

S. W. ROESSLER FILES HIS REPORT

Retiring Engineer Makes Four Big Recommendations for Benefit of Portland.

NEED OREGON CITY LOCKS

Officer Strongly Urges Appropriation for Repairs and Operation of Dredge Chinook—Plan for Completion of Dalles Canal.

RECOMMENDATIONS MADE BY COLONEL S. W. ROESSLER IN HIS ANNUAL REPORT. Appropriation of \$200,000 for placing in commission and operating the dredge Chinook at the mouth of the Columbia River.

The annual report of Colonel S. W. Roessler, United States Engineer, completed yesterday afternoon and a copy forwarded to Washington. The turning over of the office to Major J. F. McIndoe marked the final official act of the engineer.

Chinook of Great Importance.

The recommendation of \$100,000 for repairs to the dredge Chinook and for the appropriation of an additional sum of \$100,000 for the operating expenses of the craft is considered of the utmost importance by all shipping men.

Survey of Bar.

The annual survey of the bar was made just prior to the close of the fiscal year and the surveyors' report shows a 35-foot channel, 2,000 feet in width, with a depth over the entire distance of 25 1/2 feet at dead low water.

Channel to Sea.

The second recommendation of importance to Portland was the one wherein a sum of \$200,000 annually be set aside for dredging and maintaining the channel between Portland and the sea on the Willamette and Columbia Rivers.

The Dalles-Celilo Canal.

The completion of the Dalles-Celilo canal on the continuous contract plan and the appropriation of \$1,000,000 annually for this work, is the only feasible plan which has been submitted for finishing the project.

Channel in Willamette.

For the maintenance of the channel of the Willamette River above Portland the annual expense is estimated at \$30,000. Colonel Roessler asks for the granting of this sum for the coming year and also for an additional sum of \$100,000 for the construction of a revetment at a point opposite Albany.

Dredge for Outside Harbors.

Reference is made to the new dredge being constructed for use on the outside harbors. The craft will be ready for service next month, but there is yet no appropriation for operating it.

Expense of Year.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes Willamette River, above Portland, \$2,648.52; Columbia and Willamette below Portland, \$1,095.14; Mouth of the Columbia, general improvement, \$52,768.72.

ALASKA STEAMERS DAMAGED

W. S. Porter Ashore at St. Michael. Ohio Has Lost Her Wheel. Reports brought by a United States official, who returned last evening from Pigeon Sound, show that the damage wrought by ice to the fleet of vessels operating between Seattle and Nome has been much greater than has been reported.

FINAL ACCOUNT OF ESTATE

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Marine Notes.

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AGED RECLUSE DIES

Dressed as Bride for Nearly Half Century.

WIDOWED ON WEDDING DAY

Mme. de Provigny Lived Behind Closed Shutters, Never Read Newspapers and Never Spoke to Human Being. She was an old lady of more than 70, and for the last half century she lived in that house the life of an anchorite, without a newspaper or communication of any kind with the outside world.

SURRENDER PUBLIC FUNDS

NEW YORK BANKS ANTICIPATE TREASURY CALL.

Trust Companies Are Aided to Comply With State Law and Cash Reserves Are Decreased. NEW YORK, July 11.—The financier will say: The statement of the New York banks for the week ending July 11 shows a decrease of \$7,655,190 cash and a gain of \$2,478,575 in reserve to \$50,063,925.

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Part of Ground Where Dexter Stables Stood Brings \$70,000. One-half the ground on which the Dexter stable stood, at Fourth and Ankeny streets, has been secured by an Eastern firm through the agency of W. B. Streeter.

AN OBSERVATION CAR.

Adding Luxury to the Delightful Columbia River Trip. The O. R. & N. has just added an observation car to the equipment of trains 2 and 6 between Portland and the Dalles.

And many other painful and serious ailments from which most mothers suffer, can be avoided by the use of "Mother's Friend."

through their most critical ordeal with safety and no pain. No woman who uses "Mother's Friend" need fear the suffering and danger incident to birth, for it robs the ordeal of its horror and insures safety to life of mother and child, and leaves her in a condition more favorable to speedy recovery.

Kenya streets, has been secured by an Eastern firm through the agency of W. B. Streeter. The quarter block fronts 125 feet on Fourth street, running west along the line of the Marshall-Wells Company building 100 feet and about the same on Ankeny. The price at which the ground is offered is somewhere between \$50,000 and \$70,000.

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SPECIALIST The doctor "thinks" The doctor treats The doctor relieves the symptoms. A good doctor has some instruments and equipment for all ailments. The specialist KNOWS The specialist CURES The specialist goes further and removes the cause. A good specialist has ALL scientific mechanical aids for his specialty.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Matthew F. Fenton and wife to G. L. Campbell, commencing at southeast corner of block 4, Carter's Addition to Portland, thence east 100 feet, thence north 100 feet, thence west 100 feet, thence south 100 feet to beginning.

FINDS TREASURY EMPTY

Sultan Mulai Hafid's Vanquished Rival Took Valuables With Him. TANGIER, Morocco, July 11.—(Special.)—Sultan Mulai Hafid is a very much disappointed and disgusted man.

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