

A Stowaway's Suffering.

SEVEN DAYS IN THE HOLD OF A SHIP WITHOUT FOOD OR WATER.

Staggering with weakness, induced by hunger and thirst, a stowaway on board the steamship El Monte was helped from the hold of the vessel to an ambulance on Wednesday morning, says the New York Recorder. The man's name was Charles Bursell, and he had been a prisoner beneath the El Monte's deck for seven days. He suffered horribly and may die from the effects of his strange experience.

"I am starving," he said, as he was pulled from the dark hold, and then he fainted dead away. Bursell was about 32 years of age, tall and good-looking. He is a cooper by trade and his family live in Rockland, Me. The dullness of trade during the winter months induced him to go South to look for employment. He went to Charleston, S. C., Nashville and other places, and finally found himself in Tennessee, and procured work for a while, but some time ago he was laid off. He searched about in vain for employment until his funds gave out and he was unable to pay fare to another city. On February 3 he visited Algier, a little town across the river from New Orleans, and early in the afternoon took a stroll along the docks. The El Monte was just completed in taking her load between decks and the main hatch was open. The stowaways were hanging out the noon hour and paid no attention to the stranger.

Bursell thought he saw a means of getting to the New York and quietly dropped into the hold. Cotton bales were piled up inside close to the top. He found space enough between two of them to move about easily, and at the same time conceal himself from the watchmen. He worked hard, he thought, till the vessel was out twenty-four hours, and would then clamor out and make his presence known. When the stowaways returned to work after dinner they put in position the hatch cover. Bursell heard them tugging about heavy packages on the deck and was curious to know what was going on.

Suddenly it flashed upon him that the deck was being just loaded with bales of cotton and that thousands of pounds were already crowded just above him and about the hatch cover. He remembered the pictured horror of A. Gordon Pim under the circumstances, but in this instance there was no captain's son and no dog to search for and care for him.

He ran about on top of two cotton bales, but he could get no further. He was walked up with cotton on all sides, and above was the stout deck of the ship. The place grew warm, then hot, then suffocating. There was not a ray of light nor a draught of air seemingly. He tore open his shirt collar and thought he would stuff it. He beat with his knuckles and an old knife he had in his pocket against the roof of his prison. It was like tapping a stone wall with a toothpick. He took off his shoes and beat against the wood. He tried to cut his way out, but the knife blade had no effect upon the hard planking.

Once and awhile, as the hours wore on, he could hear the people on deck calling to each other, and catching a word now and then, could guess whether it was day or night. It seemed to him a tremendously long time when the vessel began to roll rightfully, to plunge bow foremost and then seemed to stand up straight on her stern. They were in a storm at sea, he knew by the tones of the men on deck.

His hunger and thirst were horribly poignant. He tried to chew some of the cotton, but it almost choked him. He picked his slouch hat and found that the leather band inside was pretty well soaked with oil. He says that in his desperate condition the find seemed a promise of life and release and tears of joy came to his eyes. He tore out the band and divided it into small pieces, thus placing himself on an allowance. He chewed the leather extracting the oil, until it was pulpy. This really kept life in his body. He was a strong, healthy man when he left Algiers, but when he was lifted out of the hold he was like a skeleton. Captain Quick, commander of the El Monte, gave Bursell a new suit of clothes and sent him to St. Vincent's hospital. His recovery is questionable, with the chances, the doctors say, in favor of death.

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