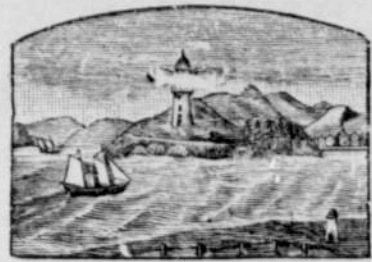


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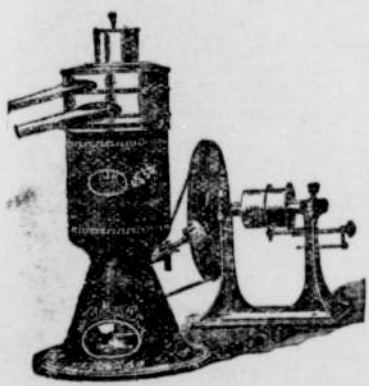


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HEADLIGHT X-RAYS

C. W. Alley and Alex McDonald of
Nehalem were in town last week.

Mrs. Kate Williams returned Monday
noon from a visit to the family of Jim
Harris on Wilson River.

Hon. F. X. Schoonmaker of New Jersey,
who was to have made several political
speeches in this county, was unable
to come on account of sickness in his
family.

James Harris of Wilson River was in
town the latter part of the week.

Anthony Pleascker has just arrived to-
day from Minnesota and intends to set-
tle here.

C. B. Hadley has his new cellar about
completed. It will be a great conven-
ience to his popular establishment.

Miss Rosa Olsen returned on Friday
from an extended visit to California and
Portland Oregon. Her many friends
are delighted to see her home again.

You want a wheel—see Letcher and
Jenkins.

Carey's is getting to be head quarters
for milk cans. A magnificent display
of cans was photographed in front of
the store last week.

J. S. Diehl has returned from Rose-
burg, Oregon, where he attended the
Lodge of Old Fellows as a delegate
from Tillamook Lodge No. 94.

H. H. Downing of Nehalem was in
town Tuesday. Mr. Downing intends to
leave soon for a visit to relatives and
friends at McMinnville.

Otto Heins is the happy possessor of a
new Dougherty Typewriter. It is an ex-
cellent machine and possesses many
points of vantage over many of the stand-
ard makes.

Dr. W. J. May returned on Sunday
from Portland and other Valley points.
While absent he attended the grand
Lodge of I. O. O. F. as a delegate from
the lodge in this city.

The schooner Mary Bulne and Laura
Pike are both at the Truckee mill load-
ing lumber for San Francisco. Captain
W. Libber, formerly of the Tug Maggie is
master of the Bulne and was able to
sail in without tug or pilot.

If you want a good wheel, and a cheap
wheel, go and see Letcher & Jenkins;
Their wheels are O. K.

J. J. Stoddard, formerly publisher
of the Advocate of this place is now prac-
ticing law in Dayton, Washington.

Tuesday was queen Victoria's 79th
birthday. It was quietly celebrated by
a few of her subjects who are residing
here for the present, prominently
amongst whom are Mr. and Mrs. Drif-
field and daughter.

Fred R. Smith, formerly in the Tillamook
Lumbering Company's office has
accepted a position in the office of the
HEADLIGHT. Bert Severance takes the
place vacated by Mr. Smith in the
Lumber Company's employ.

Secretary Heins has delivered to Mrs.
Tom Williams a check for \$1000 paid by
the Woodmen of the World on the death
of her husband. The money was paid
promptly, as it always is by the Wood-
men.

A new steamer, the "Ruth" has been
put on the Tillamook and San Francisco
Route by A. W. Beadle and Co. The
Boat is an excellent one and has good
accommodations. It will leave on the
28th, and will make regular trips there-
after every 10 days. The ad appears in
this issue.

Letcher and Jenkins have just received
the best kit of tools and material for
the repairing of bicycles that money
could purchase and are prepared to do
all kinds of work on bicycles at short
notice and in a workmanlike manner.
A share of your patronage is respectfully
solicited.

Last week we spoke of some improve-
ments being made on the Tug Miami.
The compositor accidentally set it up
"Maggie". We are sorry we turned the
Maggie into a schooner, but as the com-
positor who set up the item was going to
be married in a few hours there was
doubtless some excuse for absentminded-
ness and mistakes.

The first number of the Tillamook
Leader was issued by Editor Johnson a
week ago Saturday. By an oversight
we failed to bid the Stranger the usual
welcome. Bro. Johnson is an unregener-
ate follower of Billy Bryan and teaches
the most awful political heresies, but he
is a good fellow and a good newspaper
man and runs a nice clean little paper.

D. DeK. Bowman of the HEADLIGHT
will speak at Hebo on the night of the
28th.

The ballots for the coming election are
very large this year and printing them
was a difficult job. Ten thousand ballots
—five thousand colored and five thou-
sand white ballots are required in the
county. The HEADLIGHT did the work.

Hon. John T. Whalley made a pleas-
ant call on the HEADLIGHT office on
Tuesday.

Rev. C. Mills was in town Wed-
nesday and made the HEADLIGHT a
pleasant call. Mr. Mills reports things
booming down at Beaver.

Dr. Parker of Portland was in town
yesterday. He performed another op-
eration for Appendicitis, Miss Chatter-
ton being the patient.

The proprietors of the Miami have
secured the services of a competent cap-
tain and engineer, and the steamer has
gone to Astoria to load freight for Astoria.

Gid B. Davidson who has been spend-
ing a few days with friends and relatives
here, will return next Saturday to his
work on the Columbia river.

Edgar Lindsey and Dan German
leave today for California where the
latter will be foreman of a fruit drying
establishment. Mr. Lindsey will act as
engineer in the same establishment.

Otto Heins has just received at his
studio a new Columbia burnisher. It is
the finest machine of the kind we have
seen and will enable him to improve
still more his fine work.

On account of the populist speaker,
Mr. Weatherford, being at Woods on
the evening of the 28th, Editor Bow-
man of the HEADLIGHT will not speak
there as announced, but will speak at
Hebo instead.

Fusion does not seem to be perfect in
this county. The bolt of the Democ-
rats on the nomination of Huff for Judge
shows how hard it is to swap a whole
party vote.

All the candidates are hard at work.
The canvas thus far has been a very fair
and clean one, no personalities have been
indulged in, and it is hoped the cam-
paign may be ended as it began, clean,
manly and respectable.

A destructive fire occurred last night at
Astoria. It destroyed the boxfactory of
the Clatsop Mill Co. the Columbia
Cannery, the Pacific Union Cannery, the
Lineweber Cannery and about \$10,000
worth of nets. The loss will aggregate
\$50,000.

A good audience greeted Hon. J. T.
Whalley at the opera house last Tuesday
evening, and exhibited their interest by
the closest attention to a logical address
of about an hour. Mr. Whalley does
not attempt any flights of eloquence nor
humorous fancy to tickle his hearers
but relies entirely upon a calm presenta-
tion of plain facts to sustain his case.
He closed with a fervent appeal to all
patriots to sink their minor difficulties
in this time of war and rally to the defense
of the flag under an administration not
representing any party but the whole
people of the United States and the
manner in which this brilliant passage
was received showed that Tillamook
does not propose to cast her vote in any
way that can be construed as against
the conduct of affairs during the war.

The Kicker.

Kicking in the morning.
Kicking all the day;
Kicking if he's busy;
Kicking at delay;
Thus the chronic kicker
Fills his life with woes,
Frowning, grumbling, wrangling,
Everywhere he goes.
Nothing ever suits him,
Always finding fault;
Every kind of pleasure
He sure to haunt.
Scowling at the children,
Growling at his wife;
Turning peace and comfort
Into constant strife.
Kicking if the weather
Happens to be dry;
Kicking when the rain is
Tumbling from the sky;
Kicking in the summer,
Heat has then no charm;
Kicking in the winter,
Then he'd have it warm.
Kicking every meal-time,
Glaring at the meat;
Often he is saying:
"Nothing fit to eat."
Kicking when he's reading,
Grumbling at the light;
Now and then denouncing
Everything in sight.
Kicking in the morning,
Kicking all the day;
Kicking in the evening,
Kicking should be pray;
Kicking when he's thinking,
Kicking when he's bed;
Wonder if he'll keep on
Kicking when he's dead.

Ed Donaldson while driving a steel
wedge at his mill got a splinter in his
eye and had to come to town to have it
extracted.

Wm. Heitmiller fell from a horse on
Friday and broke three ribs. He is
under the doctor's care and doing well
considering his injuries.

Political Speaking.

Arrangements have been made with
D. DeK. Bowman editor of the HEAD-
LIGHT to address the voters at Woods on
Saturday evening May 28th, and at
Oretown, Monday evening May 30th.
Abe Severance, Chairman
C. N. Drew, Sec'y

Political Speaking.

Hon. J. K. Weatherford, of Lin-
coln County representing the Peoples, Demo-
crats and Free Silver Republicans, will
address the citizens of Tillamook coun-
ty at the following dates and places.

Tillamook Opera House Friday, May
27 at 8 P. M.

Beaver Saturday, May 28 at 2 P. M.
Woods " " 28 " " 8 " "

Hon. C. W. Talmage of McMinnville
will speak at the Opera House on Satur-
day evening May 28th., at 8 P. M.

Report of School District Number 13.

For the month ending May 6th., 1898.
No. days taught.....23
No. " attendance.....457
No. " absence.....17
No. pupils enrolled.....26
No. times tardy.....4
No. visitors.....12

Those who were neither tardy nor
absent were Arthur Bodyfelt, Fredie Brady,
Alton Conner, Carl Dawson, Cloyd
Dawson, Nora Fleck, Lillie Hansen,
Lizzie Hansen, Eddie Hansen, Roy
Hansen, Dolly Kellow, and Joseph
Lawrence.

Mrs. Dawson, teacher.

Letter from Mr. Tongue.

Several gentlemen of this city have
recently written to Hon. Thos. H.
Tongue with reference to improvements
in Tillamook Harbor. Mr. Tongue
wrote to Messrs W. H. Cary and Alfred
Letcher with reference to the matter.
Following is a copy of one of the letters:
MY DEAR SIR:

On the 5th, inst., in reference to
the improvement of the Tillamook harbor as
well as the bay, has just been received. The
expenses rendered necessary by the war prevented
the river and harbor committee from introduc-
ing a bill at this session, but it will be prepared
and introduced at the meeting of congress in
the December session. At that time, I will en-
deavor to see that proper appropriations are
made for the improvement of the Tillamook,
both bay and harbor. I think there is no
doubt but that proper appropriations will
be made.

Truly and Sincerely yours,
THOS. H. TONGUE.

Republican Speaking.

Republican speaking under the aus-
pices of the Republican County Central
Committee will be held at the following
times and places and by the following
named gentlemen.

Jug J. T. WHALLEY of Portland Ore.
Bay City May 27 at 7:30 P. M.
Nehalem " 28 " 7:30 " "

Hon. D. DeK. BOWMAN,
Hebo May 28 at 7:30 P. M.
Oretown " 30 " 7:30 " "

Bay City June 2 " " " "
Hon. T. B. HANDLEY,
Beaver May 31 at 7:30 P. M.
Woods June 1 " " " "

Holstonville " 3 " " " "
Hons. W. L. BROOKS and B. L. EDDY,
South Prairie May 2 at 7:30 P. M.
Bay City " 28 " " " "

Garibaldi June 1 " " " "
Hon. M. E. POGUE,
Dolph May 30 at 7:30 P. M.
Beaver " 31 " " " "

Nehalem June 2 " " " "
Tillamook " 3 " " " "

A. W. Severance, chairman,
County Central Committee.
C. N. Drew,
Secretary.

BORN.

SEVERANCE—In Tillamook Oregon
Monday, May 23d., to Mr. and Mrs. A.
W. Severance, a daughter.

BOATMAN—In Tillamook City, Wed-
nesday, May 25th., 1898, to the wife of
Scott Boatman, a daughter.

MARRIED.

McKINLEY—CARSON. In Tillamook,
Oregon, at the residence of the brides
mother, Thursday, May 19th., by Jus-
tice G. W. Sappington. C. T. McKinley
and Maud Carson, both of Tillamook.

Rev. M. P. Dixon preached in Neha-
lem on Tuesday afternoon.

Henry Crenshaw has a new bicycle
sign in front of his place.

Rev. Dr. Gue delivered his lecture on
the war at Bay City on Tuesday evening
to a large and appreciative audience.

Editor Bowman leaves on Saturday for
Hebo, Woods and Oretown. He will
deliver Decoration Day addresses at the
last two named places.

Wild pigeons have been unusually
abundant for the past week and sports-
men who have gone after them have
been almost invariably successful.

The handsome residence of Wm. Olsen
is about completed. When finished it
will be amongst the finest if not the
finest house in town.

A Chinese pheasant made a visit to
this part of town yesterday. It walked
down past Larson's blacksmith shop
and when it reached First street took
wing and continued down second
avenue to the woods.

Campers are beginning to arrive and
soon the beaches will be full of tents.

J. E. Tuttle, it is said is becoming very
much exercised over his candidacy for
coroner. There is no other candidate
and no show for a fight. And after he gets in
there will be no chance to crow over the
other fellow. Tuttle is in hard lines,
but there are many candidates who
would like to be in the same fix.

Took a Cold Bath.

Sometimes it is a good thing to have
a muscular preacher for a travelling
companion; at least so thought Rev. Dr.
Gue and Rev. Mr. Potter yesterday when
starting home from Nehalem. Revs.
Gue, Potter and Dixon had been at Ne-
halem holding quarterly meeting and
started to embark in a skiff for the
mouth of the river. Mr. Potter who tips
scales near to 200 lbs got into a
boat first and prepared to act as oarsman.
Dr. Gue, who is not a feather weight
himself, stepped into the boat after Mr.
Potter, but happened to stumble to one
side, Mr. Potter fell over to the same
side; and in less time than it takes to
tell the two gentlemen were struggling in
15 feet of rather cold water. Mr. Dixon
who was still on the dock managed to
get hold of the struggling preachers and
pulled them out. Their combined weight
is about 450 pounds and the job was
not a particularly easy one. The gentle-
men had to walk down to Garibaldi be-
fore they could get a change of clothing.
Verily, even the Lords anointed some-
times get it in the neck.

Latest War News.

WEDNESDAY

The St. Louis and the tug Waumpatuck have
cut the spanish cables at Santiago and San
Juan.

The captain of the Spanish gunboat recently
captured by Dewey will be courtmartialled and
shot by the Spaniards.

The battleship Oregon is reported at Jupiter
on the coast of Florida.

The Spanish Torpedo boat Terror will leave
Martinique tomorrow.

The government has determined to impress
such ships as it needs into service provided the
owners are extortionate in their charges.

Cervera's fleet is bottled up in Santiago
harbor and its capture or destruction is consid-
ered by all naval authorities as merely a matter
of time. Schley's fleet is at the harbor entrance
and the Spanish fleet will either be compelled
to fight or surrender. In either case an Ameri-
can victory is inevitable. This news is fully
credited at Washington.

Preparations are being made to cut the last
cable connecting Havana with Madrid.

A dispatch from Port Au Prince, Hayti,
confirms the report that the spanish fleet is in
Santiago. Naval authorities of all nations consider
Cervera's move as simply suicidal. There is
great rejoicing at Washington over the situa-
tion.

The President has today asked for 75,000
more volunteers and enlistment will begin very
soon.

The Oregon, Marietta and Buffalo sailed from
Jupiter inlet, Florida, this morning.

Disquieting news has been received from
Dewey at Manila. He wires that he is still in
control but badly in need of re-inforcements
and urges that here be no delay. Prompt ac-
tion will be taken and all needed troops and
supplies will be sent.

THURSDAY.

Cervera must fight or quit. He is completly
bottled up at Santiago. Schley is at the
mouth of the harbor and escape is impossible.

It is rumored that Sampson's fleet has been
ordered to take San Juan while Schley guards
Cervera. The American wants San Juan in
their possession when Spain seeks for peace.

The Cadiz squadron is not feared. It is a
weak, flimsy affair.

Spain fears an invasion from England, and is
preparing for it.

Germany denies officially that she tried to
force Dewey's blockade at Manila.

The expedition which sailed for Manila con-
sisted of three transports and 250 troops; also
ammunition and supplies for Dewey. It is pro-
visioned for one year.