

DRAGGERS BE BUSY Fleet of City Diggers All in Home Waters Again. WORK PLANNED FOR WINTER

Several Months' Work Will Be Necessary at St. Johns Terminal Project, Where City Grain Elevator Is to Be Built.

On the return of the 20-inch suction dredge, Willamette from Morgan's to the mouth of the Willamette River today the fleet of diggers maintained by the Port of Portland Commission will be in home waters.

The dredging will be undertaken there will be the main channel to the East Side harbor line, which will clear away all material in front of the site of the first new grain elevator.

Cost of Work to Be Divided. In the case of the work to be done by the Portland and Dock Commission...

STATE FAIR DRAWS BOARD Part of Dock Commission Represents City at Big Salem Show.

Portland day at the Oregon State Fair drew some members of the Commission of Public Docks to the capital city...

CONTRACTS WORTH \$500,000 Equipment Wanted by Government for New Wooden Ships Important.

Contracts the United States Shipping Board will allot for furnishing sea chests, sterns, wrenches and other castings for new wooden vessels building and which Portland firms expect to bid on...

MATES ON SCHOONERS RAISED Shipowners' Association Grants Advance to Men on Fore and After.

TELEPHONE UNION GROWS Operators Now Claim to Have Total Membership of 402.

At a meeting of the Telephone Operators' Union last night in the Soldiers' hall...

DREDGE IS AT VANCOUVER Site for Shipbuilding Plant and Factory to Be Filled In.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—The Dredge Oregon, which has been repaired in Portland, has arrived in Vancouver...

FIRST OFFICER IS LICENSED Robert Whidby, of Astoria, Passes Examination Before Inspectors.

HEILIG HULD FAST Nine German Counter-Attacks Are Hurdled Back.

NEW LINE CONSOLIDATED Australians Complete Conquest of Teuton Positions at Eastern Extremity of Polygon Wood Despite All Resistance.

BRITISH FRONT IN FRANCE AND BELGIUM, Sept. 27.—The British today continued to strengthen the line to which they backed the week before last.

Attacks Are Smashed. Consolidations had been completed by the British in a majority of the places, the Anzacs having finished their work on the ground which they won in well conducted operations that killed out the highest number of Germans.

Australians Aid Greatly. The details of Tuesday's hard fighting north of the Menin road, when the Germans made a fierce attack, indicate that the Anzacs also played a helpful part.

Movements of Vessels. ASTORIA, Or., Sept. 27.—(Special.)—The steamship "Uta" left for Seattle...

PRETTY GIRL ARRESTED HOUSE DETECTIVE OF MEIER & FRANK MAKES CHARGE. Marie E. Neplnsky, Age 23, Living at Hotel Portland, Spends Night in City Jail.

WHISKEY REPORTED SOLD. Edward Nelson, 384 Third street, was arrested last night by Patrolman Evans charged with violating the prohibition law.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS. SMITH-HOPKINS—Lloyd W. Smith, 27, 105 1/2 Third street.

STREETCAR SPEED BLAMED Coroner's Jury Gives Verdict on Death of Mrs. Marie Stier.

At a coroner's jury last night blamed the speed of a Hawthorne-avenue streetcar for the death of Mrs. Marie Stier, who died September 25 as the result of injuries sustained in a collision between an automobile and the streetcar at Glenn and Hawthorne avenues, September 25.

7 TONGMEN OUT ON BAIL Men Charged With Second Degree Murder Give \$2500 Each.

Seven Chinese, members of the Bow Leong tong, now under indictment charged with second degree murder, last night were released from the County Jail under \$2500 cash bail each, which was furnished by their attorney, J. M. Fitzgerald.

Cable Breaks; Logger Is Killed. C. Williams, a logger employed by

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