

HEADLIGHT X-RAYS

Valentines at Sturgeon's.
Ike Simler received news on Sunday of the death of his father, at Dayton.

New line of Stationery at Sturgeon's.
Mrs. Prof. Walker is one of the sufferers from the prevailing influenza.

Small amounts to loan on personal security at Letcher's.

Mrs. Sturgeon will soon order a new spring stock of millinery.

Telephone call no. 3 at Sturgeon's drug store.

The revival meetings closed on Sunday evening. They were comparatively barren of results.

Seven spoons of thread at La Mode Millinery Parlor for 25 cts.

The new opera house is rapidly nearing completion and will be ready for the Washington's Birthday Ball on the night of the 22d inst.

A fine line of new velvet in all shades at La Mode Millinery Parlor.

The latest: Celluloid Photos, samples now on display at Hein's Art Studio. 4t

Mrs. R. R. Hays was quite indisposed on Wednesday, so much so that she was unable to teach, and school was dismissed for the day.

Dress Linings 15 cents per yard at La Mode Millinery Parlor.

Manager Tuttle of the telephone system is confined to the house with an attack of La Grippe.

A fine line of baby cloaks, underwear, fascinators, caps, tan o'shirts, etc. etc. at La Mode Millinery Parlor.

Word was received at the moment of going to press of the death of the infant son of L. H. Brown.

The pipe line for the new water works has been laid to a point about one and a half miles this side of Hughey's place.

The Tillamook Rod and Gun Club had a practice shoot last Sunday. The club has purchased a medal, which medal, at present, is proudly worn by Ike Simler.

Do you want a valentine to make your best girl smile? Lamb has 'em. Do you want a valentine to make your friend laugh? Lamb sells 'em. Do you want a valentine to make your enemies cuss? Buy it at Lamb's.

H. Orchard, of the water works, left on the stage Saturday for his home at Kalama, Washington. He will return next Saturday. It is expected that his partner, Mr. Doty, will return with him, and that Mr. Orchard's family will be in on the next trip of the steamer Chilkat.

It's kind of funny, the way the commissioners have of designating one paper as the county official paper and then giving the bridge notices to another. However, we're not kicking at all—but the commissioners are liable to if a good, big bill comes in for the printing of the aforesaid notices.

The Athletic club perfected its organization last Sunday, and soon expects to have a completely equipped gymnasium for the use of the boys. In order to purchase the necessary paraphernalia considerable money will be required, and the directors propose to wait upon the citizens here, and solicit their aid in the good work of providing a good and wholesome place of resort for the older boys and men of the city. Everybody should assist the Athletic club.

On the third page of this issue there is an advertisement in which we are satisfied that all our patrons will be interested. It has become the custom of late for many of the newspapers in the East to offer premiums of packages of seed on subscription. As nearly all of our subscribers are more or less interested in vegetable or flower gardening, and have to purchase seed, we think a premium of garden seeds will be acceptable to them. The seeds are the best that can be purchased in the market and can be relied upon. Read the advertisement and avail yourself of what it offers.

The HEADLIGHT has no objection to any one who desires to know its subscription list coming into the office and looking it over. We are not ashamed of our list and we imagine that those who take the HEADLIGHT are not ashamed of the paper, but we have a wholesome contempt for the publisher who, when we were compelled to file a list in order to obtain our rights, then went like a sneaking cur into the Court house and copied that list for his own uses. There is such a thing as journalistic etiquette, and of that etiquette there can be no more flagrant violation than the action referred to.

Go to any grocer and ask for *Schilling's Best* tea: Japan, English Breakfast, Oolong, Ceylon, or the Blend.

He will pay you your money back if you don't like it.

A Schilling & Company
San Francisco

New stove pipe at Carey's hardware store at 15 cts per joint.

Irving Carter of Ocean Beach is in to n on business, stopping at the Allen House.

See the seed ad on the third page of this issue. It will pay you to read it and hand it to your friends.

A few thoroughbred brown Leghorn cocks for sale at \$1.00 each; also two White Leghorns.

A. M. Hays,
Bay City, Ore.

The latest news from Salem indicates a possible break up of the deadlock. Mayor Penoyer seems to be disposed to take a hand and urges the populists to go in and help organize. Two democrats have already done so but whether any more follow their example remains to be seen. At present writing the situation remains practically unchanged.

To the Public.
I am prepared to give music lessons on piano or organ, in city or country, at prices to suit the times, twenty-four lessons \$8.00, (three for \$1.00) also voice culture at low rates.

Yours respectfully,
Mrs. D. C. Bowers.

Notice.
Is hereby given that the common council of Tillamook City will at the next regular meeting to be held on Feb. 15th, 1897, receive bids for doing the city printing for the year of 1897. The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the common council.
C. N. Draw, Rec.

Notice.
Notice is hereby given that a convention will be held on Saturday Mar. 6th at one o'clock P. M. at the Allen House in the City of Tillamook, for the purpose of electing two delegates to the next meeting of the Oregon State Grange which meets in Corvallis on the 4th Tuesday in May 1897. Each Grange in the county will send three delegates to the above named convention.

J. W. Maxwell
Deputy Master.

Allen House Guests.
A. A. Baumann, J. D. Cooper, A. Zwicker, Portland; Capt. J. Dunham, Str. Chilkat; Lem Parker, G. A. Nelson, Bay City; J. A. Pasland, Astoria; G. A. Ratton, Trask; Wm. N. Bays, Blaine; J. H. Whiting, Kilchis; A. T. Martin, North Yandall; J. G. Holcomb and family, Newport, Oregon; Frank Switzer, Willamina; F. Linville, Tillamook; A. J. Wilkes, Aug Anderson, John Johnson, L. M. Alley, Garibaldi.

Real Estate Transfers.
Jan. 28. State of Oregon to Robt Watt N. E. ¼ of sec 16 T. 2. N. R. 8 W.
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Jan. 28. Claude and Estelle Thayer to H. Orchard, water right.
Jan. 28. Wm. and James Hughey, to H. Orchard right of way.
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Jan. 30. Tillamook Lumber Co. to Laura A. Eddy, Lots 3, 4, 5 & 6. Blk. 4, R. R. Hays addition to Tillamook.
Feb. 3. Harriet E. Aldrick to Joseph Lefrone S. W. ¼ of N. W. ¼ of S. W. ¼ of S. W. ¼ of Sec. 15 T. 5 S. 10 W.

Woodmen's Circle Entertainment.

The entertainment given by the Woodmen's Circle was in every way a most pleasant and enjoyable affair. It seemed that everything had conspired against the ladies who had the entertainment in charge, but they are of the kind that opposition does not discourage and the more trouble they had, the harder they worked. Nevertheless, the unusual number of cases of La Grippe and influenza seriously cut down their programme, and the clerk of the weather insisted on increasing, rather than diminishing the rainfall, so that it was really almost impossible for many people to attend who would otherwise have done so. Nevertheless, a goodly number were present, and everybody enjoyed himself or herself to the utmost.

The programme as carried out was as follows:

Fan Drill, participated in by twelve young girls.
Song, by Vida Stillwell.
Recitation, "A Woman's Story," by Miss Emma Waldvogel.
Rainbow Drill, participated in by nine girls.
Scarf Drill, by seven girls.
Address, by Hon. E. E. Selph.
Solo, by Mrs. Dr. Kelly.
All the numbers were nicely rendered, and highly enjoyed by the audience. All the drills were given under the direction and training of Mrs. John Barker, and they indicate very patient and skilful work on her part.

On account of the large number present, only about one-third of the ticket holders could go to supper at one time. Those who participated in it are loud in its praise and in praise of the ladies who had it in charge, chief amongst whom were Mrs. Kimball and Mrs. Waldvogel.

The music for the dance was given by Messrs Chas. Handley, Geo. Handley, and Mark Miner and was especially fine. Dancing was indulged in until a late hour.

Contractor Jacobson went out on the Elmore Tuesday morning.

Teachers' examination is in progress this week and the principal's room was dismissed on that account on Wednesday.

J. S. Stephens took a trip to the south end of the county last week, taking in Beaver, Woods, Blaine, Neskowin, Slab Creek and other points. He reports the roads practically bottomless and the rivers as affording excellent swimming.

Mrs. Ruby Howell, formerly Miss Ruby Paine, who has been absent from this state for a number of years, has returned to Tillamook for the purpose of settling up the estate of her grandfather, the late Mr. Fawcett. She will remain for about a week.

Mr. Zwicker, of the well known firm of Wolf and Zwicker, foundrymen and ship-builders of Portland, Oregon, spent a portion of last week in Tillamook. He came in to observe the working of the wrapping machine used in Mr. Orchard's wooden pipe factory, and to make plans for a new automatic machine. Mr. Zwicker was much pleased with Tillamook.

We have just received from E. J. Bowen, seed grower, his magnificent illustrated catalogue of choice vegetable and flower seeds for 1897. Mr. Bowen and his products are both so well known that they need no recommendation. His seed annual will be sent to any truck farmer or market gardener free on application. Address, San Francisco, Cal. Portland, Oregon or Seattle, Washington.

Why It Isn't Passed.

The following letter received by Hon. E. E. Selph from Senator Geo. W. McBride, will explain to our people who are not already familiar with the facts in the case, some of the reasons why the Nicaragua Canal project has not progressed more rapidly:

Washington, D. C., January 27th, 1897.

Dear Sir:
Your letter of 21st instant, enclosing a petition signed by citizens of Tillamook County, and addressed to the Oregon delegation in Congress, requesting that our special efforts be directed to the completion of the Nicaragua Canal, has just been received.

In reply I beg to say that every member of the Oregon delegation in Congress is heartily in favor of the completion of the Canal, and that we are, at every opportunity, earnestly giving our support to legislation for the promotion of that great object. The Senate bill reported by the select committee on the Nicaragua Canal, for the promotion of that work, is now being debated in the Senate, and is meeting with strong opposition. The opposition to the bill has been much strengthened recently by the publication of a letter addressed to the Secretary of State by the Minister of the Greater Republic of Central America, consisting of the States of Honduras, San Salvador, and Nicaragua, protesting that the legislation proposed in the pending bill, will, if carried into effect, violate certain provisions of the concession granted by Nicaragua to the Maritime Canal Company. An amendment has been proposed, which, in the judgment of the friends of the bill, ought to overcome all objections, but, nevertheless, it is feared that the protest above mentioned may delay, if it shall not defeat, the passage of the bill. We shall, however, use our utmost endeavors to obtain a final vote on the bill at the earliest date possible.

Yours very truly,
Geo. W. McBride.

Letter from Mr. Hays.

A private letter from R. R. Hays, chief clerk of the "Benson House of the Legislature", to the editor of the HEADLIGHT, contains the following interesting digest of the situation at Salem:

"Our deadlock still continues and the end is not yet, the opposition to Mitchell will never come in so long as he continues to be a candidate. It is a queer condition of affairs; he undoubtedly had the votes to secure his re-election (and possibly has them yet) but the peculiar situation makes it impossible to get them together. The opposition have been unable so far to unite upon any question, except the defeat of Mitchell; when they are satisfied he is defeated and they can secure one vote from the Benson 30 (which I believe impossible) they will come in and organize the House by the election of Jonathan Bourne, Jr., for Speaker, and a new lot of clerks at my desk.

If you followed Bourne's course last year you will see at once that the republicans had better lose everything else in order to secure Bourne's defeat. A failure to organize and abolish commissions and pass appropriation bills will cause endless expense for years in interest on warrants, claims and relief bills, etc., etc. The men whose election Bourne secured last June, under pledge of free coinage and Mitchell, are all out with the opposition and against Mitchell; some of these people bargained their vote, in writing, which Mitchell holds. I am holding down the position of chief clerk of the Benson House, also clerk of the Joint Assembly. Of course I hope to win out, but it is politics and no man knows the end."

Respectfully,
R. R. HAYS.

A FEW ITEMS

which have been added to the already large stock of Cohn and Co.

CLOTHING

A large line of Children's and Men's Clothing in the Latest Style and at Prices that will suit everyone.

SHOES

in endless variety. just the goods for this wet weather.

SWEATERS

A large line of All Wool Sweaters for men and boys; with full and lace fronts, something new.

COHN & Co. Leading Merchants.

COUNTY COURT NOTES.

(Continued from page one.)

T. B. Handley was allowed \$10.00 for drawing petition and affidavits in case of the case above mentioned.

The county clerk was ordered to advertise for sealed bids for the building of a Howe Truss bridge across the Big Neatucca river, near the residence of W. Kellow, according to specifications now on file in the clerk's office.

The clerk was also ordered to advertise for sealed bids for a bridge across the Daugherty slough near the residence of E. E. Jenkins, according to specifications on file in the clerk's office.

The court checked up the orders of the court and the warrants drawn by the clerk up to the 1st of Jan., 1897 and found the same correct.

The amount allowed for county printing for the year 1897 was \$30.00.

The following additional claims were allowed:

Thomas Kellow for assisting in taking measurements of Neatucca bridge \$0.75
W. W. Conder, salary for Jan., 1897 41.67
D. P. Harvey, salary as commissioner and for 11 days superintending road and bridge work 51.00

County warrants taken as cash for anything in my store for the next three months. Letcher's Jewelry Store.

People who have potatoes for sale will do well to call and see J. M. Harrison before disposing of them. He wants both large and small potatoes.

The chances in that crazy quilt at La Mode Millinery Parlor are going fast. Don't fail to secure a few before they are all gone. Only ten cents a chance.

Money to loan. Apply to Theodore Steinhilber.

For lowest prices on picture frames of all kinds go to the Elite Foto Parlor, 1f.

Anyone contemplating the purchase of a fine cooking stove will do well to go and see Charley Reynolds about it. He has a fine stock of stoves on hand, and is selling them very reasonable.

FOR SALE.—New solid oak organ manufactured by Faren and Votey, Detroit, Michigan; will sell on the installment plan. For further particulars inquire of C. E. Reynolds.

J. E. Tuttle has recently received a brand new set of plumbing tools and is now prepared to do all kinds of plumbing at short notice. Mr. Tuttle's work shows for itself. When you want first class work call on him.

Here we are, Mr. Joe Harrison has taken full control of Mr. Carey's raffle of fruit trees, which he will conduct at his store. Every person buying 50 cents worth of fruit trees will be entitled to a guess as follows:

The first best guesser will get a first class road cart, the second best will be entitled to \$3.00 worth of trade out of the store, the third to \$2.00 worth of trade and the fourth will be entitled to a sack of flour. The Raffle will commence Saturday Dec. 26, 1896 and close Feb. 15, 1897.

Fresh Fish

of every description in their season? Are you fond of Clams, Crabs and other shell fish? If so go to

CHIPMAN & CAMPBELL'S

Market on Olsen's Wharf and you will find what you want. Everything possible will be done to make this a First Class Fish Market.

COME AND SEE US.

Chipman & Campbell

The Opening of the New Tillamook Opera House

will take place on

WASHINGTON'S
BIRTHDAY

Monday Eve. Feb. 22d.

and will be celebrated by a

GRAND + BALL

Music Will be Furnished by

HANDLEY'S ORCHESTRA

C. E. Reynolds, Abe Cohn and
Chas. Peterson, Floor Managers.

Come Everybody and
Have a Good Time.

Tickets Including Supper \$1.50

Dr. W. A. Wise

has returned to Portland, where
he will remain for about 2 months.

This space belongs to him:

Watch it : It Will contain interesting
matter from time to time, relating
to proper care of the TEETH.