

STEEL SELECTED

Coal Bunkers Will Be Located on Malarkey Property.

FUNDS MUST BE PROVIDED

Coaling Equipment Bonds Coming Before Voters at Next General Election—Grain Elevator Will Be Ready for 1918 Crop.

Locating proposed coal bunkers to be operated by the Port of Portland Commission on a portion of the Malarkey-Ogden-Catterall property...

No Funds Available. One feature of the grain elevator property will be the trackage connections...

Temporarily the Port cannot proceed with the coaling equipment, though authorized by the last Legislature...

No Profit Contemplated. The Commission of Public Docks fully expects to have the elevator available for the 1918 grain crop...

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SECOND DREDGE WILL WORK. Two More Diggers to Be Put on by Port to Clear Away Sediment.

Regarding the Summer and Fall channel maintenance campaign equally important as the dredging work...

KLAMATH TAKES GOOD LIST. Two Liners Overhauling Increases Patronage for Others.

Captain Cullen took a larger number of passengers on the Malarkey-Cornick steamer Klamath yesterday than for several trips.

SWELLS SWAMP PONTOONS. Dredge Work Stops Three Hours Because Steamer Speeds.

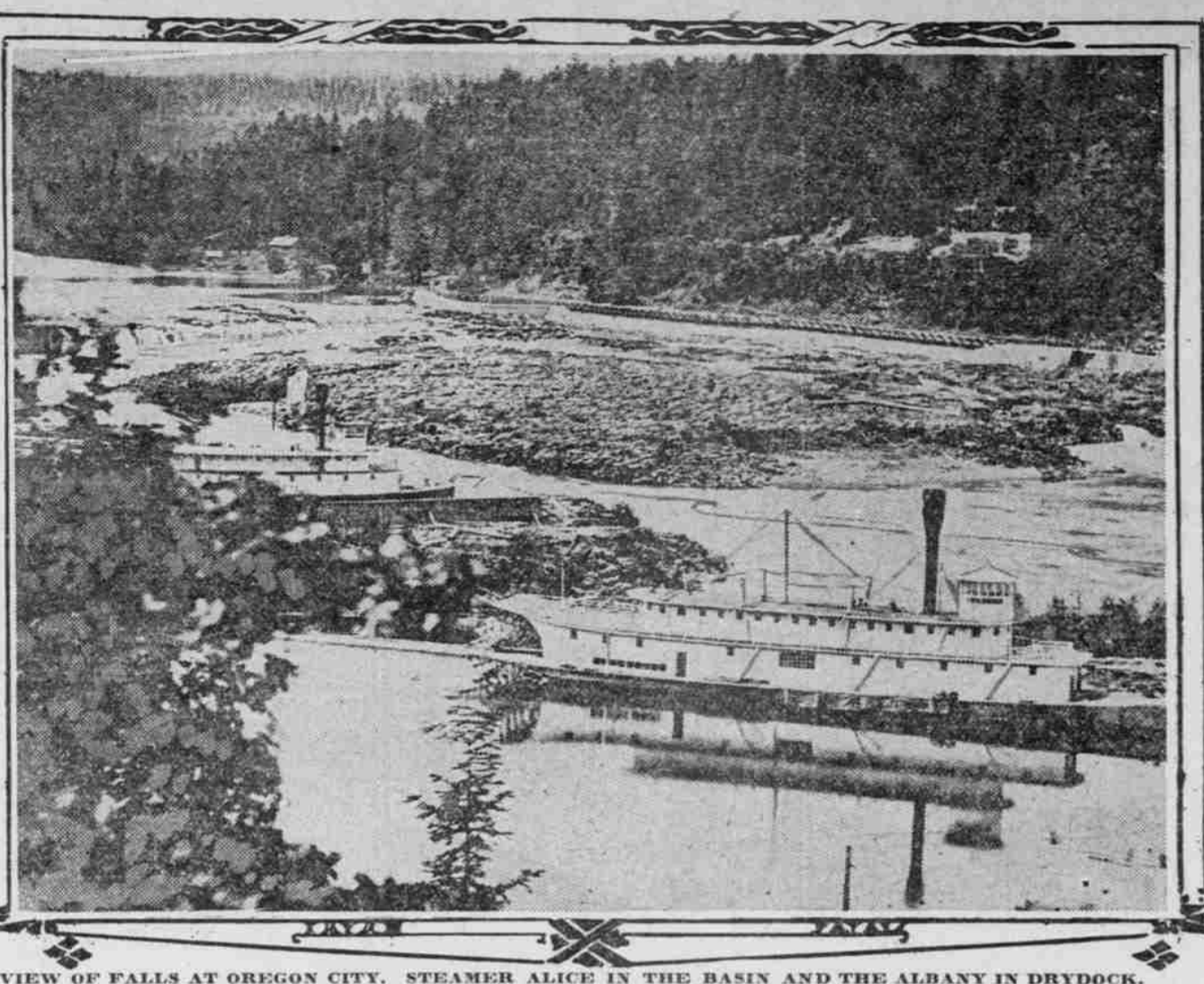
Wash from passing steamers can be cleaned several pontoons supporting the pipeline of the dredge Tualatin...

TAX LIMIT HINDERS PORT. Filling for Shipbuilding Yards Proves Expensive.

Governed by the 6 per cent tax limitation, the Port of Portland may face a shortage before the next session...

The Commission has adhered to a policy of depositing 120,000 cubic yards of material free to Portland shipbuilding plants...

EDWIN T. HATCH'S OLD PHOTOGRAPH OF PIONEER RIVER BOATS.



VIEW OF FALLS AT OREGON CITY, STEAMER ALICE IN THE BASIN AND THE ALBANY IN DRYDOCK.

OLD DAYS RECALLED

Early Steamers on Willamette River Described.

GREAT FLOOD WAS IN 1861

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"A recent article in the Oregonian awakened memories of early steamboats on the Columbia and Willamette rivers," said Mr. Hatch.

"During the flood of 1861 I saw the St. Clair run down over the falls, which were only a rapids at high water."

"Below the falls the Alert and the Echo, Success and Dayton; then the Active, an opposition boat, and the Reliance."

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SHIP LAUNCHED AT OLYMPIA

Wergeland Largest Wooden Craft Constructed on Puget Sound.

OLYMPIA, Wash., July 28.—(Special.)—The Wergeland was launched here last Saturday night, at 8:30 o'clock shortly after high tide...

Everything was in readiness for the launching by 7 o'clock, except some braces that had to be sawed away.

The crowd began to gather by 6 o'clock and before 7:30 there were several thousand present.

The Wergeland is 230 feet long and is said to be the largest boat of wooden construction ever launched in Puget Sound.

Following the launching, a banquet for 200 was given in Hotel Mitchell.

Changes in aids to navigation in the Seventeenth Lighthouse District are set forth in the latest publication issued by the Bureau of Lighthouses...

Columbia River—Walker Island to Martin Island Lightships: solar changed to red 20 candlepower, July 1, without other changes.

SNAKE SURVEY SURE

Canalization Project to Be Given Consideration.

ASOTIN IS OBJECTIVE POINT. Colonel Zinn Confirms Report Regarding Work and Proposal for \$1,000,000 Harbor Outlay by Boston Capitalists Revived.

LEWISTON, Idaho, July 28.—(Special.)—Colonel George H. Zinn, United States Engineer, in charge of river and harbor improvement of the Columbia and Snake rivers...

There is a feeling along the river that if a Pacific Coast man was empowered to act independently, except in the most important matters...

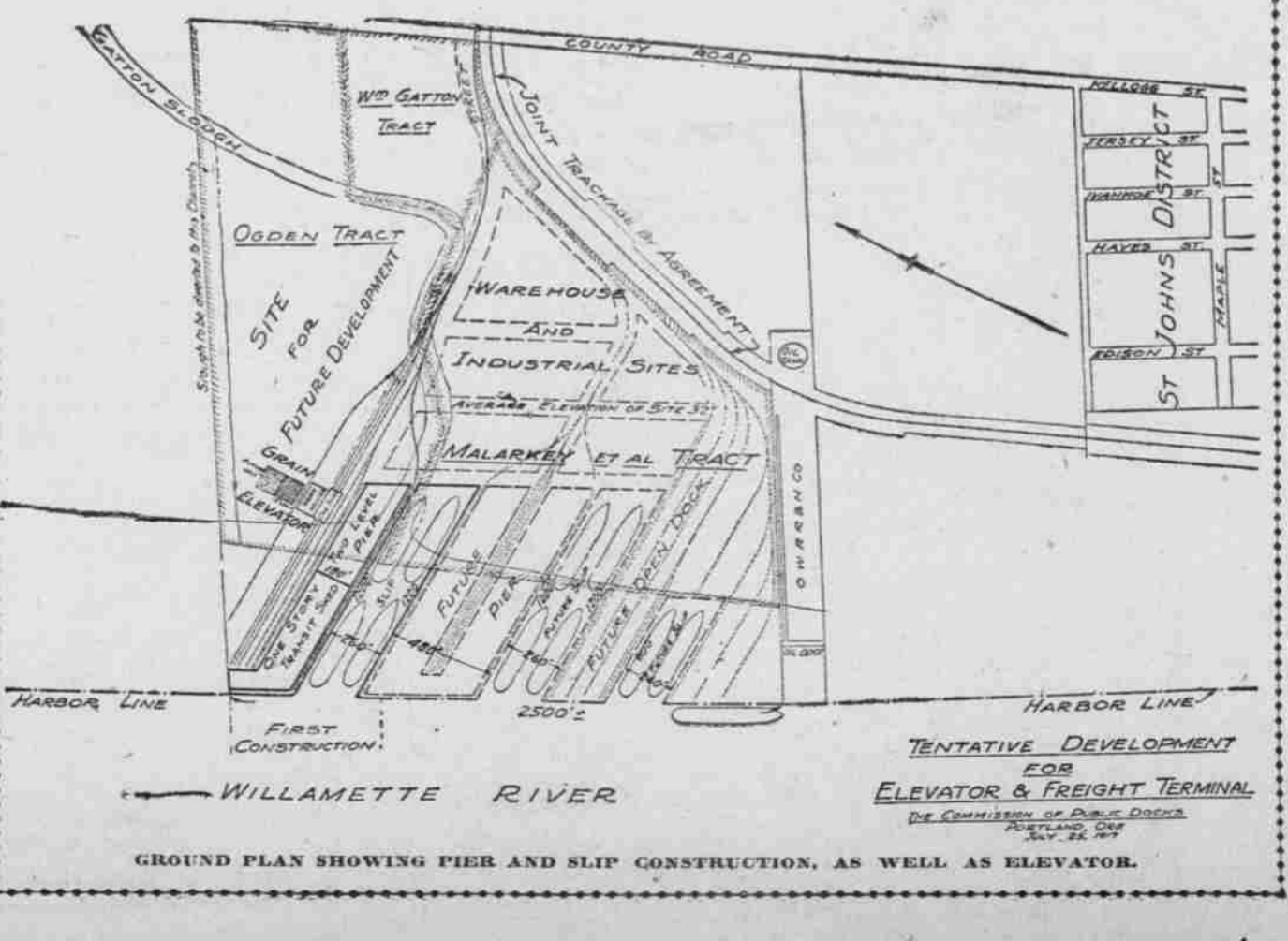
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PORTLAND'S BIG GRAIN ELEVATOR AND PROPOSED WATER TERMINAL FACILITIES TO BE LOCATED ON THREE TRACTS TAKEN AT ST. JOHNS.



CHANGES PLEASING

Shipbuilders Expect Award of New Contracts Soon.

RED TAPE STILL HAMPERERS

Pacific Coast Yard Owners Will Suggest That Power Be Given Local Representative to Decide Minor Issues.

Since the reorganization of the United States Shipping Board and the Emergency Fleet Corporation were announced last week it is said no additional contracts have been closed...

Shipbuilders feel that with a practical and highly experienced man at the head of the shipbuilding construction programme, such as Rear-Admiral Capps has been proved, there will be changes in the general organization...

Ship Material Has Preference. Portland lumber mills are giving shipbuilding material preference over all business.

Red Tape is Disliked. It is said by builders that questions arising here must be sent to Captain Blaine, are then conveyed to Captain Sanborn, Coast representative at San Francisco...

Marine Notes. Delay experienced by a deepwater vessel yesterday in shifting from lack of towboats, as all sternwheelers engaged in the work are in demand for log towing...

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as well as 310 passengers and 25,000 cases of salmon, the latter from Herndon Bay and Cordova. Captain O'Brien reports that the Berling Sea cannery is about to close down owing to lack of fish...

Movements of Vessels. PORTLAND, July 28.—Sailed—Steamers Arzyl, for San Francisco; Klamath, for San Pedro.

ASTORIA, July 28.—Arrived down during the night, last night for San Francisco. Arrived at 10:10 and left up at 11:30 A. M. steamer Ryder Hanify, from San Pedro.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 28.—Returned to port, steamer Daley, with engine trouble. Sailed at 10 A. M., tug Onestita, for the Columbia River; at 11 A. M., steamer North.

PORTLAND BOY WINS PROMOTION IN UNCLE SAM'S SERVICE.

W. L. Sharp. Formerly a Portland boy, W. L. Sharp, a Portland boy, with Company E, Eighteenth Engineers, stationed at American Lake, Wash., has been promoted to the position of Second Lieutenant.

RIDDLE MEN JOIN FOURTH COMPANY. RIDDLE, Or., July 28.—(Special.)—The following members of the Fourth Company, Coast Artillery, from Riddle have been summoned to Roseburg for mobilization.

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ASTORIA, Or., July 28.—(Special.)—Lieutenant Harold C. Jones, commanding the Oregon Naval Militia, and assistant surgeon George B. Storey arrived in the city this morning and immediately began the examination of those who have enlisted in the Fourth Division of Naval Militia.

SHIPBUILDING SITE WANTED. Company now organizing wants to hear from property located towns that can offer some inducements in way of free site, etc.



What's Wrong With the Light?

This is a very frequent inquiry from some member of the family. Very often this indicates a need for glasses, or the ones being worn are not correct.

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Smelter Men to Work 8 Hours. TACOMA, Wash., July 28.—(Special.)—All departments of the Tacoma Smelter will go on an eight-hour day August 1.

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