

No very large bills are due us. They are mostly small. But altogether they amount up. We depend on them. Most have time to live. You think we surely ought to get along awhile without that small bill you owe us. Too many think so. We can't do it, though. We know you all are good as wheat or we wouldn't do business with you. But, we'd starve to death on good accounts. Kindly dig up that little amount. We expect to make a clean-up the first of November and want you all to be ready when we present the bills. If we don't see you, kindly call. Then we can pay our small bills and be happy.

THE OUTLOOK

Prospects and Conditions of the Lumbering Business.

W. W. Curtis, the timber expert, who represents Whitney, Smith & Renick, one of the largest timber owning firms in the United States, is here looking after the interests of the company. Mr. Curtis visits this place frequently and finds plenty to keep him busy while here, as Whitney & Co. have over 40,000 acres of fine timber in this county and have a good mill site, booming grounds, and a large farm adjacent to their water frontage.

In an interview with the HEADLIGHT, Mr. Curtis expressed himself as follows: "The outlook is not very encouraging, and the output of lumber this year was not very great. Most of the mills are sawing, however, though prices are still very low. In the retail markets the price of lumber is higher than last year, but the mills are not getting any advantage of it. The cost of logs, or stumpage remains about the same and the cost of manufacturing has changed but little.

"Timber lands are not in demand and are offered lower than ever.

"The removal of the tariff from lumber has hurt the trade, perhaps more than anything else. Some of the large mills have lost their customary orders on account of British Columbia mill men filling the orders cheaper. There are several plain instances of this that could be mentioned.

"Ships that were lying idle, English ships too, in the Columbia and in San Francisco, waiting for charter, have gone into the coastwise lumber carrying business, thus knocking out our milling and shipping business at one stroke. The money that should go into shipping and manufacturing here is going to British Columbia. The \$1 per thousand tariff was of great help to this coast, and also prevented lumber being taken from Canada to the middle states. This, you see, destroys our hope of a market in the east.

"The British Columbia lumbermen have a great advantage over us. The government leases them the land and the rental is not as much as the taxes are here. For the timber mill men pay 25 cents per thousand when sawed, and there is practically no outlay until the lumber is sold.

"The labor question makes a big difference also. I investigated that matter personally and thoroughly, by going over the ground in British Columbia. I found that Chinamen are doing a great deal of the work there that white men are doing here. With our present laws there is a much better opening for timbermen there than here."

Mr. Curtis is well able to speak on this subject as he is one of the best posted lumbermen in the country, having had experience for many years in all branches of the business on this coast and in the east. It seems preposterous that our congress should have been so foolish as to admit a foreign product, manufactured by Chinamen, and thus paralyze almost all branches of business on this coast.

Correspondence Bureau.

ED. HEADLIGHT:—The letter I wrote you notifying you to discontinue to my address, I did not intend for publication. As nothing was said on that score, perhaps you had a right to do so, however, all I ask is a fair shake; this I trust you grant me, though not at present a patron. There are several misprints which you, I hope, will be kind enough to correct. It may not then appear so "rambling" to your fraternal brother. For instance, I wrote as follows—"it has throughout withstood and ever will, the test of time etc."—and again, "all constitutions both national and state require and receive amendments." In reply you say, "you frankly etc." I now add, no, nor for any other purpose, for the reason that aluminum is both cheaper and better for any purpose. Well I hope the gold bug will again benefit from gold bugism. I noticed that when he used to, the whole people had a benefit. I happen to be well posted regarding the tactics and aims of the silver shark, for I am just out of his den, and I say go it buggy, no silver, brass nor reputation in mine. I referred to Mr. Hansen's article as a specimen of such, as blocked your otherwise bright and newsworthy pages. You say it is a good argument against my own cause. Well no one expected that you would say anything in its favor. The old adage works in here. Well, it is this. "There is policy in war." Mr. Hansen is disposed to think that his article lost you a subscriber. His article had the same effect

on me as a dose of pills would have on a Banisher, just about.

I will not comment on his remarks regarding those who came to the country's rescue in the hour of need. I refer them to the judgment of your readers. Your readers also understand that my position on the money question has not been squarely met and assailed. He tried to confuse the reader by mixing the aluminum with the gold, and raked in postage stamps to mix with the intrinsic value. Now these flat ideas. The more silver the more money. Law makes money. The postage stamp etc. These are the parasites that thrive on the ignorance of the masses, and could not be better exposed than by his question. I suppose you could not give space to go over the whole ground, but over the whole ground, but his direct question regarding the postage stamp should not be skipped. I will answer as briefly as possible. The postage stamp has no intrinsic or other value whatever; it is the lawful money of the U. S., which you pay for it. That contains the value. Safe? If it contained the value within itself, Uncle Sam could pay his debts with it directly. Now here is where his flat shows up. He has been flapping over 30 round years, and you choose the postage stamp to represent his noblest effort in that line, but yet I dare not call it anything but a tax receipt, and if you examine it as closely as I have, you will see on its face the following notice to the world:

"This is to certify that this feller what he's this forked over 5 cents to help pay this male Kereer."

Yours for the education of the masses

JAMES LAWLESS.

[There was no intention to change Mr. Lawless' letter, which we supposed he intended for publication. His letter was published just as he wrote it, as near as we could make it out, except for corrections in punctuation and spelling. Mr. Lawless writes well but a little too closely to be readily deciphered by the type setter. Most persons will find the mistakes in their own writing rather than in this office, if they will take the trouble to keep exact copies and compare.]

Mrs. W. H. Griffith, who was serving a two months' sentence in the county jail for adultery was pardoned by Governor Lord and released Tuesday evening. She had only 5 days to serve yet. Her pardon was the result of a petition sent from this place to the governor, stating she was dying. She went out fatter, stronger, and in better condition than when she went in, however.

Call at Sturgeons and see the new stock of jewelry. It is lovely and cheap.

LOCAL NEWS.

Tanglefoot at Sturgeon's.

Full line grass seeds at Colins.

The steamer Elmore came in Tuesday. Specs for old and young at Sturgeon's drug store.

Homer Mason, who has been ill, is recovering.

A steel range to sell on the installment plan, at Reynold's hardware store.

License to wed was issued last week to Albert H. Malauey and Lula E. Miles.

Geo. Cohn is going to Portland this week to purchase a winter stock of goods.

B. C. Lamb will go to Portland next week to lay in a stock of Christmas goods.

W. E. Page is selling the stock of second hand goods at Hosmer's old stand.

Furs are beginning to come into market. Cohn & Co. are buying all they can get.

A letter from P. D. Newell favoring the Cash Bays Association will appear next week.

Frankfurter sausages just made at the Alliance Market. 5 pound cans home made lard at 60 cents.

Local Market—Eggs 29c., butter 25 to 35 cents per lb., potatoes 30 cents per bushel, flour \$2.85 per barrel.

M. S. Duesler has the contract for erecting R. R. Hays' house. Wm. Mills, C. Chatterton, and others are assisting.

Tuttle & Cary have their new tank in place. It holds twice as much as the first one, and there will be plenty of water hereafter.

A dispatch in the papers states that G. D. Biggs was convicted of cattle stealing at La Grange. It is not known what the sentence is.

Wm. Sisel is running a laundry in the Fearnside building. He expects a laundry outfit from Portland soon, and will then do first class work.

Several 4 and 5 pound potatoes are on exhibition at Colins. Judge Conder, a prominent hayseed from Neslucker, brought in some of them.

A large lot of onions were shipped in on the Elmore this trip. This is frequent. We ought to ship cheese, butter and lumber to this county. And, we ought to ship in some enterprising farmers. Tillamook can produce the finest onions in the world.

The Free Methodists have rented the Fearnside hall and have furnished it with the necessary preparations for religious services. They commenced a series of meetings last evening, October 23rd, Rev. R. H. Dollarhide, District

elder, in charge. Services every evening at 7:30; also every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Come one, come all.

There will be services at the chapel of the M. E. Church South, conducted by Elder T. H. Starbuck, on next Saturday and Sunday evenings, at 7:30 p.m. All are invited to attend.

His Grace, the Duke of Marlborough, the callow-faced, spindle-shanked young Britisher, who is swapping his title for a lot of Vanderbilt's filthy lucre, was arrested for riding a bicycle too fast in a New York City park the other day. He told the policeman he was "the Duke of Mulberry," but the copper told him he didn't "give a d—n," and marched him to the station. He was turned loose with a severe lecture, and went home with great indignation; he sent for the British consul, and wanted to make an international affair out of it. He intends having the policeman removed, and he said that an "American gentleman would not be treated so in England." He says he had "the best of feelings toward Americans heretofore," which is a very serious thing. The Duke of Mollieboy may be as good as an "American gentleman," but he isn't half as good as American workingman.

MRS. NEWMAN,

a first class

Dressmaker

Of many years experience in the East, solicits the patronage of the ladies of Tillamook and vicinity.

Shop at Mrs. Sturgeon's.

Mrs. C. M. Newman.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF TILLAMOOK.

Mrs. J. J. White

Plaintiff

vs.

Leaher Gray and Geo. Sorenson

Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of and under the seal of the above entitled court, on a judgment and decree of said court made and entered on the 22nd day of August, 1892, in favor of the plaintiff and against the above named defendants, for the sum of \$500.00, with interest thereon from November 1st, 1891, at ten per cent per annum, the further sum of \$25.00 attorneys fees and costs and disbursements taxed at \$25.00 and the costs of said writ, commanding me to make sale of the following described real property to-wit:

The east half of the north-east quarter, south-east quarter and south half of south-west quarter of section thirty-six, township three south, range eight west of the Willamette Meridian, containing 220 acres more or less, in Tillamook county, state of Oregon; I will, on the 23rd day of November, 1892, at the front door of the county court house of Tillamook county, Oregon, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., in the city of Tillamook in said county and state, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest which the defendants, or either of them had in the said date of the mortgage mentioned in the complaint, or now have in or to said real property, to satisfy said execution, order, judgment and decree, interest and costs and accruing costs. Dated this 24th day of August, 1892.

J. H. JACKSON, Sheriff of Tillamook County, Oregon.

Free Exchange Column.

It Costs You Nothing to Advertise Your Real Estate Here if You Don't Sell It.

READ THE CONDITIONS, THEN THE LIST OF BARGAINS BELOW.

OPEN TO ALL

Following is the form of contract for those who wish to advertise their land in our "Free Ad." column. If you wish to try it fill out the blank and send it in, or call at this office.

Tillamook, Oregon.....189.....

I hereby authorize W. F. D. Jones agent to sell and advertise the following described property:

all situated in Tillamook County, Oregon. I agree to pay said W. F. D. Jones 1% per cent commission, computed on amount received or value exchanged for, in case the property is sold or exchanged for other property during the life of this agreement, no matter who effects the sale or exchange.

It is understood that W. F. D. Jones is to receive the 2% per cent commission, in case the said property is sold or exchanged as full compensation for publishing at least 10 lines Nonparel advertising regarding said property, during the life of this contract, in the TILLAMOOK HEADLIGHT. In case the said property is exchanged for other property, the commission shall be computed on the sum of \$..... being considered as the fair value of the foregoing described property. This appointment is to hold good until.....Nov. 1.....189..... unless the property is sold sooner, and I agree to sell said property on the following terms:

I reserve the right to terminate this appointment on.....6.....months notice or change the price and terms of sale on.....30.....days' notice.

Owner.....

Unless you call, write a letter giving full description, particulars as to improvements, terms, etc.

BARGAIN LIST.

(No use to bother with this scheme unless you offer bargains. Other property will be placed in the list as fast as descriptions can be set in type.)

- 1 \$200—22 acres, all bottom land, best sediment land in the world, 5 acres plow land, in grass. Big root crops, will support 7 cows now, is or so with little work, running water on one side, fenced, on main road, 1 mile to city, 1 mile to cannery. Land easily cleared. \$200 cash and \$200 on time. Call at this office or on L. D. Ackley, Wilson river.
- 2 \$200—22 acres adjoining city, slightly location, high and dry, good drainage, high state of cultivation, well fenced, new 8 room house, barn etc. Two orchards, one bearing, profusion of small fruits and berries, fine garden. Close to academy, 10 minutes walk to court house, just the place for a man who wants to take life easy. Can milk ten cows, keep horses, chickens etc. on place. Place will bring good increase, or can be sold out in parcels at a large profit. Easy terms. Other property to sell. Call at this office or on A. Letcher, the jeweler.
- 3 \$1600—5 acres, city limits, 2-story 9-room house, good barn etc. 15 blocks laid out in lots, fine young bearing orchard, berries in profusion, 5 minutes walk to court house. Very desirable property. Favorable terms. Also, 6 blocks adjacent, will be sold separately or altogether. All slightly property, and city building in that direction. Call at this office or on J. W. Haskins, city.
- 4 For Exchange—California and other property. 138 acres improved fruit and grain farm 25 miles from Klamath, Siskiyou county, California. Large house and barn. All in cultivation and fenced. Windmill and well. 40 acres partly in bearing fruit in Vacaville valley, California. House and stable, water running. 160 acres in grain farm, Fresno county California. House, barn and well of good water. 640 acres of timber land in Monterey county, California, unimproved. 22 lots in San Diego, California. 2 lots and house in San Francisco city. 6 lots in South Monrovia, California. 25 acres, unimproved in Oakland, California. 2 lots in Moro Bay, San Luis, Obispo county, California. 80 acres in Davis county, Iowa. 1 acre improved, Los Angeles, California. 6 lots in Ft. Scott, Kansas. Hotel building and lot in Wilbur Washington. 2 houses in Portland, Oregon, \$500. 80 lots in Seymour, Texas. 6 lots in Chicago, Illinois. 160 acres in Scott county, Tennessee. Will trade all or part for dairy ranch in Tillamook county, Oregon. Call at this office and address A. Goerlitz, Mounta Villa, Oregon.
- 5 For Exchange—Lot in suburb of Los Angeles, Cal., for Tillamook property. 80 acres of land in Tillamook county, for California property. Can refer a man to fairly good ranches on government land, 3 to 5 miles from city. Fine view of good timber lands yet to be homesteaded in more distant locations. Call at this office.

"For Sale" and "For Exchange" ads. will be published free until further notice in this paper. If you wish to sell your land, lots, personal property, or wish to exchange them for something else, you can advertise them free of charge in our "Barter and Sale Department," providing you comply with a certain condition which is easy for you to perform. You are to give us a small per cent. on the price you get for the property, or a small per cent on its valuation if you make an exchange. We only ask a small per cent, and we have blanks which give the conditions. If no sale is made, you pay nothing. If you sell, we get the per cent as our pay for advertising. We have faith in the results of advertising in this paper.

We will publish a full description of your land, house, lot, horse, cow, or other property to be sold, telling its location, good qualities, terms of sale, etc., and will give your name and address if you like, or we will leave your name out and let the intending purchaser come to this office to learn your name and other particulars if you do not wish your name printed with the advertisement. We intend to make this an interesting feature of the paper, and of value to the county. In fact we believe that if some people would sell a part of their lands and lots it would help the county, and if there is anybody here dissatisfied with the county, the sooner he trades it for property elsewhere, the better it is for him and this locality. A little new blood infused into a community does good sometimes, and by this scheme we expect to get many new settlers. We also expect to help those who are in debt, overburdened with property, or dissatisfied, to ease up their financial circumstances. Our "Barter and Sale Department" will contain a brief description of the county, and will be a good thing to send to Eastern inquirers. They can see the actual prices asked for lands and the descriptions of the lands. Those who are interested should call and see our blanks and get particulars. It is a fair, square proposition. Further explanation next week.

NEW STORE! OLSEN HAS JUST OPENED UP.

Next door to Headlight.



Free Delivery Wagon.

60 TONS NEW GOODS, DIRECT
FROM PORTLAND.

Everybody Call

EVEN IF YOU DON'T BUY!