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**At The Hospital—**  
Mabel Taylor, daughter of A. J. Taylor, was taken to the hospital yesterday. She is threatened with typhoid fever.

**Close Monday—**  
The retail butchers and grocers will close their stores at 2 o'clock p. m. Monday so that the bosses and the bossed may have an opportunity to attend the Fairbanks meeting.

**New Guns—**  
Two new 6-pounder rapid fire guns are now at the O. R. & N. dock en route for Fort Stevens. These will doubtless prove valuable adjuncts to the coast defence armament. They have every appearance of being made strictly for business.

**Be On Time—**  
The Mayor requests that the general reception committee of the Chamber of Commerce be on time to take the government boat patrol, the service of which is kindly offered, to meet Admiral Swinburne on the Charleston.

**In Police Court—**  
L. Neustadtre was arrested and fined \$5 and costs for soliciting without a license. He was soliciting for Colliers. Four cases of drunk and disorderly conduct are reported. Three forfeited bail of \$10 each. The fourth was fined \$5 or two days in jail. He chose the latter.

**A. O. U. W. Attention—**  
Business of great financial importance will be discussed at the meeting of the Seaside Lodge No. 112 in the A. O. U. W. Hall on Ninth street, at 8 o'clock this evening. Besides the business, there will be an installation and refreshments will be served. Be sure to attend. By order of the Lodge.

**Jack Mayo Re-Enters Harness—**  
J. J. Mayo, formerly general freight and passenger agent of the Astoria & Columbia River Railroad and C. & E., and well known in Albany, is representing the New York Central lines temporarily on a mission to Redding, Cal., where he will meet an excursion sent out by the Vanderbilt system. The personal representative of the system was taken ill and had to leave the party, so Mr. Mayo will remain with the train as far as Seattle.—Albany Herald.

**Awarded Contract—**  
Mr. William Miller, the well known contractor and builder, received word from Washington, D. C., yesterday morning that he had been awarded the contract for the work to be done at the Government Signal Station at Fort Columbia. The work includes the building of plank roads, a stairway to the signal tower and a foundation to the ordnance sergeant's warehouse. Further one span of the bridge is to be repaired. All the work is at Columbia.

**Announcement a Mistake—**  
The announcement that Mrs. John Hyde, formerly Miss Welch of this city, had died in Seattle is a mistake. Word came to the Astorian office at a late hour yesterday evening that Mrs. Hyde was low but a little better. Mr. and Mrs. D. Welch went to Seattle yesterday.

**For Fire Department—**  
Illustrated in red and blue it is a thing of beauty and a joy forever and the fire department will be prouder than peacocks. The new construction wagon which carries hose and a chemical engine, has arrived and is now at the O. R. & N. dock. It certainly looks like a serviceable machine and should be handy in most emergencies.

**Boats Upset—**  
In the rough and tumble on the bar and the strong tide rip of Thursday morning, no less than eight boats upset altogether, and it is astonishing that there was only one fatality. Nearly all the boats in the vicinity of the spit had their flags up for the life boat, the flags in some cases taking the form of a shirt. The life-saving crew had more than its share of work. One boat which was in the middle of all the hurly-burly, and the crew of which were in constant danger, got but one fish for all their risk. Cui Bono?

**CHARLESTON TODAY.**

**Flagship Will Arrive Here This Afternoon to Remain Until the 16th.**

President J. H. Whyte of the Chamber of Commerce received a letter today written by Rear Admiral W. T. Swinburn, stating that he would arrive at Astoria with the Charleston on the afternoon of the 13th inst., but will not be able to remain longer than contemplated at first. He also says the vessel will remain here until the 16th and that it will be open to visitors the 14th and possibly the 15th provided that arrangements incident to the reception of Vice-President Fairbanks do not interfere. The officers of the ship will be entertained by the Irving Club this evening.

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**Marshmallow Sundae**

*Hoeflers*

**Something New**

**THE REGATTA BIGGER THIS YEAR**

**EXTENDED PREPARATIONS ARE BEING MADE FOR THE OCCASION WITH MANY NEW FEATURES IN PROGRAM.**

The regatta committee held an important session last night. President Schimpff presiding and a full attendance being present.

It was settled beyond doubt that there will not only be a regatta this year but that they will be an extraordinarily good one. While Chairman C. M. Cellar of the subscription committee reported most satisfactorily, showing that the funds already raised would insure the regatta, yet he and his excellent committee feel that still more money is required and they expect to make another turn about the city for that purpose.

It was decided that the concessions, Norris Staples, chairman, would between the dates of July 25 and August 1 receive bids for all of the land sports and concessions which will be sold to the highest bidder. Advertisements will be properly inserted in amusement journals so as to secure the largest number of bidders and a certified check will be necessary for the successful bidder at the time he is awarded the contract.

Between the dates of July 17 and August 17 there will be a voting contest which will choose the Queen of the Regatta. Votes will cost one cent each and polling places will be opened in the prominent stores of the city. It is likely that a Viking feature will be added to this year's regatta which will be something entirely new.

The County Fair committee, Judge J. Q. A. Bowlby, Chairman Mr. O. I. Peterson and F. J. Johnson will also conduct a show which will probably assume rather large proportions.

A baby show will be one of the features and will be discussed in detail by the proper committee in a few days.

The regatta committee will meet hereafter twice a week Wednesday and Friday nights until the regatta takes place September 2, 3 and 4. As the Sangerfeast occurs August 30 and 31 and September 1 it will be seen that there will be practically an entire week during which Astoria will have very large crowds, perhaps the largest, weather being favorable, that have ever attended an Astoria regatta.

**REV. SHORT RETURNS HOME**

**SAYS IT SEEMS GOOD TO BE BACK TO THE LAND OF GREEN VEGETATION AND PLENTY WATER AND FRESH AIR.**

The Rev. W. S. Short returned yesterday from an extended trip in California. In an interview with a reporter of the Astorian Mr. Short said:

"Of course you know I went to California for sunshine and one of my greatest disappointments was to find the so-called Oregon weather in California and leave sunshine behind. I stopped at Los Angeles and from there went to Long Beach where I spent a week during which time the weather was cloudy. From there I went down to Hemmet, a small retired but beautiful little place. A very pleasant time was spent there. A friend took me on an automobile trip from there to Pasadena, a distance of ninety-five miles. Among other places I visited was Redlands, San Diego, Coronado, Catalina, Arrow Head Springs, and Mt. Lowe. The difference in vegetation and character of the country between California and Oregon was novel and restful. However, it seems good to be back to the land of green vegetation and plenty of water where it is not necessary to irrigate."

Mr. Short added, "I would like to go on record as saying that I never let anyone slur Oregon unchallenged."

The trip he said was beneficial and that he weighs more now than he ever did.

**Was In Poor Health For Years.**  
Ire W. Kelley, of Mansfield, Pa., writes: "I was in poor health for two years, suffering from kidney and bladder trouble, and spent considerable money consulting physicians without obtaining any marked benefit, but was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure, and I desire to add my testimony that it may be the cause of restoring the health of others." Refuse substitutes.  
T. F. Laurin, Owl Drug Store.

**PERSONAL MENTION.**

Mr. John Fox left for the sound yesterday evening for a short vacation.

G. A. Cashel of Svensen is in the city. He came down to have some repairs made to his gasoline launch.

Mrs. Major Reas H. Leabo arrived up from Fort Stevens yesterday for a day with friends in the city.

W. G. McPherson of W. G. McPherson & Co., was a visitor in Astoria yesterday and returned to Portland on the evening train.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brink returned to Astoria yesterday from Portland. After a short stay with Mrs. Holden they will leave for California.

Dr. A. W. Kenney, Ed Strumier and Fred Simington returned yesterday from a few days' fishing trip on the Lewis & Clark. It is presumed luck was good. They brought home full baskets.

Ralph R. Crouse, of Salem, spent the day in Astoria yesterday, en route to Bay City, where he will spend the summer, preparatory to going to the U. of O. at Eugene this fall.

Dr. Estes returned from Seattle last night. He had been there for a family reunion and found all his relations enjoying the best of health and spirits. The doctor, altogether, had a most enjoyable time while away, and is only sorry that he missed the State Medical convention at Seaside, however he may get there today.

**FINAL DETAILS FOR BIG RECEPTION**

**IMPORTANT FEATURE OF VICE-PRESIDENT FAIRBANKS' VISIT IS THE PROCLAMATION BY MAYOR WISE.**

All of the details for the Vice-Presidential banquet have about been completed and the list of banqueters have now been closed because every available seat has been taken. There were some seals asked for by telegraph yesterday but the committee had to refuse them.

One of the most important features of the Vice-Presidential visit which developed yesterday was the proclamation by Mayor Wise which is as follows:

"July 12, 1907.  
"To the People of Astoria:  
"The Vice-President of the United States will honor the City of Astoria by his presence on Monday, July 15.

"I am asked by the general reception committee of the Chamber of Commerce to issue this request to the people of Astoria, that they display the national colors on that day and that all factories and mercantile establishments that can possibly do so close their respective places of business not later than 3 o'clock p. m. Monday in order that their employes may have an opportunity to hear the Vice-President's address.

"(Signed), HERMAN WISE,  
"Mayor, of the City of Astoria."

The Vice-President yesterday sent a telegram from Seattle to Manager Whyte of the Chamber of Commerce saying that arrangements will be carried out so far as he was concerned as they have been made by the reception committee here in Astoria.

This means that the Vice-President will be escorted from Goble to Astoria on the train which will arrive here at 11:35 a. m. Monday. He will address a mass meeting at Van Dusen's ground at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon. The special train will leave Astoria with the Vice-President, Governor Chamberlain and the banqueters aboard at 6:30 p. m. Monday for Seaside where the banquet will be held at the Moore Hotel at 8 o'clock at night.

The flagship Charleston with Rear Admiral Swinburne aboard leaves Portland this morning and will arrive in Astoria about 3 p. m. today. Mayor Wise and the members of the general reception committee will go aboard the flagship and pay their respects to the Admiral immediately upon the arrival of the Charleston in port. The Mayor and the reception committee respectfully request of all factories and of all companies employing steam engines or locomotives, that they blow whistles of welcome upon the arrival of the Charleston.

An informal reception will be tendered the Admiral and his officers tonight in the Irving Club and the event will be of social importance.

**Take the Postmaster's Word For It.**  
Mr. F. M. Hamilton, postmaster at Cherryvale, Ind., keeps also a stock of general merchandise and patent medicines. He says: "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is standard here in its line. It never fails to give satisfaction and we could hardly afford to be without it." For sale by Frank Hart and leading druggists.

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Now the boys must wait another long year before the next Fourth. It isn't likely that his suit will wait that long! Perhaps it got mixed up with firecrackers and punk. Anyway it has seen some very hard knocks if the boy has worn it any length of time. There will be no mistake in getting him a new cool summer suit, and if the boy is a man, why we can dress him also; any size, any style

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**Amusements.**

Another of the Brigham Company's splendid plays was presented at the Astoria Theater last night. "Man and Master" is the title of the play and last night's performance was one of the best given by this popular company in Astoria. He has an important part which he played in quite an artistic manner, and he deserves credit for eliminating the usual mannerisms so often indulged in by the stage villain.

Mis Brokate has a soubrette part and succeeded in winning the admiration of the audience. Mr. Howe is the sailor hero and makes a fine appearance as a sailor boy. The comedy interests are strong and are well looked after by Mr. Arthur Neale who plays the part of Jerry, an Irish servant, most satisfactorily. Mr. Hayes, as the father, Miss Davenport as the daughter, and Miss Wrought, Mr. Weston and Mr. Royal, whose piano solos were a treat in themselves, all help to make a production, which taken as a whole, should not be overlooked by those seeking refined amusement.

**War Against Consumption.**

All nations are endeavoring to check the ravages of consumption, the "white plague" that claims so many victims each year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in results. The genuine is in a yellow package.  
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**For The Little People.**

Every parent in this city should investigate, at once, the new and appreciable shoe for the youngsters, at Charles V. Brown's Commercial street house. They are called the "E. C. Scuffer" and are the very epitome of good wear and real comfort. They are going like wild-fire and the kids themselves are after them because they look so "comfy."

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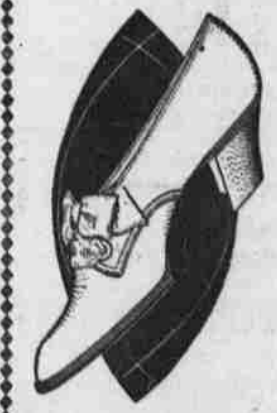
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