

SHORTAGE OF CRAFT FOR SOUTH-BOUND FREIGHT IS FEARED

Shippers Are Alarmed at Present Over Withdrawing of Many Carriers.

OFFERINGS ARE HEAVY

Paper and Wheat Form Bulk of Offerings—Services to Be Slightly Better But Shortage Still Apparent.

Portland shippers were greatly alarmed at the announcement of the North Pacific Steamship company yesterday through the columns of The Journal that the steamer George W. Elder had been taken from the Portland-California run and would not return here.

Facilities for handling only 6000 tons of freight each week south bound are left this port. The removal of the Elder from the service will, on alternate weeks, cut the capacity of the line to 4000 tons.

Capacity Can Be Raised. In two months the Elk City line will be able to handle 10,000 tons of freight service again and raise their capacity to 2600 tons a week.

North Bound Conditions Better. Northbound conditions are not so tight as they were a few days ago. The rate of freight is better.

Quarantine Ship Modernized. Astoria, Or., Jan. 8.—Dr. Ebert, in charge of the local quarantine station, today received authority from the department in Washington to place steamer bunks in the fore-cabin of the Steamer Concord.

Make Smith Makes Record. B. W. Field, Or. Jan. 8.—Captain ports of the Adeline Smith received from the vessel during 1915 carried 1,000,000 feet of lumber.

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Departures January 8. Bear, American steamer, Captain N. J. ...

Marine Almanac. Weather at River Mouth. North Head, Jan. 8.—Conditions of the river at 8 a. m., moderate; wind south-east, 20 miles.

Passengers Due to Arrive. PASSENGERS AND FREIGHT. Name, Ship, From, Arrival.

China Mail Will Add Three Vessels to Pacific Fleet

San Francisco, Jan. 8.—(P. N. S.)—Look Tin Ell, president of the new China mail steamship company, announced today that three more steamships will be acquired as soon as possible and placed on the run between here and China under the American flag.

G. N. P. Boat Line Allowed to Operate

Washington, D. C., Jan. 8.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—Holding that the operation of the Great Northern Pacific Steamship company's steamers was to the advantage and convenience of the public and not tending to reduce competition between rail and water lines, the Interstate Commerce commission this morning granted the line permission to operate.

IT'S "HAVE ONE FOR ME"

That's What They Say When Steamers Sail Now Days. "Have one for me" has superseded the former part-farewell expressions at sailings of all-ports bound steamers.

Beaver, S. F., C. B. & E. Jan. 12. Breakwater, L. A. & S. F. Jan. 12. Breakwater, S. F., C. B. & E. Jan. 12.

Vessels in Port. Name, From, To, Agent. The Willamette river will rise slowly for the next two or three days.

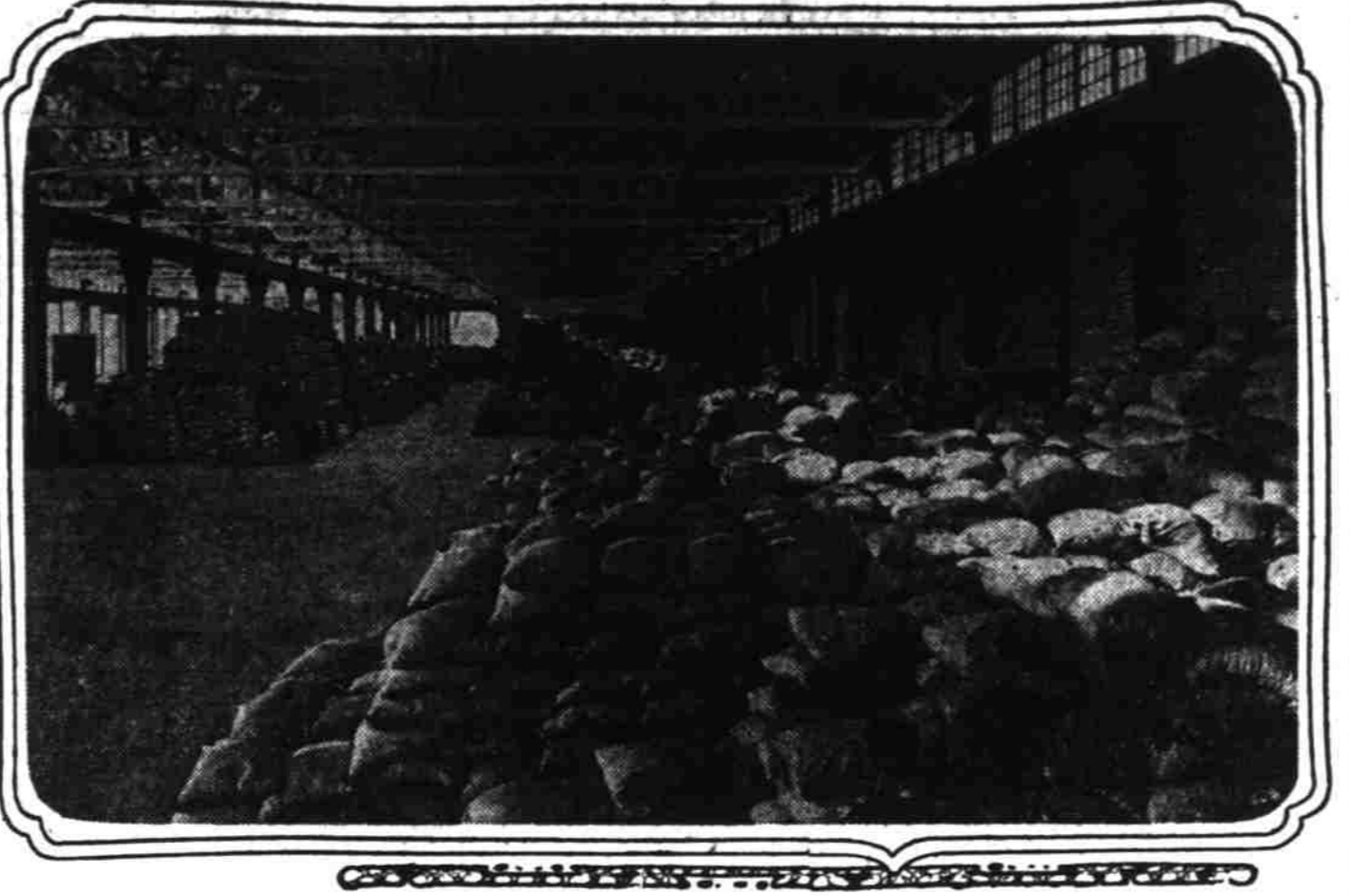
At Neighboring Ports. Astoria, Jan. 8.—Sailed at 1 p. m.: Steamer Temple E. Dyer, for San Pedro. Sailed at 11 p. m.: Steamer Monterey, for Monterey.

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GRACE INER BRINGS FULL COFFEE CARGO



San Francisco pier of W. R. Grace & Co., after the American steamer Colusa had discharged the full cargo of coffee which she took on at Santos, Brazil. The Colusa carries 7200 tons and every inch of her cargo space was taken up with bags of coffee.

SEATTLE TERMINUS OF GRAND TRUNK IS MODERN STRUCTURE

New Dock Has Many Safeguards Against Fire Following Blaze Year Ago. Officials of the Grand Trunk Pacific Coast Steamship company point to their Seattle terminals as the most modern structure of the kind on the Pacific Coast.

To guard against a repetition of this blaze the new dock has numerous safeguards. It has a sprinkling system, fire walls every 100 feet below the wharf, asbestos roofing, salvaged iron siding and fire walls in the interior also.

Electricity Is Used. From the fire wall seaward it is two stories high and contains the warehouse, offices for twinning steamship companies, customs examining rooms and the landing stage for the G. T. P. steamers on the south side.

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SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF PACIFIC COAST FORM NEW ORGANIZATION

Permanent organization of the Pacific Coast Sunday school association was the result of the first meeting of the general secretaries of Sunday school work for the Pacific Coast held in the Y. M. C. A. building yesterday.

To Unify the Work. The conference was called to correlate and unify the work of different districts. Mrs. L. M. Ormsby of Boise, general secretary for Utah and Idaho, was unable to reach Portland yesterday.

Charity Bazaars the Rage. London, Jan. 8.—(L. N. S.)—Bazaars are the fashionable fable of the moment in London. Staying at the supper hotels just now is like living at home.

U. S. Weather Observations. Station, Wind, Barometer, Rain, etc. Baker, 40, 12, S, Cloudy.

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TOURIST TRAVEL TO HONOLULU FILLS ALL HIGH CLASS CRAFT

Cal. E. Stone Enthuses Over Great Northern Pacific's Success to Islands. San Francisco, Jan. 8.—(P. N. S.)—There are not enough ships now on the Pacific coast to accommodate the demand from the east for first class passage on steamers to Honolulu.

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RELIGIOUS MOVEMENT MOST IMPORTANT OF KIND EVER HELD HERE

Missionary Convention Will Be Held in This City From February 13 to 16. Religious gathering, the most important of its kind ever held in Portland and exceeding any previous effort in its widespread scope.

Registrations Already Outnumber Great Record Made at Years Ago Along Similar Lines. A religious gathering, the most important of its kind ever held in Portland and exceeding any previous effort.

Annual Prayer Week Observed by Church. Through observance the past week of the annual week of prayer of the International Evangelical Alliance.

St. David's Rector's Subjects. Beginning this week the rector of St. David's Episcopal church, East of town, will preach a series of sermons Sunday evenings on the "Foundations of Religion."

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DELEGATES TO FORM PLAN FOR METHODIST GENERAL CONFERENCE

Meeting to Be Held on Tuesday at Centenary Church; Important Business Up. To formulate the policy of the northwest delegates to the general conference of the Methodist church in Saratoga, next May, ministerial and lay delegates will meet at Centenary church January 11.

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