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## WADE & BRIGGS,

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### TILLAMOOK JOTTINGS.

Dr. T. P. Wise, dentist.

W.O.W. meets Friday evening.

It's dreary, but "C." Ben Riesland.

The best sole leather for sale at W. E. Page's.

Take your county warrants to Todd & Co.

Mrs. Sturgeon returned to the city on Sunday.

Star lodge, A.O.U.W., meets next Monday evening.

Sewing machine needles and the best of oil at Page's.

D. T. Edmunds buys county warrants. Cash or trade.

Mr. P. McIntosh went out to Portland on Wednesday.

Buy your half soles for boots and shoes at W. E. Page's.

Shoe nails and other shoe repairs cheap at W. E. Page's.

Wanted, potatoes in exchange for merchandise at Todd's.

Mr. Nels Thompson has returned from a business trip to Portland.

Did you say you had a Timber Claim, well then—"C." Ben Riesland.

Messrs. M. F. Lench and Oak Nolan returned from Portland last week.

When in town remember Davis' barber shop. Opposite the Allen House.

Mr. P. F. Browne went out on the steamer on a business trip to Portland.

Todd & Co. will buy all kinds of county warrants and pay highest prices.

Razor honing a specialty, with Davis the barber, opposite the Allen house. Price 25 cents.

Wanted, County Warrants in exchange for merchandise or cash on account at Todd's.

Dr. O. H. Davenport, dentist, will be in his office in Tillamook City from the 1st to the 15th of each month.

If you want your face taken care of by a professional barber of 15 years' experience go to the Davis' barber shop.

Charley, run your train out again, but be careful lest the bull engines get caught on the cow catcher of the P., N. & T. R.

Our readers will be glad to hear that the river and harbor bill contains an appropriation of \$27,000 for Tillamook.

Mr. L. N. Barnes is prepared to buy all kinds of dressed meat direct from the farmer and is wanting stock right away.

"If Christ should come to Tillamook," Next Sunday evening, in the Christian Church. All are heartily invited to attend.

We will gamble that President McCracken, of the P., N. & T. R., signed his name to his annual report—and that is all.

Are you hard up? If so and you desire to get a loan, no matter what the amount is, call and see Heins, the leading artist.

Improved dairy farm, well stocked and equipped, 2 1/2 miles from Tillamook City, to be sold on easy terms. Apply to J. R. Harter.

Why the Zobo band of North Yamhill did not appear on Saturday, it was stated by one party that they were waiting for the cars.

It's time you are making your investment, the railroad is coming. Get in before the rush—"C." Ben Riesland—for everything in real estate.

184 acres of choice bottom land, one mile from Tillamook City. Will sell all or any portion on terms to suit purchaser. Apply to J. R. Harter.

Expecting to leave Tillamook early in April, Mr. Thornquest offers his furniture and two carpets, two stoves, bookcase, sewing machine, etc., for sale cheap.

The entertainment given on Saturday evening by the ladies of the Presbyterian church was a decided success and it proved a first-class entertainment, as well as financially.

The best saw on earth. Use the Great Western saws and you will soon be convinced of this fact, for they are recognized to be the best saw now on the market. For sale at McIntosh & McNair's hardware store.

A five-roomed house and two lots in this city to be sold cheap.—Apply to J. S. Stephens.

Mr. B. L. Eddy will leave for Salem on Friday, March 7th, to attend the Supreme Court, there being two cases appealed from Tillamook county to be tried in that court. Mr. Eddy will return about March 13th.

We are glad to learn that the wife and children of the late Capt. G. W. Boyington have been granted pensions. Mrs. Boyington will receive \$8 and the three minor children \$2 each per month, to date back from December.

It is with regret that we have to announce to-day the death of another young person of Tillamook county, that of Miss Lula Reading, daughter of Mr. M. Reading, which occurred on Wednesday. She was about 16 years of age.

There will be a meeting of the Literary Club next Monday at the home of Mrs. Latimer. Each member is requested to bring a copy of Tennyson's "Princess," as a study of that poem is to be begun. Current events will be discussed by members.

Fairview Grange, No. 273, have changed their day of meeting to the second Thursday of each month and will meet on Thursday, March the 14th inst., at their hall in Fairview, at 10 a.m. A general attendance is solicited.—L. S. MAYNARD, Master.

Mr. G. A. Reynolds announces himself a candidate before the republican county convention for treasurer. Guy is a steady, reliable young man and would make a good treasurer if he is nominated and elected. He has the respect and confidence of a large number of friends.

One of the boilers at the Truckee mill giving out, the mill has closed down until a new one can be brought from San Francisco on the return trip of the lumber schooner W. H. Kruger. As she has to go to San Pedro with her load of lumber, it will be at least three weeks before the mill is able to start up again.

A derelict was sighted eight miles west of Cape Lookout on Sunday, and on Captain Johnson, of the steam schooner Lakme, who arrived at Astoria on Monday, reported passing a two-masted schooner, bottom up, with one of the masts trailing alongside. He ran close up to the wreck, but was unable to make out what schooner it was.

Died, on Saturday morning, Minnie, the seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Blybach. The funeral service took place on Sunday in the Presbyterian church, where a large and sympathizing congregation had assembled, which was conducted by Rev. C. P. Meiler, who preached an appropriate sermon. The burial was in the Oddfellows' cemetery.

Mr. E. Hong, who has been deputy county treasurer, and appears to have given all round satisfaction to those who have had business in his office, we should have stated last week that he will be a candidate before the republican convention for treasurer. He is so well-known throughout the county as a reliable and obliging young man that nothing that we could say would add to his good reputation.

Chairman A. W. Severance called the Republican County convention together on Tuesday for the purpose of selecting the date for the primaries and county convention. There were eleven members of the committee present and seven absent. The date set for the primaries was one p.m. on Saturday, March 15th, and the county convention at ten a.m. on Saturday, March 22nd. The committee re-arranged the precincts. By request Chairman Severance stated that C. N. Drew had announced himself as a candidate for county judge. Mr. H. Tubbesing was allowed to become a member of the committee in place of Mr. C. Pyle.

The first annual meeting of the Red Clover Creamery Company was held on Tuesday, with Mr. Claude Thayer presiding. This company, after completing its factory on the 7th May, received 554,266 pounds of milk up to the 30th September, which produced 22,562 pounds of butter fat, and when manufactured this made 62,849 pounds of cheese. The average net price of the butter fat to the patrons was 22 1/2 cents. The result of the first five months' run and returns were considered favorable. The stock subscribed was \$1,300, and the company obligated itself several hundred dollars to complete the factory, which it expects to pay off the coming season. Directors elected were W. G. Chance, J. J. Rupp and M. Abplanalp, and C. E. Thayer treasurer. Mr. Thayer said it had been

suggested that the dairymen of Tillamook form a dairyman's exchange, and he outlined the objects of an organization of that character.

Died, on the 3rd inst., Mrs. Melinda Thompson, wife of Mr. W. S. Thompson, after a lingering sickness of two years and a half. The deceased's maiden name was Melinda Atgleson, and she was born on April 10, 1817, in the state of Ohio. She was married to W. S. Thompson in the year 1838, in Wisconsin, and they came to Oregon in 1839. Some years ago she was converted to Christ and united with the M.E. church. Her husband realizes that he has lost an affectionate wife and can bear witness to the genuineness of her Christian faith. The funeral took place on Wednesday, and was conducted by Rev. G. Sykes.

Mrs. Laura M. Jones has filed a divorce suit against her husband, Walter F. D. Jones, who was well known in Tillamook county at one time as the editor of the Tillamook Headlight and figured some in republican politics. These parties were married on the 13th of March, 1892, in Tillamook county, and lived together as husband and wife until the 29th August, 1900. Plaintiff claims that defendant, without cause or provocation, willfully deserted her. There are two children of this union. Plaintiff pays for a decree annulling the marriage contract, the custody of the children, and to debar defendant from all right in a block of land in the town of Garibaldi.

After several years monopoly of the transportation and passenger business between Tillamook and Astoria, the Pacific Navigation Company is to have opposition, for the Nehalem Transportation Company has put on the tug Geo. R. Vosberg, which has been fitted up for the purpose, on the run between the two cities. The Nehalem company has cut the passenger rate to \$3.50 and freight to \$3.50 per ton from Portland, and should the Elmore people reduce fares the Nehalem Company propose to do the same, keeping their rates 50c. below the Elmore rates. Thus it can be seen that Tillamook to enjoy a cut rate, something which is not often experienced in Tillamook.

We are sorry to have to announce the death of another promising young man of Tillamook, who has been cut off while in his young manhood and when the world looked bright before him. It is C. W. Vaughn, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Vaughn, which occurred on Saturday at his parents' residence at Bay View after but a few days' illness. He was taken down with pneumonia the previous Wednesday, and the attack proving so severe it carried him off in a few days. He was greatly respected throughout the county and the idol of his parents and relatives, so his death, coming so sudden, caused deep sorrow in his family. The deceased was 24 years of age, and was a member of Star Lodge, A.O.U.W., of Tillamook City, having joined it about four years ago and carried an insurance of \$1,000 made payable to his mother. The funeral took place on Monday, the burial services being conducted by the officers of Star Lodge, and according to the ritual of the A.O.U.W., both at the house and grave, where there was a large number of sympathizing friends. There were some fifty workmen present, who, after the services at the house, formed a procession and proceeded the body of their departed brother to the silent city of the dead, where it was consigned with deep sorrow to the grave.

A council meeting was held on Monday evening with Mayor J. L. Briggs in the chair and with all the councilmen present. Bills audited and allowed were as follows:

City Recorder	\$10.00
City Marshal	45.00
Tillamook Headlight	28.50
Wade & Briggs	3.85
Electric Lights	19.00
A. P. Spaulding	1.50
A. A. Taft Co.	9.49
Edward Johnston	6.00
R. M. Watson	80

When the bill of the city marshal came up to be voted upon it caused quite a discussion, as the marshal's salary had been raised \$5 by the previous council until such time as the warrants were at par again. It was stated that the marshal was receiving face value for his warrants and Councilman Reynolds objected to paying the bill. Councilmen Reynolds and Broadhead accused the marshal of not doing his duty in enforcing the ordinances, when the latter retorted that he did not have to do so

on the say so of a few of the councilmen, and that he was trying to make it as pleasant and agreeable to everybody, but later said he would enforce the ordinances if the city council would give him an order to do so. It was pointed out that the ordinances recently passed received the unanimous support of the city council, and that they expected him to enforce them. The marshal's duties were also read from the city charter. None of the councilmen thought \$45 was too much if the marshal did his duty.

The logging stream law passed by the last State Legislature has been declared unconstitutional by Judge R. P. Boise. The decision was rendered in a contest for control of the Luckiamute River. The Independence & Falls City Logging & Lumbering Company undertook to secure a franchise for the control of the river under the act of the last Legislature. The Spaulding Lumbering Company, of Newberg, contested the former Company's right to charge tolls upon logs floating down the stream. The constitutionality of the law was the only point raised, and after hearing extensive arguments upon both sides Judge Boise rendered a decision holding that the Independence company has no right to charge tolls, for the reason stated.

**Timber Lands Wanted**  
Very much—"C." Ben Riesland,  
Tillamook, Oregon.

**The PURE, UNADULTERATED  
POLITICAL BUNCO GAME.**

**The County Judge Disregards the  
Law—Is this Intended for  
Another Graft.**

That County Judge G. W. Sappington is not a professional but a tin horn gambler and ran a gambling game with the boys when he presided over the county's boarding house at the saw mill are well known facts. Having been successful in that direction, but finding that sentiment was against him for neglecting other parts of the county, and wanting to be re-elected awfully bad, Sappington has started a political bunco game to defoul and beddle the people of Tillamook county, and in doing so over-rides law and has only his own political interests in view.

Now in deciding to build two bridges, one across the Wilson river and the other across the Trask river, the county court, in some sections of the law, has started out in such an illegal manner that the most unsuspecting will immediately think that Sappington has another hen on. Our readers can believe either of the four reasons: First, the law does not have to be complied with in Tillamook only when it suits the county court; second, that the court thinks the people are a lot of ignoramuses who do not know how the law should be carried out; third, a political bunco game by Sappington for political purpose; or, fourth, another silent partnership graft?

That the county court has rode rough shod over the law to build the Wilson and Trask bridges is plain to everybody. We will quote two sections of the law to show how such bridges are to be constructed and the procedure that must be followed. It is as plain as the nose on a man's face. Read for yourself:

SECTION 2.—The county surveyor or his deputy is authorized to administer the oaths of affirmations necessary to the legal establishment of road and other surveys, and to take the evidence of any person who may be produced to prove any point material to such survey.

SECTION 3.—Upon the establishment of any road, the county surveyor shall enter the plat and field notes thereof upon the official records of the county. He shall make out a complete description of all or any part of the real estate of his county, to be made out and entered in proper rolls furnished by the county clerk for such purpose. The county surveyor shall make complete surveys, plans, specifications and estimates for all bridges, culverts, roads, ditches or other public works to be constructed under the authority of the county court, and shall report the same with his recommendations thereon, and he shall superintend the construction of such work and make reports on the progress of the same to the county court as often as they may require; provided, that the county court may employ a civil engineer or architect to act in conjunction with the county surveyor in making plans, specifications and estimates for any bridge, culvert, road, ditch or other public work to be constructed by the county and in superintending the construction of the same; provided, that in the construction of the same the services of the county surveyor may be dispensed with at the discretion of the county court. Whenever any bridge is to be built by any county in this state, the estimated cost of which shall exceed the sum of \$200, the county surveyor shall at once advertise for sealed bids, according to the plans, specifications and strain diagrams to be furnished by him and to be kept in his office for the information of bidders. Said advertisement to be published for at least two

consecutive weeks in the official newspaper of the county, if a weekly, and twenty days if a daily paper. Each bidder shall be required to deposit with his bid five per cent. of the amount of such bid, which shall be forfeited to the county in case the award is made to him and if he fails, neglects or refuses for the period of two days after such award is made to enter into the contract and file his bond in the manner required by and to the satisfaction of the county court. Upon the day appointed, the county surveyor, with the county court, shall proceed to open the bids and award the contract to build such bridge to the lowest responsible bidder, and the county court shall enter into contract with him therefor; provided always, that said county court may, in its discretion, reject and all bids.

As the Wilson and Trask bridges will cost several thousand dollars no plans or specifications have been prepared by the county surveyor, so that all bidders could bid on the same kind of work, and more than this, the county court has entirely ignored the county surveyor and called for bids itself like this:

"Sealed bids will be received by the County Court of Tillamook County, Oregon, up to and including Friday, March 29th 1902, for building a bridge across Wilson river at or near G. T. Jenkins place; the bridge is to be a Howe Truss bridge, with span of 150 feet not less than 20 feet in width, with approaches. The bridge to be set upon pilings. Bidders will furnish plans for said bridge. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids."

"Sealed bids will be received by the County Court of Tillamook County, Oregon, up to and including Friday, March 29th 1902, for building a bridge across Trask river, at or near Lewis Johnson's place; the bridge to be a Howe Truss bridge, with span of 150 feet, not less than 20 feet in width, with approaches. The bridge to be set upon pilings. Bidders will furnish plans for said bridge. The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids."

It will be noticed that each bidder is required to furnish his own plans and that bids will be received up to and including the 29th March. As the county court is in session this week, is it not a little significant that the date for opening these bids is set for after the republican convention? No, not to those who know what is going on. It is nothing more than a game of political bunco on the part of Sappington, and this piece of political sop is thrown out to intelligent voters, who can see and read for themselves that the county court, in proceeding contrary to law, is delaying the construction of these bridges, and intends doing so for political reasons to satisfy the old time rule or ruin faction leaders.

Now, in face of these facts, and with the fact that the county court dug up a petition which it had rejected two years ago for one of these bridges, can Sappington's tooters deliver the goods over this new political bunco game which is being perpetrated right before our eyes at the present time?

### A Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Vaughn and relatives wish to express their heartfelt thanks to the numerous friends who have sympathized with them in the death of their son, C. W. Vaughn, also to the members of Star Lodge, A.O.U.W., who with so much kindly affection, bore the deceased to his last resting place and tendered us their brotherly sympathy when it was most needed.

### Notice to Taxpayers.

Notice is hereby given that the tax roll for Tillamook County has been turned over to me for collection.

One half of the taxes must be paid on or before the 1st of April, 1902, after which a 10 per cent penalty will be added.

If the whole amount is paid before the 15th of March, 1902, a discount of 3 per cent will be allowed.

Tillamook City, Or., Feb. 12, 1902.  
H. H. ALDERMAN,  
Sheriff of Tillamook County.

### Notice.

Some people wonder how the bakery can sell so cheap. Now I will tell you. I sell for cash only, merchants selling on time have to charge 10 to 15 per cent extra for possible loss. Those who pay cash have to help pay this possible loss. By selling for cash, I can buy for cash. I buy better goods and get discount off. That is the reason we can sell cheap. Fresh rye bread Wednesday and Saturday.

A. C. VOGLER,  
Tillamook Bakery.

### Good News for the Entire Community.

We have just received a large shipment of Ladies' and Misses fine jackets and Capes. We purchased these jackets and Capes at a bargain, and to make quick turn we offer the entire stock to the public at a small margin above cost. Call early and get first choice.

Yours for bargains,  
ISAACS & BROMLEY.

### To the Bicycle Trade.

My repair shop is the most complete in the city, having an enameling oven, brazer and lathe to turn out caps and cones. My workman is a first class machinist and mechanic and his work is sufficiently known to recommend itself. I have adopted the prices of the San Francisco Board of Trade for cycle work. All work fully guaranteed. Terms spot cash.

RALPH ACKLEY.

### Selling at Cost.

For the next 30 days I will sell furniture and a few sewing machines at actual cost. I want to make room for another stock of goods, so come early and get a new Singer sewing machine for \$30 that have been selling for \$65 and \$75. Only three of them left. I shall not handle them after these are sold.

W. E. PAGE.

## Wanted!!

## \$10,000 WORTH OF COUNTY WARRANTS

Will take them at par on account or in exchange for CLOTHING, HATS, SHOES, FURNISHING GOODS, FLOUR, FEED, and GROCERIES.

Will PAY CASH for warrants on any fund.

COME AND SEE US BEFORE SELLING.

## J.A. TODD & CO

TILLAMOOK, OREGON.

## YOUR PHYSICIAN

May use the greatest learning possible in writing your prescription, but unless it is compounded by a pharmacist who has experience and skill it may produce quite another result than that intended. My reputation for honesty and skill is well-known. I use so many safeguards in my prescription room that a mistake is practically impossible. I sell everything that a druggist should sell.

## CHAS. I. CLOUGH, RELIABLE DRUGGIST.