

PREPARING FOR GRAIN SEASON Steamboat Men of the Upper Columbia River Predict Record Shipments.

NEW STEAMBOATS BUILT Three Additional Craft Ready and All Available Old Vessels Have Been Repaired - Steamer Hannaford Abandoned.

The Upper Columbia and Snake Rivers will soon be the scene of much activity. In a week or two, when the harvest season becomes fairly advanced, the work of transporting the vast quantities of grain to market will occupy the attention of the steamboatmen plying craft on these waters.

merchandise for local merchants. She also has 1000 tons of overland freight that is to be shipped East as soon as unloaded.

Hall's Rover in Danger. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 15.—Because his vessel was not documented at the Customhouse, A. W. Hall was refused entrance for the little steamer Rover, and because of his indignation he declared that the Collector at San Pedro had once given him clearance with the same vessel and it is not unlikely that the Federal authorities may take possession of the Rover.

Empress Liners on Faster Schedule. VANCOUVER, Aug. 15.—Under the terms of a new mail contract between the British government and the Canadian Pacific Railway, the sailing time of the Empress liners between Vancouver and Hongkong has been reduced two days.

Marine Notes. The river steamer Joseph Kellogg was taken off the ways of the Portland Ship-

SUBSIDY FOR ONE DAY Voluntary Subscriptions Made to Alaska Steamship Project.

FILING OPENS AT SHOSHONE Everything Is Peaceful, and Stories of Jobbery Are Denied.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Aug. 15.—The filing for lands in the Shoshone reservation began today at Shoshone, in the special land office at that place. One hundred and twenty-five people will file each day, the ones whose names were first drawn in the lottery at Lander, filing first.

WILD WITH ITCHING HUMOR Eruption Broke Out in Spots All Over Body—Caused a Continual Itching for Two Years—Doctor's Medicine Did no Good—Cured at Expense of only \$1.25 and Now

THANKS CUTICURA FOR COMPLETE CURE

"Some time ago I wrote you for a book on the Cuticura Remedies and received it O. K. and went and bought the Soap, Ointment, and Pills. They did me more good than any medicine I ever used. They cured me of my skin disease, and I am very thankful to you. My trouble was eruption of the skin, which broke out in spots all over my body, and caused a continual itching which nearly drove me wild at times. I got medicine of a doctor, but it did not cure me, and when I saw in a paper your ad, I sent you for the Cuticura book and I studied my case in it. I then went to the drug store and bought one cake of Cuticura Soap, one box of Cuticura Ointment, and one vial of Cuticura Pills. From the first application I received relief. I used the first set and two extra cakes of Cuticura Soap, and was completely cured. I had suffered for two years, and I again thank Cuticura for my cure. If you wish, you may publish this. Your friend forever, Claude M. Johnson, Maple Grove Farm, R. F. D. 2, Walnut, Kas., June 15, 1905."

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DEPUTY SHERIFF ARRESTED Alleged to Have Offered Bribe in Election at Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 15.—Attempted bribery at the Republican primaries yesterday is the specific charge against H. C. Vignes, a special deputy sheriff at the detention home in the Ninth Ward, in a felony warrant issued by Justice Young this morning. Harry C. Carr, a reporter for the Times, the complaining witness, alleges that Vignes offered him \$2 to vote a certain ticket.

AT THE THEATERS What the Press Agents Say.

Military Drama at Lyric. A military drama is the bill at the Lyric Theater this week. It is entitled "The Marching Regiment." It varies widely from the stereotyped style of military play.

Pardee Has Good Lead. SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 15.—The Bee says this afternoon that, according to figures compiled from reports from Pardee's headquarters in all sections of the state, the result of the primaries yesterday was as follows:

Confesses on Deathbed. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 15.—Acting under instructions cabled from England, John P. O'Brien, a laborer employed in the wrecking of the World's Fair buildings, has unearthed an alligator bag containing jewels valued at \$20,000, which were stolen from Mr. and Mrs. P. Henry Clayton, of Des Moines, Iowa, during a visit to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition two years ago.

Mexicans Are Ordered Deported. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 15.—The local Bureau of Immigration has ordered the deportation of 20 Mexicans, who came here on the San Jose, and 24 who came on the Arctec. It was decided that the bringing of them here by the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, on the understanding that when they reached here the company might, if it wished, hire them as sailors, was a violation of the contract labor law.

Valuation of Bank's Real Estate. OLYMPIA, Wash., Aug. 15.—In the absence of any ruling by the courts on the subject, the State Tax Commission has passed on the question of the proper valuation to be put on real estate owned by banks, in connection with the assessment of bank stock. The Tax Commission says that property should be assessed at its market value.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE OREGON SHORT LINE AND UNION PACIFIC 3 TRAINS TO THE EAST DAILY

Table with columns: UNION DEPOT, Leave, Arrive, and specific train routes like CHICAGO-PORTLAND, SPOKANE FLYER, ATLANTIC EXPRESS.

RIVER SCHEDULE FOR ASTORIA, and other river routes.

Table with columns: Leave, Arrive, and routes for ASTORIA, DAYTON, and other river points.

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY TABLE THE COMFORTABLE WAY.

Table with columns: Leave, Arrive, and routes for ASTORIA, PORTLAND, and other points.

TIME CARD OF TRAINS PORTLAND DAILY.

Table with columns: Depart, Arrive, and specific train times for Astoria and other points.

ASTORIA and Columbia River Railroad Co.

Table with columns: Leave, Arrive, and routes for Astoria and other points.

Regulator Line Steamers

The EXCURSION STEAMER "BAILEY GATZERT" makes round trips to CARCADES LOCKS every Sunday, leaving PORTLAND at 9 A. M., returning at 5 P. M.

SOUTHEASTERN ALASKA ROUTE.

From Seattle at 9 P. M. for Ketchikan, Juneau, Sitka, Wrangell, Haines, Dawson and Fairbanks. Daily service between Portland and the Dalles except Sunday, leaving Portland at 7 A. M., arriving about 5 P. M., carrying freight and passengers.

Steamer Chas. R. Spencer

Up the beautiful Columbia, the most enjoyable of river trips. Leaves foot of Oak at 10 A. M. and goes to the Dalles daily at 7 A. M. except Friday and Sunday, returning at 10 P. M.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE EAST via SOUTH

Table with columns: Leave, Arrive, and routes for OVERLAND EX-PRIME TRAINS, UNION PACIFIC, and other lines.

PORTLAND-ASTORIA ROUTE Fast Str. TELEGRAPH

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Operating the Only Direct Steamers S. S. Empress and Costa Rica sail alternate weeks every seven days with FREIGHT ONLY.

WILLAMETTE RIVER ROUTE

Steamers for Salem, Independence and Albany leave 4:05 A. M. daily except Sundays. Steamers for Corvallis and way points leave 6:45 A. M. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

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Fingers roughened by soaps, catch every stain and look hopelessly dirty. Hand Sapolio removes not only the dirt, but also the loosened, injured cuticle, and restores the fingers to their natural beauty.