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Items From Pacific County.
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An effort should be made to build up through travel between Astoria and Grays Harbor by way of Shoalwater bay. The present mode of egress and ingress to Gray's Harbor, instead of coming this way, the shortest route, is around by the way of Portland and Olympia. This route was at one time a rather profitable one by the simple fact that people were accommodated along the route and means of travel were placed within their reach.
Four of the crew of the life saving station at North Cove, under Capt. John Brown, quit the service last Friday, on short notice. They are Lincoln Davis, Tom Johnson, Charles Harmon and Thomas Oxford. The cause of their departure is owing to the extreme low wages paid by the government—only forty dollars per month. Capt. Brown was in Oysterville Sunday and at that time had procured one new man and was contemplating a trip to Astoria Monday morning to procure the other three.

The water on Shoalwater bay bar is deeper than ever before. There is now 24 or 25 feet of water on the bar at low tide. This is accounted for by heavy rains and fresh water from the rivers seeking an outlet to the ocean, which naturally wash out the channels. The bar on the bay seems to be improving as the years go by.
Last Sunday, as A. L. Loomis, E. G. Loomis, James Ellsworth and Jo Surprenant were coming into Oysterville they deserted about a mile north of Ocean Park, what proved to be the remains of Michael Bugge, the unfortunate mate of the tug *Hunter*, who perished thirteen days before. He was carried to a place of safety on the beach and upon the arrival of the party in Oysterville information was given of the finding of the body, and a team went out and carried it hither. It was encased in a roughly constructed box and Monday's boat carried it to South Bend, where it will be properly interred under the auspices of the I. O. O. F. of that place. The reward of \$50 offered for the body will now be forthcoming.

Numerous complaints are leveled at the head of the Astoria postmaster, over his inefficiency in handling mail matter. We don't like to complain, but we would like to receive THE ASTORIAN the same day it is published, instead of several days thereafter with a stamp mark declaring it to be "missent." We send letters to Astoria, and usually hear from them the third or fourth day, while we should, under ordinary circumstances get a reply the day following. Some one has got to wake up or they may get left in the procession.
The mail between Oysterville and Astoria via Knappton has that dim and uncertain air which seems to be hovering over our mail facilities generally, just at present. The sub-contract is \$800 per year between Astoria and this place once a week. Capt. Grounds gets \$400 between Astoria and Knappton while the other \$400 is allotted to this end. It is an absurd proposition to think of carrying the mail from Knappton, seven miles over a trail and thence twenty miles by water 52 times a year, for the paltry sum of \$400. Not less than \$800 should be paid for this end of the route. In the meantime it seems probable that no mail will be carried at all, and the people of the Nasel are to be cut off from Uncle Sam's patronage, or else thrown upon their own resources.

Something like three years ago, a young man between 25 and 30 years of age, named John Clark, took up a preemption claim upon the Nemah river, this county, but a prolonged absence of more than a year has given rise to the theory in the minds of his friends that he is dead. He was employed last season as boat puller on the lower Columbia during the fishing season, and since the latter part of

the season nothing has been seen or heard from him. He was slightly lame owing to a crooked ankle.
Oysterville and Bay Center have been considerably exercised during last week over a scandal and alleged seduction. The facts of the case are briefly as follows: New Year's eve a party was given in Oysterville to which two couple of Bay Center and vicinity came. They stayed in Oysterville over night, returning to their homes the following day, where in some unaccountable manner the story gained credence that an undue intimacy existed between them while attending the New Year's festivities. One of the couple were married forthwith, but the other young man at the instance of a citizen of Bay Center was arrested and brought to Oysterville where after a lengthy and verbose trial he was held to appear at a higher court at bonds fixed at eight hundred dollars. He procured his bonds on Monday and was set at liberty. The names of the respective parties in this sensation are withheld through respect to their friends.—*Journal*.

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