

LOADING TO BE FAST

4,500,000-Foot Cargo of Lumber to Be Placed in Week.

BIG SHIP NOW AT MILL

Somedono Maru Ready for Her Great Shipment for Shanghai and Work of Putting Cargo in Hold Is to Be Speeded Up.

Although not given to boasting ordinarily as to speed and general manner in which lumber is handled at Portland and along the river, millmen assert that it is one class of cargo, at least, in which no "pointers" can be distributed by their brethren on Puget Sound in the case of the cargo of 4,500,000 feet to be worked aboard the Japanese steamer Somedono Maru, which arrived yesterday morning and is to be a graphic illustration.

PALOMA ON UPRIVER ROUTE

Steamer Replaces Tahoma, Which Is Wrecked on Rock.

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 20.—(Special.)—The steamer Paloma, of Portland, has been put on the Columbia River run between Portland and upriver to replace the steamer Tahoma, which was wrecked on the Dalles City rock.

LAUNCHING OFFICIALLY SET

Vessel for Cunard Fleet Takes Water at Northwest Yard March 31.

Invitation lists are being compiled for the launching of the first \$800-ton freighter by the Northwest Steel Company, which is to be launched at the yard at the close of 1916, and the pioneer will take the water the last day of the month, March 31.

HOQUIAM LAUNCHING IS SET

Motorship for W. R. Grace & Co. to Take to Water Thursday.

HOQUIAM, Wash., March 20.—The motorship Santa Elena will be launched at the Matthews yard in this city shortly after noon Thursday. Work of completing her upper works will be rushed and she will leave for the coast on Friday.

ENGINE ORDERS YEAR AHEAD

Factory Makes Known That Delivery on Accepted Business Comes First.

Reasons for the Fairbanks-Morse interests having withdrawn quotations on semi-Diesels engines of 150 and 200-horsepower, as reported here last week, were explained yesterday in a communication from the main engine factory at Three Rivers, Mich., which stated that the sales now closed would be the output of the plant for more than a year.

SEVEN BIG CARRIERS ORDERED

Todd Plant in Tacoma Gets Contract for Six Cunarders.

TACOMA, Wash., March 20.—Six Cunard liners will be built by the Todd Shipbuilding Company in Tacoma. The big steamships will all be under construction at the same time and probably will be launched not later than a month ago.

Dredge Oregon Is Moved.

ABERDEEN, Wash., March 20.—(Special.)—The dredge Oregon has moved down to a point opposite the Grays Harbor townsite and will begin dredging the inner Grays Harbor channel about Thursday.

work, which includes the deepening of the inner harbor from Grays Harbor City to Cosmopolis. There is \$30,000 available to the Government fund for this work.

BUILDERS WILL BE HEARD

Commissioner Brent, of Shipping Board, Leaves Washington Today.

That shipbuilders of Portland and the entire river region will have an inning before a representative of the Federal Shipping Board, being their ability to build vessels wanted by the Government as well as to the durability and general excellence of Northwest material.

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3 NIGHTS TOMORROW

HOUSE OF GLASS

11th ST. PLAYHOUSE

MUTT and JEFF'S WEDDING

BAKER

ARIZONA

Opheum

HEILIG THEATRE 5555

PANTAGES

CLASSIFIED AD RATES

MEETING NOTICE

FRIENDSHIP LODGE NO. 2

WASHINGTON LODGE NO. 42

STATIONS

THE WEATHER

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Portland Business Bureau

This directory is for the information of the public to give as far as possible the different lines of business which the average person may find occasion to use.

ACCORDION PLAYING.

ASSAYERS AND ANALYSTS.

ATTORNEYS.

CAFFETERIAS.

CANCER.

CELLULOSE BUTTONS, BADGES.

CHIROPODIST.

CIRCULAR LETTERS.

COLLECTING AGENCY.

DANCING.

DR. McMAHON, Chiropractic Specialist.

EYE, EAR, NOSE, THROAT, LUNGS.

FIRE INSURANCE.

MESSANGER SERVICE.

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES.

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