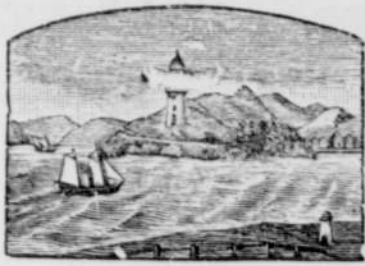


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TILLAMOOK JOTTINGS.

Mr. L. H. Brown left for Portland on Monday.

Mr. Lewis L. Shortridge was over from Dolph on Tuesday.

Squire W. W. Jacobs was in from Nehalem today on business.

Commissioner C. Ray came from Hebo the fore part of the week.

Rev. J. G. Schmid will preach at the Fairview schoolhouse Sunday morning.

Dr. Wise will be at his office about May 1st, to remain as long as kept busy.

Geo. W. Phelps, the Netarts storekeeper, will pay you the market price for eggs and hides.

The steamer Harrison crossed in over the bar on Wednesday and came up to the city today.

The steamer National City went on the bar this morning while crossing out loaded with lumber.

Dr. Hawke returned to the city Wednesday after spending two weeks' vacation in Portland.

One inquirer about this county wants to know if he can get government land within a mile or so of this city.

The Workmen will be the first fraternal order to hold meeting in J. A. Todd & Co.'s new hall this evening.

Now is the time to have your pianos or organs tuned or repaired, as I will leave Tillamook June 1.—F. C. SHANAHAN.

Mr. P. K. Miller has returned from Blooming and will work for Mr. P. McIntosh in his cheese factory at Ortown.

Surely Chief Oak Nolan must have been oscillating with "My Honorable Lady" or a Tillamook squah by the look of his mustachio.

The Tillamook Lumbering Co. will pay \$1.02 on the Dollar for County Warrants in Lumber, or will trade lumber for hay or oats.

Ralph Ackley has the largest supply of fishing tackle in Tillamook. Come and see it before you buy. Next door to the Headlight.

Mr. Frank Trout's team ran away while he was plowing on Thursday, and one of the horses injuring its leg so badly, he had to shoot the animal.

B. H. Bunn has a general job shop in Bailey's building, where he is prepared to do all kinds of repairs in tin, etc., as well as fixtures and fittings neatly done. Work guaranteed first class.

Persons who intend traveling by the North Yamhill stage line must secure their tickets before they start. They can be secured at B. C. Lamb's book store and at the livery barn.

At a meeting of the members of the Presbyterian church on Thursday evening, Messrs. W. H. Cooper, A. McNair, P. McIntosh, F. C. Baker and C. N. Drew were elected trustees.

Fred Stillwell, who joined the Oregon volunteer and was taken sick in San Francisco, thus depriving him from join-

ing the boys in the Philippines, in on a visit to his relatives in this city.

Messrs. Theo. Steinhilber and Joseph Guptell have bought the Netarts saw mill, and as soon as they have fixed some new machinery, which they have ordered, they will set the mill buzzing at full blast.

A small dairy farm for sale on Wilson river; 20 acres; all bottom land; all in pasture. Well improved, good house and barn. Can keep 8 cows.—Place 1 1/2 miles from town.

Inquire of, JOHN THORALL.

Rev. A. R. Griggs left on Monday for Portland to attend the meeting of the presbytery. During his absence from the city the Presbyterians will not hold services for the next two Sunday evenings.

The new building for Mr. S. J. Sturgeon's drug store is nearing completion, as also is the new building for the post office, both of which are attractive additions to our wide-awake and progressive city.

Some six years ago Tillamook county began looking up the creamery business. Today the county has nine cheese factories and four creameries, with an assured fact that the number will increase every year for some years to come.

Thomas Frank Thurman, brother of Mrs. Perkins, who came in last week on the steamer Elmore, died on Thursday evening, of consumption aged 35 years. The remains were buried in the Oddfellows' cemetery on Friday, Rev. Le Masters conducting the religious service.

"Don't you know Lisk?" Well, he's the genius who manufactures tinware that will not rust. Mr. J. E. Tuttle is the sole agent in Tillamook, and has just received a large consignment of these goods, including rustless boilers, kettles, coffee and tea pots, pans, in fact, everything in the tinware line.

Mr. John Barker left on Sunday for Portland. The necessary papers have been prepared for the purpose of having the mail schedule changed. By that arrangement the stage and mail will leave this city between four and five o'clock in the morning, reaching North Yamhill in time to connect with the passenger train at that place for Portland.

Captain J. J. Dawson, Tillamook's weather mainfulator and prophet, says that owing to the small amount of rainfall in March—only 6.66 inches—we may look for a large quantity of rain in April. Its a good thing there's no difference in the quality of the rainfall, for we should be constrained to ask Captain Dawson to send us a better quality and not so much in quantity.

Captain W. W. Harts has filed his report of government work for February, and that in relation to Tillamook is as follows: "There is but \$815 left available for use at Tillamook bay, consequently nothing was done last month, and nothing more than repairs are contemplated for March, when a small sum will be expended in the vicinity of Dry Stocking bar dike."

Mr. James Wiley, son of Dr. D. Wiley, who has been studying medicine and surgery in Portland for the past four years, passed his examination there last week. He was one of the few who graduated from the state medical college did not fail in any branch.

Mr. Dan Bowers returned from Portland on Saturday, where he had gone on account of the accident which befell his son, who fell from a logging train and had his right arm amputated at the St. Vincents' hospital in Portland. Kirk has so far recovered that he will be out of the hospital in about two weeks. Mr. Dan Bowers met some of the editor's friends while in Portland, and in taking in the sights, he was kindly treated by all those whom he came in contact with.

Our respected contemporary in its chronic bellyaching again last week must have been thinking of the very things which directly apply to itself. Since it is so grotesque and descending to personal mud slinging of a billingsgate character, which seems to be the only enterprise it ever was engaged in, we deem it advisable not to pay the least attention to that kind of journalism, if that can be called such. The journalist who make a forte of mud slinging can read the writing on the wall.

People ought to go down or their marrow bones and be thankful they live in Tillamook county, where the winters are mild and the summers delightful. Taking up the daily paper on Wednesday we find that the worst blizzard of the year was in progress at Salina, Kan., another blinding snowstorm was raging at St. Joseph, Mo., it had been snowing at Des Moines, Ia., for 36 hours with no evidence of letting up, and at Ottumwa, Ia., the heaviest snow ever known in April was falling.

It is expected that the tug Robarts, of Florence, will locate in Tillamook bay for the purpose of towing logs to the saw mills and for towing schooners across the bar. It looks as though, with all the saw mills running full blast at Tillamook, Hobsonville, Nehalem and Netarts, quite a lot of business in sight for a tug on the bay. A tug permanently stationed in the bay would be a great advantage to the saw mills and would be instrumental in bringing more schooners in here for lumber when it is known they can get a tow to bring them in or take them out.

The steamer Luella continues to make fast trips. Leaving Hobsonville last Wednesday morning, she reached San Francisco on Friday, practically two days at sea. She discharged and started for Tillamook again Tuesday morning, and with average weather will arrive this (Thursday) evening. The up bound trip takes a trifle longer than the one down, as the Luella stops at Eureka and Coos Bay to land passengers and freight, nicely breaking the monotony of the trip for the passengers. The Luella has already developed a considerable freight and passenger traffic, which will no doubt increase largely during the summer months. The Luella will sail again for San Francisco on Sunday morning, and can be relied upon to make three round trips a month in future.

Two more petitions for change of roads will come before the board of county commissioners at its meeting next month. One specifies commencing at the Beaver Creek bridge, in sec. 30, tp. 3, S range 9 W, thence in a northerly direction along the east bank of Beaver Creek, on the most practical route to the present road at J. D. Wallace's place. The other, commencing at Andrew Peterson's place, thence going north around the foot of the hill, the most practical route, and ending on the place belonging to John Alleg, all in section 2, tp 1, N range 10 W.

George M. Landingham was brought to the city on Sunday evening from Hebo suffering with a religious mania. On Monday he was a raving maniac. This is Landingham's second attack of insanity. He was thrown from a wagon a few years ago, which rendered him senseless, and it is thought this has something to do with the derangement of his mind, although he has a brother either an inmate of the state asylum or had been treated there. He is a married man with a family, who are much respected by those who are acquainted with them. County Judge Sappington ordered Landingham taken to the asylum, where he was conveyed on Tuesday.

Word was received in this city from Terre Haute, Ind., that Dr. J. D. Kelly, who practiced here a few years ago, had been shot by his wife. On the 17th of last month Mrs. Kelly knocked at the doctor's door from the outside, and when Dr. Kelly opened it she shot him over the heart, which would have killed him, but she was below him on his right, so the ball missed his heart a little and struck a rib at the curve and passed to his back, where it remained. Mrs. Kelly fired at her husband twice after, but the shots fortunately missed him. Dr. Kelly is now in the hospital at Terre Haute and Mrs. Kelly is locked up in jail.

A council meeting was held on Monday evening, with Councilmen L. Hiner, L. Olsen and J. E. Tuttle present, the latter presiding. Bills allowed were as follows: W. H. Cooper, \$10; Tillamook Lumber Co., \$47.32; Cohn & Co., \$3.50; S. V. Anderson, \$3.17; J. S. Lahmon, \$42.75. Mr. A. Letcher asked that the license for shooting galleries be reduced to \$5, which the council consented to do by passing an ordinance to that effect. The ordinance to regulate the sale of spirituous and malt liquors passed to its final reading. Councilmen Hiner and Olsen complained about the size and quality of the plank the Pacific Mill Co. was putting down from their mill.

Receiver Galloway, of the Oregon City Land Office, says that considerable inquiry has been made at the land office for government lands during the past few days, principally by people from the Middle Western states and California. Several who were making inquiries have

gone to Tillamook and Lincoln counties to make selections for themselves and neighbors who are coming to the state. Mr. Galloway states that for the past three years, only two final proofs were made on timber claims in this district. Now there are nine timber proofs on the calendar for June, and already 32 homestead final proofs for May.

The project to erect a monument to the memory of the Oregon volunteers who sacrificed their lives for their country's cause is commendable and should be taken up with a vim. By all means let Oregon erect a monument to these heroes.

County School Superintendent G. B. Lamb has prepared his annual report. It shows that 1672 children are in the county of school age, 809 males and 863 females, of this number 1140 were enrolled. There were 47 children enrolled under school age and 51 attending from outside districts. The estimated value of school property amounted to \$27,428 10 There are 47 organized districts in the county. The receipts for the year amounted to \$9,965 75, out of which \$7,175 65 was paid for teachers' wages. The amount of unapportioned school funds in the hands of county treasurer is \$805 21.

Tillamook county should make an effort to have a good exhibit at the state fair of butter and cheese, etc. The new state board of agriculture has determined to make every effort to make the state fair of 1899 a success. One of the special competitions will array four sections of the state against each other, creating considerable rivalry, and will result in some good exhibits being made. For the purpose of gathering the exhibits, the state has been divided into districts, and Tillamook county is in the first district with Clatsop, Columbia, Washington, Yamhill, Polk, Benton and Lincoln.

Now that Senator McBride and Congressman Tongue have become greatly interested in the improvement of Tillamook Bay and Hoquartton slough, it is wise for our representative business men to keep in touch with these gentlemen. It has been intimated to us that Congressman Tongue will visit Tillamook in the near future, and if the members of the Port of Tillamook Commission can arrange a conference with him, it will be instrumental in accomplishing much good. What the Commissioners should endeavor to place before Mr. Tongue, is something which should arm him against the oft repeated statement that the commerce of Tillamook Bay does not warrant large appropriations of government money for improvements. Something should be done to disabuse people's minds of this erroneous idea. The simple fact that Tillamook county cannot develop its resources as it should is because transportation is so difficult owing to obstructions in the bay and harbors. Therefore, it can readily be seen that an emergency exists for govern-

ment improvements by those who will take the pains to look over the situation.

PASSING REMARKS.

Every citizen of this state, naturally feel proud of the brave Oregon volunteers. They have fought nobly, and endured innumerable hardships owing to the unhealthy climate. Being in the first expedition sent to Manila, they have certainly distinguished themselves for endurance, courage and pluck and when it came down to hard fighting they were in the thickest of the battles determined on victory. We say, all honor to the Oregon boys, honor to the plucky, Web-footers. Boys, Oregonians feel proud of you, and send forth with one acclaim their praise of your courage.

The democratic party intends making political capital out of the fact that so many trust and monopolies have been formed the past few years. But to take the wind out of their sails the Oregonian makes a wise suggestion, which, probably will be done. It says: "It is said the republican national platform next year will pronounce against the trusts as strongly as the democratic platform possibly can. No doubt it will. But the way to make an effective platform for the republican party on this subject lies through action of congress at the next session. Proper action in congress against the trusts will beat all the utterances of political platforms." The republican party brought the country out of a serious financial depression and industrial stagnation, as all fair minded citizens will now admit, but the republican party is not responsible for the growth of so many trusts. The monopolists of the country have taken advantage of the prosperity which the republican party created, and laws will have to be enacted to put a stop to this growing evil. The republican party will attend to that.

It is stated that Governor-General Brooke, of Havana, has almost made up his mind to send the \$3,000,000 back to the United States which was sent there to pay the Cuban soldiers. Although the Cubans have been quibbling about the smallness of the amount of money the United States is so liberally willing to distribute, the officials refuse to give up the army roll. The fact is the Cubans are nonplussed at the method President McKinley adopted for the distribution of this money. They surely must have thought they had a cinch game of grab. Even Gomez is disgusted with his own people, for he says: "I am tired of this jangle with the assembly. I have learned something about these people which I did not know before. They are an ungrateful people. They do not appreciate what the United States government is doing for them—a service in which I am assisting." That is what the citizens of the United States, who have sacrificed so much to free the Cubans, are beginning to think.

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