

Company Sets Open House To Celebrate Big Boiler

An open house for directors, stockholders, suppliers and customers will be held from 3 o'clock until 6 o'clock tomorrow by the Seattle Steam Corp. to celebrate the installation of a huge new combustion boiler.

C. W. Easton, vice president and general manager of the firm, said the boiler, one of the largest factory-made boilers in the country, will allow the company to expand its service, particularly in the First Hill area.

THE BOILER is 35 feet long, 12 feet high and 15 feet wide, weighs about 55 tons and has a capacity of 120,-

Nassak Club to Meet

Michael Dederer, Seattle businessman and civic leader, will speak at a luncheon of the Nassak Club tomorrow in the Downtown Y. M. C. A.

Union, and the Skagit Valley Telephone Co., where a work stoppage is threatened.

000 pounds of steam an hour. Its installation brings the capacity of the steam-heat firm to more than 700,000 pounds an hour, Easton said.

The installation was at Seattle Steam's Post Street facility, 633 Post St., where the open house will be held.

"We extended our first line to the First Hill area in 1963," Easton said.

"Now we are extending a second line, nearly straight up Cherry Street to connect with our existing line at Cherry and Minor Avenue."

SEATTLE STEAM provides heating steam for most of the downtown area, the Seattle University area and several hospitals on First Hill.

The new boiler was constructed by Combustion Engineering Co. of Windsor, Conn., at the firm's plant in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Easton said the boiler, the largest size that can be made at a factory and transported to a place of installation, arrived here on a special railroad car.