

Take advantage of  
**Bailey's Sale of Boots and  
 Shoes.**

Some good values at a reduction to  
 make room for incoming stock.

**Bran and Barley at Bailey's.**

**From Turner's Leaflet.**

It is stated by the Mutual Telephone people that the Bell Telephone Co. has offered to sell its rights and system in this county. At a mutual meeting last week, M. W. Harrison of the Tillamook County Bank and J. C. Bozarth of the Bay City Land Co., were appointed a committee to inquire into the full legal and technical scope of the offer, and parties representing both companies will examine the Bell system in its entirety, with a view to determining its actual cost. If both lines should come into possession of either of the corporations, the rates should be raised to a point that will insure proper maintenance. An unreliable telephone service is more harmful than beneficial in most cases. The Bell Co. would certainly have rendered better service if the system had been a profitable investment. The rate per phone should not be less than \$1.50 to \$2 per month, and those for the use of kids and gossipers should be twice that rate. There is no satisfaction in trying to do business on a "skin-a-fee" basis.

**Would Be Murderer Arrested.**

From the Nehalem Enterprise:

A great deal of excitement was created when a man of desperate character, Jacob Hill by name, was arrested on a charge of attempted murder in one of the camps along the construction work of the Sweeney Construction Company. Returning about 11 p. m. with a companion they entered the tent occupied by the station gang, of which he was a partner, picked up a knife and attempted to lacerate one of the men who were in bed. He struck at his intended victim with the blade, but missed; the others then rushed upon the assassin and saved the life of their companion by timely interference.

Then they came down to the justice to have a warrant sworn

out for his arrest, but owing to the lateness of the hour it was not attended to until Tuesday morning. He came down next morning to make his escape, but having been detained owing to his inability to have his check cashed, he did not get an early start. He finally had it cashed by J. J. Spencer, and started down by the Edee mill to cut across the country and strike the county road about a mile from town, in order to avoid capture.

Deputy constables were sent out to the Necarney trail, and one was sent to the Edee mill, which happened to be Mr. Spencer. He failed to intercept his game at that point, so started on the road leading to the necarney trail, to intercept him at a point near the Pine Grove school house. He had just reached the probable point of the prisoner's intended junction with the county road, when he heard a disturbance in the brush near the road, and was surprised to see the criminal coming toward him, not having an idea he was wanted by friend Spencer. With the gentle persuasion of a 41-Colts he decided to retrace his steps toward town with Mr. Spencer, and was evidently glad to do so.

After a hearing in Justice Effenberger's court he was bound over to the circuit court until the spring term, to shrrre the lot of those numerous "pigs," which Veterinary Surgeon Reedy was unable to classify. (According to the Headlight.)

Deputy Sheriff Dawson took the prisoner down to Tillamook. It's time we were up and doing, as these "undesirables" are not the class that we, as a community, are catering to.

**ORETOWN.**

The cheese factory closed last Tuesday.

Mrs. Ole Redberg has recovered from her recent illness.

Fred Stalford intends going to Portland in a few days.

Thanksgiving Day cleared in time for the people to gather at the Grange Hall. A nice program was rendered and a dinner such as only Tillamook people know, was enjoyed by all. The dinner was planned by the Grangers but others were present to share in the Thanksgiving hospitality.

Miss Tohl of Slab Creek was unable on account of the storm to hold school one day this week.

**A Scalded Boy's Shrieks**

horrified his grandmother, Mrs. Maria Taylor, of Nebo, Ky., who writes that, when all thought he would die, Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured him. Infallible for Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Corns, Wounds, Bruises. Cures Fever-Sores, Boils, Skin Eruptions, Chilblains, Chapped Hands, soon routs piles. 25c at Cloverdale Drug Store.

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