

BUFORD IS COMING

Government Transport Sails From San Francisco.

DUE IN THE RIVER TOMORROW

Only One Bid Offered for Steamer to Carry Lumber to Philippines—Prospects of Grain Movement.

The United States transport Buford left San Francisco at 10:30 yesterday morning for Portland and is due at Astoria some time tomorrow. She will carry 600 marines from this city to the Philippines.

LA BRUYERE ARRIVES.

Overdue French Bark Had Stormy Time Coming Up. ASTORIA, Or., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—The three-masted French bark La Bruyere, which has been posted as overdue and on which 15 per cent reinsurance has been quoted, arrived in this afternoon, 26 days from Port Los Angeles, with a partial general cargo on board.

The trip up the coast, while an exceptionally long one, was without particular incident, excepting hard luck and adverse winds. The bark left the California port January 15, and her chart shows that she was 20 miles off Newport February 1. Adverse winds and strong gales were encountered and she was driven north.

CAPTAIN CHANGED HIS MIND.

Decided Not to Sail Through the Draw Bridges. The barkentine Katie Flickinger has cleared for San Francisco with 535,000 feet of lumber. She finished loading at the Portland Lumber Company's mills several days ago, but will not leave down Tuesday.

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SPENCER AND IONE.

Two Steamers May Work Together on Upper Columbia. Captain E. W. Spencer has completed arrangements for handling the business of the steamer Charles R. Spencer at Hosford's dock, at the foot of Washington street, and it is understood that John A. Kincaid, the agent for the Hosford boats, will serve in that capacity for the Spencer.

LOOKING FOR SHIPS.

Advance in Wheat at Liverpool May Help Business Here. The advance in the wheat market to a parity with Liverpool values will probably result in the exporting of a few more cargoes from this port. There is not much wheat remaining in the country, but exporters will probably be able to do some more business before the season closes.

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SHANAHAN'S EVERYBODY IS TALKING ABOUT THIS SALE THE \$25,000 BANKRUPT STOCK OF THE CHICAGO STORE OF BLOOMINGTON, ILL., BOUGHT BY OUR EASTERN BUYER FOR SPOT CASH AT 50c ON THE DOLLAR

The second week of this remarkable sale will open up with a rush tomorrow morning. The enthusiastic crowds grow bigger every day. Tomorrow we bring up and place on the bargain tables the cream of this stock—some of the most choice items that were preserved especially for this week's selling.

Table with columns: Category (Suits and Coats, Ladies' Suits, etc.), Description, Price. Includes items like Ladies' Suits, Ladies' Long Rain Coats, Ladies' fine Kersey Coats, etc.

Table with columns: Category (Dress Goods, Fancy Goods Slashed), Description, Price. Includes items like Plaid Dress Goods, Ladies' Golf Gloves, etc.



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Table with columns: Category (Fancy Goods Slashed), Description, Price. Includes items like Ladies' Golf Gloves, Fancy Ribbon, etc.

Table with columns: Category (Of Interest to Men), Description, Price. Includes items like Men's Neglige Shirts, Men's Golf Shirts, Men's black and white Work Shirts, etc.

Table with columns: Category (Notions at Bankrupt Prices), Description, Price. Includes items like Clark's Crechet Cotton, White Garter Elastic, Good quality Silk Braid, etc.

Table with columns: Category (Underwear and Hosiery at Bankrupt Prices), Description, Price. Includes items like Ladies' fleeced ribbed Vests and Pants, Ladies' \$1.50 all-wool white Union Suits, etc.

Table with columns: Category (Muslin Wear at Bankrupt Prices), Description, Price. Includes items like Ladies' \$3.50 and \$3.00 fine Muslin Skirts, Ladies' plain tucked Muslin Drawers, etc.

Heard that she is anchored in shelter, the agent of the company is feeling uneasy about the Ramona. After lying at Jineau for 29 hours on account of the weather, left there for Skagway at 7 o'clock this morning.

of bromatons. The cargo is consigned to Balfour, Guthrie & Co. The bark is chartered by Kerr, Gifford & Co. outward for wheat. Elder Sails Next Friday. The steamer Gen. W. Elder did not get away for San Francisco last night as she expected.

AT THE HOTELS. THE PORTLAND. S H Shoninger, Chgo J B Powell, Seattle A Bennett, St Joe S G Yerkes, Seattle R A Alley, Tacoma H S Fotta, Tacoma C W Bell, Chgo Mrs W D Baker, Seattle J M O'Leary, Chicago D D Rogart, Seattle W W Baker and son, Walla Walla S Rutter, Seattle Mrs W B Wells, do M E Schoening, St Joe H Hesse, New York W L Boston, do W M Beuchschid, L A W M Meek, Denver Mrs W D Baker, Seattle T K Ogden, do P T Kogel, do S E Prescott, Prisco R Haggard, wife and child, U S A Mrs W B Wells, do H B Moebner, Chgo Mrs Eudender, do B T Jenkins, N Y H G Weave, Wyo Mrs Weaver, do C E Moore, St Joe

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