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A CITY WITH A WILL.

Astoria, the oldest city in Oregon, so they say, is an example of a city with a will. What the men of that community has set their minds to do toward the building of a great seaport has, in a large measure been accomplished, and stands today as a monument to their faith in their community.

It is no small task to which they have addressed themselves, for among other things they have undertaken to build terminal facilities costing millions of dollars, wheat elevators handling grain on bulk, flour mills, fishing wharves and all the facilities needed for a great ocean terminal.

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aim at for years to come.

In doing all this Astoria is not overlooking the esthetic advantages of community life. Its people are building fine homes, they have beautiful public buildings, schools and churches, lodge halls that would be a pride of cities of greater population than is that founded by the great Astor.

Nor are they hiding their light under a bushel—not the people of Astoria, with a justifiable pride they are inviting conventions to their city showing them the possibilities of Astoria and what its enterprising citizens are doing.

The space they set for their commercial activities is not disregarded in their wholehearted hospitality. They are doing nothing by halves in their community and the feeling one has on leaving is one of completed pleasure united with a determination to again visit there.

Get a premium list and boost for the Fair.

Turn your second hand machinery into cash—your neighbor might want just what you don't need—let the Argus Want Ads carry the message to him.

Read The Ontario Argus for the news.

FRUITLAND BENCH NEWS

Miss Fannie Peacock and Mr. Ed Watkins were united in marriage Sunday, August 15th, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Peacock, by Rev. F. B. Burch, of the New Plymouth Baptist church. They have gone to Midvale to make their home where the groom is in business. Mrs. Watkins has been a teacher in the County and is a most lovable young woman and her many friends here and elsewhere wish them a long happy life.

Car Demolished

Rev. N. H. Payne was driving his Oakland Six into Payette from Fruitland his home, Saturday night, with nine occupants in the car, and at the Irvin ranch slough half way between the two towns, just before going upon the bridge, a car from Payette with very bright head lights thrown on to him suddenly caused him to get too close to the edge and the car went over the embankment throwing five of them into the mud and water, the other four holding on to the overturned car. Many of them received bruises but no broken bones. Two tires were stolen from the damaged car.

Mrs. Pearl Peterson sold her five acre orchard tract to Mr. and Mrs. Wise, teachers in the Fruitland High School. This is one of the desirable tracts and this year has an abundance of apples on it. Mrs. Peterson retains the crop.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Rich and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Rich have gone to Alberta, Canada, making a detour enroute through the Yellowstone National Park. They are away on business. Will return via Lewiston and Spokane.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Cornwell sold their place to Roy Cox, of Wilder, and have gone to California by auto. Miss Adelaide Mitchell has gone

to Seattle to teach school the coming winter after spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. Creighton Symes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hurd are the parents of a son born August 16th. George H. Loersch has purchased the forty acres one half mile east of Fruitland from Dr. Henderson, of Carpinteria, California.

Grant Gardner has gone to Pocatello to attend the Republican State Convention, he being a delegate from Payette County.

Guy Graham left Monday for American Falls as a delegate to the Democratic State Convention from Payette County.

Grant Gardner accompanied Miss Mortaa Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Brown and their house guests to the Mills last week for a few days outing.

John Hecks was up from Parma over Sunday with home folk.

Supt. Charles S. Miller and Mrs. Miller and two sons, Charles and Winston returned last week from a two months' trip to Ohio and other eastern points.

Prof. T. R. Neilson passed through Fruitland Sunday, coming from his new home at Midway.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Enberg, Misses Lucile Hill and Bernice McGee, Messrs. Ralph Johnson and Arthur Link have returned from a ten days' outing at Smiths' Ferry.

Mrs. Jennie Upon and daughter, Juanita, of Juntura, Oregon, were guests last week at the J. W. McGee

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PIANO TUNING

The undersigned will be in Ontario about the first week in Sept. tuning pianos. Anyone wishing their piano tuned at that time will please leave orders with Mrs. Cox. My tuning is highly recommended by Mrs. Moody at Vale who is the proud possessor of a Steinway Grand and which I tuned.

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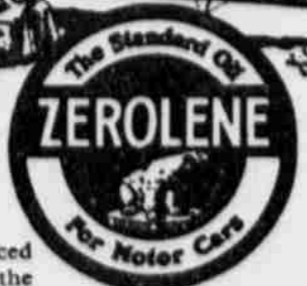
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Like the kind of a town that you like—
You needn't slip your clothes in a grip
And start on a long, long hike;
You'll only find what you left behind—
For there's nothing that's really new;
It's a knock at yourself when you knock your town.
It isn't the town—it's you."

"Real towns are not made by men afraid
Lest somebody else gets ahead;
When everyone works and nobody shirks,
You can raise a town from the dead;
And if, while you're making your personal stake
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