

EARLY SERVICE DUE

North Beach Run Will Start June 1 With "Hassalo."

VESSEL IS OVERHAULED

Harriman Fleet to Begin Trips Month Ahead of Usual Season.

Plans being formulated by the Harriman system will give North Beach habitues service between Portland and Megler June 1, a month earlier than usual.

The latest concerning the Hassalo, which has been overhauled and renovated at a cost approximating \$20,000, is that she will make her initial trip of the season Tuesday evening.

O. W. R. & N. officials deny that there is a better appearing steamer on the river today than the Hassalo, for while her lines have not been altered as to the hull or nose, she has been repainted in white with the red water line gone over and all exterior parts given a fresh coat that makes her look as if new.

It has been learned that the steamer Rose City could not be chartered by the Elks for special excursion to Willapa river, the San Francisco & Portland fleet officials having held that it was impossible to release the vessel for that period without the schedule being sadly interfered with.

ORFORD REEF TO BE MARKED

Twin Rocks Will Be Established During Present Month.

Concerning the establishment of an aid to navigation at Orford Reef the following notice has been issued from the office of Henry L. Beck, inspector of the Seventeenth Lighthouse district, also a light to be established in the north as follows:

VALLEY TOWNS TO GET SERVICE

When New Steamer Grahama Is Finished, River Points Benefited.

ALBANY, Or., May 10.—(Special.)—With the completion on August 15 of the new steamer Grahama of the Oregon City Transportation Company, now under construction at Portland, Albany, Corvallis and other upper river points again will be given daily boat service to Portland.

AINSWORTH DOCK WHITENED

Harriman Line to Beautify in Advance of Summer Festivities.

Entering into the spirit of the Rose Festival and Elks' convention enthusiasm, the San Francisco & Portland Steamship Company has ordered that Ainsworth dock be whitewashed.

MELVILLE'S WINDOWS SWELL

Tug Has Heavy Plate Glass That Protects Forward House.

DETAILLE GETS HIGH RATE

But Option on Loading Hoche Is Somewhat Stiffer.

RECORD BUSINESS IN IRON

Buying by Railroads Continues Heavy—Footwear Shows Improvement and Hides and Leather Are Advancing.

STEAMER INTELLIGENCE table with columns for Name, Due to Arrive, Date, and From.

the outlook is of the most promising and that the crop will exceed that of last year, which was conservatively estimated at \$6,000,000 bushels.

THIRD MATE TESTS ON MAY 25

Government to Hold Examination to Obtain Seaman.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that a noneducational examination will be held May 25, to secure eligibles for which selection will be made to fill a vacancy in the position of third mate at a salary of \$80 per month, on the United States dredge Chinoak, at Astoria.

Weir Liners Quit Service.

In the latest list of vessel movements issued by the Waterhouse line but one of the first steamers chartered from Andrew Weir & Co. is yet shown in the fleet, the steamer Luceric, which reached Yokohama, May 2, from Portland and Puget Sound and after delivering her cargo at the usual ports will go into other trades.

Movements of Vessels.

PORTLAND, May 10.—Arrived—Steamer Graywood, from San Francisco; steamer Daisy Freeman, from San Francisco, sailed at 10:30 P. M. for Astoria.

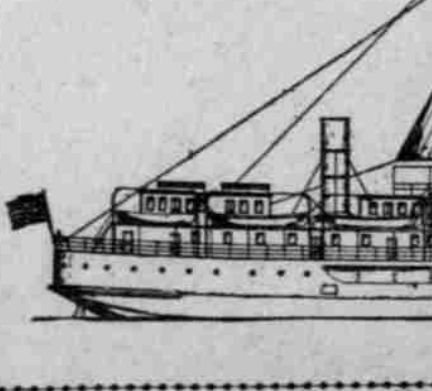
San Francisco Produce Market.

Prices Quoted at the Bay City for Vegetables, Fruits, Etc.

Tides at Astoria Saturday.

Spent Sunday Made the Fragrant apple blossoms of Hood River Valley.

VESSEL BEING BUILT FOR TRADE OUT OF ABERDEEN.



EXCEEDS YEAR AGO

Trade Movement Is on Larger Scale.

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NEW YORK, May 10.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will say: The movement of trade continues on a larger scale than last year and the current statistics by which business activity is measured, are still favorable.

Continued heavy buying by the railroads is noted and prices of steel are making southern foundry iron show increased strength.

INDUSTRIAL SITUATION IS GOOD

Labor Is Scarce in Many Producing Districts.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say: Trade reports portray the existence of irregular conditions and business on the whole in all branches of industry.

Business failures in Canada for the week number 25, which compares with 20 last week and 24 in the like week of last year.

Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Bradstreet's bank clearings report for the week ending May 9 shows an aggregate \$1,467,816,000, as against \$2,577,311,000 for the corresponding week last year.

Table of bank clearings for various cities including New York, Chicago, Boston, Philadelphia, etc.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Evaporated apples unchanged; fancy are quoted at 10¢ to 10 1/2¢.

SAVANNAH, Ga., May 10.—Turpentine, firm, 40 1/2¢; sales, 1521; receipts, 2601.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Cotton futures closed easy 3 to 15 points lower.

High School Orators to Meet.

BOSTON, May 10.—The Commercial Bu-

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TO CHICAGO

And All Points East

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