

UPPER RIVER COUNTRY'S GREATER THAN PEOPLE THINK, SAYS SMITH

Portland People Should Get Up Excursion and See Country, He Says.

RAILROADS RUN IN WORST OF COUNTRY

Few Miles From Them Towns Are Springing Up and Growing Fast—Inland Empire Rapidly Becoming Great Power in Oregon.

Frank J. Smith, traffic manager for the Open River Transportation company, believes it would be worth the while for Portland merchants to get up an excursion along the upper Columbia river where new towns are springing into existence. The trip, he says, would serve to give them an idea of the vast resources of the great basin and incidentally result in closer business relations with the interests up there.

CUT DOWN FEDERAL TIMBER; NOW FACE CIVIL SUITS

Five Men Made Defendants in a Case to Recover Money for Timber Destroyed.

Complaints have been filed in the United States district court against Marshall H. Knapp, Alden E. Eastwood, John W. Dee, Archie Mason and J. B. Shipp for purchasing and cutting down timber belonging to the United States.

RARE CHANCE TO TRAVEL

Very Low, Long-Time, Round-Trip Tickets Via O. R. & N.



Every man with a warm set of feet or a hot head can cool 'em now at \$1.25 per foot and \$1.00 a head.

LION Clothing Co. Gas Kuhn Prop. Men's and Boys' Outfitters. 105 and 106 Third Street, Mohawk Building.

from its bank. Now steam and gasoline craft ply on its placid waters.

The boats have aided in building up many small towns on the river and are responsible for the fast increasing population on its banks.

By the first of September six steamboats of combined carrying capacity of 1,100 tons will be in operation.

"The operation of barges has proved a success on the upper river. One year ago not a barge was in existence between Kenniwick and Colton; now there are several of large tonnage and many smaller ones actively engaged in the river traffic.

"Every village, farm or industry that is added to this productive section means much to Portland, as here they will ship their products and here make their purchases.

CROWD HOLDS YOUTH WHILE VETERAN PUNCHES HIM

General Uhler Stops Dog Fight, Punches Canine and Gets Into Fight Himself.

(Journal Special Service.) Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 7.—General George Uhler, U. S. A., retired, of Washington, District of Columbia; Howard Bonbright, rich Colorado youth; Congressman Butler of Pennsylvania; and a number of "butters" in a big session in the village of Longport last Saturday night, all over a dog fight.

FIFTEEN PERMITS FOR ERECTION OF DWELLINGS

Fifteen permits for the erection of new dwellings were issued yesterday. Today new applications are coming in in a stream.

Very low, long-time, round-trip tickets via O. R. & N. August 7, 8, 9, and September 3 and 10. The O. R. & N. sells very low, long-time, round-trip tickets to eastern points.

PORTLAND FIRM TO MAKE ROPE MACHINES

(Special Dispatch to the Journal.) Elgin, Or., Aug. 7.—Hug Brothers of this city have given the contract for the manufacture of their rope computing machine to the Benbow & Warren Manufacturing company of Portland.

Immense Quantities of Ties and Lumber Will Be Shipped to California.

EIGHT CARGOES BOUGHT DURING PAST FEW DAYS

Shippers Expect to Find Relief in Square-Riggers That Will Soot Return From Salmon Canneries at Bristol Bay—Bark Coloma Outside.

F. P. Baumgartner, agent of the California & Oregon Coast Steamship company, returned this morning from an extended trip through the lower Columbia timber districts and announced having purchased eight ship cargoes of railroad ties for shipment to California.

The ties will be shipped as soon as vessels become available. At present lumber droghers are much in demand, but it is expected that later in the season the scarcity will not be felt so seriously.

Several of these vessels will return directly to the Columbia river and Portland to transfer their cargoes to the cars for trans-shipment east and to Europe.

Two of the old-timers left Portland last spring for the Atlantic coast after having lain idle here for many months, and it is said they would have been good money makers now had they been left a few months longer.

RETURNS TO PORTLAND.

Russian Bark Isabel Brown Will Be One of Season's Carriers.

That Portland is a pretty good port after all, despite the attitude of some of the British shipowners, some of whom appear sadly ignorant on the subject, is proved by the fact that invariably vessels that have been here return when offered the opportunity.

EXPECT ITALIAN CRUISER.

Vessel of the Umbria Type Will Probably Pay Visit Here.

The Italian cruiser Dogali will probably visit Portland soon, it is now supposed to be on the way to San Pedro and from there she will probably come north for a visit to Portland.

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When pains or irritation exist on any part of the body, the application of Ballard's Snow Liniment gives prompt relief.

Regular Sale. Your Credit Is Good—Make Your Own Terms. THE SIXTH WEEK OF THIS GREAT SALE OFFERS NUMEROUS OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE SELECTION OF DESIRABLE FURNITURE PIECES FOR PARLOR, LIBRARY, LIVING ROOM, DINING ROOM, BEDROOM, HALL AND DEN AT THE REDUCED PRICES.

A Few Sale-Values From the Sale Stock of Furniture. \$3.25 Arm Rockers, in the golden oak; sale price... \$2.50. \$4.00 Tabourettes, in the golden oak; sale price... \$3.75.

The Season's Best Models in Go-Carts at Reduced Prices. \$3.00 Folding Go-Carts; sale price \$2.00. \$3.75 Folding Go-Carts; sale price \$3.10.

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type," said the consul, "although more up to date, having been launched only about 10 years ago. She belongs to the Pacific squadron and is supposed to be at San Pedro by this time."

CLOSE TO ICEBERGS.

French Bark Laenne Narrowly Escaped Collision Off Cape Horn.

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believed that the meeting will result in any changes pertaining to freight tariffs.

TWO WOMEN FAINTED.

Passengers of Steamer Potter Cause Panic at Ilwaco.

MARINE NOTES.

Astoria, Or., Aug. 7.—Arrived at 7:30 a. m.—Steamer Fiverlorn, from San Francisco, Outside at 11 a. m.—A three-masted schooner. Arrived at 9:30 a. m.—Barge Santa Paula in tow of tug Sea Lion, from Port Harford.

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\$50 COSTUMES... \$30. \$40 COSTUMES... \$24. \$35 COSTUMES... \$22. \$30 COSTUMES... \$18. NO CHARGE FOR ALTERATIONS, \$1 A WEEK.

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Eastern Outfitting Co. The Store Where Your Credit is Good. Washington and Tenth.

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