

KILBURN MAY RUN TO ALASKA

Commercial Bodies' Committee Has Under Negotiation Also Two Steam Schooners.

KILBURN MIGHT HANDLE PASSENGER BUSINESS

Could Also Take Some Freight—but Two Years Old, and Is Fast Boat—Schooner Would Take Care of Bulk of Freight.

The steamship Kilburn and two steam schooners are under negotiation today by the Alaska committee of the Portland commercial bodies...

side were small river boats, many of them were square-riggers and large steamships. Those who kept tally on them did not note the rig of the vessels...

Excepting foot passengers, all of the travel across the steel bridge next week will be through the Burnside structure. Bids for the repair of the upper deck of the former will be opened on Saturday...

CAPITAL CITY COMING.

Thirteen Vessels Built in Portland Have Been Sent to Seattle.

While there have been a large number of Columbia river boats sent to Puget sound for service, the fleet coming from the north to ply in local waters is rather small...

COLWELL SOLD.

Babbidge & Matheson Buy Steamer for Use in Towing Trade.

Babbidge & Matheson have bought the steamer Colwell from the Miller Band & Seining company of Astoria and will place her in service towing logs to Portland with the Resolute...

Watching the Chicks Hatching.

That's what the crowds are doing in front of the Pacific Mall Order company today. The hatchlings of the Petaluma incubator are again making good their claim to the gold medal awarded it at the Lewis and Clark fair.

Preferred Stock Canned Goods.

Allen & Lewis' Best Brand.

BIG WAVE FLOODS FORECAST

Crashes in Windows and Nearly Drowns Chinese Crew of Liner Numantia.

ONE HURLED AGAINST RAIL, HAS LEG BROKEN

Officers of Vessel Say They Heard Nothing in Hongkong Regarding an Uprising in China Against American Missionaries.

Members of the Chinese crew on the oriental liner Numantia had a narrow escape from drowning like rats in a trap while asleep in the forecabin as the steamer was bound from Portland to the far east...

When within about 10 days of Tokoyama one of the fiercest gales that blew began to rage. At about midnight it reached its highest stage. Mammoth seas swept over the deck constantly. One of the waves crashed in all of the windows to the forecabin and the quarters of the crew were soon flooded...

The Chinese occupants were rescued with great difficulty. In making his exit out on the deck one of them got in the path of a comb, was carried by the full width of the ship and hurled against the railing with such force as to break his leg...

SOCIALISTS IN DEFENSE OF MOYER AND HAYWOOD

Say Governor McDonald Gave Up Innocent Men to Kidnappers and Bandits.

Portland, Feb. 22.—To the Editor of The Journal.—The members of Socialist local in regular meeting assembled, do hereby protest against the unwarranted, illegal and entirely uncalled for procedure of the Idaho, Colorado and Oregon official misrepresentatives of the people in the aforementioned states...

A day after the arrival of the Numantia one of the crack steamships of the Boston Towboat company's fleet put in an appearance from Seattle. She is credited with being a 33-knot steamer, but she was two days longer making the run across the Pacific than the freighter from Portland...

Coming to Portland there was plenty of rain and snow and the weather was extremely cold, but nothing out of the ordinary. The steamer to the mouth of the Columbia was completed in 18 days and 6 hours.

The officers say they heard no rumors of an uprising while they were in China. The American missionaries... They left Hongkong on January 21 and explain that the situation may have changed since then...

It was also declared, concluded the captain, that the French, British and Italian troops had been dispatched to the scene of the disturbance. Just what the trouble was about I did not learn, but I do not think that the insurrection was directed against Americans.

TOWS THREE VESSELS.

Harvest Queen Coming Up River with Three Vessels.

Three deep water craft are being brought up the river from Astoria by the Harvest Queen. It is the first time that such a feat was ever tried by any of the local tug boats in tow are the barkentine Koko Head and schooners Annie Campbell and William Bowden...

Shippers are taking a great deal of interest in the event and say that if it should prove successful the innovation is likely to become an every-day occurrence. If three vessels can be towed just as easily as two it means that commerce will be greatly facilitated...

ALONG THE WATERFRONT.

The 2-year-old daughter of Captain Wicks, master of the American schooner Eric, died at the North Pacific sanitarium yesterday after a brief illness.

A message to the officials of the Regulator line states that the steamer Capital City left Tacoma yesterday afternoon for Portland. She will be taken in charge at Neah bay by a tug. If the weather continues favorable she is expected to reach here by Sunday.

Laden with lumber for Manila the British ship Falls of Dee has moved out into the stream and will probably leave for the sea tomorrow.

Advices from the Snake state that the river rose 19 inches at Riparia during the recent rain, now standing at 4.3 feet above the low water mark.

The steamer Alliant is scheduled to sail tonight for Bureka and way ports. She will take out 700 tons of freight and about 50 passengers. Since being wrecked the officers are expecting her to make a fine showing.

Big gangs of longshoremen are employed in the work of loading the steamship Ilford and ship Miltonburg.

GRAVITY HELPS.

Our Rugs Down Incline and Does Work of Man in Unloading Boat.

The power of gravity has been brought into play at the Ankeny street dock and made to do fully as much work as a dozen men in handling sand and gravel. A platform has been built at an elevation of about 50 feet above the surface of the river and provided with an incline which runs back for a distance of some 25 to 30 feet...

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MARINE NOTES.

Astoria, Feb. 22.—Left up at 3 a. m. barkentine Koko Head and schooner William Bowden and A. M. Campbell. Sailed at 7:30 a. m. barkentine Gleamer, for San Francisco. Outside at 7:55 a. m. a four-masted barkentine. Arrived at 11:40 a. m. steamer Elmore, from Tillamook.

San Francisco, Feb. 22.—Arrived at 8 a. m. steamer Columbia, from Portland.

Astoria, Feb. 22.—Sailed at 1:45 p. m. French bark Jean Baptiste, for United Kingdom, for orders via Puget sound. Left up at 3:15 p. m. German steamer Numantia. Arrived down at 5:45 p. m. schooner Eric. Outside at 5 p. m. a three-masted ship.

San Francisco, Feb. 22.—Sailed, steamers Aurelia and Redondo, for Portland. Sailed at 8 p. m. steamer Johan Poulsen, for Portland. Arrived at 11:40 a. m. schooner Crescent, for Portland.

St. Johna, Feb. 22.—Passed at 7:15 a. m. German steamer Numantia.

Astoria, Feb. 22.—Condition of the bar at 8 a. m. smooth; wind east; weather rainy. Arrived at 11:30 a. m. steamer Senator, from San Francisco.

SAY GOVERNOR McDONALD GAVE UP INNOCENT MEN TO KIDNAPERS AND BANDITS.

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"It appears to me," said Judge Cameron, "that this man has an excellent case. I refuse to impose a fine in this instance. If the defendant will pay up his license fees the case will be dismissed."

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