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STILL RUSHING FROM ASTORIA

News From Our Boys on the Anderson, and Condition of Unworthy Boats - Great Excitement Over New Discoveries.

"Klondike or Bust"

This is still the cry in Astoria, and despite the cautions sent out by the government, and the rather discouraging reports from those who are taking passage on condemned tubs, boats of Astoria are either going to the new Eldorado this fall or are preparing to sail in the spring.

DIFFICULTIES AT SKAGWAY

Packing in the Rain and the Trail Blocked - Many Hardships.

VESSLS LISTED FOR ALASKA

The following is a partial list of the craft bound from various ports for Alaska. Steamers - Queen, Topoka, Mexico, Al. Kl. Williams, Bristol, Islander, Texas, City of Seattle, Edith, Rosalie, Lakme, Eliza Anderson, George E. Burr, Detroit, Cleveland, George W. Elder, Thomas Dwyer, Eschler, Humboldt, Paragon, Progress, Eugene.

HURRAH FOR THE REGATTA CARNIVAL

It is a Victory for the Committee of Which to Be Proud.

THE PROGRAM AND PRIZES

Handsome Awards for Successful Contest - Plenty of Fun on Land and Water - Races, Parades, Music, Sports. It is victory! That is the cry of the committee! They are sure of the success of the regatta and carnival.

THE ASTORIAN

Marine International tug of war - \$40. Net-throwing contest - First, \$30; second, \$20.

AT NIGHT

Grand marine parade, at which a prize will be given for the best dressed and neatest appearing crew. Fireworks and other amusements.

AT NIGHT

Grand excursion by the Woodmen of the World. Launching of the Manzanita. Grand clam bake.

SOCIALISTS ON CANOVAH

London, August 11.-The executive council of the Social Democratic Federation has passed a resolution that the death of Canova del Castillo, the Spanish premier, "at the hands of a self-styled patriot" was a righteous retribution for his cruel persecution and torture of the Spanish holding advanced opinions.

INDIANA CONGRESSMAN

Indianapolis, August 11.-The majority of Griffith, democrat, over Lee, republican, at the special election for congressman in the Fourth Indiana District, held yesterday, is 1522. Halman's majority last November was 825. The populists had no candidate against Holman, but M. Browder was their candidate this year. He received about 600 votes.

ENGINEER KILLED

Marysville, Cal., August 11.-In a collision between a passenger and a freight train in the yards this afternoon, Engineer William Geary was killed.

SISTER OF CHARITY ARRESTED

New York, August 11.-A Gerry's society agent, charged the arrest today of a sister of charity, Maria Rosa, of Newark, N. J., for begging on the street.

THE RICHES INCREASE

Wonderful Reports From Dawson City Just Received. Tacoma, August 11.-B. L. Laughlin writes from Dawson, Alaska, under date of June 15th, that 50-foot claims on two creeks are selling at prices ranging from \$10,000 to \$150,000 each. There are about 150 claims that are good on these two creeks. An acquaintance bought a claim in February for \$450,000 on the installment plan and was to make the last payment July 1st, but did not need so much time. He has 80 feet of ground left and a surplus of \$15,000. Times will be quiet here until about October 1st, when there will be work for 4,000 or 5,000 men. It is estimated that the output is about \$2,500,000 to date, and will probably

FROM TRULLINGER

Seattle, August 5, 1897. Special Sam (Harris): As you seemed to be very much interested in the Eliza's expedition, I thought it nothing more than right to let you know what kind of an outfit we had. The stern-wheel steamer W. K. Merwin and the schooner Bryant, towed by the tug Holyoke, is to accompany the Eliza Anderson, so if Eliza refuses duty we can get on board one of the other boats. The only trouble then will be in getting up the Yukon river, as we are late in starting. I was up to the lodge room last night. The meeting was small, as half the members have gone to Alaska. We will sail on Monday, if they can get the old hulks ready. Baker and Kintney and my other partner, Peterson, arrived this evening. GRANT TRULLINGER. Seattle, August 5, 1897. Friend Harry (Phillips): We are off in a launch tomorrow afternoon, if nothing happens to delay us. Our freight goes in the Polikofsky instead of the W. K. Merwin. The above mentioned boat if that's what you meant is a little aged, but bargains are not chosen, and we will have to stand it. The forecast boat was sold by the Russian government to the United States at the same time we bought Alaska, in 1867. We have a fine outfit. I don't think I suppose after all this that if I said that I was sorry that you were not going with us you would think it was a case of misery loving company. I am sorry, though Harry, for I think we are safe enough, and I also have great hopes of doing some good for myself. GRANT TRULLINGER.

WAIT TILL SPRING

Portland, Or., August 11.-A letter from John U. Smith, United States commissioner at Dyea, advises all persons to wait until next spring before going to the gold fields of Klondike. He says they should be at Dyea about February 1st. There is now such a congestion at Dyea that many will not get over the pass this fall.

EUGENE WILL SAIL AUGUST 20

Portland, Or., August 11.-Owing to a change of plan, the stern-wheel steamer Eugene will leave this city August 20 for the Alaskan gold fields. The vessel will be towed from Astoria to Victoria, where she will be taken in charge by the steamer Bristol, which is scheduled to sail August 23. Arriving at St. Michaels, the Eugene's passengers and freight will be transferred to the Eugene, which will convey them up the Yukon to Dawson City, where place will be reached about September 11.

IMMIGRATION INCREASING

The Smallest Number of Arrivals Since the Government Took Charge. Washington, August 11.-The tide of immigration is at the lowest point since the general government assumed jurisdiction of the subject in 1882. The number of arrivals from all countries, according to the treasury statistics, during the last fiscal year, was 23,832, a decrease as compared with the previous year of 112,435. The lightest immigration of any previous year was in 1885, when the number from all countries was 278,548. The year of the heaviest immigration was the first of the period beginning with 1882, when the arrivals numbered 78,902. During the entire period of federal supervision, 7,422,016 have entered the United States. The arrivals of Russian Jews for the past year numbered 22,750 as against 65,137 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1896. Italy furnished the greatest number of immigrants, 54,543, a decrease of 8,029 from last year.

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