## RIVER STEAMERS TAKE BIG CROWDS

Hundreds of Excursionists Left Behind on the Docks.

MANY START OUT FOR SEA SHORE

Slight Accident to Steamer Charles R. Spencer Prevents Her From Going on Run to Astoria—Gasoline Boats Carry Private Parties.

Nearly every available river craft Nome was drawn into commission this morning carrying excursionists. The docks in the central part of the city were crowded with summer girls and young men at an early hour and from 7 o'clock till about 9 boats struck out for their Arabia, crient ...... respective destinations filled to the Numantia, orient

Customs inspectors were present see that the boats were not over- Largiemore, Br. sh. . . . O. w crowded. Operators of steamers and crowded. Operators are getting ches on these waters are getting ty well aware of the fact that they being closely watched and as a re-few complaints are being brought

suit few complaints are being brought to light.

Unfortunately for the steamer Chas. R. Spencer, one of the rocker shafts broke last night coming up from Astoria, or some 600 people would have been taken to the City by the Sea for the day. The accident cost Captain Spencer in the neighborhood of \$700 as it was impossible to make the round trip with the one engine. Many who had intended spending the day on the Spencer viewing the scenery of the lower Columbia hurried over to Alder street dock and boarded the Balley Gatzert for Cascade Locks. This resulted in a capacity crowd for the D. P. & A. N. company liver and she went out in a capacity crowd for the war.

A. N. company liner and she went out with more than 600 on board. Nearly 100 had to be turned away.

But there were other boats. One co-terie wanting to go to Sauvies Island, chartered a comfortable gasoline launch, when the Vancouver on.

others took a run to Vancouver on Captain Good's steamer Columbia, while others again went to Taylor street dock ind boarded the Oregon City Transporta-ion company's boats for the City by

Islands, is to be said on the 15th of this month, and it is said possibly she will be purchased and placed on the run out of Portland in conjunction with the Rose City and the State of California. The Alameda is practically a duplicate of the steamship Columbia which was lost about a year ago on her way up from San Francisco.

## ASTORIA MARINE NEWS.

The Norwagian steamer Guernsey arrived at the mills of the Portland Lumber company this morning to complete her cargo for Shanghal.

The British steamer Ascot, which is loading lumber for Melbourne, shifted the steamer vesterday to St Johns.

down at 9:20 a. m. and sailed at noon— Steamer Nebraskan, for San Francisco. San Francisco, July 4.—Sailed at noon— Steamer State of California, for Port-

Astoria, July 3.—Left up at 1:30 p. m.

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Ban Pedro, July 3.—Sailed yesterday.

Steamer Geo. W. Elder, for Portland.

Ban Francisco, July 3.—Arrived.—

British steamer Aeon, from Portland, for Auckiand. Sailed.—Schooner James A. Garfield, for Columbia river.

Astoria, July 4.—Condition at the mouth of the Columbia at 8 a. m., smooth; wind northwest, 18 miles; weather, cloudy.

Tides at Astoria today: High water.—

3:5 a. m., 6:3 feet, 5 p. m., 7:6 feet, 3:5 a. m., 6.9 feet, 5 p. m., 7.6 feet, Low water—10:22 a. m., 0.9 feet; 11:05

## MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

Regular Liners Due to Arrive. Nicomedia, orient Rose City, San Francisco Roanoke, San Pedro and way... Arabia, orfent ........ Alesia, orient Numantla, orient Regular Liners to Depart.

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Vessels in Port. Broderick Castle, Br. ship...... O. W.

Churchill, Am. sch..........Astoria Echo, Am. bktn...........Astoria Echo, Am bktn... Kelburn, Br. bk. ... Minnie Kelton, Am. Emmanuel Accame, It. bk. Albers
H. K. Hall, Am. sch. Stream
Asgard, Nor. sh. Jefferson street 

En Boute to Lond Lumber. Senome, Am. sch. San Francisco
James J. Garfield, Am. ss. San Francisco
Cascade, Am. sa. San Francisco
Cascade, Am. sch. San Francisco
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Hundreds of gasoline hoats were out abertoyie Br. sn. Antwerp bright and early bound for select spots Bldart, Fr. bk. Antwerp down or up the river. Captain Amos' Clan Graham, Br. sh. Cardiff cammodious launch Eva carried one of Eugenie Fautrel, Fr. bk. Antwerp the largest small parties of the day. Vincennes, Br. sh. Antwerp She was chartered for "the Fourth" and will probably not return till late this Neatsfields, Bf. sh. Hamburg

STEAMER ROSE CITY SAILS.

Alameda Might Be Secured for Portiand-San Francisco Run.

With 143 first-class and 83 steerage passengers on board, the Harriman liner Rose City, Captain Kidston, left Alasworth wharf at 9 o'clock this morning bound for San Francisco. She was decreted with pennants from atem to seen in honor of the day.

Traffle on the Portland-San Francisco Run.

Salue Policy Fr. bk. Newcastle, N. S. W.

Schill, San Runer Run.

Salue Run.

# ON KLAMATH FALLS

Carry Government Supplies.

Seven large vessels, well known here, will be engaged this yest carrying government supplies from this coast to the Philippines, Jebsen & Ostrander of Seattle having secured the contract.

H. F. Ostrander is now in England contracting for these vessels, which vary in capacity from 7,000 to 9,000 tons. The steamships referred to are the Virginis, Vermont, Validivia, Varnouce his without acer. Vancouver, Veilmore and Volga. The Vermont and Valdivia have been here quite recently.

ALONG THE WATERFRONT.

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JUDGE WICKERSHA. In SIGNER HARD.

SIATED TO WITHDRAW

Soldiers' Monument Unveiled.

(Special Dispate to The Journal): Trenton, N. J., July 4—A monument in Shakespears is tragedy of the present of the

# MOST GLORIOUS

Fifteen Thousand Navy Men Join With Bay City in Great Celebration.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, July 4 .- Fifteen thousand happy, patriotic bluejackets are once more in full possession of San Francisco city and harbor today and,

Since 4 o'clock this morning, when the first shore parties landed, the streets have been covered with blue-uniformed patriots from the great battleship fleet. Every man with the fleet is participating in the celebration. Those who were forced to remain aboutd the ships are forced to remain abourd the ships are delphia holding jubilees of their own and were accorded the honor of the only noisy event of the day—the thunderous roar of the 21-gun salute, which was fired at noon. Fearing another fire, an order a numbe was issued prohibiting the use of fireworks, and the tars alone were privileged to make a rocket.

leged to make a racket.
Five thousand childish voices, com-bined in a mighty chorus, led by Miss Estelle Carpenter, was the feature of the civic celebration at the Stadium. Intense interest is also being evinced in the athletic field and track meet in Golden Gate park this afternoon.

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naments, two tennis tournaments, mo-

Astoria fight, for which they have paid more Stream Is. Johns St. Johns game at the Presidio this afternoon, the Ramier second of a series of three between .....Couch street teams representing the army and navy

## OUT 46-STAR FLAG

(United Press Lensed Wire.) Philadelphia, July 4.-After a brilliant oration by Colonel T. M. Seward, Oklahoma's new 46-star flag, United 

Guthrie, Okla. July 4.—Hoisting the new 46-star flag was the principal event of Independence day here today. A duplicate of the flag officially adopted by the government at Philadelphia to-

She was chartered for "the Fourth" and will probably not return till late this evening.

The exodus to the beach was heavy. Two holidays in succession offers a splendid opportunity for a little outing and many are taking advantage of the fourth of this year. About 500 left company's great this morning, the sending to return Monday morning. They will have all of tomorrow on the beach, watching the monning sea waves.

The breeze was too light early in the morning for good sailing and few boats were out. Conspicuous among them, however, was a boat from the Italian ship Emanuele Accame, sailed by a bunch of typical tars clad in control of the saw no better and less expensive way of celebrating the day than to drift about leisurely in the ship's boat.

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STEAMER ROSE CITY SAILS.

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With 233 first-class and 83 steerage.

Kinney, musical director of this city.

Among the speakers for the afternoon's program were President W. J. Kerr of the Oregon Agricultural college, Mrs.

Waldo Coe of Salem and Arthur T. Buxton, head master of the state grange.

BUSINESS SUSPENDED

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IN PENDLETON

Aspectal Dispatch to The Journal.)

Pendleton, Or., July 4.—Though there is no Fourth of July celebration in Pendleton today all lines of business are closed. On the Umatilla reservation and the bulk of the people are there received two fishermen whose boat had capsied, also the boat and gear.

The Norwegian steamship Guerneey cleared at the custom house today for Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Cleared at the custom house today for Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Cleared at the custom house today for Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Cleared at the custom house today for Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Cleared at the custom house today for Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Cleared at the custom house today for Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Cleared at the custom house today for Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Cleared at the custom house today for Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Shanghai, Chins, with a cargo of £589. The Norwegian steamship Guerneey Shanghai, Chi

closed and business was generally suspended. The usual receptions were held under the auspices of the various particular societies. Hundreds of thousands of New Yorkers spent the day at Coney Island, Rockaway, Manhaitan Beach and other shore resorts handy to the

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
London, July 4.—The pupils attending the John Bright Memorial school at Llandudno, Wales, which Ambassador Reid opened last September, were given a half holiday today in commenoration of the school's dedication by the American ambassador. It was the first time that the American holiday was ever so the school of the American Celebration in Wales.

time that the American holiday Chief Red Cloud Meets Pioneers.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal )
Sheridan, Wyo., July 4.—Today's elebration of Independence day was the ost notable ever seen here ably assisted by the local people, are ers, which was attended by Red Cloud, showing the whole world how Uncle the old Sloux warrior, and General Sam's Independence day should be celebrated.

Since 4 calcal, this country is and states a superscript of the savents. ages in Wyoming in 1866.

At Old Independence Hall. (Special Bispatch to The Journal.)
Philadelphia, Pa., July 4.—As has been the custom for years, the city of Philadelphia celebrated the anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence in this city by holding a patriotic meeting in Independence square. The meeting was attended by a number of descendants of the original signers.

Americans at Reid's Reception. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
London, July 4.—A large reception was given by Ambassador Reid teday in honor of the Fourth of July. Two floors of Dorchester house, Mr. Reid's residence, were thronged with American's, among whom were all the members of the embassy and many other notables.

# Astoria Albers bowlers are some of the attractions of stream fered the merrymakers today. The two events of greatest interest to the bluejackets are the Gans-Nelson GUN ON FOURTH

New York First to Report Independence Day Victim, an Italian Boy.

(United Press Leased Wire.) New York, July 4 .- Glodini Papistla, 18 years old, is the first Fourth of July victim reported.

He was celebrating by displaying a 32 caliber revolver, which he apparently did not think was loaded.

After snapping it several times, pointing it in different directions, he dramatically turned it upon himself.

## AT THE THEATRES

Tonight at the Lyric. Close the day's celebration tonight by going to the Lyric where the Blunkall-Atwood company will repeat "A Hero in Rags." It is one of their greatest successes. Last performances tomorrow afternoon and hight.

Baker Compay Closes Tonight.

Tonight will be merry at the Baker as it marks the closing of the Baker Stock company for the season and also bids goodbye to their old home forever. It will be the last appearance of the Baker Stock company on the Baker stage.

The prospective locators were shown the government survey stakes. It is marks on the stakes had been changed.

Sunday at the Grand. After the glorious Fourth remember that the Grand will hold its present program only until tomorrow night. If



Oscar Lorraine, Protean Violinist

at the Grand you have not yet seen the great vaudeville show at this house do so tonight or tomorrow. The bill is composed of serial artists, actors, comedians, cyclists and many other entertainers

Yiddish Players Tomorrow. AT SAGAMORE HILL

(United Press Lessed Wire.)

Ray L. J. July 4 President

The Yiddish Dramatic players will begin an engagement of four performances at the Heilig theatre. Fourteenth and Washington, tomorrow. Sunday, night, in "Kai-Nidre. Seats are now." tht, in 'Kal-Nidre Seats are now ling at theatre for the entire engage-

Tonight at 8 o'clock at the Hellig

Monument to LaFayette.

(Special Dispatch to The Journel)

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Paris, July 4—The feature of the Fourth of July celebration by the American colony in Paris was the unveiling of Paul Bartlett's statue of Lafayette, the gift of American school children, which was recently erected in the Place du Louvre. The unveiling was attended by simple exercises.

Much interest has been taken in this city on the many subjects presented from India. Mrs Caroline P Wallace from India. Mrs Caroline P Wallace of child marriage in that heathen land, and in company with Miss Carrie Tennant from California where they have just finished a two-months tour we as in many vertically in would be proved at the mins of the profiled Lowering of Shanghal.

The British steamer Ascot, which is loading lumber for Meibourne, shifted from Linaton yeaterday to St. Johns.

The steam schooner Nome City leaves steamer Alliance, which is undergoing repairs.

The steamer City of Panama is due here tomorrow afternoon from Coos hay in place of the Breakwater, which is being overheaded at San Francisco.

Marine Notes.

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# LOCATORS CAUGHT

Two for Alleged Fraudulent Locating.

break up the practice that has been of the union of

en It is simply a case of the person look- an a ing for a bargain in a timber claim tion, of getting stung for \$200 or \$200 false and fraudulent amounts and delarations in connection with timber claims which are located just east of Oregon City. Both were taken before the United States commissioner yesterday afternoon and afterward released upon ball of \$500 each. Their hearing fellowship which would bind hearts and aims. upon bail of \$500 each. Their hearing fellow before the commissioner was set for aims.

July 10.

Arrested in Marshal's Office.

Stafford was arrested first by a deputy United States marshal. Burke, who is said to be Stafford's partner, heard of the arrest of his friend and hurried to the federal building. The deputies had been looking everywhere for Burke. But he didn't know about it. He walked into the marshal's office and said his name was Burke. Zip! and he was arrested and charged with the same offense as that of his partner, for whom he had gone in search and to form the same offense as that of his partner, for whom he had gone in search and to the feet. Bushed little was a feet as that of his partner, for whom he had gone in search and to

The government representatives again that Burke and Stafford have taken at least a dozen persons to a tract of timber cast of Oregon City and that the land really filed on was miles and miles away. Burke and Stafford, the government claims got about \$200 ferror to the content of the content

Wool Pulled Over Eyes.

Finally those seeking timber claims got together and by talking the matter over came to the conclusion that there was something wrong. They compared notes, in other words. In going to this claim, each had gone to Oregon City. Then taken a rig. They sill went over the same road at different times, it seems.

There was a spring on the way. All had taken a drink out of this spring. Then there was a certain farm house. All had been there. And then above all they saw a certain claim, with millions of feet of timber on it. The tract was described as south of range 4, east of the Willametre meridian. This is the poor land. But the claim seekers did not get the land they thought they would.

# UP TO SUPREME COURT

Test Case Involving Pilotage Goes to Higher

There was no argument of the matter in the circuit court. It was practically agreed by the attorneys that the demurrer should be sustained as the quickest method of carrying the matter to the highest tribunal. Former Senator John M. Gearin appeared for Farrell, and J. Couch Flanders for the Port of Portland.

Portland.

The complaint filed in attacking the act raises the point that as the Port of Portland is neither a city or town, it has not the power to amend its charter by the initiative under the constitutional amendment of 1906 reserving to he people of cities and towns the right

the people of cities and towns the right of initiative.

On the other side it is contended that there is an inherited or implied right that the power to authorize a towage and pilotage service must reside somewhere, and the supreme court has almost held that it can not be exercised. ready held that it can not be exercised by the legislature. There are other grounds of attack, one being that an attempt is heing made to grant-original power under the guise of amendment.

tiok several minutes. I think that he is more adapted to rork work than that of a florist," the last remark being a delicate him to the new police judge to send Honey to the rock pile.

## Much interest has been taken in this DUNKARDS PROSECUTE ALLEGED LAND SHARK

# UNANIMOUSLY IN TWO ROB FAVOR OF UNION AND GET

Government Agents Arrest No Difference of Opinion in Barkeeper and Five Custom-United Brethren Conference.

In the arrest of J. C. Burke and O. M. The annual conference of the United Stafford, Portland timber locators, yes- Brethren church held a spirited and enterday, the government agents hope to thusiastic meeting last night in behalf carried on in Oregon and throughout Rev. F. W. Jones was chairman of the the northwest generally for years, of innocent persons being victimized by cruisers who have been showing them one tract and assisting them to file and prove up on ground that is practically worthless and without a tree of my kind. an aillance which should be not absorp getting stung for \$200 or \$300.

Burke and Stafford are charged with knowingly and wilfully having assisted in making and procuring the making of false and fraudulent affidavits and declarations in connection with timber.

Lufted Evangelical church sand took with the United Brethren church, and stood heart and soul for organic union.

Rev. Mr. Demz of the German Evangelican church and Dr. Culver of the factors along the special or spoke highly of

Bishop Bell spoke most heartily in

to win this western coast for Jesus Christ" Rev. H. C. Shaffer, who came from eastern Oregon to attend, arrived in time to say that it is the desire of his heart to see the consummation of to win this western Christ." Rev. H. C. S.

the same offense as that of his partner, for whom he had gone in search and to assist in his predicament.

Christ Oison is the complainant against Stafford. It is claimed that he went before Algernon E. Dresser, receiver of the United States land office in Portland and subscribed and swore falsely in carrying out his plans to locate Oison on a certain claim. Oscar Johnson, H. B. Connors. Tract Newman, A. S. Dresser and G. I. Nelson are named as witnesses against Stafford. The complaint against Burke is practically the same.

The men, if held by the commissioners, will have to await the action of the next federal grand jury before being tried. the advisability of continuing this of fice. Some were in favor of dispensing

timber east of Oregon City and that glee club, short addresses and club the land really filed on was miles and miles away. Burke and Stafford, the government claims, got about \$200 from each person.

Valuable Ledge Running Through Three Farms Is Discovered.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Oregon City, July 4. - Two gold strikes have been made near here. A. Miller, who lives on the side of the hill half a mile north of Willamette struck a ledge of rich gold-bearing quartz a few days ago, and three sam ples were sent for assays. The report \$124 and \$140 in gold to the ton. Mr. Miller was digging a well on his property, and at a depth of 15 feet struck the ledge:

Tribunal.

The test case to try out the constitutionality of the act authorizing the Port of Portland to issue \$500,000 in bonds for establishing a tugboat and pilot service from Portland to the sea is now ready to be carried to the surpreme court. Presiding Judge Gantenbein in the circuit court yesterday afternoon sustained the demutter to the compilaint of Sylvester Farrell, in whose name the test case was begun.

There was no argument of the maiter in the circuit court. It was practically His discovery also caused G. F. An-

## SCORCHED BY FLAMES, SAVES BURNING HOUSE

C. H. Dauchy, Victim of Powder Explosion, Fights for Safety of His Home.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

POLICE FORCE LAYS

CLAIM TO HUMORIST

While the civil service commission of the requirements of a policeman, yet the police force can boast of its humorists nevertheless. One of these is Officer S. B. Vessey, of the second night relief, whose latest venture into the troublous sea of fun is as follows.

Tarrested Tum Roney, charged with vigrancy, at 4.5% a.m. it found him at North Eighth and couch the park block, shoping comfortably furled up around the rewist of a fiscebush, somewhat in the manner of a grub-worm. He was very indigment at being aroused, which is more adapted to rork work than that is more adapted to rork work than that of a florist, the last remark being a delicate him to the new police judge to

QUARTER BLOCK SOLD AT VERY GOOD FIGURE

R. Jacobsen, a Portland capitalist, has purchased the Hood hotel property at the northeast corner of Sixth and Everett streets. from A. H. Hirrell, Judge E. C. Bronaugh and William Mac-Master for \$55,000. The property comprises a quarter block occupied by a \$0 by 100 foot three story brick building.

ers Lined Up in a San Francisco Saloon.

(United Press Lessed Wire.) San Francisco, July 4.—The police and detective force is today searching

for two thugs who last night held up six men in a saloon at Gough and Feil treets at the point of revolvers and secured over \$1,000. The men made their escape through a fusilade of revolver

slicts.

Join Harding, the bartender at the place, was the first to see the robbers and reached behind the counter for his gun. The thugs were too quick for him and had him with his hands above his head in a second. Five other men who were in the place at the time were lined against the bar and forced to give ever their money and valuables. The robbers then made their escape.

Harding blew a police whistle as soon as the robbers were outside the door and tiree policemen responded. They give chase, but the robbers eluded and three policemen responded. They

## SKIPPED IN AND THEN SKIPPED OUT

Clad only in his underwear and a lanket a man dropped from the rods f Southern Pacific train No. 14 when

of Southern Pacific train No. 14 when she reached the depot last night, and keeping always in the shadows sneaked away through the terminal yards.

The hobo in dishabilie was seen by A. Myers, an employs of the Northern Pacific Terminal company, who reported the case to Patrolman Bigelow. The policeman hunted high and low for the lightly dressed traveler, but in vain. The man had used a "ticket" the board placed across the rods beneath a coach so popular with discriminating gentlemen of the free highway. Chehalis Pioneer Dead.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Chehalis, Wash., July 4.—George L.
Foung, aged 55 years, a pioneer resitent of Lewis county, died suddenly at
this home in Chehalis at an early hour

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