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WORK IS STOPPED

On Ambrose Channel By Throwing Up of Contract.

MOST IMPORTANT CHANNEL

Dissensions Arise Between War Department and Onderdonk Estate. Litigation May Be Necessary to Decide Who Shall Complete Work.

New York, June 29.—Owing to a disagreement with the government, a dredging company controlled by Andrew Onderdonk (who died last week) has thrown up its contract of deepening the Ambrose channel, in New York harbor, and paid off its men. The contract amounted to several million dollars. It is understood that the war department refused to recognize and one in the matter except the Onderdonk estate, thus placing the corporation, which was carrying on the work, in an anomalous position. Another cause for the disagreement was the claim by the contractors that government dredgers have been removing the sand leaving the heavy blue clay for the company to take up.

For the construction of the channel the secretary of war was authorized in 1899, to contract, at an amount not exceeding \$4,570,000. The work was to be completed in six years, and 40 million cubic yards of dirt was to be removed. It was expected that the channel would be completed in two years, but recently, the work dragged and it is said a comparatively small balance remains of the appropriation. The contract was one of the most important pieces of harbor work done here in recent years.

It provided for a depth of 45 feet which will enable the largest steamships to come and go at any stage of the tide from the port of New York. Litigation between the department and the Onderdonk estate is expected to decide who shall complete the work.

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CRIMSON IS DIPPED FOR BLUE PENNANT

New London, Conn., June 29.—The Yale varsity crew this afternoon wrestled victory from Harvard in the annual four-mile race by the length of an oar. After rowing four miles with the shells lapping and the graceful prows zigzagging between strokes, the Yale blue crossed the finish line three quarters of a length ahead of the crimson. Yale won by 2 1-2 seconds; time, 22:33 1-2; Harvard, 22:36.

Yale got the best start and in the first half dozen strokes was in the lead. Just before the first half mile was finished Harvard ran her stroke up and began to cut down Yale's lead. Yale finished the half in 2:22 and Harvard in 2:23 "Eli's" finished the first mile of the race just two seconds behind Yale. Harvard then dropped her stroke to 32 and Yale again got back the second which Harvard had gained and the New Haven boat passed the mile and a half flag in 8:01, and Harvard in 8:04. The crews now began to strike the channel below the navy yard and Yale has got the benefit of fast water. Time for two miles; Yale, 10:47; Harvard, 10:53. Yale's time at the three-mile flag was 16:37; Harvard, 16:43.

The last mile of the race was a fight that never will be forgotten. Just before the flag Meir, Harvard's number 7, who had been rowing at a terrific rate, seemed to have pumped himself out. He was suffering torture and it looked as though it was not possible for him to hold his oar the rest of the distance.

Harvard's stroke dropped back to 31, but it stayed there for only a short space of time. Suddenly, Meir seemed to get second wind and the crimson stroke went up two points. The Harvard shell began to gain on Yale. On every stroke it crept up nearer and nearer to the Yale boat. Suddenly the shells lapped, the Yale coxswain called for a spurt and the crew raised stroke to 34, the highest they had been taught to row.

Still Harvard was gaining. Up went the Harvard stroke to 34 and over the last quarter mile the prow of the Cambridge shell began to gain, inch by inch, on the boat of the blues. When the crews were only a few hundred yards from the finish it was still either's race. The Harvard shell continued to creep up on the Yale boat and every man of the two crews was pulling out the last ounce of his power when suddenly the flag at the finish dipped and Yale was the winner by three quarters of a boat length.

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AFRAID OF PLAGUE.

Stringent Measures adopted to Prevent Spread of Bubonic Affliction.

San Jose, Costa Rica, June 29.—The government of Costa Rica has given orders that measures be taken to prevent possible contagion from bubonic plague. At a meeting of physicians it was decided that the best instruction for the prevention of the plague be sent all over the country. Everybody here is afraid of the consequences to commercial interests should the plague spread. A special message has been sent ordering the stopping of ships coming to Limon by way of Colon.

PSEUDO RABBI IN JAIL.

New York Hebrew Conducted Pool Room in Synagogue.

New York, June 29.—Charged with conducting a pool room in a synagogue, in Grand street, of which he told the police he was the rabbi, Henry Jacobs, has been held for trial. It was alleged by the police that after having been refused admittance on the ground that religious services were going on, they broke down the door. The walls of the synagogue were, they said, adorned with racing charts and other paraphernalia, used in pool rooms.

CHICAGO STRIKERS VIOLATING ORDINANCE

By Law are Compelled to Make Deliveries Indiscriminately.

Chicago, June 29.—A new feature in the teamsters' strike was expected to develop today in the fighting by the employers association, before Judge Holcom in the Superior court, of an application for fourteen injunctions restraining express concerns from refusing to make deliveries from strike bound houses.

The injunctions were asked for on the grounds that the defendants have violated the city ordinance pertaining to public cartage by refusing to make deliveries to or from concerns involved in the strike. The ordinance provides that licensed expressmen shall be required to deliver loads to any part of the city and shall not discriminate against any person, firm, or corporation. Violation of the ordinance may be followed by a revocation of the license of the expressman.

Nearly 500 express drivers are ready to strike the moment they are asked to carry goods to strike affected firms. The union officials have notified their employers to this effect.

This morning the transfer companies were prepared to fight the injunctions, contending that it would be certain to precipitate a strike of their drivers.

REBUKED BY TAFT

Wallace Severely Arraigned in New York Conference.

ACCEPT HIS RESIGNATION

Chief Engineer Changed Position "For Mere Lucre" and Was "Influenced Solely by Personal Advantage" Says Secretary of War.

Washington, June 29.—Charging him with changing his position over night, "for mere lucre," and being influenced "solely by personal advantage," Secretary of War Taft, in his conference in New York on June 26, with John F. Wallace, chief engineer of the Panama canal, after administering a severe rebuke, requested his resignation on the ground that the "public interests require that you tender your resignation at this moment and turn over the records of your office to the chairman of the commission."

This fact was disclosed in an important statement issued from the office of the secretary of war, which reviews the relations of Wallace with the War Department and with the commission's re-organization last spring, quoting several expressions of the chief engineer as to his satisfaction with the entire arrangement and it then gives practically a verbatim account of the conference between Secretary Taft and Wallace, in New York, which concludes with the suggestion by the secretary of Wallace's resignation.

The statement issued tonight concludes with the president's letter to Wallace, dated Cambridge, June 28 as follows:

"Your resignation as a member and chief engineer of the Isthmian canal commission, tendered, in accordance with the request of Secretary of War Taft, which request under the circumstances, has my entire approval, is hereby accepted and is to take effect immediately.

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

Today's Weather. Portland, June 29.—Oregon and Washington; Friday, fair.

Baseball Scores. Portland, June 29.—Portland, 1; Tacoma, 4. Seattle, June 29.—Seattle, 4; Oakland, 1. San Francisco, June 29.—San Francisco, 1; Los Angeles, 1.

Taft Invited to Frisco.

San Francisco, June 29.—An invitation has been extended to Secretary of War Taft to attend and address a mass meeting in this city July 5, the particular object of which is the consideration of the Chinese exclusion law and the recent order of President Roosevelt pertaining thereto.

Connoisseur Banqueted.

London, June 29.—Sir Caspar Purdon Clarke, director of the Metropolitan museum of art, at New York, was given a farewell banquet at the Criterion restaurant last night. He was presented with a souvenir in the form of a massive silver bowl on an ebony plinth.

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