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**Filipino Villagers Stranded at San Francisco**

Reach the Coast from Omaha—Say They Were Not Paid for Services—Home on U.S.A. Transports.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27.—Fourteen belated Filipinos were sent out to the Presidio yesterday to find quarters in the casual camp until the Government can send them home on one of the transports.

The Filipinos were members of the troupe of singers that was exhibited at the Omaha Exposition. They say that their contract was that they were to have all their expenses paid, and some of them were to receive \$5 a month in addition. They declare that they have received nothing for two months, however, and that they are in destitute circumstances. They reached here last Monday, and since then they have been living anywhere they could. Some friends gave some of them the use of two empty rooms, but they could not be provided for all the time, so General Shafter was appealed to. He had them sent out to the camp, and there they will stay until they can be taken home. More of them will drift in from Omaha in the next few days, for there were forty in the troupe, and they have been scattered all the way from Omaha to this city. They have no friends and cannot make any fight for the money they say is due them, so they were in danger of becoming public charges when General Shafter made them wards of the army.

A few of them have shown a desire to remain in this country if they can find work, but it is not likely they will be allowed to do so. The understanding was that when they had finished their exhibiting they should be returned to the islands by the exposition people; otherwise it is doubtful if they would have been allowed admission.

The "Midway" Filipinos were a careless, improvident lot. They were "shipped" at from \$1 to \$5 a month (Mexican). What money the people managed to get from the company was spent at once for tin types and ice cream. The Filipino village was neatly laid out and elaborately furnished. There was a theater and one of the best things produced was a Filipino comedy. It was so sonorous that it created a panic hysteria. The show had a pair of caribou and one did some remarkable diving in the lagoon on the premises, but, with its rider, struck when the water became cold.

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The sale for Tuesday and Thursday is particularly large. The greatest interest is being centered on the grand opera night, when Martha is to be produced, introducing the grand opera soprano, Nellie Andrews. This lady is the possessor of a voice of the rarest quality and will without doubt captivate the music lovers of the city. On Saturday, "The Pirates of Penzance" on Saturday night, another side splitter "Olivette." The repertoire for week of November 14 will be as follows: Tuesday, "Mikado;" Thursday, "Il Trovatore;" Saturday matinee, "Pinafore;" Saturday night, "La Belle Helene."

**HARPER-McCLURE.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—At the office of Harper & Brothers today it was denied that the alliance with Doubleday & McClure has led to a revolution in the older house. It was admitted, however, that Mrs. Margaret Sangster had retired from the editorship of Harper's Bazar, her successor being J. A. Sears. The change took place July 1st. The Round Table, a paper for boys, had never been profitable, and long ago it was determined to suspend its publication and in its place issue a new monthly magazine, to be called the Franklin Square, under the editorship of Albert Lee. Still another Harper-McClure magazine will be issued, with James Finley as editor. Henry Loomis Nelson retired from the editorship of the Weekly about July 1st. Henry G. Paine is now editor. When the Harper-McClure alliance

was announced it was inferred that the McClure company was to be absorbed by the older firm. However, Mr. McClure and Mr. Doubleday seem to be the dominant force in the allied concern.

**SUBMARINE TORPEDO BOAT.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The Holland submarine torpedo-boat will visit Washington early in November to allow the members of the Naval Committee of the Senate and House of Representatives as well as Navy officials to witness its workings. A one-mile course will be laid out between Washington and Alexandria, Va. In this space the little boat will dive, discharge a Whitehead torpedo and rise again. She will also give a practical exhibition of her power in following a certain prescribed course while almost at the bottom of the Potomac channel.

The Naval Board of Inspection and Survey several months ago notified the Holland Company to have a crew trained to the workings of the vessel before the test was given before the board. The test will be held at Pocomoc Bay. The programme will consist of a start and a dive. The boat will go under water for one mile and then come up for observation. She will again dive and travel another mile submerged. At the end of the second mile the craft will rise to the surface and discharge a Whitehead torpedo at a target. She will then dive immediately and proceed under water for half a mile or more.

**PAPAL DELEGATE.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Archbishop Chapelle, papal delegate to the Philippines, who was at the War Department today, said regarding the retention of the Philippines:

"America should hold them rather than some other power. We have a large Pacific coast, therefore we should have strategic positions in the Pacific. The islands are very valuable commercially and above all things they furnish the key to the trade with China. I firmly favor their retention by the United States; their retention permanently if that shall prove to be the best advice to be derived from future events. They should be ours upon moral, legal, commercial, sociological and religious grounds."

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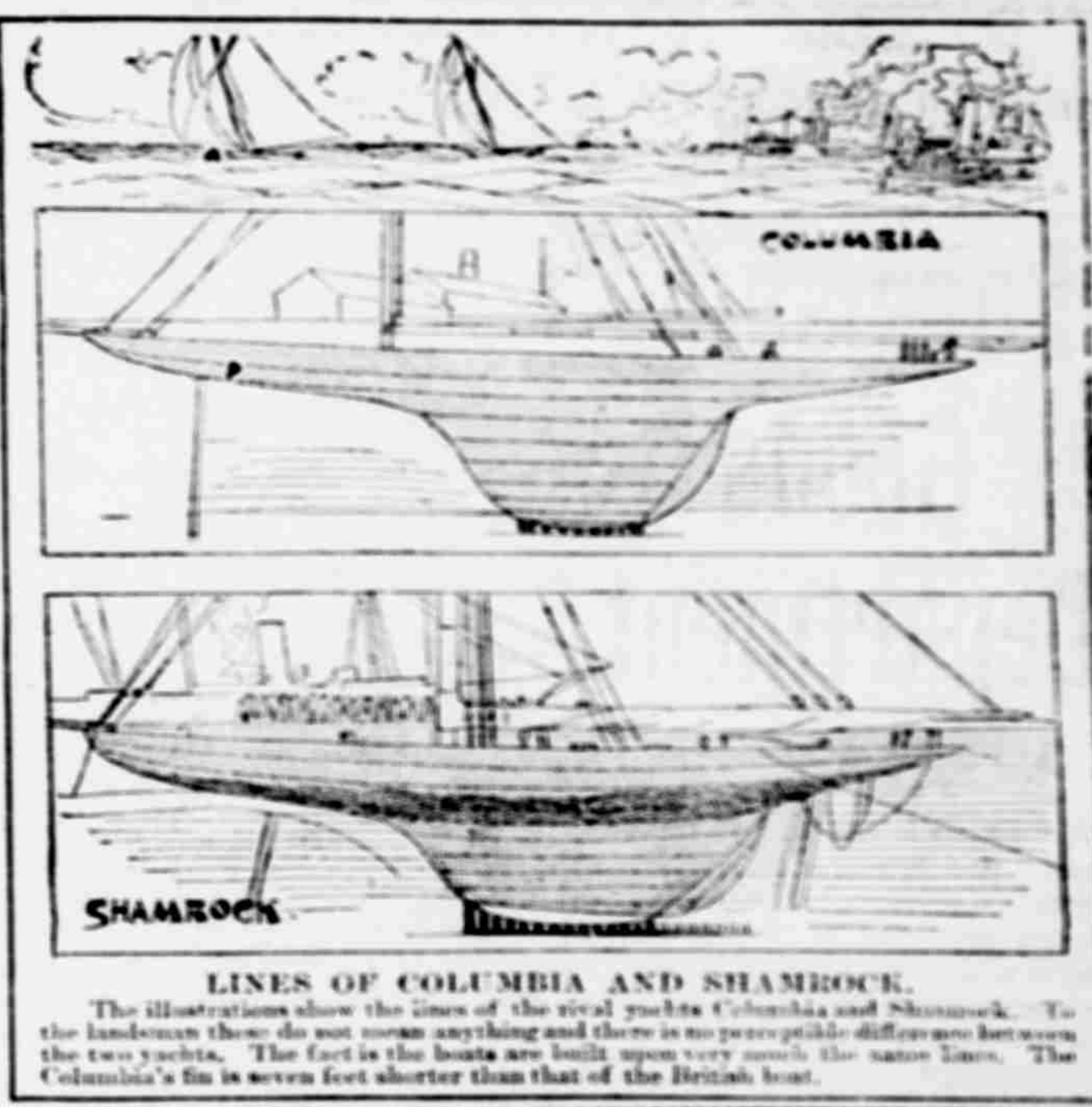
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