

STR. BREAKWATER IS DEFENDING HONORS AS A SPEEDY CRAFT

Geo. W. Elder and Veteran Boat on Coos Bay Run Racing to Port.

STEAMERS DUE TODAY

Competitor Gets Chance to Try Issue and Then the Fun in Engine Room Begins.

Once again the old steamer Breakwater, the veteran of the Portland-Coos Bay run is being called upon to defend her hard earned honors as the fastest steamer on the Coos Bay run.

For several years the Breakwater has had things practically her own way as the crack passenger boat of the Oregon coast.

Owing to the sending of the regular Arrow line steamers to other runs, the steamer Breakwater is filling in for the Arrow line on the Portland run.

On account of being on a seven day schedule while the Breakwater makes a five day run to Coos Bay and return, the two steamers have not been close enough together before to have a race.

With but half an hour separating the two steamers on the way up the river it is expected that the two masters will make every effort to continue the race up the river.

CREDIT FOR COLUMBIA RIVER Legislation on Lumber Shipments Will Be Requested.

To gain for the Columbia river the credit for shipping all the lumber that crosses over the bar, the Port of Portland commission yesterday took action which it is believed will result in favorable legislation being secured in Washington.

CREW WILL BE ENTIRELY NEW Captain Shaw, Seattle Navigator, to Command Steamer Wand.

A new master, new chief officer and an entire new crew will take the steamer Wand out to Alaska for the Portland Steamship Co., according to announcement from the office of the Portland Steamship Co.

Exports Retarded by Fire Sound to Ship Barley, Instead, on British Steamer.

Along the Waterfront The two dredgers, Columbia and Willamette, of the Port of Portland, have cut 4000 feet of channel at Postoffice Point.

Marine Notes Astoria, Or., July 10.—Sailed at 1:30 a. m. Steamer Klamath, for San Pedro. Sailed at 3:30 a. m.—British steamer Lord Seton, for Victoria.

Daily River Readings. Station Name, River, Height, Change in Height, etc.

River Forecast. The Willamette river at Portland will fall slightly during the next two or three days.

Business Men to Assist. The cost of erecting booths and the incidental expenses of the Montavilla market at East Seventy-ninth and East Stark streets has all been met by contributions from the local business men.

Wants Damages for Fire. Liability of the J. M. Leach Iron Works for a fire which destroyed the residence of George Hayden, 167 Union avenue because the iron works failed to equip their plant with spark arresters is alleged in a suit for \$5000 damages filed yesterday by Hayden against the company.

Defendants Get Verdict. A verdict for Marshal Adam Treber and Officer John F. Mitchell, both of St. Johns, was returned this morning by a jury in Circuit Judge McGinn's court in the \$2500 damage suit brought by Joe Lemma for alleged false arrest. The defendants arrested Lemma on the supposition that he assisted a man wanted for assaulting another man to get out of town and he was later released from the charge.

OUSTING OF MAJORITY OF BRIDGE REPAIRERS IS HELD SIGNIFICANT

Seven of Nine Have Been Let Out Despite Statement No Change in Force Intended.

MATTHEWS' HAND IS SEEN

Holman's Daylight Method of Doing Business Considered Responsible for Activity of Opponents.

Within the last two days seven of the nine members of the crew employed by the county to repair bridges and ferries have been summarily discharged, and this in the face of a statement of Madison Welch, new county superintendent of bridges and ferries, that he would make no changes in the personnel of the crew.

Welch took office Wednesday. He was elected by Commissioners Lightner and Hart to succeed M. J. Murnane, whom the same commissioners deposed for political reasons, which were masked behind flimsy charges.

As soon as Welch took charge of his office he appointed William Little, foreman of the bridge and ferry repair crew, Little had served in a similar capacity when Welch was superintendent prior to his dismissal in June of 1913.

Immediately after Little was put on the job he gave the order dismissing six members of the crew, and this morning the seventh was given his walking papers. Virtually every man so discharged was experienced in the work, and had been employed continuously by the county for periods ranging from a year to four years.

Grand Jury Dismissed. After a disagreement by the jury in the case of Florence Swanson against J. M. Marlow for \$15,000 on account of injuries received in a motorcycle accident Circuit Judge McGinn dismissed the jury last night.

Grand Jury Adjourns. The grand jury adjourned yesterday after returning one secret indictment and will not convene again until August 3 unless important business demands consideration prior to that date.

People May Provide Own Playgrounds Irvington Park Publication Advises Against Waiting for City to Act on Recent Request Made.

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Full of Photographs and Features The Sunday Journal Magazine

Some of next Sunday's good things:— PICTORIAL PAGES TO THE SUMMIT OF MOUNT HOOD

SEVENTEEN ACRES OF MIDSUMMER FUN A JOURNAL staff photographer recently visited Peninsula Park and recorded an attractive page full of photographs of the varied recreation features to be found there.

MEN AND WOMEN IN THE NEWS The latest photographs of the men and women who are making daily history always have interest to every reader who keeps abreast of the news.

ILLUSTRATED FEATURES THE AIRBOAT AMERICA READY TO TRY TRANSATLANTIC FLIGHT

FLETCHER, NEW COMMANDER OF THE ATLANTIC FLEET No more sterling character is in the navy than Rear Admiral Frank Friday Fletcher, the hero of Vera Cruz, who soon succeeds Rear Admiral Badger as commander of the Atlantic fleet.

MISS EDYTHE HAVEMEYER TO WED THE EARL OF EUSTON When the earl succeeds his father as Duke of Grafton, this American girl will take precedence of all other Americans who have married English dukes.

VODKA AND ITS INFLUENCE ON RUSSIAN CHARACTER In the sixth article in his series on Russia and the Russians, Kurt Aram discusses the disastrous effects upon the peasants of the government sale of "the little rascals."

Coupon No. 2 in THE SUNDAY JOURNAL'S Great offer of Free Theatre Tickets with full explanation as to how to secure them will be found on page eight of the Magazine.

The Ultimate Chic, by Harrison Rhodes, is The Sunday Journal's fiction offering for July 12. This story will be printed on Page 6 of Section 6.

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