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ON TO NEHALEM

That the business men of Astoria, realizing the rapid development of the Nehalem country, plan to become better acquainted with the merchants and other residents of that section is indicated in the following editorial appearing in the Astoria Budget:

"It is a good move on the part of Astoria business men to plan an excursion trip to the Nehalem valley. There are a good many merchants of the city and other residents who have never visited that valley. All they know of it has been through the channels of hearsay.

"A junket trip would be the means of securing first hand evidence of the resources of that wonderful valley. It would acquaint those who go with the geography and topography of the country, so that the problems of road building and agricultural development can be more easily understood. It would bring city dwellers in personal contact with the farmers of a rich tributary of the city. And, incidentally but quite pertinently, for the Nehalem has a beauty and a charm all its own, and it is worth visiting quite without any commercial purpose.

"And this reminds us of the fact that in the near future the first passenger train over the rails of the P. A. N. will reach Vernonia, and in all probability there will be a great celebration. Vernonia is in Columbia county, and since the Pittsburg-St. Helens road is open, only a short distance from St. Helens. The people of the Nehalem are now our close neighbors. Why not cultivate the acquaintance of those neighbors? A friendly visit will create a lasting friendship and draw together more closely the two communities. We believe it a good idea for the St. Helens Chamber of Commerce to foster. Let's have a holiday here and go to Nehalem.

PEGGY CONFESSES.

"My possessions (probably \$2,000,000) and my heart conquests have brought me nothing but wretchedness. I have learned from experience that hard work and sincere effort, not pampered idleness, point the only way to happiness."

It is Peggy Joyce who is speaking, girls, and not some dour matron with a sour-grape disposition—Peggy Joyce, the international heart-breaker, the siren Peggy, the bewitching adventuress who was born in poverty and obscurity and who has married and divorced several millionaires and whose path of conquest is strewn with broken hearts and broken lives with here and there the ghost of a tragedy standing by.

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PARTY ALLEGIANCE.

Walter L. Tooze, Jr., republican state chairman, believes that a republican owes something to his party. He believes that republicans should support the ticket even though a favorite candidate may have failed to secure the nomination at the primary election. He believes that it is the duty of the republican voters to elect the candidates nominated. Chairman Tooze is making a tour of the state and endeavoring to bring about political harmony in the republican ranks. The Mist hopes he will succeed and that the near-sighted republicans will not be deceived by the far-sighted democrats.

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Alaska alone is said to have wood enough to fill one-third of the newspaper need of the nation. There are 54,000 acres of fine lumber available most of which is spruce and hemlock and the remainder is pine. Alaska's gold will probably vanish before her wood supply is exhausted. There are forty varieties of wood which will soon become marketable by the opening up of transportation facilities.

A great deal of paw-wow has been occasioned by an astronomer's discovery of a couple of new suns which are 52 quadrillion miles from the earth. We wouldn't detract from the triumph of this scientist but in our humble opinion the man who invented the safety pin is much more of a benefactor to mankind.

"It's pretty hard to be president and be perfectly natural and normal," said Mr. Harding sadly, addressing his old neighbors at their centenary celebration. His high office is disillusioning him as it was disillusioning many others. Evidently his personal idea of "normalcy" is getting back to his editorial job.

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take an interest in the home near that you never have in a house that some other person owns.

There is a shortage of homes in St. Helens, and families who want to locate here cannot find house. You who have lived a long time in rented houses should help out by building your own homes and relieve the situation.

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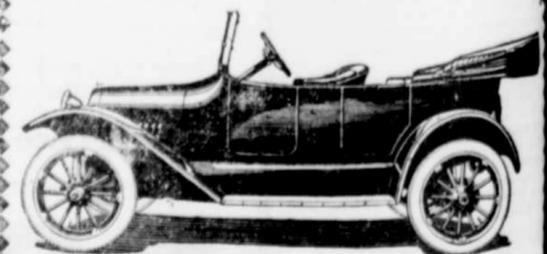
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