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Matanuska Failure Seen by Workers

SEATTLE, Oct. 22.—(P)—Spokesmen among 223 California transient workers back from the Matanuska project in Alaska insisted today it had little chance of success. They arrived on the Yukon Sunday night.

Ed Moore, formerly of Kansas City, a carpenter, said that grain grown in the valley would not cure.

"They've got the best wheat and rye in the world," he said, "but they have to put it in racks to cure it."

"I know, for I was born and raised on a farm," he said.

Jack M. Frazier said there were **"only five farmers out of 200"** in the colony. **"The rest are chiselers,"** he added. **"There isn't one that'll help themselves."**