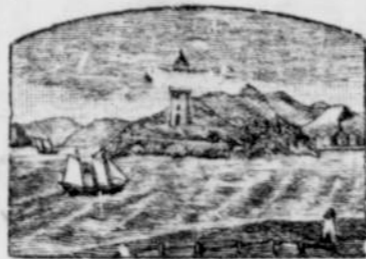


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TILLAMOOK JOTTINGS.

Dr. Wise, resident dentist.
Mr. L. Jensen was in from Hebo on Wednesday.

About half of the voters in this county have registered.

Mr. D. Cronen was in the city this week from Nehalem.

Miss Bella Watt has been engaged to teach the Netarts school.

There will be a teachers' examination in this city on the 10th April.

Commissioner C. Ray was in the city on Wednesday from Cloverdale.

Rev. F. H. Neff continues to hold revival services at the U.B. church.

Messrs. A. W. and J. Severance returned home on Sunday from Oregon City.

Mr. Hogen is in from the Columbia river looking up a logging proposition.

Look out for the tax-eaters' henchmen at the primaries on Saturday. Down the rascals.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Edmunds went out on Monday on a business trip to San Francisco.

Mr. Guy Reynold's wife, who has been sick for several months, was taken worse on Tuesday.

Consult B. C. Lamb, the local railroad agent, if you want to save money on a railroad ticket.

Mrs. M. V. Stillwell is booked to go out on the Harrison on Saturday; also Mr. L. Solomon.

"Giant" Rhubarb Roots, 15 cents each, \$1 for 10, postpaid. Address E. A. Chamberlain, Woods, Or.

Mr. A. J. Cohn returned on the Harrison from a business trip to Portland and San Francisco on Sunday.

The steamer Harrison is expected to return to Garibaldi on Saturday morning for the purpose of shipping up passengers.

Strong, well-rooted Sharpless Strawberry Plants, 20c. per dozen, \$1 for 100, postpaid. Address, E. A. Chamberlain, Woods, Or.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Hawke entertained at their residence on Friday evening the new members recently taken into the M.E. church.

The primary for Hoquartton precinct will be held in the court house on Saturday at 1 o'clock and that for Tillamook in the city hall.

After several weeks of fine, bright weather, Prophet Dawson turned on the flood gates again Wednesday and Tillamookers are happy.

The steamer having failed to take out all of Mr. P. McIntosh's cheese from Nestucca, he is having the remainder hauled to this city for shipment.

Mr. L. Hiner has failed to find his pocket book which he lost last week. Perhaps the party who picked it up will return it, for honesty is the best policy.

Rev. Dr. Hill, of the First Presbyterian of Portland, has been invited to dedicate the new Presbyterian church in this city, which will take place in July or early in August.

Passengers on the stage this week were Mrs. D. R. Hurlbut, Dr. Holt, Mrs. Cary, C. G. Rowell, Captain Hunt's brother, Myo Coffman, W. G. Martin and P. G. Mulky.

Go to McIntosh & McNair's for stoves and heaters. Latest improvements and designs. Call and see us if you want hardware, wagons, buggies or farm implements.

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The schooner Petrel, which had been in at Nestucca since June, and which came near becoming a total wreck twice in the attempt to sail out, succeeded in doing so last week.

Cyclists who ride their bikes on the public streets or side walks after dark should know by this time that the city ordinance specifies that they must have a lamp lighted.

The steamer Harrison arrived in the bay Sunday and came up to the city the next day, Captain Schrader being in command. She left down again Tuesday to go to Nehalem.

B. C. Lamb is agent for the Columbia River and Oregon Timberman, a journal devoted to the lumbering interest of this state, and which those engaged in that business should subscribe for.

The band boys are rehearsing "Barney the Baron" and "A Male Cook Wanted," which they will stage in a few weeks, and in addition to these plays will introduce some novel musical attractions.

What do you think of Tillamookers who are working to secure Brownell's nomination for representative? It won't do, gentlemen, and the convention won't have it that way either, gentlemen.

It will be noticed by the real estate transfers that a deed was recorded conveying to Mr. J. E. Du Bois, of Pennsylvania, 4,934 acres of land in this county, the consideration being \$10,926 21.

Another cheese factory is to be erected in the vicinity of this city. Mr. P. McIntosh having decided to build one on the Wilson river at the Glad place, which will be a great convenience to the dairymen in that vicinity.

Pugilism is a bad thing to encourage in any city and should be discouraged as much as possible. An ordinance to prohibit it within the city would be a good thing anyway, and would save the city being bluffed.

The Oregon Telephone Company has completed the surveys for a line from Seaside to Tillamook, and the right of way is now being secured. It is the present expectation to have the line in operation during the early summer.

Grass is king in Tillamook, and owing to the fine, mild weather the past few weeks it is growing very fast, having been green all the winter, consequently the creameries and cheese factories are daily getting an increase of milk.

Died, on Saturday, at Nestocton, Flora Schield, the 12-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schield, of consumption, and the remains were buried on Monday at the Oddfellows' cemetery, a large number of sympathizing friends attending the funeral.

Eighty acres of good land for only \$250, being Se 1/4 of Ne 1/4 and Ne 1/4 of Se 1/4, sec 16, tp 2 S, R 10 W, being 1 1/2 mile east of Netarts Bay. This is covered with very heavy spruce timber, with some hemlock. Also eight lots in this city to exchange for Tillamook property.—H. W. Cottle, Escondido, Cal.

A deal is expected to be completed today whereby Mr. R. M. Wade will purchase a 50-foot frontage on the Main street from Mrs. Hutchings, the lots being the one vacated by Mr. Edmunds and the one next to it now occupied by Mr. Cary's store. Besides this Mr. Wade has bought out Mr. Cary's hardware stock, and it is the intention of the new firm to put up a large implement and hardware store on the lots.

Send Tongue delegates to the county convention and the republican party in this county will make no mistake. What primaries should be on watch for is anti-Tongue republicans in Tongue clothing, whose henchmen aim to carry some of the primaries so that they can carry out their nefarious designs for their own personal gain and aggrandizement. The Headlight don't want to see the convention controlled by anti-Tongue delegates who are working under-handed, while they pose before the public as favoring Mr. Tongue for re-election.

Some people have a great idea about themselves politically. Gall, we suppose, is a good thing for politicians to possess, but when it comes to their thinking that they can control the delegation from this county to the republican congressional convention we are prone to ask, Are the political bosses, with the crack of the whip, going to control the delegates and their votes at the county convention? Hardly, we think. Possibly, however, a few may be chosen as delegates on Saturday who can be whipped into line by the political bosses.

Since the government derrick commenced work in Hoquartton slough it has pulled out 98 large snags and 154 small ones. In two of the snags were found two propeller blades. Until such time as the water in the slough becomes clear, the work of clearing all the snags out will be stopped and dredging commenced. Most of the bad snags have been removed from the channel and there is now not so much danger of steamers striking snags with their propellers. It will be at Drystocking bar where the derrick will commence dredging first, and it will soon be seen whether that bar is the result of a rack heap or not.

Word was received by the Pacific Lumber Company from the owners of the wrecked lumber schooner Lila and Mattie asking when the ship would be loaded so that they could place insurance on the lumber. Evidently they were unaware of the fact that the schooner was wrecked three weeks since, that she is now bottom up in the bay, and, further, that the captain had sold the wreck to Mr. Claude Thayer for \$50. Word now comes from Astoria that Captain Ostrom, who arrived in that city overland with the cook and one seaman from the wrecked schooner had disappeared last Saturday, and on Monday the cook noti-

fied the police, as he feared that he might have met with some serious accident or foul play. Some of Captain Ostrom's Astoria friends state that he told them Saturday that he intended to start for California that evening by rail, so there appears no necessity to worry about his safety unless he does not arrive there.

The Oregonian, Senator Simon and ex-Senators Mitchell and Corbett are again arguing the hold-up of the state legislature in the former newspaper. It's not a very commendable subject for these political bosses to be chewing the rag over at this time, for it looks as though they were trying to rub it into one another as much as possible for the sake of covering up their own tracks. The hold up was a discreditable proceeding, anyway, and the voters having long since made up their minds which of the political bosses engineered it, the best thing these gentlemen can do for their own and the republican party's sake in this state is to drop it as though it was a skunk.

Owing to the dry weather of last week, which dried up the roads, the stage is able to cross the mountains again. Mr. Smith has done a lot of work on the North Yamhill toll road, which is now in good shape for travel. Mr. John Barker expects a large travel this summer into Tillamook, and to accommodate the traveling public, is having another rig built, so that if the stage will not accommodate all the passengers he will be in a position to carry them through without having to remain over a day. Mr. Barker has given good satisfaction since he took hold of the stage line, and it is a move in the right direction to accommodate the people who will visit Tillamook this year with a view to locating in this county. Should it assume large proportions, Mr. Barker will make provision to handle the business as it increases. His stock is in fine condition.

Rev. W. S. Holt, D.D., synodical missionary for Oregon, came in from Portland on Saturday. The rev. gentleman preached at Bay City on Sunday morning and at the Presbyterian church in this city in the evening. Previous to his discourse, Dr. Holt complimented the members on erecting such a pretty church, and then made a statement about the pastor, Rev. R. K. Ross, whose time expires the end of this month. Dr. Holt stated that the home mission committee had invited Mr. Ross to remain in Tillamook, but he had declined to accept it. In the event of Mr. Ross' refusal to say, Dr. Holt was authorized by the congregation of the Westminster church in East Portland to invite Mr. Ross to preach in that church on the first and second Sundays in April, with a view to his becoming pastor there, which Mr. Ross had agreed to do, consequently he will preach his farewell sermon in this city on Sunday evening. The removal of Mr. Ross is a loss to Tillamook and a source of regret to Presbyterians who know his true worth. His ministry has been short in Tillamook, but his friends here will long remember him and Mrs. Ross for their practical Christianity, and being people of culture and fine feelings. Tillamook can ill-afford to lose them. We understand it is the intention of the committee to send Rev. J. E. Snyder here in May for four months.

A council meeting was held on Monday, with President A. J. Cohn in the chair and Councilmen L. Hiner, L. Olsen and M. Leach present. There was no report from the ways and means committee in regard to the Harrison road, so it was continued. President Cohn surprised the council by stating that City Attorney Goyme was not the city attorney, the action of the previous meeting of the council being illegal, as only two members of the council had voted to confirm the appointment, whereas before Mr. Goyme could become city attorney the charter specified that he must have a majority of the members to vote for him. It was agreed on motion that Mr. Goyme could be the attorney provided he would not charge more than \$50 for his services. Councilman Leach introduced an ordinance to prohibit prize fighting, and glove and sparring contests, which was read. The "managers" of the proposed boxing contest being present stated that they had called it off owing to objections. Councilman Hiner said he was opposed to a bloody prize fight in the city, but had no objection to boxing the same as was carried on in colleges and schools to develop the muscle. Mr. Leach then moved to have the ordinance tabled, and it was so ordered. Some street improvements were referred to the street committee.

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ANOTHER VICTIM OF DRINK.

Fell into the North Fork of the Nehalem and Found a Watery Grave.

Justice T. H. Goyme, in the absence of Coroner Tuttle, went to Nehalem on Monday to hold an inquest upon the body of John Daall, who fell from a boat into the Nehalem river Sunday afternoon and was drowned. The testimony taken at the inquest was as follows:

Mrs. Tohl stated that she saw Daall pull away in the boat from the bank of the river close to Townsend's creamery building. After he got outside of the piling he threw his coat in the stern of the boat and threw a package. He stood up and threw a package overboard and a few seconds afterwards he fell backwards out of the boat into the water. He did not make any attempt to get into the boat. He did not sink for a minute or so, but after he sank he never came up. Witness did not hear him call out or speak at all. He seemed to try to paddle with his hands to keep afloat. We watched for him to come up and pulled up to the place where he sank but he never came up. We sent for some one to come and drag the river for him.

Wm. Tohl said he never saw the deceased to know him until yesterday. As I landed at Mr. Effenberger's dock Mr. Peregoy was on the bank and the deceased was in a boat. Mr. Peregoy then walked up the hill and the deceased walked up the river. He had some packages. When he pulled away from the wharf he was sitting down, but he stood up to throw the packages into the stern. Then he threw a package overboard intentionally. Two or three seconds afterwards witness saw him fall backwards into the water. He was in the water a minute or two before he sank. As soon as he fell I hollered to Mr. Peregoy and he came and we tried to save him with the boat, but he sank when we got within about three or four rods of him.

D. C. Peregoy met the deceased just about two weeks ago. I never met him but once after that and that was on the morning of the day of his death. I met him here at the creamery. He asked me to go to the lower town with him. We went down and stopped in at Nick Drostroff and had about five drinks together. He drank wine and whiskey mixed. He was under the influence of liquor and a little unsteady in his movements. The last time he treated he said to Drostroff, "Here is \$5," and when Nick took it Drostroff remarked that he was short of change and asked him if he had any small change. The deceased said "No; but you keep it, and if anything happens to me it will be yours, and also the over coat. Some years ago there was a man bought a piece of land of Crawford and that here was a skeleton found in the vicinity of the place, and that he didn't know what kind of a man Crawford was, that some of the neighbors had told him so." Asked what he knew about the bottle of gold dust that Crawford spoke of, witness answered that "This man showed it to me March 4th, 1900. The deceased said it was worth \$200. I think it was gold. A four ounce bottle weighed a pound." The witness further stated that the drowning took place on the north fork of the Nehalem river.

S. M. Batterson stated: I saw him that day, he bought some goods in my store and he left about one o'clock, apparently all right. The next he saw of him was after he was drowned. As soon as I heard of the drowning Mr. Peregoy and myself fixed up drag hooks and dragged the river, and after the third or fourth drag caught him by the leg. We towed the body to Effenberger's landing and laid it on some boards and then took him to Townsend's creamery and locked the body up, putting Mr. Effenberger in charge of it until the arrival of the coroner. Nick Drostroff told him he had in his possession \$4.60 and an overcoat

belonging to deceased.

Dr. C. E. Hawke gave it as his opinion that deceased came to his death by drowning, there being no external wounds or bruises.

Robert Crawford stated that he had known deceased about six weeks and his name was John Daall, who was born in Germany and was about 43 years of age. The deceased had been working for him a little over a month. He saw him last at half-past nine on Sunday morning. On Sunday morning deceased went down to Nehalem City on his own business. Witness could give no reason why the deceased committed suicide, excepting that he heard he drank. He thought he had a weak mind, for he had no mind of his own. Witness stated that he had a shirt, drawers, socks, a leather bag, a bottle he called gold dust which he valued at \$180, a hat, and which belonged to the deceased. Witness paid him the day he left \$5.00 in gold and \$1 in silver, and \$3 was still due him. Did not know that the deceased ever had any difficulty.

The jury, which was composed of John Larsen, Chris Larsen, Wm. Luce, W. D. Steele, A. J. Sharp and Jos. Effenberger, brought in a verdict that the deceased came to his death on the 18th March, about one or two o'clock in the afternoon in the north fork of the Nehalem river by accidental drowning while under the influence of intoxicating liquors, and that no person is guilty of a crime.

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