



**Signs of Spring.**

Trees in full foliage, flowers blooming—all signs of spring. With me one of the surest signs is the number of Bottles of OREGON BLOOD PURIFIER I sell. In past seasons it has made many warm friends, and I find its reputation spreading. It purifies the blood and tones the digestive organs. That is what it is made for, and when you have rich red blood coursing through your veins your appetite is good, your digestion is sound and you are sure to feel strong and vigorous. Oregon Blood Purifier is honestly made of the finest drugs. Comes in two sizes—50 cent and \$1.00 bottles. Have just received a fresh supply.

**CHAS. I. CLOUGH, Druggist and Pharmacist,**

MORSE ELECTRIC BELTS—The best Electric Belt in the world at one fifth the price of the highly advertised belts.

KODAKS AND CAMERAS—A fine assortment in stock, also Photographic supplies to be used in connection with them.

**TILLAMOOK JOTTINGS.**

See Dr. Wise about your dental work.  
Dr. Wise extracts teeth without pain.  
Hose company business meeting this evening.  
Mrs. W. B. Alderman left on Friday for Brownsville.  
Get prices on dental work from Dr. Wise.  
For the very latest in hats, see J. A. Todd & Co.  
The tug Robarts came up to the city on Monday.  
Dr. Wise will leave for Portland in about two weeks.  
Dr. Wise is neat, clean, careful and up to date in dentistry.  
It pays to have an attractive advertisement in the Headlight.  
Mrs. Henry Alderman expects to leave for Portland on a visit next week.  
Dr. W. Tatom, the dentist, will be in the city on the 15th May.  
The band boys are talking of giving a concert in the near future.  
All dental work done by Dr. Wise is warranted to be as represented.  
Use the Boston Team Collar. They are the best. You will find them at the harness shop.  
J. A. Todd & Co.'s stock of crash and straw hats will arrive soon. Every line up to date.  
Leave your order with J. A. Todd & Co. for groceries, to be delivered to any part of the town.  
Superintendent Lamb returned to the city on Tuesday after visiting schools in the north part of the county.  
Don't fail to inspect our line of fine dress shoes, which will arrive on the next boat.—J. A. Todd & Co.  
Just received, a large assortment of flies, angler's wings, tapened silk line, etc. Come and see them at the harness shop.  
Mr. H. Barker, brother of Mr. John Barker, with his family, came in from the east last week. He is to have charge of the livery barn.  
We understand that the bridges on the Wilson river toll road are to be fixed and put in repair, parties having been sent out to do so.  
F. C. Shanahan has opened a bicycle store next to this office, where he handles Rambler wheels, which he claims are the best on the market.  
What with the reduction of interest on county warrants and the war revenue tax, it is knocking the stuffing out of county warrants.  
FOR RENT, a house on the Bay City road 1 mile north of town, half acre of land under cultivation, nicely situated.—Apply to J. Svenson, Tillamook, Ore.  
The remains of Mrs. Balmer, who died in California, were brought over from North Yamhill on the stage on Saturday and were buried at Bay City on Sunday.

There will be a dance on Saturday next in Bailey's hall, which will be nicely conducted and good music will be furnished. You are all cordially invited to attend this dance.  
Electric baths! They are beneficial to health. Will give you new energy and put new life in you. Give them a trial. Edgar Latimer's electric baths are fitted up in fine shape.  
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.  
A Sunday school teacher asked one of her class what was the song of the three children while they were in the fiery furnace, when a boy answered, "A hot time in the old town tonight."  
Surely there should be no objection to allowing bicycles on the sidewalks in the residence part of the city if they are kept from riding on the sidewalks in the business portion. But what does the city dads say?  
The new cheese factory on South Prairie commenced taking milk and manufacturing cheese on Monday. Owing to the bad state of the roads some of the cheese factories and creameries are not receiving the amount of milk they otherwise would had the weather kept fine and allowed the roads to dry up.  
"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.  
An inquest was held on the body of Eric Peterson, who committed suicide by hanging himself to a tree on his ranch near the Miami, was held on Friday by Justice T. H. Goynne in the absence of Coroner Tuttle. The evidence went to prove that Peterson was insane, and the jury returned a verdict to that effect.  
The steamer Harrison came in Thursday of last week loaded with freight, and after discharging left down on Saturday. She had the misfortune to meet with another accident, breaking a flange of her propeller. There remained at Astoria on the docks about a cargo of freight for Tillamook when the Harrison left last week.  
Some estimation of the charitable disposition of the citizens of this city may be gathered by the fact that Mr. L. G. Freeman collected \$60.05 in cash, besides clothing for a family by the name of M. D. Swabb, who were in temporary distress owing to prolong sickness of Mr. and Mrs. Swabb, who have five children and reside in the neighborhood of Beaver.  
This is enough to make even the Herald snicker. Bro. Watson is wanting mighty hard to clamor up to the political pie counter, for he is circulating a petition himself to be appointed census commissioner for Tillamook county. Great Scott,

what a consummate gall for so small a fry to poke himself to the front to fill so important a position. Brother, you're at the wrong counter, surely.  
The young ladies of the Christian Endeavor of the Christian Church announce that they will give an entertainment in Todd's new hall on next Wednesday evening. The program will consist of the appearance of "The Peak Sisters from Alaska" and a "Library Social." If you want to have a good laugh and a general good time you cannot afford to miss this rare treat. A small admission fee of 15c. will be charged at the door. Come and bring your family.  
Quite a number of inquiries are made when we are likely to publish the illustrated and descriptive edition of Tillamook county. We have been waiting on Artist Heins for the photographs, but he has promised to have them all complete in a few days so that we can send them away to get our half tone pictures from. Mr. Heins has taken a good deal of trouble to get first class photographs.  
Dr. W. S. Holt, synodical missionary of the synod of Oregon, previous to his sermon on Sunday, stated that Rev. E. T. Allen would have charge of the Presbyterian church for the next four months, and in the meantime a suitable person would be selected to fill the vacancy in the ministry. Mr. Allen is now assistant to Dr. Hill, of the First Presbyterian church in Portland, and spent six years in Persia.  
Captain J. J. Dawson has received letters of thanks from the division of hot air, U. S. department of agriculture, thanking him for samples of new forage plants from seed sent him to test in Tillamook climate, and also for information furnished in relation to poisonous weeds we have in this county, especially the orange hawk weed that is making headway in some of the pastures and crop lands of this county. The captain has sent a large package of one to three year old plants to the division of botany.  
Some twelve persons presented themselves for examination on Wednesday at the court house for teachers' certificates. The board of examiners is composed of Superintendent G. B. Lamb, Mrs. May and Prof. A. T. White. The names of those taking the examination are:  
From Tillamook—De F. Severance, Misses Judd, Nettie McKinley, Zelma Allen, L. Ford, Pearl White, Belle Watt, Katie Hiner.  
From Nehalem—Miss Theresa Cronen.  
From Emma—Miss Bessie Smith.  
From Netarts—Ella Alderman.  
It will be noticed in the board of commissioners' proceeding that an order was made to collect the money subscribed for provided the commissioners purchased a portable saw mill to cut out plank for the county roads. Something like \$500 was subscribed, which is to be paid to the county clerk. As the commissioners are experimenting somewhat with plank roads in this county, the taxpayers should know what it is costing per mile as the

work proceeds, for there are those who predict it is going to cost more for planking than was prophesied. However that may be it is interesting to taxpayers, who are extremely anxious to secure good roads to travel over not only in the summer but in the winter as well.  
Nehalem John, a native Indian, was found dead on the beach at Hobsonville on Monday morning. Coroner Tuttle was notified and held an inquest on the deceased. The jury could not agree and asked to be discharged. Another jury was gotten together and the testimony of Gust Trompeter showed that Nehalem John was found 200 yards from Tattson's scow with his head away from the water. The witness claimed that Nehalem John's hand was shaking when he was found, and went after some bitters for him, but on his return with Tattson found him dead. One witness said he saw Nehalem John fall from the scow into the water on Sunday and that he was pulled out again. The jury returned a verdict that he came to his death by excessive drinking, but could not tell whether he died on the scow or where he was found. Nehalem John was a well-known Indian of this county, who thought nothing of crossing the bars in his canoe.  
E. W. Brown, brother-in-law to Rev. C. Mills, who was brought to the city from Beaver last week, supposed to be mentally deranged and dangerous to be at large, was examined by Drs. D. Wiley and W. J. May, and their report showing that they did not think him insane, County Judge Sappington and the doctors took evidence at the court house on Friday, which proved that Brown was subject to epileptic fits. This had a tendency to make him irritable, impair his faculties, and at one time he had threatened Mr. Mills with an ax when the old gentleman thought someone had abused him. From the evidence given the doctors saw no grounds to alter their opinions, so there but nothing left for Judge Sappington to do but to find that Brown was sane. Brown is a man of 76 years, having cash to the amount of \$4,000 besides considerable property, and with that amount of money and property surely provision can be made for the old gentleman where he can be comfortably cared for.  
Preparations are being made by members of the G. A. R. in this city to make the Memorial Day of 1899 memorable as a demonstration in honor of the fallen heroes, not only of the war for the preservation of the union, but also of the war to free the colonies of Spain. What the nation owes to the men who have responded to its call for volunteers can never be forgotten. The simple ceremony of decorating the graves of those who have given up their lives for their country is all that can be done in recognition of their sacrifice. In view of the events of the year a special interest should attach to the coming Memorial Day, for this state has Oregon heroes who fell in Manila to remember also this year, and for that reason we are glad to learn the members of the G. A. R. have taken the preliminary

arrangements in had so that Memorial Day may be fittingly observed in Tillamook city. Every patriotic citizen and every friend of the soldiers should participate in the celebration if possible, and where flowers can be procured they should be liberally donated as though they were for the graves of the dearest friends.  
**Earthquake at the Sand Spit.**  
Word was brought to the city this morning that an earthquake had occurred in the neighborhood of the Sand Spit, an l which had torn open the ground for 200 yards. Mr. Thoe. Steinbiller was notified that the earthquake had completely demolished the picket fence round his place at the Sand Spit, with all the posts torn up.  
**A Sheriff's Warning.**  
To all bicycle owners: Section 5 of the bicycle law reads as follows, to wit:  
The absence of the proper tag from any bicycle shall be considered prima facie evidence that the tax has not been paid; it shall be the duty of any and all peace officers, deputy sheriffs and bicycle tax collectors to seize and safely hold all such bicycles until the levied tax and \$1 additional has been paid, as a fine for such non payment.  
The above law will be fully enforced, and any person found riding a wheel after the 15th day of June without the proper tag will be dealt with in accordance with said section 5, as I have absolutely no discretion in the matter.  
H. H. ALDERMAN, Sheriff.  
By B. C. LAMB, bicycle tax collector for Tillamook county.

county will attend this convention. Tillamook county is new in this work and it may be if a good delegation goes and the work is properly reported, one of the banners may be awarded us. Any society that has not already appointed delegates to this convention will please do so next Sunday. Each society is entitled to four delegates.  
Railroad and steamboat lines have made a reduced rate to delegates, and when they arrive in Portland they will be lodged free with reduced rates at hotels and restaurants for meals.  
C. G. LEMASTERS, State President.  
**RAILROAD TO NEHALEM.**  
**Line to a Rich County to Be Built From Astoria.**  
ASTORIA, May 6.—The indications are that Astoria will have transportation connection with the Nehalem county even more quickly than has been expected, and if the plan now being worked out is carried to a successful issue a railroad line will be constructed from Young's bay to the upper Nehalem valley before the end of this summer. A company has been formed, consisting of several local and Eastern lumbermen, nearly all of whom are holders of Clatsop county timber lands for the purpose of opening this rich timber and coal belt. They secured from Dundee Reid the right of way and grade which he had leading from the old South Coast road via Saddle mountain through the Nehalem, and to have purchased rails necessary for laying the track and cars sufficient to operate the road when finished. The plan is to construct a narrow-gauge road, having its western terminus on Young's bay, along the grade already made, a distance of 25 miles, and after that portion is in operation to extend the line into the interior. It is said that work will begin in about three weeks. While the main object is to haul logs and to tap the coal region of that district the line will handle general traffic.  
The region through which this line is to run is one of the richest in the country, not only in the line of timber and coal, but in an agricultural sense. The farming lands are very productive, and the only thing that has retarded its growth in the past has been the lack of transportation facilities and the utter impossibility of getting its produce to the markets.—Oregonian.  
**Cream Separators for Sale.**  
For sale, three new Cream Separators. Capacity from 300 to 425 pounds. Enquire of E. G. E. Wist, Tillamook hotel, Tillamook, Oregon.  
**Lost or Stolen.**  
A County warrant on Tillamook County, No 3482, dated Sept. 7, 1898, for the sum of eleven dollars and eighty cents, drawn in favor of the undersigned, on the treasury of Tillamook Co., Oregon. All persons are warned not to purchase such warrant  
H. H. MILLS.

**J. A. TODD & Co., Clothiers, Furnishers, Grocers.**

**NEW SHOE STOCK.**

Our New Stock of Shoes is arriving, and consists of everything that is Substantial, Durable and Stylish. But with all the invoices arriving it is hard for us to keep stocked up, for the Shoes go so fast. Come early and get first choice.

**Fine line of Ladies' & Gent's Dress Shoes**

Made to order by Buckingham & Hecht will be here this week.

LADIES' SHOES, B., C., D. and E. widths.  
GENT'S SHOES—Black and Tan.

An elegant line of Ladies' Ties are in this shipp ent.

**Take Notice.**

Look up your account with us and see if it is 30 days old. If so come in and settle it. That is our time limit, and we need the money.  
CUMTUX.

**LEADERS.**

We are still leaders in CLOTHING, HATS, SHOES and FURNISHING GOODS. Our sales are increasing wonderfully. The goods we sell speak for themselves. Our Grocery Trade is climbing right up the ladder. We have the freshest stock and deliver anywhere in the city. Leave your orders with us and let us save you money.