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TERSE TALES OF THE TOWN

Fisherman Pays Fine—
Frank Marini, who was locked up in the county jail for fishing out of season paid his fine and costs yesterday and was released.

Marriage Licenses—
Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to August Beltonian of Ilwaco and Ramsa Torppa of Astoria and to Herman Anderson and Elin Koski, both of Astoria.

Taking Vacation—
Al Leinenweber driver of the new combined chemical and hose wagon is taking his vacation and Marion Tibbetts is now handling the lines for that company.

Discharged From Asylum—
County Judge Trenchard received a notification yesterday from Superintendent Galbreath of the Insane Asylum stating that John Rian was released on August 26th as cured.

Ready For Service—
The hose wagon of No. 3 Hose Company is out of the paint shop and looks chipper and new. The hose and appurtenances were loaded on yesterday and the wagon is now ready for service.

Empowered to Sell—
Anton Caroline Pries administratrix of the estate of Fred A. Pries has been empowered by the county judge to sell all of lot 4, block 28, in the town of Alderbrook or as much as may be necessary to pay the debts of the estate and costs of administration.

Outing at Alderbrook—
The members of the W. C. T. U. will enjoy an outing at the home of Mrs. Rannals today. Mrs. Rannals' kind invitation will no doubt be accepted by a large number of the members and her home at Alderbrook will be a merry scene today. Those attending should take the 11 o'clock car.

Applies For Guardianship—
A petition from Arthur E. Petersen asking that he be appointed guardian of Greta Karvonen an insane person, and H. Jalmer Karvonen, a minor, was received by the county judge. Yesterday an order was made setting September 11 as the date of hearing on the petition.

Row at Seaside—
Carl Ahlers was in Astoria, last night, and secured a warrant for the arrest of Luther Wright for assaulting him. Ahlers stated that Wright followed him on the street and without any known provocation struck him in the face, blacking his eye and otherwise bruising him. The warrant will be served this morning and the offender probably be brought to Astoria today.

In the Police Court—
One drunk was sentenced to pay $5 or serve two days in jail and five forfeited bail in the police court yesterday.

Election of Officers—
The Columbia River Fisherman's Protective Union have elected the following board of trustees: Jens Neilsen, Paul Stangland, Sam Peterson, John Sjosten, Peter Sandvig, Albert Sather, Oscar Maki. Those elected as delegates to the Central Labor Council were: H. M. Lorntson, Sam Peterson, Peter Sandvig, Carl Alchorn and J. F. Welch.

Coroner's Inquest—
The coroner's jury empaneled to inquire into the cause of the death of Waino Niemi was in session again yesterday. No new developments having been made the jury adjourned to meet when called together by the coroner. Niemi is the name of the young man who was found drowned down the river and brought to this city by fishermen. The investigation will be complete and it is hoped that the cause of his death will be fully determined soon.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

An examination for clerk and carrier will be held at the Custom House in this city on September 25, 1907.

Age limits, 18 to 45 years, on the date of the examination.

Married women will not be admitted to the examination. Unmarried women will be admitted to the examination, but are eligible for appointment only as clerk.

Applicants must be physically sound, and male applicants must be not less than 5 feet 4 inches in height without boots or shoes, and weigh not less than 125 pounds without overcoat or hat.

For application blanks and for full information relative to the examination, qualifications, duties, salaries, vacations, promotions, etc., address immediately, Charles L. Snyder, secretary, Board of Civil Service Examiners, Postoffice, San Francisco, Cal.

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ARE HUSTLING FOR REGATTA

AMUSEMENT STANDS ARE BEING ERECTED—COMMITTEES STRIVING TO PERFECT ARRANGEMENTS AND NUMEROUS VISITORS ARE BEGINNING TO ARRIVE IN CITY.

Regatta and County Fair preparations are engaging the attention of Astoria citizens during the past week and on every hand may be seen "something doing" in connection with the big celebration. Stores are being decorated, the official caps of the Regatta are on sale, the big grandstand is finished and ready for the sports to be held in front of it on the water.

The Viking ship is nearing completion and will be a pleasant surprise to the citizens of the city when they see it. The boat has been constructed from a 70-foot steamer, without the engine. On either end have been erected the typcal bow and stern works seen in pictures of the old Norse fighting ships. Huge sweeps will propel her at a rapid rate and of all the marine features to be presented the Viking ship will be the most original and spectacular.

Dell Scully has been appointed chairman of the Baby Show and the judges are Mrs. Herman Prael, Mrs. C. L. Houston and Mrs. W. E. Schimpff. The show will be held in the old offices of the Astoria Savings Bank in the Odd Fellows' building. The event will be at its height on the third day of the Regatta and it is expected to surpass all records in the Baby Show line.

The amusement stands granted by the concessions committee, of which C. R. Staples is chairman, are looming up on the leading street corners in the business section. J. J. Russell has secured five corners for the same number of stands, which will include the knife, cain ruby glass, novelties and ball games. His concessions are on the northeast corner of Eleventh and Commercial streets, the southwest corner of Eleventh and Commercial and the northwest corner, also the southwest corner of Twelfth and Commercial and the northwest corner.

Loretta Buford, the armless lady, with her specialty will be at the Twelfth and Commercial. J. E. Carter, who has the horse with a living snake in its eye, will be at the corner of Fourteenth and Commercial streets. Mr. Staples is negotiating with a umber of others for prominent business corners and the prospects are that the street amusements will surpass those of any previous year.

A big fleet of sailing boats and yachts is reported on its way to the Regatta from Portland. They left on the first of the week for Astoria and are taking their time on the trip. Passengers on the Portland trains report quite a fleet of them and they will help to swell the interesting features of the big celebration.

The country dance committee of the celebration has decided to open this interesting and enjoyable feature on Friday and Saturday nights of this week. Chairman T. R. Davies of the committee announces that it will be held during the Saengerfest in the hall at the Flavel wharf, and that an excellent orchestra has been secured for the entire series.

In order that there may be a resting place for the thousands of visiting ladies and children who will be present the management of the Odd Fellows building has decided to leave the offices formerly used by the Astoria Savings Bank open for their use. This will be a great boon to a large number who will become tired from rambling around taking in the numerous sights and interesting features of the big celebration.

A number of the stores in the city will be closed during the opening of the Regatta festival, in the afternoon, and be closed on Tuesday. The retail grocers' and butchers' association has decided to close these stores during the Regatta fetival, in the afternoon, and on the afternoon of Tuesday. The stores will be open during the morning.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Hoober, of Portland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Swanson.

Ex-Mayor Bergman and family have returned from a six weeks' outing at Beaver Lodge Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Orth, of Portland, are guests in this city of Mr. and Mrs. G. Zeigler.

Mrs. J. M. Jackson and daughter, June, left on this morning's train for their home in Olmpia, after having spent a month's vacation with Mrs. Jackson's brother, Capt. J. A. Monroe, and family, of this city.

J. T. McCrea, of Dome, Alaska, C. V. Burkebile, of Seattle, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bankus, of Portland, arrived today to be the guests of Mrs. Foard and Miss McCrea during the Regatta.

Sunday excursions to North (Long) Beach. Round trip fare $1.00 to any point on North Beach. Tickets good returning on either the steamer Potter or Nahcotta. Call at O. R. & N. dock for particulars.

HEADQUARTERS ARE OPEN

REGATTA COMMITTEE MEETS AND ENTHUSIASM PREVAILS OVER PROSPECTS FOR MOST SUCCESSFUL CELEBRATION IN HISTORY.

Enthusiasm unbounded prevailed among the members of the committee of the Regatta at its regular semi-weekly meeting last night and the finishing touches to the celebration and County Fair were practically put at this meeting. A motion to make the Regatta an annual affair in Astoria was approved and passed and a meeting will be held after the celebration to form a permanent Regatta organization.

Reports of the races the securing of tugs, what had been done during the past week in regard to the baby show, the Queen and her attendants, and the plans for the big labor day parade and the marine parade at night were gone over thoroughly and finished.

W. J. Barry and James Wallace reported that the headquarters of the Regatta had been installed in the offices in the rear of the First National Bank on Tenth street. The big sign which has been in front of the Chamber of Commerce offices was put up opposite the new headquarters which will be open from 8 o'clock in the morning until 10 o'clock in the evening from now until the close of the Regatta.

Entries for the various sports on water and land and all information may be secured at the headquarters. A large number of entries have already been made in the fishermen's races, and the oarsmen in the city and the tug-o-war men have been practicing for the past three weeks. Hundred of other events are being taken advantage of by contestants and there is room for everybody who can make any kind of a showing.

It was decided last night to offer a number of prizes for the best decorated boat in the marine parade. For the best decorated steamboat the prize is $60; for the best decorated gasoline boat, $40, and for the best decorated small boat the prize will be $25. The line of the parade will be from the Co-Operative Cannery along the harbor to Hanthorne's camp and return, passing the grandstand at the foot of Eleventh street. The parade will be at night and is expected to be very beautiful because of hundreds of Chinese lanterns which have been secured to decorated the hundreds of boats which will participate. On one rope a string of lanterns nearly half a mile in length will be seen. Dr. John Holt will be admiral of the marine parade.

The labor day parade is expected to surpass anything of the kind ever held on the coast. All the labor unions will be represented with huge floats and a full turn out of paraders. The parade will commence sharp at 12:30 o'clock and a large number of the merchants will have floats in the parade. Four or five bands will be in the long line which is expected to reach over a mile. The Regatta will be well represented by hundreds of enthusiastic citizens with the official cap of the Regatta, a yachting cap, with "Astoria Regatta" pasted on the front.

TWO NEW PLAYERS.

Two new players have been added to Manager Brown's Bohemians. They are J. Van de Carr and A. Stebick. Both are consistant players and will be quite an addition to the team.

Beginning with this afternoon there will be held daily practices on the diamond and all who care to see the new men have their try-out can do so. The practice will be kept up until the team is running smoothly for the two games Sunday with the Trunkmakers and the series which is to be played during the Regatta.

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Child's " " " 8 1-2 to 11	1.25
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