

The Daily Astorian.

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A GUEST OF NATURE.

Written for THE ASTORIAN. By the Clatsop Bard.
Some folk think that I must be lonely;
But I don't see the good reason why;
With my book and the Muse
I would often excuse
The gayest of gay company.

With the first golden ray in the morning
That gilds the green top of the trees,
My companions troop in,
With their clatter and din,
And begrudge me one moment of ease,

And chalk out the routine of business
For performance thro'out the whole day,
With sometimes a broad hint
That time lost, or mis-spent,
Is a loss to us ever and aye.

I live on the proceeds of labor
Performed by own willing hands;
That, with thought, care, and toil,
I extract from the soil,—
And the cattle that browse o'er my lands.

Though I have no human companions
I mentally see them all 'round,
In their hurry and strife
Through the battle of life,
And in misery enough, I'll be bound.

I love to commune with my fellows,
When harmony plays her whole part;
Then each grip of the hand,
As by magical wand,
Stamps its friendly impress on the heart.

And why should they think me so lonely
When a neighbor like Nature it near,
To remind us each hour
In the dew drop and flower, [sphere?]
Of the grandeur that decks the whole

And fancy paints millions all 'round me,
And I'm thronged with a vast company,
When I watch the bright stars,
Or the sun's golden bars
When he dips his bright disk in the sea.

In Nature there's much to amuse us
And afford us the best company,
From the first bud in Spring
To the last leaves that cling
In the clear, to the hoar silvered tree.

No lover of Nature is lonely,
If he's blessed with the organ of sight
He admires the gay tints
That the bright sunbeams glint
From his warm golden chariot of light.

All sounds, toned by Nature, is music
To the ear that can catch the rich strain
From the echo that fills
Each concave in the hills
To the waters that sing on the Maine.

In Nature, there's much to inspire us;
With awe, as the seasons roll round
In the lightning's bright flash,
In the thunders loud crash,
And the hurricane's terrific sound.

In Nature there's much to inspire us
With thoughts most grand and sublime;
Of the first, or great cause
Of infallible laws [time].
By which form'd, and exists, throughout
CLATSOP.

ENCOURAGE STRANGERS.—The following excerpt from the Statesman is worthy of reproduction. The words apply to Astoria, as well as Walla Walla. The Statesman says: "When strangers come here with means and propose to engage in business, encourage them in all possible ways. If they desire a lot for building purposes, sell it to them at a reasonable rate. If they wish to establish a manufacturing enterprise, and require water power, don't ask them three times as much as the privilege is worth. If you do the chance is that they will seek some other locality, and leave you with unproductive property on your hands. Owing to want of foresight the woolen mills were driven to Dayton, and in the end have been the means of building up a formidable rival to Walla Walla. The originators of that enterprise desired to locate here, but finding that water power could only be had at an enormous outlay, they accepted the donation of a mill site from Jesse Day, and built their factory at a town that then only had an existence on paper. The surest way to build up a town is to deal liberally with strangers. In the early settlement of the northwest coast, Oregon-city had the lead and promised to be the chief town in the country. Holders of town lots taking advantage of this, held their property at extravagant figures. The result was the location of a town named Portland, and Oregon-city speculators were left out in the cold. Like beggars like, and if a self-help policy killed Oregon-city, it may prove injurious to other towns. "Welcome the stranger within your gate," is an old injunction, the wisdom of which is just as apparent now as when first uttered. Let us welcome new comers, aid them in securing locations, and in all suitable ways make them feel that we are joined with them in the bonds of a common humanity."

The love of life, the desire for health and passion for wealth, are three of the strongest laws that operate in the breast of the human family. Wherever life can be most prolonged, health best secured, and wealth most easily acquired, there the tide of emigration and population is as sure to flow as the needle points to the north pole. It is the growing knowledge that all this is true of Oregon that is causing it to attract so much public attention and draw so many farmers, emigrants, tourists and capitalists to come and enjoy and profit by them.

Eighteen thousand persons emigrated in 1876 from the Eastern and Western States to Oregon.

MISCELLANEOUS

Temple Lodge, No. 7, A. F. A. M.
Regular Communications first and third Saturdays in each month, at 7:30 o'clock, P. M., at the Hall in Astoria. Members of the Order, in good standing, are invited to attend. By order of the W. M.

Beaver Lodge No. 35, I. O. O. F.
Meet every Friday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Odd Fellow's Hall, cor. of Cass and Chenamus streets, Astoria. Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order, N. G.

Astoria Lodge No. 40, I. O. O. F.
Regular Meeting every Tuesday Evening at 7:30 o'clock, at Good Templar's Hall, Chenamus Street, Astoria, over C. L. Parker's Store. Members of the Order, in good standing, are invited to attend. Degree meeting 1st Monday each month. By order W. C. T.

Common Council.
Regular meetings first and third Monday evenings of each month, at 7:30 o'clock. Persons desiring to have matters acted upon by the Council, at any regular meeting, must present the same to the Auditor and Clerk on or before the Friday evening prior to the Monday on which the Council holds its regular meetings. By order of the Council, F. J. Taylor, Auditor.

Astoria Engine Co. No. 1.
Regular monthly meeting will be held at the hall of the Company, on the second Tuesday of each month, at 7 o'clock P. M. Members are expected to attend promptly, if not the usual fines will be imposed against them, unless legal excuse is offered. By order of the Company, A. VAN DUSEN, President. R. N. CARNAHAN, Secretary.

Cemetery Notice.
The undersigned Sexton of the Astoria Cemetery, in view of the fact that the cemetery grounds are now permanently located, wishes all persons owning lots in the grounds to report the number and block to him; also, all persons who have buried friends in the grounds at any time, are requested to address him through the Post-office, or call upon him at his office, and furnish him with a list, embracing the name of deceased, age, when buried, the lot or block upon which the burial was made, and such other information as will enable him to bring order out of chaos. F. FERRELL, City Sexton. Astoria, Oregon, Sept. 20, 1877.

BUSINESS CARDS.

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Notary Public and Commissioner of Deeds for California and Washington Territory.
Astoria, Oregon.
OFFICE—Over Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express Office in Van Dusen's building, cor. Cass and Jefferson streets.

F. D. WINTON,
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Office in Warren & McGuire's Building, ASTORIA, OREGON.

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PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
ASTORIA, OREGON.
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FOR SALE.
A Laundry in good running order and complete in every appointment; situated on Concomly street, Astoria. Said laundry has been in successful operation for the past three years. Or will lease the same for a term of from five to ten years, to responsible parties. For further particulars inquire of J. T. BORCHERS, On the premises.

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