

TO PUT BIG FLEET ON UPPER COLUMBIA

As soon as the river clears of ice, the government boat Umatilla will begin work in clearing the Columbia river channel, above Celilo, of all obstacles to navigation.

The dimensions of the inland Empire are: Length, 150 feet; width of beam, 42 feet; depth of hull, 5 feet; gross tonnage, 475 tons; carrying capacity, 250 tons; boilers, 66 inches diameter, 25 lbs. to the square inch; engine, 16 inch cylinder, 6 feet stroke.

The Celilo Falls, which will go into commission soon after the river clears of ice, was designed along the same lines as the Inland Empire, with the exception of her upper cabin and will be somewhat larger.

In 1863, there were plying on the river above Celilo Falls the following boats: Steamers—Col. Wright, 100 tons capacity; Lemira, 150 tons; Okanogan, 150 tons; Nez Perce Chief, 135 tons; Olympe, 135 tons; Yukina, 200 tons; Westfoot, 200 tons; Spray, 125 tons; Kyus, 150 tons; Cascedilla, 90 tons; Lewiston, 30 tons; Schooners—James Buchanan, 50 tons; Humming Bird, 40 tons; Victrola, 80 tons; Schooner, 80 tons; Sloops—Mount Hood, 60 tons; Sarah E. Gray, 40 tons.

The fuel problem was the greatest to be solved by the navigators in early days for there was not a tree of any size growing on the banks of the Columbia between Deschutes and Priest Rapids.

The Dalles Weather Report Since 1874. The Dalles has one of the largest, most complete and accurate weather reports ever made in the state of Oregon.

Secretary Wilson says, "One of the objects of the law is to inform the consumer of the presence of certain harmful drugs in medicines."

California Joins Hood River's Fosters. A communication received by Mrs. Marion MacRae from C. W. Ravlin, a California man, who bought 250 acres of unimproved land at Hood River through MacRae & Angus last year for which he paid \$250,000, makes interesting reading.

that the centenary of Lincoln's birth be commemorated in the same exercises. This program is suggested by the University of Oregon and was prepared by the departments of History and Education.

Order of exercises. Song, "Oregon," Oregon Teachers' Monthly, Sept. 1908. Reading, Jefferson's Instructions to Lewis (for the exploration of the Columbia river. "Cous' The History of the Lewis and Clark and Expedition, p. XXVII, from middle of page to end of second line on p. XXVII).

Don't Take the Risk. When you have a bad cough or cold do not let it drag along until it becomes chronic bronchitis or develops into an attack of pneumonia, but give it the attention it deserves and get rid of it.

State Assessors Met. Two events of interest last week were the meeting of the Oregon State Assessors' Association, from the 12th to the 14th, and the fourteenth annual convention of the Oregon State Poultry Association, both in Portland.

Stomach Trouble Cured. If you have any trouble with your stomach you should take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.

U. S. Land Office Sale. Several isolated tracts of land were sold at the United States land office at the Dalles Friday.

Brave Fire Laddies. often receive severe burns, putting out fires, then use Bucklen's Arnica Salve and forget them. It soon drives out pain.

Program for Oregon Day. Below will be found a suggested program for public schools and literary societies for Oregon Day, February 14, the 50th anniversary of the admission of Oregon into the Union.

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designated for allotment. He believed however, that he had a prior right to the land, and felt that the land department would sustain him in that right.

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Land For Sale I have about 1,000 acres of No. 1 Apple Land, most of it under ditch at prices ranging from \$60 per acre up. J. R. Steele HOOD RIVER, OREGON

No Work For "Chicago Kid." "Ah, g'wan wit yer, w'at yer trying to pipe off ter me anyhow; an' go out and saw wood, not fer dis guy yer can bet yer life. Why Cap I've de real ting in de jobo business. I aint none of dese muss wat gets cold feet w'en dere's a coat of der white on. Work, well I guess not."

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