

The Daily Astorian. ASTORIA, OREGON: SUNDAY, JANUARY 16, 1887 FOREIGN IMMIGRATION.

THE aggregate European emigration to the United States for the year ending December 31, 1886, does not show any marked increase or decrease as compared with 1885.

The continental emigration, which usually constitutes one-half of the total, has decreased fully 25 per cent. during 1886, as compared with 1885.

The immediate decline will be found in the low ocean emigrant rates which prevailed during the greater part of 1885, when the net emigrant rates between German and American ports were as low as \$6, and at the same time, the emigrant rates from New York to Chicago were only \$1, and to all points beyond, on the basis of \$1 from New York to Chicago.

During 1886, the emigrant ocean rates from German ports have ruled on an average of \$20, and the emigrant railroad fares from New York to Chicago at \$13, making the combined ocean and inland fares to or from Bremen and Hamburg to Chicago, fully four times as high as in 1885.

The low ocean and inland emigrant rates of 1885 stimulated continental emigration to an extent which was checked when ocean emigrant rates and American inland fares were restored to the ordinary minimum rates.

As a large percentage of emigrants from the continent are journeymen, mechanics and laborers, who are members of and affiliate with labor unions and labor organizations at home, it is fair to presume that a large number of these have been induced to postpone emigration on account of the strikes and labor troubles in America; and this cause has, no doubt, aided materially in the decline of German emigration.

The arrival of Russian emigrants has increased from 12,000 in 1884—16,000 in 1885 to 22,000 in 1886.

A large majority of the Russian emigrants are experienced farmers, for whom the large cities have no temptation and whose sole purpose in emigrating to the United States is to secure a homestead, and very naturally they proceed to their proposed destination in the west.

The English, Irish and Scotch emigration for 1886 will not vary materially from 100,000 in round numbers against 109,000 for 1885—of this England and Ireland contribute 45 per cent. each and Scotland ten per cent.

There arrived in the United States during 1882, Scandinavian emigrants as follows: Swedes, 64,000, Norwegians, 29,000, Danes, 11,000, total, 104,000. Since 1882 this emigration has steadily diminished until 1885, when the total from the three Scandinavian countries reached only 40,000. The past year, however, there was an increase of 15,000 over 1885, and the present outlook is that Scandinavian emigration will continue to increase during 1887, and it would not be surprising to see the figure reach 75,000. Whether the increase be continued beyond 1887, depends entirely on times in the northwest, the destination of the largest share of Scandinavian emigration, as well as the conditions in Sweden, Norway and Denmark. The great northwest looks to Scandinavia for a large quota of foreign emigration.

Pacific Coast Senators.

The east rarely removes the beam from its eye when it is considering the affairs of the far west. It tends to view matters from a lofty elevation of virtue and civilization. It adopts the same tone towards us, which the English press used to assume with reference to the United States. It exaggerates all our faults, while at the same time it is wholly oblivious of its own shortcomings. When the past is called up for review the Pacific states, comparatively young as they are, need dread no comparison between the statesmen whom they have sent to the national councils with the general run of the like functionaries at the east. The

roll of California senators can be called without much misgiving as to the result. Fremont, Gwin, Weller, Latham, Broderick, McDougall, Sargent, Booth—and in later years Farley, Miller and Stanford—are entitled to rank with any of the public men of their period. Some of them, indeed, tower largely above the average senator. Nor has Oregon been at all behind hand. Nesmith, Williams and Corbett could hold their own with the foremost senators of their time. E. D. Baker, during his brief but meteoric senatorial career, was, as to oratory and the accomplishments which go to make up individual power, head and shoulders above his contemporaries. The state which now has as its representatives in the senate Mitchell and Dolph is not retrograding.—S. F. Bulletin.

Powderly's Nerves.

Grand Master Workman Powderly is not at all the ideal man of power. He is a bundle of nerves, and they stick out all over him. He is impulsive, and it doesn't take much to make him fly into a passion. He wouldn't kill a fly willingly, yet sometimes in fits of exasperation he dances about and talks like the blood-thirstiest of men. And it amuses his associates to hear him, for they know that he is as timid as a woman about firearms, and wouldn't know how to fire a pistol if he had one. So one day when something had gone wrong he jumped up and skipped about the room, shouting: "I wish I had a pistol. I would shoot the son of a gun." To which the stolid Daily replied: "You would not know whether a pistol was loaded from the handle or the muzzle, Terry." "Well, I'd like to blow him up all the same," Terry replied. "That you are perfectly capable of doing," said Bailey, "with your tongue." Half an hour later Terry had blown his man up, and the Knight didn't seem to know it, for he was smiling and chirping with Powderly as pleasantly as a clerk to a pretty customer.

Powderly despises whisky from principle, but he abhors tobacco from constitutional reasons. When the executive committee meet to talk with him they are very careful to take their quids from their mouths. The master workman's nostrils are as acute as a tobacco-hating wife's. Hayes uses no tobacco. But Bailey and Turner quit smoking when they saw how distasteful it was to Powderly. Barry, however, who has a good deal of obstinacy in his nature, simply compromised by leaving his cigar behind him when he met with Powderly. One day, however, he took an unlighted cigar into the room. Powderly was particularly nervous that day, and though up to his ears in exciting business, began pretty soon to sniff and frown and betray annoyance. "Aha, it is you!" he shrieked at last, getting up and dancing about the room. "But I ain't smoking it, Terry," said Barry. "I don't care. I'd just as soon see a man with a junk of brimstone in his mouth as one of those infernal things." Barry laughed and put the cigar away, out of the room.—New York Sun.

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