

# NEWS FROM THE WEST SIDE

## THE BOOM AT WARRENTON

Everything Hustles and Bustles to the Tune of the Hammer and Saw.

Warrenton, July 23.—Everything is bustle and bustle here now, and the sound of hammer and saw can be heard on all sides. New houses are going up in all parts of the town and addition streets are rapidly being planned. Not a day passes but a number of visitors are seen on the streets and not a few are making investments. The trucking gang have been on the trestle work between Astoria and Tongue Point during the past week, but there is still a large force of men at work on the track here and towards Seaside.

### WARRENTON.

The picnic-shot here Friday was a decided success, several enthusiasts from Astoria being present.

D. K. Warren is getting a good crop of hay from his land this year. The cutting is now in progress.

The town was almost depopulated Saturday afternoon, nearly everybody having gone to Astoria to attend the circus.

Work goes steadily on with the bicycle road construction, and it is hoped to make connection with the Flavel branch at an early day.

It is said that Warrenton is soon to have a new lumber yard. Just who it is that contemplates starting a yard is not definitely known, but it is thought to be one of the up-river mills.

Several good-sized deals in real estate were consummated this week. Mr. Mason, of the firm of Mason & Warren, is authority for the story that 13 lots were sold in their place, such news cannot help being good news.

A gentleman from Portland was in the city yesterday consulting with several citizens regarding a flouring mill on this side of the bay. His idea is that the people of this side take stock in the mill, which seems to meet with general favor.

### SEASIDE.

The Seaside house had 39 guests last Sunday.

Crabs were very plentiful during the past week.

Mrs. W. Seymour Short is visiting Mrs. J. T. Lighter.

G. V. Porter, of Astoria, spent Sunday at his cottage.

Miss Lana Stoner is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stoner.

Mrs. J. Curran and her two daughters are here for the season.

Mayor Taylor, of Astoria, and family were down for Sunday.

There are more bicycles on the beach this year than ever before.

Mr. Warren, of Portland, has opened a photograph gallery in town.

And even Seaside's can not evade the festive peddlers and tramps.

Mr. Dolly, the ice cream and fruit dealer, is doing a rushing business.

Bowling still continues the fad in spite of Seaside prices for the privilege.

Captain Sullivan, of the Potter, and his wife spent Sunday at the beach.

Misses Pacey Helborn and Grace Stokes are visiting Miss Minnie Lighter.

Mrs. Wiley B. Allen and Miss Nettie Wilson arrived Saturday at the Allen cottage.

Mrs. E. C. Holden and daughter, Miss Pearl, spent last Sunday with Mrs. McKenzie.

F. C. Fisher and Judge Lighter, of Astoria, spent Sunday, as usual, with their families.

Gus Holmes' cottage is always full of guests, and he and his family are popular hosts.

John Kopp spent Sunday with his family, and his wife on his return to Astoria.

Sheriff Hare and wife spent Sunday at the beach, and searched for a cottage for the season.

Mr. Joe Chamberlain, of the O. R. & N. Co. at Portland, spent last Sunday with his family.

Miss Fossett returned to Astoria this week, after a very pleasant visit at the Holmes Cottage.

Mr. Hettinger, of The Dalles, returned home Thursday, but expects to return the first of August.

J. T. Ross arrived Saturday evening and spent Sunday with his family at the old Gearhart home.

Lawyer Thompson and family made a two days trip to Astoria last week, but returned for Sunday.

Now that the life line is in place there will be many more bathers. Mr. Logan is determined to make a popular resort

out of Grimes Grove beach this year and will make all welcome who come.

Sheriff Hare is determined that we shall have a peaceful summer, so keeps his eye on the hoodlums.

Mr. Dan J. Moore arrived last Saturday on a visit to his family. He was met in Astoria by Mrs. Moore.

Mrs. Clayton, her daughter Miss Fannie and son Edmund, spent several days at Cannon Beach the past week.

The many friends of Mrs. Fanny Austin will be pleased to hear that she is improving in health, though slowly.

J. H. Glover, freight agent of the O. R. & N. Co. at Portland, arrived last Saturday on a visit to his mother and sister.

There will be a very enjoyable house party at Elk creek next month, as H. P. L. Logan has invited a party of guests for the 15th.

Mr. Bridges, the Portland contractor, has located his family in their handsome new cottage. The cottage is the finest at the beach.

Harry Mitchell, traveler for Staver, Walker, Mitchell Co. of Portland, arrived on Saturday and located his family in the Lewiston cottage.

Herman Wise was down in full force last Sunday, captaining Holly McGuire for the day, so the fish and game commissioner asserted.

Among the Astorians that visited the beach last Sunday were Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Conn, Miss Conn, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Welch and Mr. Hardesty.

### FLAVEL AND PORT STEVENS.

The circus train Saturday night was well patronized.

W. C. Smith and wife are guests at Flavel this week.

Mrs. James M. Turney is recovering from her recent illness.

Capt. John Dabbidge and wife visited Mr. and Mrs. Kindred last Sunday.

Miss Gussie Gray, of Astoria, was a guest of Miss Munson last Wednesday.

Hon. J. H. Smith spent Thursday at New Astoria, looking over his real estate.

Mrs. E. Pengra, of the United Artisans, paid her new assembly a visit last week.

F. N. Munson of Astoria was visiting at Point Adams for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Knowles and Miss Knowles were guests at Hotel Flavel this week.

J. B. Hiltman spent Wednesday at Flavel, and also visited other points of interest.

Mrs. E. M. Lally is beautifying her place with a new coat of paint, inside and out.

Late trains to and from Astoria, on the night of pleasant entertainments, such as last Monday's, are much appreciated.

Leroy Munson and wife, who were visiting their uncle J. W. Munson, left for their home in Akron, Ohio, last Friday.

The Point Adams life saving crew saved two more men last Wednesday, the boat capsized in the river opposite the station.

Joseph McGuire who was seriously hurt a short time ago is slowly improving. He is in Astoria at present, under the immediate care of Dr. J. A. Fulton.

Blackberries are very plentiful in the woods, but since the report that a cougar's track has been seen in the vicinity there are few pickers.

The new bowling alley at Flavel is nearing completion. The alleys are being put in this week. The bath houses are nearly finished, and the plank road to the beach is being built just as fast as material can be obtained.

"Clondyke" and "miner" are the topics of conversation among the boys at the works, and it talk will build ships a whole fleet will be in readiness to take them all to the land of the midnight sun, by the time spring has come.

The steamer "Grady" that has been lying at New Astoria dock, waiting an opportunity to get out, succeeded in crossing out Tuesday evening. Capt. James Denny was busy renewing old friendships, and planning excursions about the river, and he has been delayed much longer.

All the new guns that have recently been received at the fort are mounted and ready for action, be it with Japan or any other nation. The torpedo canal is also completed. The sand embankments are being covered over with a good soil, brought from Scarborough hill on barges, in order that the grass may soon grow.

### SUNNYMEAD.

As soon as grass is cut, the principal streets will be planked. Lumber for this is on the ground.

Col. and Dr. Adair were in Astoria Thursday morning on business. The new motor service is proving a great convenience to parties living at "Sunny-mead."

The supervisor of Road District No. 1 is patiently awaiting for the county court to put in lumber for the bridge across Adair's creek. As soon as this

is done the bridge will be completed at once.

The park on the back of Sunny-mead has yielded a fine crop of hay this year. The click of the mower has been heard there for the past week.

### GEARHART PARK.

Mrs. M. J. Kinney and Miss Kinney opened their cottage on Wednesday, with Miss Killen of Portland as their guest.

A large "Crow's Nest" is occupied by Misses Marion McAdams, Ada House, Elele Elmore and Ruth Aurelia Mason.

Mrs. Lienowebber, Astoria, Mrs. I. W. Hall, Mrs. Crandall and daughter of Quinn, spent Tuesday at Hotel Gearhart.

C. H. Breeder and Chas. King, of Astoria, spent Sunday at Hotel Gearhart, having come over on their wheels, by the way of the beach.

Bathing is being indulged in more and more every day, and large crowds are usually at the beach, waiting for the bath flag to be raised.

Mrs. Miles C. Moore, Frank Moore and Miss Clara Chittenden, of Walla Walla, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Preston are comfortably fixed in the Reed cottage at the park.

J. F. Grant and Harry Phillips, Astoria, brought their wheels over, and spent Sunday at the hotel. It is said they walked part of the way in the foot prints of two other Astoria wheelmen.

The favorite dress for men this season seems to be knee breeches topped with the ever present sweater, while the same desire for freedom and comfort is manifest in short skirt and walking boots for the gentler sex.

The following are the highest daily scores for the week in bowling:

Sunday, July 19th.

Miss Pearl Cook, Portland..... 52

Monday, July 20th.

H. I. Mitchell, Milwaukee..... 42

Tuesday, July 21st.

F. Moore, Walla Walla..... 38

Wednesday, July 22nd.

Miss Killen, Portland..... 40

Thursday, July 23rd.

John Botkin, Portland..... 69

Friday, July 24th.

F. Drake, Portland..... 22

### OTHER INTERIOR TOWNS.

T. H. McGill, of Cathlamet, made a business trip to Astoria Wednesday.

Miss Mary Anderson has returned to her home at Nelsheim after visiting several weeks in Astoria.

Mrs. A. F. Kruger, of Astoria, will teach the school in the Graham district. Miss Asmus having resigned.

Some twenty to thirty visitors of distinction from Seattle, Astoria, Portland, Forest Grove, etc., will take part in the dedication services of the new church at Cathlamet today at 11 a. m.

The Knappa correspondent of the Gazette says: "We are anxiously awaiting the advent of the rail-layers, who we see have started for Knappa, and hope that better times will come in with the toot of the long-looked-for locomotive."

A bad accident happened in Kent's logging camp Saturday. While hauling logs down a steep grade, the logs ran on to the team, killing two oxen outright and crippling another. The late rains having made the road very slippery was the cause of the accident.—Clatskanie Chief.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire and gave it to men. For this he was bound to the rock of Mount Caucasus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was necked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined?

Take a modern interpretation of the parable. There is no cooking without fire. In cooking and eating the mischief lies. The stomach is overtaxed, the bowels become clogged, they cannot dispose of the food that is given them. The impurities back up on the liver. Then come the vultures—the torments of a diseased liver. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is more than equal to the vultures of dyspepsia and its kindred diseases. There is no more need of suffering from dyspepsia than there is of hanging one's self. Sold by all medicine dealers the world over.

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### THE VERDICT.

"Won't you try the chicken soup, Judge?" asked Mrs. Small of her boarder, not noticing that he had gone beyond the soup stage in his dinner.

"I have tried it, madam," replied the Judge. "The chicken has proved an ailment."—Truth.

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