

MARINE TRAFFIC GROWING

DEEP WATER BUSINESS FROM PORTLAND HAS DOUBLED. Ships Making Better Time on the River-Nerens Now Loading in Portland Chartered for Oil.

Not all of the big fleet of vessels that cleared from Portland in April sailed that month. But enough of them crossed out of the river to make a remarkable showing in comparison with the corresponding month last year. This year the foreign tonnage cleared from the river was 1,200,000 tons, compared with 600,000 tons in April, 1934. The increase is due to the fact that the foreign tonnage cleared from the river was 1,200,000 tons, compared with 600,000 tons in April, 1934.

Domestic and Foreign Ports. ASTORIA, May 6-Sailed-At 1 P. M. British bark Port Carlisle, for Queens- town or Palmyra for orders; at 2 P. M. schooner Volunteer, for San Francisco. Condition of the bar at 2:30 P. M. rough; wind northwest; weather cloudy.

CHARTERED A YEAR AHEAD. German Ship Nerens Now in Portland to Load at Philadelphia. The German ship Nerens will finish loading her wheat cargo today and will probably leave down the river tomorrow. The owners of this German craft are not taking any chances on a slump in rates or on having their vessel laid up awaiting a charter, and they have already mapped out a route for her that will keep her busy until May 1936, and perhaps longer.

LONG VOYAGE OF SMALL BOAT. Launch Robert Barron Reaches Wrangell, Alaska, in Safety. Captain W. H. Hobson, of Astoria, returned yesterday from a trip to Alaska with about as small a craft as has made that long journey. He left Astoria last month with the same launch, the Robert Barron, taking the diminutive boat as far as Tacoma by rail. At that point she was placed in the water and proceeded under her own power to Wrangell, Alaska, where she arrived yesterday.

Three Big German Ships. Magdalena, Alsterschwan and Najade, which arrived in Astoria Friday, were lined up in the harbor Sunday morning and attracted considerable attention on the "front." This is the third trip of the Magdalena within the past four years. She came here the first time under the British flag as the Trade Winds, and last year appeared under her present name and flag. She will long be remembered in this port for her disastrous collision with the German ship Margretha, which was lying at Green- wich dock, Captain Susewind is still in command of the big sailor and on his present voyage is accompanied by his wife.

Shipbuilders' Trust Statement. NEW YORK, May 6-The official statement promised in connection with the reorganization of the Union Iron Works, of Bath, Me., the Newport News Shipbuilding & Drydock Company, of Newport News, Va., and the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, of Bethlehem, Pa., was not made today. At the office of H. W. Poor & Co., who are financing the combination in connection with a group of bankers and brokers, it was said that the statement will be given out Wednesday. It was denied that there is any hitch in the plan of construction, the statement being merely withheld until certain details were perfected.

Dora, for Nome, Overdue. SEATTLE, May 6-The stamer Dora, the first vessel of the San Francisco steamship combine scheduled to sail for Nome, is overdue. She left San Francisco last Thursday for Seattle, and is now two days behind time. No uneasiness is felt for her safety. The vessel was scheduled to sail for Nome from Seattle today, but she will probably not get away before Thursday.

Asks Clemency for Moran Bros. WASHINGTON, May 6-It has been demonstrated to the satisfaction of Lord Fauncefote that Moran Bros., of Seattle, acted under a misapprehension of the law, and were not guilty of intentional trespass in sending the wrecking steamer Ajax to the wreck of the Willamette. The Ambassador has intervened with the Dominion Government for the purpose of securing clemency for the wreckers.

Word From Despatch. ASTORIA, Ore., May 6-A letter was received here today from a passenger on the steam schooner Despatch, which left here some time ago, with supplies and material

CONDITIONS AT VALDEZ

NO PLACE FOR THE MAN WHO IS WITHOUT MEANS. Number of Oregonians There-Railroad to Eagle City is All Talk Thus Far.

VALDEZ, April 25-(Special correspond- ence.)-Valdez, possibly the most advertised town in Alaska, consists of eight adjoined seven restaurants, nine general merchandise stores, one newspaper and other business houses in proportion, and a population of about 500. The legal and medical professions are numerously and ably represented. The budding professional man makes his future field with the idea of meeting slight competi- tion is doomed to disappointment. This is true in all branches of labor, mental or manual. No one should come here without sufficient means to subsist for a year or more without labor. I have the greatest confidence that on Valdez Bay will be located the future great city of Alaska, but prospectors but little have been accomplished, and everything is in the future.

MAP OF THE PRESIDENT'S TOUR. The map is from the Kansas City Star. It is valuable not only for its outline of the Presidential journey, but also showing that one paper east of the Rocky Mountains has heard of Portland.

PERSONAL MENTION. E. C. Suiter, an Olympia business man, is at the Perkins. E. B. Cox, a Dayton, Wash., newspaper man, is at the Perkins. Hugh Ross, a well-known merchant of Olympia, is at the Perkins. Miss May McDonald will leave today to visit her brother at Lewiston, Idaho.

Valdez-Eagle City Railroad. The talk of a railroad from Valdez Bay to Eagle City, on the Yukon River, is as yet nothing but talk; but it is based upon certain facts that are worthy of consideration. The Bay of Valdez is a sheltered harbor, capable of affording safe anchorage for any reasonable number of vessels, and is within one day's travel by rail from the coast. The company has the mail contract from Juneau to Unalaska and will point out the advantages of the route on the route this summer to carry about 150 passengers and 1200 tons freight.

CHICKENS BY THE THOUSAND. At the annual meeting of the Mount Hood Poultry Farm Company, of Portland, the following officers were re-elected for the ensuing year: President, A. E. Cooper; treasurer, L. B. Gorham; secretary and manager, F. M. Moore. Last year's business was good and the prospects for this year are equally bright. The company has so far this year hatched 150 chicks and 200 ducklings, and has in the course of incubation 2200 hens' eggs and 400 ducks' eggs. This poultry farm is the largest poultry plant west of the Rocky Mountains and is situated six miles from Portland, out on the Base Line road. The incubator cellar, when running at full force, will have 40 325-egg incubators, with a capacity of over 12,000 eggs at one "setting." To turn out so many chickens by the slow methods of nature, it would take just 1000 clucking, brooding hens, sitting continuously on nests, and the incubators are not railroad incubators, either.

There is a class of people who are injured by the use of coffee. Recent years have witnessed in all the great stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O-COFFEE. The most delicate stomach requires it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. The most delicate stomach requires it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. The most delicate stomach requires it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee.

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CONDITIONS AT DAWSON

New Discoveries on Old Creeks-Cold Winter.

DAWSON, Y. T., April 15-(To the Editor.)-There has been a vast change in this country since the Canadian Government threw the reserve land open for settlement. Stagnating in the order of the land to all parts of the country, and new discoveries are made almost daily on creeks that people believed worthless. In '97 and '98, the miners thought the old creeks were worthless. But now they are finding them to be rich, and they would not work it. But now by machinery they can handle 8-cent dirt and make good money. When I see 25-cent dirt I mean 25 cents to the miner.

Salmon Harvest Light. George Hibbert, editor of the Chinook Observer, of Portland, yesterday, asked how the fish were running in Baker's Bay. Mr. Hibbert said: "The catches so far this season have been very light. This morning the high boat brought in only 100 pounds, which is not enough even to pay expenses, when you consider that the canneries have been running for months on a month and have an expensive equipment. Only about half of the traps are in, and the seiners have not yet commenced work. The fact is that the water is too cold yet, but the weather is getting warmer now, and it won't be long before the fish will be running in the traps, and the boats will be out daily to empty the 'pots,' into which the fish are led, bring in good loads."

Woman Aided Fire-Fighters. Councilman Mulkey and Fire Chief Campbell distinguished themselves at a fire which broke out yesterday morning in a building at Ely-enth and Main streets. Mr. Mulkey saw the blaze first and turned in an alarm from box 58. Chief Campbell was passing at the time and he ran to the fire, and he and a young woman who had behaved so gallantly: "You can have a position in the department when you like. You're a born fireman." The loss was slight.

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Advertisement for Dr. Lyon's Electric Bitters, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing its benefits for various ailments.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE

TRAVELERS' GUIDE. OREGON SHORT LINE. UNION PACIFIC. Union Depot, Sixth and J Streets. THREE TRAINS DAILY FOR ALL POINTS EAST. "CHICAGO-PORTLAND SPECIAL" Leaves for the East, via Huntington, at 8:00 A. M.; arrives at 11:30 P. M. SPOKANE FLYER. For Spokane, Eastern Washington and Great Northern points, leaves at 6 P. M.; arrives at 7 A. M. ATLANTIC EXPRESS. Leaves for the East, via Huntington, at 8:00 P. M.; arrives at 8:10 A. M. THROUGH FULLMAN TOURIST SLEEPERS. OCEAN AND RIVER SCHEDULE. Water lines schedule subject to change without notice.

Advertisement for Burlington Route, featuring a map of the route and text describing the service.

Advertisement for Pacific Coast Steamship Co., listing routes to Alaska and other destinations.

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Advertisement for Oceanic S.S. Co., listing routes to various international destinations.

Advertisement for Astoria & Columbia River Railroad Co., listing routes and schedules.

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