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### TILLAMOOK JOTTINGS.

Dr. Wise, resident dentist.  
Plenty of showers, but not of a starry character.

Baby cloaks from \$1.25 up at Mrs. Sturgeon's.

Who is to be the next mayor of Tillamook city?

Hoods, fascinators, muffers, etc. at Mrs. Sturgeon's.

Rolled barley, bran, chop and shorts in any quantity at Todd's.

Corset waists, corsets and children's waists at Mrs. Sturgeon's.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bester died last week.

D. T. Edmunds has rented the building on the corner near his store.

We are short on some things but we have plenty of feed.—J. A. Todd & Co.

Mr. A. Watt has purchased the house he is now living in, the consideration being \$550.

Mrs. Thayer returned to the city on Wednesday, coming in over the Forest Grove road.

Dr. W. A. Wise will be at his office about December 15th, to remain as long as kept busy.

There will be a union temperance prayer meeting at the M.E. church this (Thursday) evening.

Frank Henry expects to go out on the next boat for the purpose of returning to the Klondike.

Arrangements have been made by the Presbyterians to give the Sunday school a Christmas tree.

The county clerk issued a marriage license on Wednesday for Joseph M. Level to marry Jessie Cook.

If you want your watches and clocks cleaned or repaired, call upon Eugene Jenkins. First class work guaranteed, at Letcher's store.

G. W. Bacon, who drove Mrs. Thayer in from Forest Grove, while crossing the Wilson river in a boat, had his leg cut with a cross-cut saw.

The Fairview creamery has about five hundred boxes of butter ready to ship to Portland as soon as the storm abates and allows steamers to run.

What a fiasco the shooting stars turned out to be. A boy with a few fire crackers on the Fourth of July could scare up more fun and excitement.

Word was received in the city on Monday that 130 feet of the new spur dyke in Tillamook bay had washed out, caused by the recent heavy rains and weather.

Why the Headlight is getting so many new subscribers without any solicitation is because it is a live, newsy, all home print newspaper devoted to the best interests of the county.

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.

Not catnip and sage, but strawberries and sage. I have a fine lot of sharpless strawberries and Mammoth sage plants. Write for prices of plants. Post paid.—Address E. A. CHAMBERLAIN, Woods, Oregon.

The farm property sold last week by C. O. Erickson to John Murphy was disposed of for a consideration of \$5,000, which included Se ¼ of Sw ¼ of sec 34, Tp 1 S, N ¼ of Ne ¼ and Ne ¼ of Nw ¼ of sec 3 Tp 2 S, R 9 W.

John Barker has sold his interest in the livery barn to Geo. W. Grayson, which make McNamer & Grayson the sprightly matched team to conduct that business. Mr. McNamer sold his interest in the stage line to Mr. Barker.

The geographical novelty social given on Monday evening at Todd's hall by the Epworth League of the M.E. church was well attended, being another of those pleasing and entertaining socials for the young people's amusement.

Nels. Thompson, the furniture man and cabinet maker, can always be relied upon to supply a good class of furniture. Call in and inspect his carpets, linoleums, bed room suits, etc. All first class goods. A nice assortment of wall paper.

We hear that some of the parties who have had their chicken houses visited of late intend peppering the pilferers with salt when they make their next nocturnal visit. A good dose of brine under their hide will have just as good effect as shot.

Settlers along the beach claim that the highest tide in ten years occurred last week, washing the logs and drift wood quite a distance further up the beach. A. Netarts they were washed right up to Mr. Phelps' store and the fence at Happy Camp was washed out.

It is with the deepest regret that we have to announce the death of Vice-President Hobart. These are occasions when political rivalry and religious prejudices are entirely put on one side, and the nation with one accord mourns the loss of an honored and distinguished American.

Saturday evening, at the court house, is the time set for holding a public meeting for the purpose of nominating a city ticket. As we remarked last week, let the citizens turn out and nominate those who will take an interest in the city and see that the affairs of the city are carried out in a conservative and economical manner.

The parties who begin shooting before it is light in the morning should remember there is an ordinance prohibiting it within the city limits. Besides, it is unsportsmanlike to shoot ducks and geese in the dark, for those who are familiar with the habits of these birds say directly they see the flash of a gun in the night or that of lightning they fly off to other parts.

So many citizens are asking the difficult question when the next steamer will arrive here. "I know," said the printer's devil. "When?" impatiently queried the pencil pusher who was gravely contemplating issuing a special edition to announce that fact. "Why, when she gets here!" snickered the devil, who a moment after bobbed his head to avoid the ink bottle. That incorrigible imp must have attended the geographical social.

Captain Geo. Hunt was in from Cape Meares lighthouse on Monday and reported that the fifteen years he has been in the lighthouse service on the coast he has not seen such heavy sea as prevailed in the storm last week. He has seen more destructive storms and where the wind blew at terrific velocity, but for heavy seas and breakers those last week beat the climax as far as Captain Hunt's experience extends.

Rev. F. H. Neff desires us to announce that a series of meetings will commence at the United Brethren church on Sunday and continue every evening until further notice. Rev. J. M. Tresenwriter, who recently moved to this county and has become a Tillamooker, will have charge of the meetings, assisted by the pastor, who extends a most hearty invitation to all, especially to the pastors of other churches.

Is the slight reappearance of scarlet fever owing to the fact that insufficient sanitary precautions were used to stamp the disease out? In all cases of malignant disease the houses should be thoroughly disinfected and fumigated, and no time should be lost in doing this, especially in houses where families do not adhere to cleanliness. Had this been done in every particular the disease, we

believe, would not have made its reappearance.

The offer of the electric light company to furnish in the residence portion of the city 15 32-candle incandescent lights is a liberal one and no citizen should object to this expenditure, for it is a long felt want and the lights will be appreciated. Of course with only fifteen lights to distribute the committee will not be able to fix one at each street crossing, but where ever they are placed it will soon be seen what a public improvement the lights are to the city.

Who's the city dad that gobbled up a draft of a city ordinance so completely that no trace of it can be found? We suggest that the president take his stomach pump with him to the council meeting, and with the assistance of his brother councilmen, extract this document from him, even if it takes house moving appliances to bring it to light. Well, there's been considerable shuffling around of houses of late, and even the culprit councilman was the last to be attached to the wining machine.

The last batch of steamers and lumber schooners which left Tillamook bay did not meet with good luck in reaching their destinations. On reaching Port Townsend, Wash., on the 16th, Captain Cousins, of the steamship Umatilla reported having spoken the schooner S. Danielson on Nov. 14, latitude 46:28 north, longitude 124:50 west. The Umatilla gave the Danielson 25 days' provisions and water, as she was entirely out. The Danielson sailed from Tillamook 30 days ago for San Francisco. When spoken she was 600 miles further away from San Francisco than when she started.

A Tillamooker, writing from the Willamette valley, has this to say: "Tillamook county is far ahead of the valley. The highest wages paid here, outside of thrashing, is \$1.50 per day without board, while in Tillamook county a man can get as high as \$2 a day with board. Hops are 6c. and 7c. per pound, but there is no market for them at any price. Beef and pork is worth 6c. a pound dressed. Good milk cows are worth all the way from \$30 to \$40. Potatoes are very plentiful this year and sell for 30c. a bushel. If the people of Tillamook think that the weather and mud disagreeable in their county, let them come to the valley and convince themselves that the mud and bad weather are worse here."

Word was received in this city that Rev. A. R. Griggs was held up between Kelso and Castle Rock by two masked men while on his way home from holding prayer meeting at the latter place. Riding a bicycle, a shot stopped him. They demanded his money, and he delivered up his pocket book, which contained thirty cents and some receipts, and at the request of Mr. Griggs the receipts were returned. Then the highwaymen wanted his watch, but telling them that it was a keepsake they would have to fight to get it. They, however, allowed him to ride on, and as Mr. Griggs did so he bade them good night and hoped they would get into a better business. The men thanked him.

It is now one month since the Pacific Navigation Company brought freight to Tillamook city, and the devil only knows but what it may be another month before the whistle of the steamer coming up the slough is heard again. Possibly the devil is getting even with Mr. Elmore, giving him some beastly bad weather, for discriminating against our small shippers on freight rates, as well as discriminating against the large shippers when he left their freight in the wharves of Astoria and shipped in supplies for his own canneries. Surely Tillamookers must be excused for doing some tall discriminating growling, and if in doing so they use unusually strong language the sin will be charged up to Mr. Elmore

to square after he has turned in his checks and where the devil don't allow a discriminating business to be carried on, even if Mr. Elmore can unlawfully do so on this terrestrial sphere.

The Oregonian is making preparations to publish its annual number earlier this year, which, as usual, will be the best advertising the State of Oregon can receive. Immigration boards may do a great deal in the way of bringing new settlers to the state, but it takes annual editions like the Oregonian to interest them before they get started, consequently this edition should be widely distributed. The press of Oregon is ever ready to advertise the resources of this state and the inducements it offers to new comers, going to considerable expense in doing so. Yet how little some people appreciate these efforts, for when asked to subscribe for the home newspapers, they politely inform you they take a number of eastern and San Francisco newspapers and cannot—by way of excuse—afford to subscribe for the home newspaper that is faithfully devoted to the county or state.

It's strange, but it's true nevertheless, some people can never forgive a news paper if they have taken exceptions to some of its remarks or just criticisms. We occasionally run across a person who is unrelenting in his forgiveness and will chew the rag for the sins of omission or commission of previous editors of this newspapers. Editors are human and will err in judgment sometimes the same as other people, but why chew the rag against them for years with a spirit that cannot forget or forgive? Let these parties write, say six paragraphs each week and publish them for six months, criticizing all the mean things or questionable transaction of a private or public nature taking place, and we will gamble they will, at the end of the time, be ready to admit they had made a legion of unrelenting enemies who were good at chewing the rag.

Some of the business men, to encourage another steamer to compete with the Pacific Navigation Co., have agreed to enter into a contract for twelve months with any party who is willing to put on a new line of steamers. And for the interest of Tillamook city and county, and for the interest of the dairymen whose product deteriorates in quality and price because of irregular shipment, something should be done to bring about a better state of affairs. If for no other reason than getting the farmer's butter to market more expeditiously the business men of this city should have a united front, and instead of Mr. Elmore dictating as to who shall pay \$4.50 per ton for freight, while he charges others \$6 per ton, let the citizens have something to say in the matter. It's a right move some of the business men have taken, and we are exceedingly sorry that all the business men are not pulling in one direction. We hear, however, that Mr. Elmore has notified some of the wholesale merchants of Portland that it is a mistake in making a discriminating freight rate and it will be altered.

The city council met on Monday at the city chambers with Councilmen C. E. Hawke (in the chair), A. J. Cohn and J. E. Tuttle present. A proposition was read from the electric light company to furnish the city with 15 32-candle incandescent lights for \$10 per month on a year's contract. As the proposition specified only where the company's lines extended, this would not reach some of the streets which the council thought should be lighted. To avoid further delay in the matter, the council appointed a committee, composed of Councilmen Hawke, Cohn and Tuttle, to confer with the electric light company to see if the wires could be extended to where lights should be placed, and if this could be done the committee was empowered to enter into

a contract with the company to furnish the electric lights for the residence portion of the city. An ordinance was introduced and passed to its second reading licensing steam wood saws in the sum of \$10, and in default a fine of \$10 is imposed. As the city attorney desired to make a slight alteration in the wording of the ordinance further action was deferred until the next meeting. In the matter of improving a number of streets which was before the council recently, this was left to the street committee. City Attorney Goynne drew the attention of the council to the unsafe manner in which the records of the city are kept and Councilman Cohn asked that the council be furnished with a statement of the city's finances at its next meeting, brought the meeting to a close.

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Mackintoshes at reduced prices.—At Cohn & Co.'s.

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Ten acres cultivated land, 3 ½ acres in orchard. Good house and barn. For particulars address,

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For sale, household furniture and household goods. See Theo. Steinhilber, Tillamook, Or.

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### New Meat Market.

T. B. Boulby has opened a new meat market in the old post office building and will sell nothing but prime meats. Your patronage is solicited. The meat market is connected with the telephone.

### Thanksgiving Masquerade Ball

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