

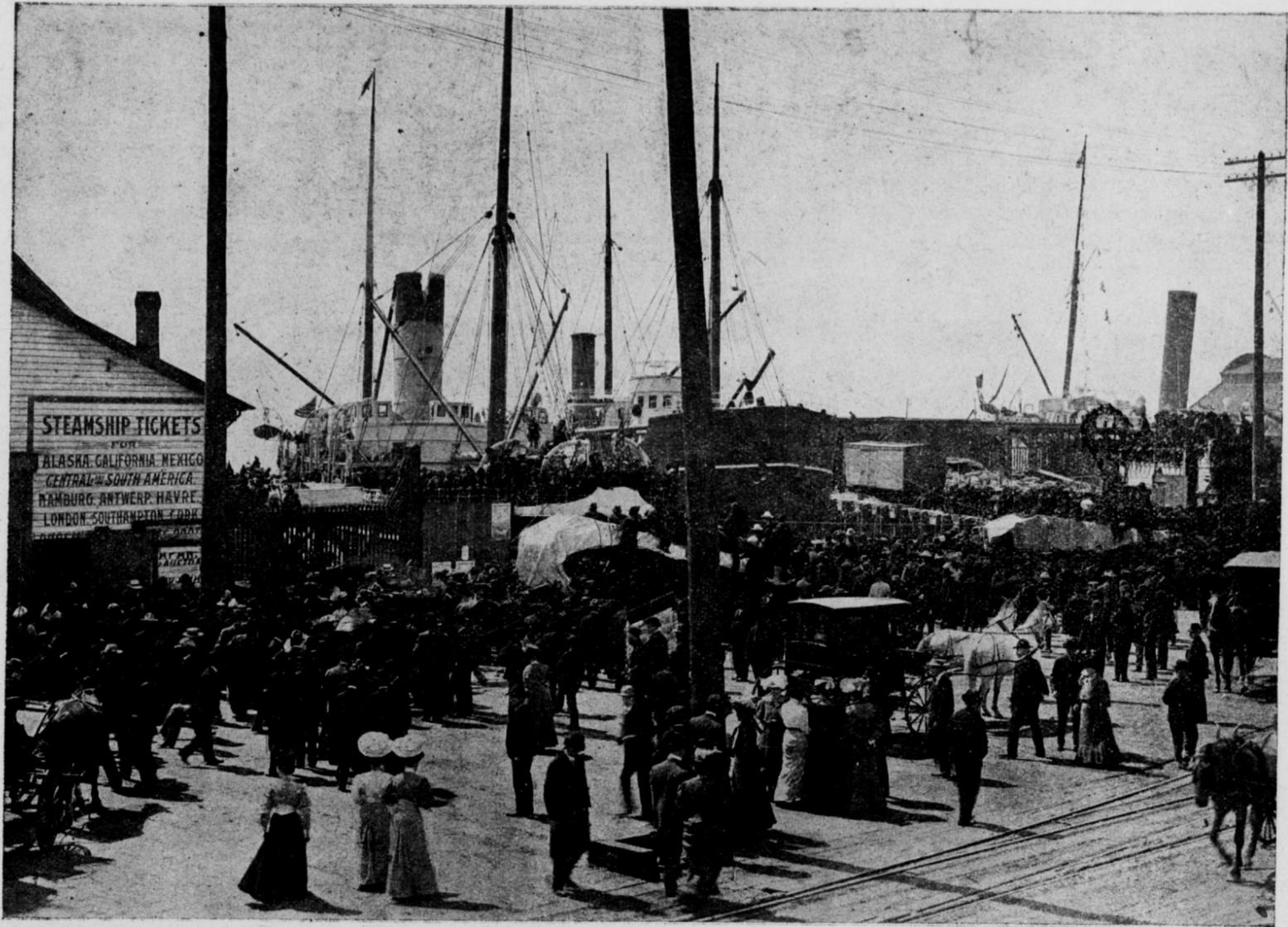
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The scenes depicted in these two views are characteristic scenes upon the Seattle waterfront and on Western Avenue at the present time. Seattle is the greatest seaport on the Pacific side of the country and will ever remain so. Her ships carry immense cargoes to every country within

sailing reach. In the upper view are shown two of the steamers leaving for Alaska with large cargoes of farm produce, this produce passing through the hands of the dealers whose teams and wagons are shown in the lower view. This is a busy time on the Seattle waterfront owing to the departure of many vessels for Alaska, and these

activities will continue throughout the summer, being accentuated in June by the departure of many vessels for Nome. Seattle herself consumes great quantities of the produce and fruits raised in the many sections in close proximity to her doors and the lower picture shows a section of Western Avenue, the great produce market.