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Drifted Snow flour \$3.50 at the Pat Market.

Best 10-cent meal, Rising Sun restaurant, 412 Commercial street.

W. J. Heckard's 1 X L creamery butter 40c per roll at the Parlor.

Those who have tried the ice cream served at the Parlor say it is the best in the city.

Enjoy a good square meal for 15 cents at the Denver Kitchen on Ninth street. White cook.

Best California wine 25 cents per gallon. Alex Gilbert, sole agent for Astoria. Telephone 24.

Fruit trays to order at the Parlor; same price as ice cream, except pine apple, which is 15 cents higher.

Cream Pure Rye, America's finest whiskey. The only pure goods, guaranteed rich and mellow. John L. Carlson, sole agent.

Desirable unfurnished rooms, centrally located, suitable for offices or living rooms, may be had by applying at the Astorian office.

For Rent—Three furnished rooms, on ground floor, suitable for light housekeeping, centrally located. 414 Exchange street, near Ninth.

Kelly's transfer wagons deliver box loads to any part of the city on short notice. All orders left at Ziegler's furniture store, 320 Commercial street, will receive prompt attention. Telephone 234.

Bargains in new and second hand wheels, from \$5 up. New and first-class wheels kept for rent. Sole agents for the famous Rambler. Repairs and sundries at lowest rates. Columbia Electrical & Repair Co., 322 Bond.

The new Creamery Restaurant, Bond street, near the alley between 11th and 12th streets, serves the best 15-cent meal ever set out in Astoria. Everything is new, neat and clean, and absolute satisfaction is guaranteed all patrons.

During this fine weather is the time to secure a good supply of wood to season for winter use. The Astoria Wood Company is now ready to furnish any quantity of extra fine yellow fir sawwood from the Knappa mills. Send in your orders.

Sometimes it is as hard to write as it was in those days when the painfully copied wise injunction, "Be good and you will be happy."

WHEN YOU RIDE YOUR WHEEL

Always shake into your shoes Allen's Foot-Kase, a powder for the feet. It keeps your feet cool, prevents sweating feet, and makes your ride a pleasure. Over one million wheel people are using Allen's Foot-Kase. They all praise it. It gives rest and comfort to aching, hot, swollen, aching feet and is a certain cure for ingrowing nails. All the druggists and shoe stores, Etc. Sample free by mail. Address, Allen S. Oimsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

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Have 100 Stores—
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Yesterday in the police court, John Doyle was a solitary offender, he having been drunk and disorderly. As he wanted to leave town as soon as possible Judge Nelson was lenient and imposed a light fine of \$2.

The funeral of James Black, the longshoreman, who was found dead Thursday morning, will take place this afternoon from Coroner Pohl's undertaking parlors at 2:30, interment being in Greenwood cemetery.

The Rowing Club is considering the proposition of giving a moonlight excursion in the near future to Flavel, where they will give a dance at the Hotel Flavel. Mrs. Guillaume, the proprietress, having kindly tendered the use of the hotel for an evening to the club.

The injunction case of the Can Company against the oil works, which was tried before Judge Bellinger of the United States circuit court in Portland yesterday, was remanded back to the state circuit court and will come up before Judge McBride at the next session of the court.

The Red Cross and Emergency corps met yesterday afternoon, and appointed a committee to confer with committees from other organizations about entering the volunteers when they return from the Philippines, provided they come through Astoria. The policy which was raffled was won by Mr. L. Burroughs.

The 7-year-old son of Mr. Sanderson, of Alderbrook, is suffering from a crushed foot, the result of an accident yesterday. Together with some other boys he was playing with a heavy truck when one of the wheels ran over his foot, crushing it quite badly. Dr. J. A. Fulton attended him and a splint was placed on the foot, which was resting quite easily.

In the county court yesterday the petition of O. A. Cole and others for a bridge across Youngs river near the Youngs river falls, was favorably acted on, the petitioners showing that they will furnish the labor to construct said bridge, provided the court will furnish the material, costing about \$100. The clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for 50 cords of spruce lumber or vine maple, and 10 cords of hemlock wood, bids to be presented to the county clerk on or before the 25th day of August, 1899. Harry Holson was appointed keeper of the Youngs bay bridge at a salary of \$30 per month. The court examined the funds now in the hands of the treasurer and found they corresponded with his semi-annual report, and with the amounts on the books of the county clerk.

Those having occasion to use the electric cars yesterday afternoon doubtless noticed a break in the service, followed by a longer interruption between cars for the remainder of the day than the regular schedule calls for. This demoralization of the car service was caused by a drunken fisherman. He was standing on the rear platform of Conductor Slade's car and as the car swerved as it entered the switch near the Bay View house on Commercial street he lurched over and to save himself caught the trolley rope. When he let go the rope the trolley ran over up and caught in the hanger which holds the switch trolley wire. The car being firmly caught and the car moving at a fair speed it pulled the trolley wire down and tore the trolley arm loose from the top of the car, thus making it necessary to send the car to the shop for repairs. The car will be out again this morning when the regular service will be resumed.

Committees from the following organizations met in the council chamber last evening to make plans for the reception of the volunteers upon their return from Manila: Red Cross and Emergency corps. Women's Relief corps Grand Army of the Republic. Native Sons and the Naval Reserve. Mayor Bergman presided and W. A. Sherman acted as secretary. On motion of Judge Gray it was passed that each organization select one from their number to represent them in the executive committee to be formed of these delegates, this committee to devise ways and means of welcoming the returning volunteers. It is desired that the different organizations elect their representative as soon as possible, and hand their names to Secretary W. A. Sherman, so that the executive committee may get to work. It is thought that if the volunteers return by rail from San Francisco that this committee will go to Portland to represent Astoria in the welcome of the Oregon regiment.

P. F. Hafferty, proprietor of the Sea Beach Pickling Works at Warrenton, is in the city assisting in getting up the banquet for the visiting editors. Mr. Hafferty states that he will start up his clam pickling establishment the first of August, having had it closed since the first of June. June and July are the months in which the razor clams spawn and during that season each year Mr. Hafferty raises pickling. The clams put up by the Sea Beach Pickling Works are what is known as the razor clam, found only at the ocean beach, and which are dug from the sand at low tide. These clams divide honors with the Willapa bay oyster as the most delicious bivalve found on the Pacific coast. No perfect fish is so process prepared as the razor clam. The canned clams when opened have all the freshness and flavor of those just taken from the sea. While canning clams is comparatively a new business for Astoria, yet it is already becoming an industry of considerable importance. As people in the interior states find that the razor clam from the white sands of the Pacific coast is an entirely different article from the mud clams of other sections and learn its delicious flavor, the market will develop and the time is not distant when canning these clams will be one of Astoria's leading industries.

The Astorian is in receipt of the announcement and program of the Sixty annual assembly of the Willamette Valley Chautauqua Association, which will be held at Gladstone Park, Oregon City, from July 18 to 29, inclusive. This assembly has become one of the most successful in the United States and has grown to be the largest on the Pacific coast. From 300 to 500 people are present each day to enjoy the splendid lectures, high class music, and superior educational advantages presented by this institution. Classes in every department of literature, art and science are conducted by noted professors of the leading universities of the northwest. Athletics under the management of a capable physical director furnish variety to the exercises, the athletic grounds being one of the finest in the state. The park leaves nothing to be desired for a camping place, and many camp there during the entire season, there being every convenience desired for a summer's outing, and the natural beauties of the park make it a delightful place for recreation. The program announced for this year is a very high order. Sam Jones, the evangelist, being one of the leading speakers. Other noted divines and lecturers of national reputation are also on the program. The expense of persons attending this assembly is small, the management placing the rate of admission within the reach of all, 25 cents for a day ticket, or \$1.50 for a season ticket, good for the entire season. The fare from Portland is only 25 cents. The Chautauqua assembly is well known to all Americans and as a public educator is unequalled.

QUESTS OF THIS CITY.

Astoria to Greet the Editors With a Generous Western Welcome.

Chairman James W. Welch, of the chamber of commerce committee to arrange for the reception of the members of the National Editorial Association on their visit to Astoria today has proved, as on former occasions to be the man for the place, and to his efforts and to those of his fellow committeemen and those of the special committee of ladies, it is due that Astoria will today extend to her guests a welcome that for heartiness and spontaneity will not be excelled by any other town embraced in the itinerary. When the trains arrive this morning bearing the visitors, every detail for their reception will have been completed.

The new warehouse of the Astoria and Columbia River railroad, which the company generously tendered the committee, has been transformed into a perfectly arranged banquet hall. The great building has been handsomely decorated with evergreens, ferns and flowers, while in front of it, facing the depot, is a beautiful arch bearing the greeting of "Welcome Editors." Several big stoves have been put up and over 700 dishes, loaned by the merchants, have been provided for the tables. Five long tables, having seats for eight hundred guests, have been set up. The carry out the spirit of its being a fish dinner the seats will be new empty salmon boxes provided by the box factories. Fish of every variety known to this section will be the principal dishes named on the menu. The tables are to be handsomely decorated with flowers and beside each plate will be placed a souvenir for the guests. The ladies' committee, consisting of Mrs. James W. Welch, Mrs. C. W. Fulton, Mrs. R. Carruthers, Mrs. F. J. Taylor and Mrs. Brenham Van Dusen, will have charge of the tables. Each lady will have a corps of young ladies to assist her and their badges will correspond in color with the flowers on the table each is to serve. The culinary department is in the hands of W. W. Whipple, which is an assurance that nothing will be wanting in that department.

President Brenham Van Dusen of the Chamber of Commerce has appointed I. Bergman, P. L. Cherry, C. W. Fulton, J. H. D. Gray, John Fox, F. J. Taylor, Samuel Elmore, S. S. Gordon, Ben Young, D. K. Warren, C. S. Wright, H. P. Pratt, M. J. Kinney, H. C. Thompson, Jas. W. Welch, J. Q. A. Howley, G. W. Lounsbury, G. Wingate and J. S. Delinger as a special reception committee to receive the editors. Such of the committee as can will go up on this morning's train and meet the excursion train and escort the visitors into the city. At the depot the members of the chamber of commerce, with the Astoria Military band, will be in readiness to escort the editors to the banquet hall.

Lunch over, the guests will be shown about the city and through the canneries, after which they will be taken by train to Seaside for a sight of the Pacific ocean. On their return to Flavel they will be taken aboard the Gatzert and given a ride down the bay.

Before leaving Astoria each visitor will be presented by the Columbia River Packers Association with a can of salmon, around which is tied a handsome blue ribbon bearing in gold letters the words, "Souvenir, Columbia River Packers Association." The chamber of commerce will present to each visitor a souvenir pamphlet giving a brief description of Astoria and vicinity. This is handsomely illustrated with beautiful half-tone views of scenes in and about this city. It is not burdened with a mass of figures and dry facts and is not a great bulky book to be thrown away at the first opportunity. A more fitting compliment could not have been made by the chamber of commerce, and its compilation is a credit to the committee, as its artistic typographical appearance is a credit to Mr. J. S. Delinger's job office.

That the members of the National Editorial Association will be given a reception today that for hearty good will and western hospitality could not be better and that they will have occasion to remember Astoria with only the most kindly feelings is assured.

ASTORIA'S VISITORS.

This City to Be Honored With a Visit by the National Editorial Association.

Today the National Editorial Association, numbering some 700 persons, will be the guests of Astoria. There will also be quite a number of prominent Portland people with the party. The manner in which these guests are received and entertained will mean much as to the standing Astoria has among the larger towns of Oregon, and the attention it will receive from these visiting editors, when they come to write up the experiences of this trip. This is doubtless the first visit to the Pacific coast for the great majority of the party and the first impression with newspaper men, as with other people, is generally the one that lasts. Bearing this in mind the citizens of Astoria should make every effort to give our visitors such a remembrance of the city as will cause them to always think kindly of the place and to give it a good word wherever they may be. Every state in the Union will be represented in this gathering of newspaper men and among their number are some of the leading journalists of the United States. Their trip, while primarily for rest and recreation, is really one for observation, that they may become better acquainted with the Pacific coast. Their visit to Astoria will give them more of an idea as to the magnitude of the Columbia river and the commercial, fishing and other interest pertaining to it than all the descriptive articles that could be written. They will also learn that in educational, social and religious advances this section is quite the equal of any other in the United States and when they return to their homes they will do much toward dissuading the impression prevailing throughout the east that the Pacific coast is a wild, uncivilized section, inhabited only by Indians and frontiersmen.

MRS. FLAVEL'S RECEPTION.

Another of the delightful series of receptions given by Mrs. George C. Flavel to the ladies of Astoria occurred at her residence on 21st street yesterday afternoon. The parlors were beautifully decorated with a profusion of flowers and rare palms, and after a due season of conversation and musical entertainment.

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Ladies silk capes, trimmed with lace, jet and ribbons, full sweep, best quality silk brocade, prices \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.00 to \$4.50 each.

Ladies large size white aprons, embroidered, each \$1.00. Ladies white undershirts, best quality muslin, each \$1.00. Ladies corset covers, embroidery trimmed, each \$1.00.

Ladies silk seal plush capes, elaborate trimmed with braid and jet, best quality, worth \$15.00 each, special price each only \$12.00.

Ladies' summer corsets, full regular made, double stapled, each \$1.00. Ladies' heavy jersey ribbed vest, each \$1.00. Ladies' summer sleeveless vest, white, worth 15 cents each, special price each only 10 cents.

Ladies' White Pique and Embroidery and welts, full flaring skirts, neatly trimmed, with inserting; with pocket buttons, wide hemmed; prices \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, to \$2.25 each.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

R. L. Boyle is in Portland. John Hays, of Flavel, registered at the Parker house yesterday.

E. A. Emerson, of Woods landing, is registered at the Gatzert.

Frank Fulton is home again, he having returned Thursday from a trip to Dallas, Ore.

P. D. Kuntner, auditor of the A & C R. R., accompanied by his wife, is in Portland.

Professor J. H. Ackerman, state superintendent of schools, arrived in the city last night.

Miss Kate Simons, the successful teacher, returned yesterday from a two weeks' visit with Portland friends.

Mr. A. B. Hammond will leave New York July 19 for Astoria, and is expected to arrive here about July 25.

Miss Annie Norberg left for Seattle this morning, where she has accepted a position in a prominent dry goods house.

Mrs. G. T. Baldwin of Vancouver, B. C., accompanied by her son, is visiting the family of her brother, J. E. Higgins, of this city.

J. Kinkler, of the engineering force at Flavel, returns to that place this morning, after spending the past 24 hours in Astoria.

Miss Johnson, of New York, who has been visiting the Misses Elmore for the past week, leaves today for Seattle, where she will visit friends.

Mrs. August Gotta-hack left yesterday for her home in Bozeman, Mont. She has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John Kopp, for the past three weeks.

P. P. Kendall, manager of the can factory, has gone to Fairhaven to tend to some business matters in connection with the can factory which his company operates in that city.

W. L. Holmes left yesterday morning on the steamer Columbia for San Francisco, en route to Jamaica. Mr. Holmes has been visiting in this city for the past few weeks.

Mrs. Jesse Baker, of Chatham, returned home on the Gatzert last evening. Mrs. Baker came down to Grays river the first of the week, spending the Fourth with her daughters at that place, since then she has been the guest of Astoria friends.

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