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### THE TIDES

AUGUST, 1903.			AUGUST, 1903.		
High Water.	A. M.	P. M.	Low Water.	A. M.	P. M.
Saturday	1 7:27	5 7 7:22	Saturday	1 1:23	1 0:1 2 9
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Friday	7 12:55	5 11 12 05	Friday	7 6:40	0 2 6 50 3 1

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**WEATHER FORECAST**—Oregon and Washington—Saturday, fair and continued warm

**JUST IN**—A. & M. Smith's imported Scotch Kipperd herring. JOHNSON BROS.

**BOND APPROVED**—At yesterday's session of the county court the bond of Fred Hilsdell, who had petitioned the court for permission to haul logs across the county road at Olney, was approved.

**ANTONE LUND RELEASED**—The bond of \$250 in the case of Antone Lund charged with larceny from a store was reduced yesterday afternoon and in lieu thereof the cash bail of \$100 accepted. Lund was at once released.

**ODD FELLOWS MEET**—The Odd Fellows held a meeting on Thursday night and initiated into the mysteries the order Alfred Wirkkala. This order is enjoying wide prosperity, and is attracting new members all the time.

**JOE LEONARD RESTS COMFORTABLY**—Joe Leonard, third assistant keeper of the Tillamook rock light, who sustained fractures of the arm and leg by falling from a derrick there recently is now on the way to recovery. He is at the hospital, and is resting comfortably.

**OPERATION ON MR. WEST**—Harry West, the train dispatcher at the A. & C. R. R., who was taken suddenly ill, on Thursday, necessitating his removal to the hospital, was successfully operated on yesterday, and though he is still a very sick man he is resting easily considering the nature of his illness. His mother has been telegraphed to and has wired back that she will come to Astoria immediately. Mr. West's home is in Spokane.

**ANOTHER RUN REPORTED**—It was reported last night that gillnetters in the lower part of the river made unusually good catches on flood tide, the indication pointing to another big run coming in. On the sands the sealers did not make noticeably big hauls but the result is likely to be different by tonight. Report reached the city yesterday that the wheels and other fishing contrivances at the cascades are blocked with fish and that Warren's cannery at that point is considerably over-supplied.

**VIEWERS APPOINTED**—The county court yesterday appointed as viewers to lay out the Lewis and Clark road road Master Frye, County Surveyor Astoria and Frank L. Parker. They will meet at the court house Sept. 1, as directed by the court. The route for the proposed Chris Elson road for district No. 3 will be laid out by the road master, county surveyor and William Chace, who were also appointed as viewers at yesterday's session. Their instructions are to meet at the court house on the 14th of next month.

**ADMITS HE WAS MISTAKEN**—F. A. Seufert, of The Dalles, and his brother, W. E. Seufert, were in the city yesterday. W. E. returned home in the evening. F. A. admits that the horse he had in on him on the matter of fish. He said something a few weeks ago about the fish coming to Astoria between drinks, and suggested that the fishermen here used rotten nets. Now Mr. Seufert is shipping out a car load of the Royal Chinooks daily from Astoria to The Dalles. "Our cannery is running short, very short," he said at the Occident yesterday in conversation with a reporter of the Astorian. "In fact we have been short some time, so

I just came over to see about shipping a car load each day from here, which we have been doing since last Saturday." The reporter asked about the rotten nets, between drinks and so forth. "Well, we can't always arrange to have the fish running our way, so we come here when they desert us. Do you take anything?"

**SIXTY TON OF DEAD SALMON**—Chief of Police Hallock put two men to work yesterday on the beach clearing away the putrid fish that has been dumped since the first run was reported. Mayor Supernant estimated the amount of fish at 60 ton, and thought that he was making a conservative guess. Chief Hallock has work for more men who have boats, but they must lose no time in applying for the jobs as the stench from the putrid mass grows stronger each day. Considerable progress was made yesterday by the men assigned to the work.

**DECORATED WITH BULLETS**—Because they were not decorated with the brass badges of liberty, numerous of the canine tribe have been decorated with bullets during the last few days, and there are others awaiting a similar fate if the owners do not dig down and cough up the necessary \$2.50, the price of the annual license. Poundmaster Olaf Petersen travels the town over in search of the wandering barkers, and the members of the police force act as executioners. Every time the poundmaster catches a dog he earns a fee, and every time the owner rescues the dog from the shadow of execution the city earns a license fee, so that it puts money in circulation either way.

**TELEPHONE ATTACHMENT**—An electric gong attachment has been invented by Edward Lewellyn, driver for hose company No. 1, and the apparatus is being used at the hose house. The ringing of the telephone starts the gong which can be heard at a great distance and rings for fully a minute. A circuit breaking rod prevents the battery from running down. The circuit is thrown off by a small switch when central is called. The attachment together with the telephone proper is placed on a switch board. While the attachment looks simple enough, a close examination shows that Mr. Lewellyn showed great ingenuity in evolving it. Warren Cyrus of the Reliance Electrical Works did the electrical work.

**PURSE FOR HORSE RACES**—Among the latest features to be added to the regatta programme is a horse race meet which will be run on Astor street. A purse of \$150 has been voted for the events, and the committee already has assurances that some of the highest blooded, highest stepping nags that ever cantered along the aristocratic street will be entered. The arrangements for the race are in the hands of Hayes Eastabrook, who will announce the conditions and other pertinent matters later. In response to the request of the committee for decorations the captains of several vessels in port have sent in their colors, and the list includes American, English and German flags. A press committee consisting of Richard C. Lee of The Budget, R. Gibson, The News, C. J. Curtis, The Herald, and Francis P. Goss, The Morning Astorian, was appointed to entertain the visiting newspaper representatives.

**FOR LABOR DAY CELEBRATION**—At a meeting of the labor council last evening the following general committee was appointed by President Mayer of the federated trades to have charge of the Labor day celebration: A. C. Callan, George Rouslow, H. B. Lund, Mike Ludescher, J. S. Peck, A. McCroskey and C. H. Proske. President Pete Mayer was appointed chairman by the council. This committee will be assisted by others but the arrangements for the celebration will be in the hands of the general committee. A grand parade and ball have been settled upon to constitute the main feature of the celebration. Prizes will be posted by the committee to be competed for by the participants in the parade. The features to be considered in the contest are floats and the best turnouts by the various union delegations. It was reported by the representatives of the unions last evening that their respective organizations would make a showing with floats and other features during the day, and the sense as expressed at the meeting is to make the celebration one long to be remembered.

**READY FOR STREET FAIR**—Manager E. W. Frost, representing E. J. Arnold's Carnival company who will furnish the attractions for the street fair regatta week commencing Tuesday evening, Aug. 18, has about completed all arrangements for the opening. Two performances will be given daily at one and a half o'clock. Special features are being arranged for each evening in the main pavilion, announcement of which will be later. In addition to the band concerts the program in the main pavilion will include the Flying Victorias, in a new aerial sensation; The De Garros, kings of the Roman rings; The Traviolas, hoop rollers and jugglers

Dore Family in "Adventures with Satan;" Capt. Carlos Wilcox in his thrilling Slide for Life, and Prof. Horne's Dog and Monkey circus. There will be seven side shows: W. F. Wallace's Famous Glass Blowers; the Menagerie; Loretta Twins Vaudeville Co., including the Great Ver Vallin, the boy with many voices; the Old Plantation Theatre; Tetawari's Japanese Actors and Acrobats; The Spanish Theatre; Alice the Wonder and the Edison Electric Show. Another feature secured is the famous Ferris wheel. The committee has placed the price of admission to the main pavilion at ten cents.

**HOSE TEAM BENEFIT**—Fishers' opera house was well filled last night with the friends of the Astoria hose team, the occasion being a benefit performance given by the Margarita Fischer Company. The appropriate drama, "The Fireman's Ward" was presented, and a few duodes of the side not included in the regular program, as for instance when big John Corno walked on the stage in the third act and responded to the amorous pleadings of the Widow Brown. The house fairly shook with the cyclone of applause that swept over it, and John was the worthy recipient of a beautiful carriage bouquet. The hose team also did a stunt in the same act, and the members of the regular company wore hose team sweaters and caps. It was a typical hose team performance from Capt. Brown to the demure little leading lady. Miss Margarita Fischer looked "too cute for anything" and read her lines with varying degrees of emotion. The supporting company was up to its usual standard. Gerald and Errol appeared in a brand new sketch that was really entertaining, being a pleasant relief from their other jurn. This afternoon the company will give a matinee performance. The bill will include "My Uncle from Sweden" and "O'Grady's Will". The matinee price will be 15 and 25 cts. Tonight for the first time on any stage will be produced the emotional drama "Utah" written especially for Miss Fischer. The hose team will receive a substantial sum for the benefit performance.

**PAYING UP BACK TAXES**—One of the best indications of the prosperity that Clatsop county is enjoying at the present time is reflected in the amount of cash that is paid over the counter at the sheriff's office daily for back taxes. The payments exceed \$500 nearly every day, and sometimes the amount is close up to \$1,000. Those who are paying up are people who availed themselves of the six months' grace allowed by law. That is to say, they paid one half of their taxes last spring and are now paying the balance. They lose the three per cent rebate, of course, but they argued wisely at the time that the first payment was made that it was better to lose the rebate than the property. The delinquents have until the first Monday in October to square their accounts with the sheriff. There remains about \$10,000 of such taxes yet to be paid. The tax rolls are in a cleaner condition at the present time than ever before. Page after page of the property assessed are checked up with the magic mark designating that they have been paid, and a glance at the assessment rolls shows that the people of Clatsop county are rolling in prosperity. Deputy Sheriffs Watson, Hinder and Allen Anderson are working overtime clearing the sale books showing the result of the 1902 property sales, when the delinquent property of ten years' standing was disposed of by auction under a special law of the legislature. They have been working on the books for more than two months now, and if they work every day from morning until night it will take them two months more to complete the work.

**THE BRITISH SHIP ARDECRAIG** went up the river yesterday to load wheat at Portland. She discharged a quantity of cement at this port.

The three masted schooner Advent left out yesterday for lumber for California. She took on her cargo at St. Helens.

The three masted schooner Charles R. Wilson has arrived from San Francisco in ballast. The vessel will load lumber for the Bay City.

The steamer Homer is now at sea, bound for Scotch cape, Alaska, with supplies and construction material for the light house districts. Before sailing a wire was received from Secretary George B. Cortelyou authorizing the Homer to enter Alaska ports free from custom inspection. Besides supplies and material from Portland the Homer carried from this port a great quantity of lumber loaded at the Astoria Box Company.

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