

SPAR, DECK AND BUOY YESTERDAY

TABOR IN PORT READY TO SAIL FOR THE ANTIPODES—NEW SPEED RULES FOR WIL-LAMETTE RIVER CRAFT.

Major J. F. McIndoe, successor to Colonel Roessler, in charge of this engineering district, has made and issued orders, holding all power craft on the Willamette river between Portland and the Columbia river, to the following effect (and in deference to the very circumscribed limits and narrow channels of that "harbor.") to wit:

"No steam vessel shall be navigated on the Willamette River between Rose Island and Swan Island at a speed of more than eight statute miles per hour. No steam vessel shall be navigated on the Willamette River between Swan Island and the Associated Oil Company's dock, north of Linnton, at a speed of more than 12 miles per hour. Every steam vessel passing a drydock or passing dredgers at anchor and engaged on river improvement in the Willamette and Columbia rivers shall be navigated under a slow bell at a speed rate not more than six statute miles per hour."

As the Kamm flagship Lurline was making her customary "Commodore's" sweep in this port yesterday evening, she ran afoul of a lot of nets just off the channel sands and was forced to back out, around, and down the bay, to get a safe shoot to her dock. She made it without damaging any of the nets, but not without demonstrating what a rank inconvenience a cluster of nets can be in the open city channels. She was doing good business both ways yesterday.

The ship Ancois cleared from this port for Portland yesterday, and will leave up for the second time, tomorrow, on the hawsers of the Harvest Queen. She has nearly one million feet of lumber on board now. She will return to the Hammond Lumber Company's docks at Tongue Point for her last segment of cargo.

The Norwegian steamship Tabor arrived down from the metropolis yesterday afternoon, with an immense load of lumber (part cargo from this port) bound for Sydney, Australia. She will depart on this morning's flood if all goes well.

The Charles R. Spencer, with 60 people for Astoria, tied up at the Callender dock yesterday afternoon, exactly at 1:30 o'clock, and returned up with some freight and a good list of people.

The steamer F. S. Loop arrived down from Portland last evening, lumber laden for San Francisco and will leave out on this morning's flood.

The steamer Washington was among the arrivals from San Francisco yesterday at this port. She went directly on to Portland.

The oil tank steamer Maverick came in from the California coast yesterday and proceeded to Portland forthwith.

The steamer Alliance is due in from Coos this morning en route to Portland.

War Against Consumption
All nations are endeavoring to check the ravages of consumption, the "white plague" that claims so many victims each year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in results. The genuine is in a yellow package.

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TEA
You can have it good if you want to. Or bad if you don't take care.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best; we pay him

JUSTICE WILL SURELY BE DONE

FRIENDS OF MRS. GATES TO MAKE PROPER SHOWING BEFORE JUDGE T. A. McBRIDE IN HER BEHALF.

The Astorian had pleasant realization, yesterday, of a duty done, understood, and appreciated, in the general comment made in its columns, in relation to the legal unkindness, if not injustice, imposed upon Mrs. Anna Gates, by the order secured from Judge McBride taking her child from her and committing it to the custody of another; and the consensus of opinion is that the methods used to induce the order at the judge's hand, are open to grave scrutiny, and even condemnation.

This paper has permitted itself to be enlisted in the case from the sole motive of righting a gross miscarriage of justice and not from any personal impulse or specific interest; to counteract what it believes to have been the subversive course and false plea and method of the man who inspired the act; and, wholly, with due and profound respect for the judge and court making the order.

In justification of this, the friends of Mrs. Gates are going to take the matter in hand and submit to the court, counter-affidavits in support of a petition to revoke the order, and restore, not only the child to its unhappy mother, but her correct and equitable standing with Judge McBride, in her judicial relation to his court and authority.

Her course of life in and about this city ever since she was forced into the arena of publicity by the contemptible scheme of her husband (and others) to "railroad" her to the Oregon Asylum for Insane, has won her a host of friends and they will make due appeal to His Honor, Judge McBride, for further consideration and revision of her case, and do it at once.

Charles H. Abercrombie, city attorney, who has acted as Mrs. Gates' attorney during her troubles, was asked yesterday, if any notice had been served upon him of the hearing before Judge McBride at Oregon City. He replied that he had received no notice in any way whatsoever, though apparently it was well known that he was the attorney on record for Mrs. Gates.

Mr. Abercrombie said, further: "Apparently the statutes are not very clear on the question of requiring notice in such hearings. Perhaps it is true that notice to the parties at interest is not required, but apparently the usual practice is, as a matter of courtesy, at least, to give such notice. But in this matter I received no notice at all, and I understand that neither did Mrs. Gates."

The fact that such a hearing may be had without notice to the parties in opposite interest seems a preposterous condition of affairs in the Oregon law, according to various members of the laity who discussed the matter yesterday. In this matter, for example, Mrs. Gates, and her friends, aver that she could have successfully resisted every allegation made in the petition. As it was, her child was taken from her without permitting her the slightest chance to defend herself. Like a thunderbolt out of a sky came the news that her child was to be taken from her. Now it will be necessary for her to present counter affidavits and to present her proofs at a new hearing, in the effort to regain possession of her little boy.

SHOOTING CONTEST.
Of The United States Army Departments Will Start August 15.

CHICAGO, July 22.—Members of the U. S. army departments of the lakes of Dakota and Missouri will begin their annual shooting contest on Friday at Fort Sheridan. The contest will continue until Aug. 15.

Twenty seven officers and 142 enlisted men will take part in the rifle competition. Three gold medals, six silver medals and 18 bronze medals will be awarded to the winners.

Two gold medals, four silver medals, and ten bronze medals will be awarded to the winners of the pistol competition, the preliminaries of which begin July 31.

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ELECTRIC LINE WILL COST \$750,000

MR. EVANS ESTIMATES TOTAL COST WILL BE ABOUT \$25,000 A MILE, WHICH INCLUDES EQUIPMENT.

F. L. Evans, promotor of the electric line to Seaside, said last night in response to inquiries from a representative of The Astorian, that within 30 days after the completion of the survey to Seaside the work on construction of the line would in all probability be commenced.

The survey will probably be completed within a few weeks. If everything is in readiness to begin the construction by October much of the work would undoubtedly be completed by spring. Of course the construction will mean the employment of scores of men, and the whole enterprise means much for Astoria in more than one way. The building of the line means that hundreds of thousands of dollars will be "turned loose" in this community; of which laborers and others will get a large share. And the best of it all seems to be that the enterprise appears to be in the very best of shape and to all appearances the actual completion of the electric line is now only a matter of a certain number of months. "We are estimating that the cost will approximate \$25,000 a mile, for the construction work and the equipment," said Mr. Evans last night. "On that basis it may be estimated that the line to Seaside will cost about \$750,000 or, perhaps \$100,000 more including the power plant and all."

Mr. Evans has heretofore talked little about his plans of financing the project, though it is said now from an apparently authoritative source that the financial end of the matter is in the very best of shape. That Mr. Evans has a wide and very intimate connection with large financial houses in the east is well known to those interested in the project here, and it is apparent that he has no fears about promptly financing the line just as soon as the surveys and other preliminary work are done.

It is planned to carry on the construction work throughout the winter, thought there may be some delays because of seriously inclement weather. Mr. L. C. Rogers, the engineer in charge of the survey work, has his force of men now well broken in to work together and the survey is proceeding rapidly. Following is a list of the personnel of the survey force: L. C. Rogers, chief engineer of California; E. L. Williams, draftsman, of Portland; L. L. Wood, transitman, of Berkeley, Cal.; T. Mulhaupt, levelman, of Portland; L. C. Campbell, rodman, Astoria. The others are mostly from this city, as follows: L. Upshur, head chainman; Guy O. Turpin, rear chainman; Ed Short, stake artist; J. W. A. Wright, back flagman; Nels Sorenson, Frank Thomas and Ed Hoff, axemen; with F. L. Evans as engineer in charge and promotor of the enterprise.

NEW FORESTRY PLAN

Field Headquarters to Be Established in the West

WILL EXPEDITE THE WORK

Each Forest District Will be in the Charge of an Assistant Forester, Who Will Remain Right on the Ground—Plan Effective Soon.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 22.—

In order to expedite and render more effective and economical the work of administering the National Forests, field headquarters are to be established by the Forest Service in the West, and the clerical force needed to complete the organization will be mainly drawn from the force now employed in the Washington office. The change will take place not later than January 1, 1909, and will probably begin by October 1 of the present year.

At present the National Forests are grouped under six districts with headquarters as follows: District 1, Missoula, Montana; District 2, Denver, Colorado; District 3, Albuquerque, New Mexico; District 4, Salt Lake City, Utah; District 5, San Francisco, California, and District 6, Portland, Oregon. These headquarters will remain unchanged under the new plan of administration. Each district will be in charge of an assistant forester who will deal directly with the supervisor of the forests of his district. Only questions of special importance will be submitted to the Washington office for action. In this way, the regular business of the forests will be much expedited, while the men who have charge of the business will be in almost constant touch with the users of the Forests. The men to take charge of the several districts have not as yet been selected, but they will be chosen from those in the regular service force who have had most experience in the work on the National Forests.

The growth of business on National Forests resulting from the use of their resources by the public, has been steady and rapid ever since the policy of wide use supplanted the policy of restricted use, at the time when the management of the National Forests was placed under the Forest Service. One of the big problems of administration has been to get into close touch with the users of the National Forests, and this has already been partially solved by various expedients, such as delegating to local forest officers the authority to transact a large part of the National Forest business. In this way the public and the service have been constantly brought closer together. A second step in the same direction was the recent transfer of headquarters for supplies from Washington, D. C., to Ogden, Utah. A third step was the placing of a branch of the office

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71st Company C. A. C. Make A Splendid Showing At Fort Casey.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—The 71st Company C. A. C. at target practice at Fort Casey June 24, 1908, made 100 percent of hits at a 30 foot by 60 foot target which was moving at the rate of 7.6 miles per hour, at a mean range of 5,492 yards. This practice was held with ten inch rifles on disappearing carriages at Battery worth, Fort Casey, Wash. When six shots were fired in a little over a half a minute. This is the second practice within the last six months in which the 71st Company C. A. C. has made 100 percent of hits. The excellence of this work of the 71st Company C. A. C., attesting a careful and thorough performance of duty, the chief of Coast Artillery has recommended special commendation of the officers and men. Captain Granville Sevier, Coast Artillery Corps, commanded the 71st Company on the occasion of this practice.

TARGET PRACTICE.
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