

NEWS FROM THE WEST SIDE

"JUNCTION CITY" A STIRING POINT

The Clang of the Locomotive Bell Sweet Music to the Ear.

Everything is moving along with more than the usual amount of vim at Warrenton, now that the new train service is in effect.

SEASIDE.

A number of new cottages have been completed recently, and nearly every available dwelling is occupied.

The weather has been quite warm and pleasant for bathing this past week, and many availed themselves of a dip in the surf.

Norman Pierce, Jr. is taking in the beaches—his usual summer assignment. Mr. Pierce has made a reputation on his beach articles.

H. F. L. Logan has purchased C. W. Holmes' blooded driving horse, Bayo. Mr. Logan thinks his pet too precious to be handled by anyone but himself.

Fishers of crabs have been distributing their catches in town and at the grove. This seems to have been a favorable week for taking this species of shellfish.

Prof. Beggs gave an invitation party last night, which was attended by a goodly number and an extremely pleasant evening was passed.

Mrs. J. M. Gillette and Mrs. J. T. Campbell, her guest, have been visiting Astoria for a few days. When they return Mrs. Ross the Astoria milliner will accompany them.

Grammar is the study at Seaside, now. That is to say, at least, that the different tones of "strikes" are absorbing considerable attention, and the place seems to be "stuck" on bowling.

Last Sunday the river captains took the place by storm, and there were masters enough to establish a university. Among them were Captains Sullivan, Pease, Snow, Bailey and Gray.

H. F. L. Logan has leased Grimes' Grove for the season, and has the "privileges" in charge. He already has quite a city of tents on his domain, and his resort will doubtless be a popular one.

The Gillette cottage has been full of guests during the week. C. W. Holmes, Frank Curran, Jno. W. Welch and Chester Fox, of Astoria, and Mrs. T. J. Campbell, of Portland, have been visitors with Mrs. Gillette, as also has J. M. Gillette.

Excitement ran high a few days ago, when in a closely contested game in which Judge Bradshaw, of The Dalles, and Messrs. Stearns and Harlow, of Portland, participated, the last named broke the Seaside record and put it on the board. Mrs. Wm. Gadsby, of Portland, has set the high water mark for the ladies by rolling up 35 points. There are no "ladies' days" here, and still the horrid men have no monopoly on the time, as both ladies and gentlemen have access to the alleys, whenever they are open.

PLAVEL AND PORT STEVENS

Mrs. E. A. King is visiting at Point Adams.

The new station at New Astoria is an improvement.

Superintendent C. A. Flaeger inspected the works this week.

Miss Jessie Jewett was a guest at the light house last Sunday.

The party at Ford's hall Saturday was a pleasant affair, as usual.

Mr. Will Doyle, of San Francisco, was taking in the sights of this section on his wheel last Sunday.

Frederick Curtis of the construction company visited Plavel and went over this end of the line Tuesday.

The picnic of Grace church Sunday school last Tuesday was a pleasant affair. The children had a merry time.

Capt. O. W. Coulton, inspector of the Life Saving Service, made his regular inspection of Point Adams station Thursday.

The music at Hotel Plavel Saturday evening is a very great attraction. Many people from Warrenton spent the evening at the hotel and enjoyed the music by dancing.

While lowering the life boat Thursday morning Joseph McGuire was badly hurt. Dr. J. A. Fulton was called and found two bad cuts in the head and a rib broken, but the patient is doing well at present.

Mr. Leroy Munson and wife, of Akron, Ohio, arrived at Fort Stevens yesterday

and will remain a week with Lightkeeper Munson, who is their uncle. They were in attendance at the Christian Endeavor convention at San Francisco.

CANNON BEACH.

Mrs. Clayton and daughter are spending a few days at their beautiful resort.

Ed Brallier and wife arrived on Friday morning to spend a short time on their old homestead.

Robt. Gibson has been spending the week on the beach, but went back to the city Saturday evening.

The beach has been in fine condition for clams, crabs and other shell delicacies, because of the extremely low tides this week.

New furniture is arriving at Logan's Elk creek hotel every week. The house will soon be in first-class shape for the summer visitors.

Rev. Mr. Dunlap and Rev. Mr. Waller have been spending a few days at "Bryvan Park." As a result a new rustic house is assuming shape among the spruce boughs.

One of the most beautiful sights on the beach is Seal Rock with its hundreds of sealions from the monster "Old settler" weighing a ton or more, to the little baby flume as long as one's arm.

A new family has arrived on the beach but the residents have not learned their name yet. From the oldest to the youngest they know how to enjoy themselves. To see them clamber over the rocks and roll in the sand, and dig clams, and rake crabs, is to enter into the pleasure of a summer resort with them.

WARRENTON.

Chas. Kelley has purchased an interest in Palmberg's saloon, and is now in full possession.

Painters have begun work on the cottage of W. B. Edwards. C. M. Cuthbert of Astoria has the contract.

A number of Eastern men have visited this place during the past week, several of them making small investments in property.

Quite a number of Warrenton people paid a visit to Flavel Saturday night, and enjoyed the music of Parsons' excellent orchestra.

Work of planking the streets of East Warrenton will commence in a few days. One street will probably be extended through to Sunnymead.

A crowd of Warrenton people went up the Lewis and Clark last night on the Fanchion to attend the wedding of Mr. Ben Olsen and Miss Hartell.

Since Warrenton's streets have been paved, bicycle riding is becoming quite the thing. Many new wheels have been brought into this place in the past six months.

The new bicycle track being constructed from Warrenton to a junction with the Flavel beach track is progressing rapidly. The contractor on the Flavel division will have the first mile completed in a few days.

A party of Warrenton people, among whom are Mr. Dinmore and family, Miss Dear, Fannie Kirkley and Mr. McKenzie and daughter, have chartered the launch Fanchion and will visit Ilwaco, Canby and North Beach today.

D. K. Warren is certainly a progressive citizen, and Warrenton is fortunate in having him as a resident. He is constantly planning for the future good of the city, and is backing it with all the money at his command.

ILWACO.

Mr. Carmichael, of Astoria, visited Ilwaco this week.

Wm. Hall and family have returned from the Sound.

Mr. Dan Williams who has been confined at St. Mary's hospital Astoria, is home again.

Mr. L. A. Loomis, president of the I. R. & N. Co., is absent at Olympia on legal business.

Mr. Chas. S. Fee, of the Northern Pacific railroad, has his family located at Long Beach for the summer.

It is understood that certain charges have been made in connection with the Life Saving Service, and that Inspector Coulson's visit to this place was to investigate them.

Ilwaco is justly proud of her foot ball team, and there is not a resident who will not say that the Bartley cup will certainly remain here. The local press devotes columns to the sport.

Mrs. Moffat, deputy grand commander at large, of the L. O. T. U., instituted at least at Chinook, with 25 charter members, not long since, says the Journal, Nahcotta was also visited and a lodge instituted there with 28 members.

On Tuesday Major James Chester of the Third Artillery, U. S. A. arrived at Fort Canby from Alcatraz Island, San Francisco bay, to succeed Major Kenzie, in command. Major Kenzie will be assigned to another post, probably the latter part of this month. Everyone knows the popularity of Major Kenzie and his family, and everyone at the Fort and Ilwaco, as well as their friends in Astoria, are loath to have them depart, but realize that it is among the fortunes of war. Major Chester in addition to his qualifications as a soldier is said to be a writer of ability, on scientific subjects. It is probable that his stay at Canby will be short as he will be eligible

to the retired list in about a year, when he will reach the age of 61 years.

TAKING THE DEGREES.

A bicyclist named O'Brien, of San Francisco, went into a store the other day and said, "I want to buy a thermometer."

The young man in charge smiled, took a cheap thermometer off the wall, and sold it to O'Brien for \$1.

"Where do you put it on?" he asked. The joker tied it to the crossbar, and O'Brien pedaled off through the park.

STOLE HIS OWN APPLE.

It will surprise many to know that Washington Irving was confessed orchard thief. Once while picking up an apple in his own orchard he was accosted by an urchin of the neighborhood, who, not recognizing him as the proprietor, offered to show him a tree where he could get some better apples than those.

"But," said the boy, "we must not let the old man see us."

"I went with him," said Irving, "and we stole about a dozen or two of my own apples and then went shares."

HE LIKED THE FAMILY.

"Dick proposed to me last night." "What did you tell him?" "I said he had better ask mamma, and what do you think the wretch said?" "Goodness knows!"

"He said he had asked her already, and she wouldn't have him."—Boston Beacon.

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DOING WELL.

"Yes," said Mr. Corneset proudly, "my boy Josiah is doing fine. He was the best in his class at college."

"Did he tell you which class?" inquired the summer boarder.

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TURNED THE OTHER CHEEK.

I kissed her lightly on the cheek, Her face blazed up as I could see; I thought in scathing terms she'd speak— She turned the other cheek to me! —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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WELL QUALIFIED.

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