

FOR 40-FOOT CHANNEL

MONEY FOR THE COLUMBIA WILL BE USED FOR NEW WORK.

When There Is Deep Water the Government Will Establish a Drydock and Naval Station.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—The appropriation made by the last sundry bill of \$200,000 for the mouth of the Columbia River is being utilized by the engineers for the purpose of a plant and for preparations to carry on the improvement decided upon by the Board of Engineers which made the last report.

This means a great deal for the Columbia River, not only for the navigation and commercial interests, but that as soon as this 40-foot channel is determined upon definitely and is in a fair way of being completed, the Navy Department is likely to authorize the selection of a site and that Congress will no doubt provide for a drydock, which will be located at some point on the Columbia.

It looks now as if the Government is likely to rectify the error it made, even if it is at great cost. That the Government will rectify such errors is shown in the action taken in regard to the drydock at Port Royal, S. C. Senatorial influence, that is, Senator M. C. Butler, then a Senator from South Carolina, was a member of the committee on naval affairs.

BRITISH TRANSPORTS.

A Tonnage of 1,738,128 and 326 Vessels Used in the African War. The British Government has issued a return showing the tonnage and number of vessels employed to convey troops, etc., to South Africa since March 1, 1900, the date and port of her departure, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Category (e.g., For troops and horses, For mules, etc.) and Amount (e.g., 125, 576.71). Total tonnage: 1,738,128 tons.

TRANSPORT LENOX ARRIVES.

Discharges Cargo in China and Starts for the Coast. J. P. Obersteiner, writing to his brother in Portland from Kobe, Japan, under date of July 27, says the animal transport Lennox reached that port at 2:30 P. M. that day.

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How He Gained and Lost Control of State Politics—Wonderful Success as Mine Promoter.

BITTLE, Mont., Aug. 18.—It is curious what a marvelous hold Marcus Daly still has on the minds of the people of Montana. It is very hard to convince the multitude that Daly's day is done as a star actor in state politics.

Time and time again, his extraordinary power has been closely studied, but without success. He made an unmade Congressman, Senator, Judge and Governor.

Lightship Ready for Her Station. The lightship Umatilla Reef, which has been undergoing a general overhauling at the Wolf & Zwickler Iron Works, and having her illumination changed from electricity to oil, is now completed, and will soon be taken to her station.

Investigating an Accident. Local Inspectors of Hulls and Boilers Edwards and Fuller yesterday held an investigation to ascertain the cause of the wreck of the steamer Billings, which was recently run on a rock in the Upper Columbia, just above Sumas Landing.

Loading the Argyll. Work of loading the Argyll has already begun. Her acceptance by the Government as a transport was followed immediately by arrangements for receiving a cargo of hay and grain.

Captain Henry McIntyre Dead. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—News has been received by the Pacific Steam Whaling Company, of the death and burial of Captain Henry McIntyre, at sea, on the 19th inst.

Marine Notes. British ship Cedarbank left down the river yesterday. British bark Bowman B. Law put sea yesterday morning.

Domestic and Foreign Ports. ASTORIA, Aug. 21.—Condition of the bar at 4:30 P. M. smooth; wind, north by west, force 4 to 5.

Yokohama.—Sailed August 20.—Mouthmouth (from Hong Kong), for Portland. New York, Aug. 21.—Sailed—Seymour, for Astoria; Katerina, for New York.

Fremont, Aug. 21.—Arrived—Graf Waldersee, from New York; for Hamburg, via Cherbourg, and proceeded. Sydney, Aug. 21.—Arrived previously—Miwera, from Vancouver via Honolulu.

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DAILY CITY STATISTICS. Real Estate Transfers. Daniel Gorman to Charles E. Steel, 150 ft. lot 6, block 5, Central Astoria.

Mining Stock Quotations. Listed Mines—Adams Mountain, \$40.00; Alta, \$15.00; Andes, \$10.00; Alpha, \$12.00; Anson, \$8.00.

Building Permit. Elizabeth Wood, two-story dwelling, Teneth street, between Hall and Harrison; 1200.

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FIVE PLACER CREEKS

ALL HEAD ON ONE MOUNTAIN AND HAVE YIELDED FORTUNES.

Several Hundred Men Now Make Their Living There—Date From Early Times.

GALICE Cr., Aug. 20.—Between Rogue River and one of its tributaries, the Illinois River, five good-sized streams head, on one mountain ridge—Galice, Taylor, Pickett, Briggs and Silver Creeks—and run in an easterly direction, all of them good gold-producers.

Running parallel with the creek and about 700 feet up the side of the mountain, is a great bench, at one time the bed of a large river. This old channel has been traced clear through Josephine County into California.

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