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TODAY'S WEATHER

PORTLAND, July 21.—Oregon—fair.

SALE OF LADIES' SUITS THIS WEEK

17.50 SUIT FOR	6.50
19.00 SUIT FOR	8.00
12.50 SUIT FOR	10.00
15.00 SUIT FOR	12.00
17.50 SUIT FOR	14.50
20.00 SUIT FOR	16.00
22.50 SUIT FOR	17.50
25.00 SUIT FOR	20.00



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Take Points, which are Eastern oysters developed in Shoalwater bay, are unlike all others—good at any season of the year. They are fat and delicious. Craw-fish are now just in season and are excellent eating, as are crabs and all the other numerous delicacies served so skillfully at the Toké Point oyster house on Eleventh street.

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The work of repairing the roadway leading to Smith Point, which was done Sunday by interested residents, has made the thoroughfare safe for travel. Much new planking was laid. It was expected the council would take some action last night relative to the opening of a street to the Point, but the subject was not brought up.

Purchasers of dry goods or men's clothing at Shanahan's, during the Red Tag Sale next week, desiring to exchange same for cash or merchandise would facilitate matters a good deal by bringing the Red Tags with them to the store. In this way a good deal of time is spared the clerks, looking up invoices for the prices paid—factory cost.—D. SHANAHAN.

The bicycle race between representatives of the Western Union and Postal was held Sunday. The start was made at Sixth and Commercial and the finish was at Fourteenth. The Western Union representative, Shelby Hamilton, defeated Theodore Fernau, by about 20 yards. The victor was presented with a silver medal, which had been presented by the Fourth of July committee.

The Salvation Army is having a change of officers in Astoria. Captain Parker, who has been here temporarily, is returning to Portland, and Captain Samuel Dupertuis and Lieutenant Darwent are coming to take command. Previous to joining the Army, Captain Dupertuis worked with a Holiness Band, and as a Salvation Army Officer has been very successful, as has his assistant, Lieutenant Darwent. They will conduct their first meeting in Astoria, Tuesday, July 22.

The county court has declined to renew the arrangement heretofore existing between the court and the justice of the peace, whereby the latter received lump sums in cases tried before him. Under the old arrangement, certain amounts were allowed the justice for his work, the effort being to average the emolument. The present court will require the justices throughout the county to submit bills for what is actually due them under the statutes whether the amounts be in excess of or below those heretofore allowed.

The coroner's jury which investigated the death of W. E. Hargus (for Hodges), at Ilwaco, returned a verdict from which it is believed that the old man was murdered. The post-mortem disclosed the fact that death had ensued prior to the time the body went into the water. There was some suspicion that the man had succumbed to heart disease, but the examination disclosed that the heart was in good condition. It was stated at the time of the death of Hargus that he had committed suicide, but there was no water in the lungs or stomach and his death was due to some other cause.

The council has been good to itself of late, and new chairs have been provided for the guardians of the municipality. Heretofore the aldermen were required to seat themselves in miserable old chairs, which had long since outlived their usefulness. The new chairs not only make matters comfortable for the councilmen, but also to the appearance of things in the council chambers. The mayor's chair is an executive looking piece of furniture that was badly needed. One new chair was provided for the reporters' desk, greatly to the delight of the Budget man, whose former seat had been a villainous one.

A picked Astoria baseball team went to Warrenton Sunday and played a match game with the team at that place. A big crowd saw the game. The home team had no difficulty in winning out, the score being 11 to 2 in favor of Warrenton. Clark pitched for Astoria and made a very creditable showing, striking out 17 men in eight innings. He has fine speed and control, but lacked support in the field. Harry McDermott officiated in the box for Warrenton and pitched his usual fine game. He has greatly improved since his connection with the Astoria team and now is regarded as one of the best amateur twirlers in Oregon. Warrenton's fielders played a crack game, and his decisions gave general satisfaction. The Astoria team will go to Ilwaco next Sunday to meet the South Bend nine. It is just possible that the game may be played at Long Beach.

At yesterday's session of the county court an order was made under which the Herald becomes one of the official organs of the county. The order is in accordance with the decision of Circuit Judge McBride, who ruled that papers submitting bids for printing the proceedings of the county court would have to comply with the law requiring them to attach lists of their subscribers. The contract had been awarded to the Budget and News, but the latter paper's contract for the work has been annulled. The clerk was instructed to check up the accounts of the retiring road supervisors and turn over to the new officers the books of those whom they succeed. Three bids were submitted to the court for the construction of the Necanicum bridge, as follows: J. B. Tillotson, of Albany, Ore., \$255 for the bridge and \$1.40 per foot for the approaches; Charles Johnson, \$375 for the bridge and 80 cents per foot for the approaches; Jonas Untinon & Andrew Lamb, \$400 for bridge No. 1 and \$750 for bridge No. 2. The contract was awarded to Tillotson.

The trouble that had arisen between the owners of the property at Tongue Point was finally settled yesterday afternoon, and George W. Hume has secured his sawmill site. For a while the intending investor seemed discouraged with the slow progress of events, and yesterday morning told members of the joint manufacturing committee that he would make no further effort to locate here unless something were done at once. The owners of the Tongue Point site and B. Van Dusen got together and agreed on a compromise arrangement, and before the afternoon had passed the site desired by Mr. Hume was available. The exact terms of settlement were not made known, Mr. Van Dusen contenting himself with the statement that the location was satisfactory to Mr. Hume in every way, and with the further statement that the arrangement was made between the Tongue Point syndicate and the Van Dusen Investment Company. It appears that the two companies mentioned made a pool of their possessions at the point selected by Mr. Hume, and in this manner got around the dispute over the lines of the respective holdings of each. Survivors were at once put to work at the Tongue, and the deed of conveyance is now being prepared. Owners of property in the East End were very much elated over the settlement of the dispute, as were the citizens of Astoria in general. Mr. Hume will at once set about the construction of the mill which will be a very large establishment. It is understood a box factory also will be operated in connection with the mill, and the new concern will give employment to more than 150 men. Mr. Hume owns several steamers, and their regular visits to this port will constitute no small feature of the new enterprise.

Charles P. Stahl, aged 25 years, was drowned at Seaside Sunday at noon, while bathing in the surf. There were more than 100 bathers in the ocean at the time, but few were aware of the drowning until Nace Grant, who had been swimming far out with Stahl, reached shore in an exhausted condition and told of Stahl's death. Mr. Grant had gone out beyond the breakers and was swimming around when Stahl joined him. The latter appeared to Mr. Grant to be in distress, but when asked by Mr. Grant if he needed help replied that he did not. Soon afterwards the men started towards the shore, but the current was against them. Stahl made an effort to get through the breakers, but was unsuccessful. Then Mr. Grant tried to help him, but Stahl, who was evidently much frightened, did not profit by the assistance. Mr. Grant stayed with him until he was exhausted, but his efforts to get him through the break proved unavailing. The rescuer started for the shore, while Stahl went further out. He swam about for a few minutes and then disappeared from sight. When Mr. Grant reached shore he was almost gone, and for several minutes lay on the beach unable to tell what had happened. Had he remained in the surf for another five minutes, he, too, would have been drowned. The accident had a very depressing effect on the big crowd that spent Sunday at Seaside, and the death of the young man was the general topic of conversation. Stahl went to Seaside from Portland some months ago and had been engaged in building a cottage there. He was an athlete and a very good swimmer, but lacked knowledge of the knack of getting through the breakers. A notice was posted at Seaside asking campers and others to assist in patrolling the beach. The body was washed ashore yesterday morning on the beach almost in a line with the point where Stahl went down. Coroner Pohl went over and secured the body, which will be shipped to Portland for burial. Deceased is survived by a father and mother and three young sisters. The father and mother are invalids and the family was dependent upon the young man.

WEST SIDE NOTES.

Mrs. W. H. Hobson is visiting in Skirpanon.

Mrs. Nora Morrison made a trip to Astoria on Saturday.

Miss Annie Ober is a guest of Miss Florence Carnahan.

Miss Alice Swency returned from a visit to Portland on Saturday.

Rev. Wm. S. Short held services in St. Thomas chapel on Sunday.

Prof. J. T. Lee left Warrenton on Saturday and will leave for Skagaway.

R. A. Abbott is building a large hay barn for C. H. Dean on his tideland ranch.

J. S. Dellinger and family have gone to their country home for a part of the summer.

George May has moved his family to Astoria since he has taken a position on the A. & C. R. R.

Saturday evening an ice cream social will be given at Warrenton for the benefit of the Episcopal church. An invitation is extended to all. Photos in the latest styles will be taken, and a fine musical and literary program is being arranged.

The baseball game at Warrenton on Sunday was another victory for the Warrenton boys. They met the enemy, the Astoria boys, and captured them with a score of 11 to 2. The Fort Stevens boys were spectators and were glad to see that they were not the only ones who could not beat the Warrenton boys.

A worn out politician is like a worn out watch. He is no good when he gets so he don't run well.

TRIED TO BURN THE POST

FIENDISH PLOT FRUSTRATED AT FORT STEVENS.

Incendiaries Set Fire to Torpedo Storehouse and to Barracks but Their Plans Fail.

A dastardly effort was made Saturday night to destroy Fort Stevens. Fiendish incendiaries set fire to the torpedo storehouse, with the hope that an explosion would result, and almost at the same time set fire to the barracks. Both blazes were extinguished before any damage had been done. Little information can be obtained from the officers, who are required to be recalcitrant about such matters, but enough has been learned to make it appear certain that a determined effort is being made to destroy the fort.

Some days ago a big fire occurred at the post, the old messhouse being destroyed. The origin of that fire was unknown, but it was believed to have been the work of incendiaries. The building was entirely destroyed, but the fire was prevented from spreading.

Saturday night the guards discovered that the torpedo storehouse was on fire. The storehouse is fire-proof, so the blaze made little headway and was quickly extinguished. Hardly had the troops put out the fire at the storehouse when the barracks were discovered to be in flames. This fire would have resulted in great damage had it gained much headway, but it was discovered in time to prevent a conflagration of consequence.

After the fires had been extinguished the men found a note signed "The Twelve Dynamiters." The note has not been made public, but it was to the effect that twelve persons had banded themselves together for the purpose of destroying the fort, and that the effort would be continued until it resulted in success.

Finding of a note of this kind might not be seriously regarded were it not for the fact that, when the troops went to secure the fire-extinguishing apparatus, they found that the hose had been cut to pieces. This plainly indicated that the effort to set fire to the building was an earnest one.

The officers at Fort Stevens are making every effort to discover the perpetrators who will be severely dealt with if they are found.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Joseph Gribler has returned from a visit East.

Frank Meany was down from Stella on Sunday.

O. B. Prael is down from Portland on business.

Nace Grant left yesterday for California, to remain a few weeks.

Deputy Collector D. A. McLean has returned from an inspection trip down the coast.

W. W. Curtis, the well known timberman, is in the city, looking after business interests.

Dr. T. F. Laurin leaves tonight for Green River Hot Springs, Wash., to remain for about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Bergman leave this afternoon for Beaver Lodge farm, their country home at Grays River, to remain for several weeks.

Mrs. Captain Richardson, Miss Grace Stokes, Miss Ida Henley, Miss Lu Cole and Miss Bees Reed have returned from a delightful outing in the Nehalem Valley.

Dr. H. L. Henderson, W. C. A. Pohl, Charles Dahlstrom, Andrew Birch and J. H. Hansen left last night for Portland, to attend the great council of the Improved Order of Redmen.

FINANCES OF WATER OFFICE.

Balance Exceeding \$400 After Payment of \$300 in Interest.	
At last night's meeting of the council the quarterly report of the Astoria water commission was presented by J. H. Mansell, clerk of the board. The report was as follows, the disbursements including \$800 semi-annual interest on bonds.	
Gross receipts—	
For April	\$ 2,172 85
For May	2,287 15
For June	2,296 05
Total	\$ 7,756 05
Balance as per April report—	6,291 82
Total	\$14,050 87
Disbursements	3,871 19
Balance on hand	\$ 4,679 68

FOR RENT.

Rooms, 5, 7, 8 and 9, Pythian building over, Cooper's store.

DR. JAY TUTTLE, Secretary.

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Mrs. R. Ingleton has just opened a nice line of ladies' hats, skirts, shirtings, and all kinds of ladies' and children's furnishing goods, including hair switches and pompadours. A chance for the \$500 piano given free with every 50c purchase. Commercial street, opposite Budget office.

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