

Amateur Operators Are Investigated by Government.

CLOSING IS THREATENED

Charge Is Made That Owners of Some Private Plants Interfere With Marine Distress Calls and Commercial Affairs, Too.

Interference by operators of amateur wireless stations when ships in distress have called for assistance, also when important Government and commercial messages are being sent, has prompted the Federal authorities to place a ban on such practices through the enforcement of the wireless law, which carries with heavy penalties.

Mr. Desart yesterday visited the plant of the Northwestern Electric Company, Alhambra avenue and Irving, that C. O. A. C. Co., 421 E. 6th, 531 East Salmon street, G. M. Schwartz, 1234 East Sixteenth street, and J. R. Kelly, at 1051 G. street.

Three Steamers to Operate From Ridgefield for Rose Festival.

THREE NEW LINERS NAMED

American-Hawaiian Will Be 28 Canal Vessels in Service Soon.

Jetty Rock to Cost Less

Columbia Contract Company Lowers Price 10 Cents a Ton.

FIRST SHIP AT NEW DOCK

Kenon Maru Discharges Sulphur and Will Load Lumber Outward.

17 GARDENS WIN PRIZES

Judging in Vancouver School Contest Is Completed.

LOG BLAMED FOR ACCIDENT

Upsetting of Craft Costing Four Lives Laid to Hidden Timber.

CHANNEL TO BE CLEAR

GILNETTERS AGREE ON PASSAGE FROM FORT STEVENS.

Fishermen Will Be Ready to Pick Up Nets Quickly When Boats Whistle Warning.

ASTORIA, Or., June 7.—(Special).—"The channel clear for the passage of steamers for a space of 600 feet in width, north and west of the buoys, from Fort Stevens to the anchorage, will be kept clear of the channel-end of the nets, so they can pick up quickly, when necessary, and the pilots are authorized to give warning of their approach by blowing long blasts of their whistles."

SHIP LOST IN ICE IS SINTRAM Unalga Arrives From Bering Sea With One Survivor.

SEWARD, Alaska, June 7.—It was the American ship Sintram, of San Francisco, that was totally wrecked on Nakek, Bristol Bay, May 10, and not the Centaur, as reported by the mail boat.

SPECIAL SERVICE INAUGURATED

Marine Notes.

Government offices at the Custom-House building are expected to be closed Friday, because of Governor McCall's proclamation that he has declared a holiday on account of the Rose Festival.

United States Inspectors Edwards and Fuller yesterday inspected the inspection of the steamer Geo. W. Elder, which inspected the steamer Ruth and will test the boiler of the new Government dredge Monday.

Finishing cargo ready for her at Montgomery dock yesterday afternoon the British steamer Epsom hailed the company, Portland agent of the ship, Dock No. 1, and says that the Nevada has made excellent time in landing her load.

One of the range lights shipped from the East Coast for the south channel at the mouth of the Columbia was aboard the American-Hawaiian liner Pennsylvania, which caught fire after leaving Balboa, and was delivered here damaged.

Two members of the crew of the Japanese steamer Kenkon Maru jumped overboard after being rescued from the Coffin Sunday night and are thought to have successfully made their way ashore.

C. B. Welcker, of the Pacific Export Lumber Company, has returned from the Far East after a trip of nine months, during which he visited Manila and says that conditions generally are quiet though there is a demand for lumber in China, but sufficient tonnage is not available.

Vanouever, Wash., June 7.—(Special).—Floyd Swan, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Swan, of Vancouver, tonight won the first prize for best individual school garden this year.

News From Oregon Ports.

WAGE CONFERENCE HELD

SHIPPING MEN AND LONGSHOREMEN MEETING AT SEATTLE.

Increase Sought at All Ports on Coast and Installation of Safety Appliances Demanded.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 7.—Representatives of the International Longshoremen's Association and leading shipping men of the Coast are in conference here over the workmen's demand for a uniform and higher wage scale on the whole Coast, and installation of safety appliances for handling cargoes.

NEWPORT, Or., June 7.—(Special).—The schooner Mirene, Captain Castagna, master attempting to make record for round-trip from Newport to San Francisco this morning. After discharging cargo, she cleared for Waldport, Alsea bay, where she finished discharging, loaded and cleared for Seaside.

PHOTOGRAPHS ARE REQUIRED TO CURB POSSIBLE FRAUD.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 7.—Operation of the longshoremen's conference to meet again tomorrow. Both the steamship men and the longshoremen's representatives said the meeting was devoted entirely to a discussion of shipping conditions and that no action was taken.

Farmer Is Shot to Death

DAILY CITY STATISTICS

Rheumatism? Here Are Some Real Facts

How to Overcome the Torture Without Harmful Drugs.

CLASSIFIED AD. RATES

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MORTGAGE LOANS

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RECREATION PARK SALT LAKE CITY VS. PORTLAND

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