Francisco, January 8, about three o'clock in the afternoon, the Hawaiian leaving there first. Considerable rivalry has existed between the crews of the respective steamers to see which would reach Honolulu first. The big Hawaiian, in spick and span condition, was out of sight when the Hyades steamed through the Golden Gate. Both steamers arrived off Diamond Head late last night and stood off port until morning. The Hyades got in first and was safely docked at the Pacific Mail dock when the Hawaiian steamed up the harbor towards the railroad wharf. The Hawaiian is under command of Captain Nichols who came to San Francisco from New York, recently to relieve Captain Banfield, who will take charge of the steamer Alaskan, soon to be turned over by the Union Iron Works to the Hawaiian American company. The Hawaiian has in her hold 20,000 cases of canned goods for New York, which are shipped as an experiment in order to ascertain whether the freight will be affected by the sweating of the cargo of sugar that is to be taken aboard here for New York. The Hawaiian will go direct to New York by the way of the Straits of Magellan. She is a steel built vessel 406 feet in length; 51 feet in breadth and 30 feet deep. She has a horse power of 5,000. The Hawaiian was built at Chester, Pa., and has a carrying capacity of 7,500 tons. With the arrival of the Hyades is inaugurated a new direct steamship service between Honolulu and San Francisco. Hereafter the Hawaiian American line will keep several steamers on the run, and will also soon carry passengers. Hyades a Big Freighter. The Hyades is one of the biggest

freighters ever seen in Honolulu harbor. She carries 5,500 tons of freight of which 2,500 are for Honolulu and the rest for Kahului. She was built at Sparrows Point, Md., and is 331 feet 5 long, 47 feet wide and 25 feet deep. She is commanded by Captain T. W. Garlick, with the following staff of officers: John Follett, first officer; W. L. Smith, second officer; George R. Lauriat, third officer; John R. Safford, chief engineer; J. A. Reed, first assistant; P. Norton, second assistant; F. Killian, third assistant; E. E. Thompson, steward; and M. Poett, purser. Chief Officer John Follett reports that on January 13th the bark Olympia, from Honolulu, for San Francisco, was sighted in 30 deg. 12 min. latitude north, and 142 deg. 45 min. longitude west. On the same day the Hongkong Maru, was passed but she was too far distant for signals being exchanged. The Alameda was sighted on the 16th, in 23 deg. 25 min. latitude north and 154 deg. 35 min. longitude west. The Hyades will discharge 2,500 tons of freight here, and then will go to Kahului. She brought 130 sacks of later mail and four days news from the outside world. Engineer of Lost Walla Walla. First Assistant Engineer J. A. Reed has been but a few days on the Hyades, and but for a terrible accident, would not be in Honolulu today. Mr. Reed, for the last 12 years, was the first assistant engineer of the steamer Walla Walla, and was well known on the Coast as a faithful and diligent officer. On the morning of January 3rd while the passengers peacefully reposed in their cabins, a French bark came out of the darkness of the night and struck the Walla Walla, which sank shortly after. An interval of thirty-five minutes elapsed between the time of the collision and the last lurch and plunge of the doomed steamer, and in that

time lifeboats and rafts were lowered and a number of passengers and crew were taken off. Reed's superior, Chief Engineer Crosby, went down with the vessel. Mr. Reed is unable to explain how the accident occurred. The French bark Max' proximity to the Walla Walla was unknown until she loomed up on the steamship's port side, and so near that it was impossible to avoid a collision. The Max struck the Walla Walla bow on well forward on the port side. Felt in Engine Room. "I was on watch in the engine room when the French bark struck us," said Reed yesterday morning. "I immediately knew that a collision of some kind had occurred, but I did not think that it was so serious. Almost immediately came the order to stop the engines, and shortly after the chief engineer ordered us to turn the water out of the port tanks in order to right the vessel, which was listing to port. We also put the pumps to work." Engineer Reed does not think that the Max showed any lights. He says that there were three men on the lookout on the Walla Walla and none of them saw lights. "When we saw that the vessel was going to sink," continued Reed, "some of us got into a boat which was on the deck, but when we went under the water threw me out. I was carried down about twenty feet, but the terrible force of the suction was not apparent. I think that it takes a vessel some time to sink to the bottom after she goes entirely under surface, and she must go down slowly. I soon rose to the surface, however, and got onto one of the rafts with eleven others. "We were rescued by the steamer Dispatch, the captain of which vessel deserves the greatest praise for the way in which he and his crew worked to rescue the people from the Walla Walla."

MAIL CLOSURES TODAY FOR OTHER ISLANDS.

Table with columns: For, Steamer, Mail closes, Str. sails. Includes entries for Oriental ports, Australia, and Maui.

COAST AND FOREIGN VESSELS IN PORT.

Table with columns: Arrived, Vessel, Captain, Wharf, Destination. Lists various ships like Geo. C. Tobey, S. D. Carleton, etc.

WEATHER REPORT.

Mean Temperature—73.3. Minimum Temperature—69. Maximum Temperature—77. Barometer—30.8; steady. Rainfall—0.02. Mean Dew Point—60.7. Mean Relative Humidity—66. Wind, North-east; 4 to 2. Weather, Cloudy to clear. Forecast for Today, Light trades; fair weather.

AT DIAMOND HEAD

Diamond Head, 10 p. m.—Weather clear. Wind light; north. The bktn. J. H. Iviston arrived at Eureka, and the British ship Euphrates at Port Townsend, the same day from Honolulu.

The following vessels sailed from Newcastle for Hawaii ports: Br. bk. Peter Iredale for Honolulu, November 29; bktn. Kobala for Tahiti; schr. James Rolph, schr. Golden Shore for Honolulu, December 12th, ship A. J. Fuller for Honolulu.

A movement has been started in British ships by British sailors. This Liverpool to replace foreigners on is the outcome of an agitation started by Lord Romney. It is pointed out that most vessels under the union flag are manned by seamen of other nationalities to such an extent that in the event of a European war the British navy could not protect its merchant fleet.

Captain H. P. Weaver of the steamship Roanoke, who sustained serious injuries to a leg in the collision between the Walla Walla and the Max, and is now at Eureka, is one of the best known seafaring men on the Pacific Coast. He is a native of Nova Scotia, but has for years been an American citizen. He had the sailing ship Occidental on this Coast for about five years and then made several trips to Manila on the steamship Valencia. In May, 1899, he was given the command of the steamship Roanoke, which he has held ever since, taking her to Panama in the winter, and for the past three summers, to St. Michael, Nome and other Alaskan ports.

Shipping News and Notes

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Arrivals at Honolulu.

Friday, January 17. S. S. Hyades, Garlick, from San Francisco at 7:30 a. m. S. S. Hawaii, Banfield, from San Francisco at 8 a. m. S. S. City of Peking, Smith, from San Francisco, may be sighted tonight. Str. W. G. Hall, S. Thompson, from Lahaina, Maalaea, Kona and Kau ports at 6:15 a. m. with 2943 bags sugar, 248 bags coffee, 201 bags taro, 1555 bundles bananas, 26 kegs butter, 2 bundles tobacco, 21 bundles hides, 6 pigs and 153 packages sundries. Am. schr. Inca, Rasmussen, 55 days from Newcastle, at 10 a. m. Vessels Due Today. Str. Kinan, Freeman, from Hilo and way ports, due about 1 p. m. Str. Lehua, Dower, from Maui and Molokai ports due in afternoon. S. S. Peking, from San Francisco, due. S. S. Aorangi, from Victoria, due.

Passengers Who Arrived.

Per str. W. G. Hall, January 17, from Lahaina, Maalaea, Kona and Kau ports—J. Monserratt, C. W. Seaward, Mrs. D. Kanuhl, R. Hauxhrst, Mrs. R. Hauxhrst, Dr. A. R. Rowat,

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STEAMER ALBION TO LEAVE FOR MANILA WILL TOUCH AT HONOLULU. First Vessel for Philippine Traffic—Other Steamers to be Dispatched to Orient When Fitted—Vessel is of Small Tonnage.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 8.—The little steamer Albion, lying at Mission street bulkhead, doesn't look very important, but her departure next Monday will be a most significant event.

REMARKABLE STORM IN PACIFIC WATERS

FISHING STEAMER EXPERIENCE. The Saga was Struck by an Electric Storm—Hundreds of Brilliant Comets Danced Along the Foremast Stay—Balls of Fire.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 6.—Remarkable electrical phenomena were observed by the crew of the big fishing steamer Saga, which arrived this afternoon from the northern fishing grounds. The steamer was just south of the Queen Charlotte Islands on Saturday evening when she was struck by a storm, and for four hours thunder and lightning was almost continuous. At one time hundreds of brilliant comets, resembling little balls of fire, danced along the steel foremast stay and along the jump stay and other steel lines between the foremast and main mast. The balls of electrical fire were apparently about the size of hen's eggs, and raced up and down the stays for five minutes at a time, during which the

amount of illumination was quite noticeable. Captain Dawe of the Saga states that only on one or two occasions has he beheld anything of the same nature, and never before in Pacific waters, where electrical disturbances are rare. As comets are harmless, no ill effects resulted to the vessel, although there was much wonder and interest among the sailors, who had never before witnessed the phenomenon.

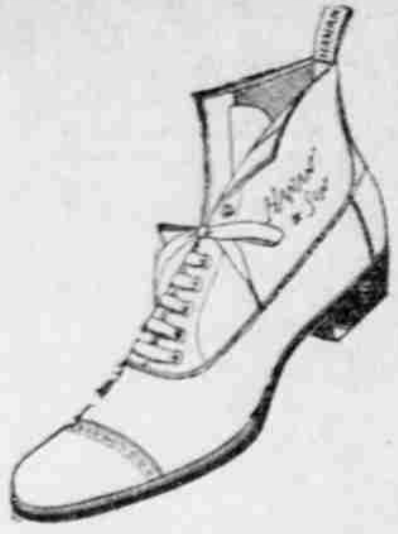
The Albion is a tiny craft to make the long journey across the Pacific. She is 216 tons register and is 129 feet long. She will go first to Honolulu, and thence to Manila, via Guam. The second steamer of this fleet will leave here early in February.

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New York City is endeavoring to secure a Federal appropriation for a new post office.

The order has been received to withdraw a portion of the United States troops from Cuba.

Harcourt Gold, the famous English carman, was married in London Jan. 7 to Miss Helen MacLagan.

Chinese reformers are preparing to establish a bank of their own in the Vancouver, B. C., Chinatown.

The managers of the St. Louis exhibition have decided to offer \$200,000 for an airship competition.

A movement has been started in Liverpool to replace foreigners on British ships by British sailors.

It is claimed that a formal offer of the Panama Canal Company has not been received at Washington.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt gave a reception at the White House Jan. 7 in honor of the diplomatic corps.

Eight thousand tons of flour have been ordered from a Stockton, Cal., milling company for shipment to China.

The House Committee on Census today ordered a favorable report on the bill creating a permanent census bureau.

The United States Steel Corporation has declared quarterly dividends of 1 per cent on common and 1 1/2 on preferred stock.

William C. Trumbull, a veteran horseman and the patriarch of the American trotting turf, died at Newburgh, N. Y., Jan. 7.

A unique attempt is being made by the University of California to preserve the languages, songs and folk-lore of the Pacific Coast Indians.

J. Acock, night electrician at the Spreckels sugar factory, at Salinas, Cal., shocked with a voltage of 2000, lives to tell the tale, though probably fatally hurt.

Fresno, Cal., cigar dealers have made a concerted move to test the validity of the anti-slot machine gambling ordinance, which went into effect the first of the year.

Captain E. E. Caine, principal owner of the schooner Minnie Caine, recently wrecked on Washington coast, has decided to abandon her to the derelictors in San Francisco.

Negotiations of a tentative character have been opened by an English firm for the purchase of the British Chartered South Africa Company's copper properties in Rhodesia.

Mayor-elect Schmitz of San Francisco has announced his first batch of appointments and his official troubles are about to begin. The labor men control most of the big departments.

Rumors that a new theater is to be built at San Francisco in the near future have recently been revived, and some credence is attached to them, as coming from a reliable source.

The Porto Rican Legislative Assembly has adopted a joint resolution urging the establishment of a United States naval station in Porto Rican waters, and offering to cede all land required.

The Southern Pacific officials in Los Angeles expect the Owl to be switched from the San Joaquin line to the Coast road. The proposed

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Cars leave Rifle Range or Pawa switch for Town at 5:55 a. m. and every 15 minutes thereafter till 11:05 p. m.

Cars leave Fort and King streets corner for Palama at 6:10 a. m. and every 15 minutes after till 11:25 p. m.

Cars leave for Palama only at 5 and 5:30 a. m.

Cars leave Palama for Waikiki at 5:45 a. m. and every 15 minutes till 9:45 p. m., then at 10:15 and 10:45 p. m. The 11:15 p. m. from Palama for Punahou only goes to Waikiki on Saturdays.

Cars leave Fort and King streets corner for Rifle Range at 5:30 and 5:50 a. m.

Cars leave Fort and King streets corner for Waikiki at 6:05 a. m. and every 15 minutes till 10:05 p. m., then at 10:35 and 11:05 p. m. The 11:35 p. m. goes to Waikiki on Saturdays only.

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Cars leave Oahu College for Town and Valley at 6:30, 6:50 and 7:10 a. m., and every 10 minutes till 10:10 a. m., except the even hour and half hour cars which run from the Stable.

Cars leave Nuuanu Valley at 6:10, 6:30, 6:50 a. m., and every 10 minutes thereafter till 10:50 p. m.

Cars leave Fort and Queen streets for Punahou College at 6:05, 6:25, 6:45 a. m., and every 10 minutes after till 9:45 p. m. After that the cars run to the Stable up to 11:05 p. m., which is the last car from Town, reaching the Stable at 11:30 p. m.

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WASHINGTON, January 4.—Attorney-General Knox has given an opinion in which he holds that the certificates of stock, amounting to \$25,000,000, proposed to be deposited by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company with the Girard Trust Company, trustee, as the security for certain other certificates to be issued by the latter company for the use of the railroad company are taxable under schedule A of the act of June 13, 1898, and now a part of the act of March 2, 1901. The amount of stamps required will be \$50,000.

This opinion sustains Commissioner Yerkes' holding not only in this particular case, but also his ruling to the effect that stocks pledged as collateral on time or call loans must be stamped. Operators on the leading stock exchanges of the country have vigorously opposed this view of the law.

BROWN WRONG ABOUT PROXIES

(Continued from Page One.)

As soon as it was known that President Cecil Brown had surrendered his contention that proxies should be stamped before they could be accepted...

Colonel Macfarlane came to Honolulu on his present visit to perfect certain financial arrangements which would result in a material easing up of the money market and which would lead a new impetus to certain new and important enterprises.

Macfarlane Will Not Talk. Colonel Macfarlane was seen last night but expressed the determination that he would at present have nothing to say for publication in regard to the present difficulties in the First National Bank of Hawaii.

When asked concerning his mission here and whether the National Bank affair would interfere with plans in regard to the floating of the bonds of the Kona Sugar Company...

It was reported yesterday that President Cecil Brown received from the Coast yesterday's steamer, 150 shares more of purchased stock of the First National Bank which will be voted at the meeting called for March 8.

President Brown would have nothing to say in the matter yesterday beyond the assertion that the special meeting of directors had unanimously decided upon the answer of Colonel Macfarlane published above.

President Brown's Position. It was generally conceded around town yesterday that President Cecil Brown, of the First National Bank had done the only thing left for him to do by calling a special meeting and surrendering his position in regard to the proxies held by Colonel Macfarlane...

The wise ones prophesied that this action on the part of the Federal Court would not become necessary as they anticipated Mr. Brown's surrender as far as the proxies were concerned, as he would have nothing else to do in the face of the law and the repealing of the revenue tax on proxies.

First National may soon come to an end. It is not expected that J. F. Morgan will necessarily become president of the bank, but it is believed that some one acceptable to both the stockholders on the mainland and the stockholders here will be elected.

It is expected that harmony will reign in the First National before very long. Colonel Macfarlane is said to be absolutely sure of his ground and there he will remain "on top."

Reckless Firing of Revolver at Phantom Robber by Scared Resident Caused Almost a Tragedy—Reign of Foolishness that Has Got to Stop—The Burglar Craze.

The talk of a local vigilance committee being formed is given but little credence by the officials at the head of the police department. The desire for such drastic measures to put down the reported burglar invasion is believed to emanate among a few hysterical or those seeking for cheap notoriety.

However, the police are tempted to take some action in the promiscuous carrying of weapons by the timorous, who live in constant and nightly fear of meeting the bad burglars who are alleged to have held up scores of unprotected citizens in all parts of the city.

It was only Thursday night that a fatal accident was narrowly averted. It was a case of promiscuous shooting by a man named Spencer, who, in taking a couple of shots at a shadowy form, sent a bullet crashing into an adjoining house and grazed the head of the owner, J. Fearn...

Deputy Chillingworth declares that he will arrest the first man upon whose person he finds a concealed weapon. The carrying of guns by the unsophisticated is considered bad business, and the police insist that the reign of foolishness has got to stop.

Furious Pace of Jimmie Tom. Jimmie Tom, a Chinese, who was the joyous possessor of a luscious jag, superinduced by too prolonged retortations of sake, was arrested by the police yesterday evening for fast and reckless driving. The Chinese with two companions was traversing downtown streets at a fierce pace when his perilous flight was summarily checked by the officers. The Celestial was detained but a few minutes before a sympathetic friend came along and furnished \$50 bail, thereby releasing Tom.

CHINESE COURT REACHES PEKING

FOREIGNERS SEE IMPERIAL PARADE

Through Avenues of Kneeling Troops Royal Travelers are Carried.

Display of Silk on Parade Pronounced Glorious—Empress Salutes the Ladies of the Legation Who Were Gathered on the Great Wall—Much Anxiety Manifested.

PEKING, January 7.—The Imperial Court entered the Forbidden City at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. It was the most brilliant scene Peking ever witnessed. The procession consisted of a thousand gorgeously attired noblemen mounted upon glittering caparisoned horses. The Emperor, the Empress Dowager, Prince Chun, the Empress and several princesses were borne in yellow chairs, their escort carrying hundreds of gay banners and silk umbrellas.

The foreigners were given greater facilities for witnessing the ceremonial than would have been afforded them at most European courts. The scene at the Chang gate when the Emperor and the Dowager Empress entered the temple to offer thanks for their safe journey was nothing less than revolutionary when viewed in the light of all Chinese customs. The horseshoe wall forming the ancient gate was crowded with Europeans, diplomats, army officers, missionaries, ladies, photographers and correspondents.

TRUMPH OF AMERICAN ENGINEERING SKILL

NEW YORK, January 6.—After the best foreign civil engineers had given up the problem of running a railroad over the Andes mountains American engineers were secured and they are building the road under the direction of William F. Shunk of New York, said A. C. McKenzie at the Astor House.

SANTOS-DUMONT TO RENEW EXPERIMENTS

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—A cable to the World from Monaco says: M. Santos-Dumont arrived here to-day. He said: "Unfortunately, I was unable to come earlier, though I did my best in order to honor the request of Senator and Mrs. Depew, who expressed a desire to meet me before they left the Riviera. Our two trains passed half way between Monaco and Paris."

Murphy Club Entertainment. There will be instrumental and vocal selections, as well as ragtime songs at the usual Saturday evening entertainment which will be held at the hall at 8 o'clock.

ART LEAGUE COMPETITION

BEST MANUSCRIPTS ARE SELECTED

NAMES OF SUCCESSFUL WRITERS TO BE GIVEN OUT NEXT SATURDAY.

Literary Circle to Give "At Home" at Which the Essay, Stories and Poems Deemed Best by Judges Will be Read Aloud and Authors' Names Made Public.

The judges of the manuscripts which were handed in for the Kilauea Art League literary competition met yesterday afternoon, at 5:30 o'clock in the League's rooms to decide upon which of the competitors had been the most successful.

During the past week the manuscripts have circulated among the judges, each judge keeping them one day to read them through. Manuscripts Examined. At yesterday's meeting the judges compared notes and decided which manuscripts deserved mention. All the manuscripts were signed by a non de plume, the authors' names accompanying the manuscripts in sealed envelopes.

On Saturday evening, January 25th, at 8 o'clock, the literary circle of the Art League will have an "At Home," at which the names of the competitors who have won first and second mention in the three branches of the competition, namely, Stories, poems and essays, will be given to the public.

The affair is intended to be quite a social event and will probably be unusually well attended. Tables at which light refreshments will be served, will be presided over by the following ladies: Mrs. W. W. Hall, Mrs. W. F. Frear, Mrs. W. G. Smith, Mrs. M. M. Scott, Miss Burbank, and Mrs. S. S. Kinney.

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