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Farm loans at 6 per cent. Apply to B. L. Eddy. *
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Mr. Theo. Kingsley was down from Nehalem this week.
The steamer Geo. R. Vosburg came in on Sunday from Astoria.

By the way, we wonder whether the football players have got cold feet.

Died, on the 26th ult., the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitzpatrick.

If you make any new year resolutions today, stick to them like giant cement.
Mr. C. F. Franklin, the jeweler, went out to Portland on Sunday on a business trip.

A marriage license was issued on Wednesday to Royal Stillwell and Florence Ford.

Mr. C. Ben Riesland, who has been in Portland for several weeks, returned on Monday.

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

The steamer Geo. R. Vosburg leaves down this afternoon and expects to get out to-morrow.

The Editor wish everyone a happy new year, with the hope that it will be a prosperous one to all.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Knudson were on a visit to their numerous relatives in this city from Nehalem.

Another special agent, in connection with Tillamook timber claims, will visit this county shortly.

Ex-County Assessor J. S. Stephens has opened a real estate and insurance office in the Olsen building.

Mr. J. E. Sibley was in the city the first of the week on business, and was accompanied by Mrs. Sibley.

Rev. R. Y. Hlacock, wife and family, have returned to Beaver, where they will make their home again.

Call on P. J. Sharp for first class, up-to-date dental work. Satisfaction guaranteed. Dr. Wise's office.

A watch night service, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Gabriel Sykes, was held in the M.E. church last night.

Santa Claus had a wet time of it in Tillamook this Christmas, with plenty of wind and rain for several days.

The masquerade ball last night was well attended, with a large number of masqueraders in all kinds of costumes.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wheeler came in on the steamer Geo. R. Vosburg on a visit to the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wheeler.

The county court convenes next week, and as usual at the first meeting in the year, the county commissioners will have a number of matters to attend to.

Mr. Willis Platts, of Portland, spent the Christmas holidays at the home of Mr. Henry Alderman. He returned to that city on Sunday, going out on the stage.

Recorder Coates met with a painful accident to his eye which is causing him some anxiety. His youngest child, while in a playful mood, gouged a piece of the right eye with its finger nail.

Pre-Inventory Sale at Haltom's begins Saturday, January 3rd and runs one week only.

Rolled Barley, Bran, Oats, Mill Chop, Oil Meal, Hard Wheat Flour, at Gangloff & Snuffer's.

Remember it was Haltom that made prices cheaper and values better in Tillamook

The hose company will have its annual meeting on Thursday of next week, and as this is a time when the boys elect officers and have an "at home," it is safe to say there will be a full attendance.

Fairview Grange will meet in their hall on Thursday, January 8, at ten o'clock. Let all members that can attend, as there is installation of officers and lots of work to do. Come early.—L. S. Maynard, master.

On Saturday next, at two o'clock, a special meeting of the school district is called at the school house for the purpose of levying a special tax and to provide a sinking fund for the purpose of paying off the bonded indebtedness.

The editor is in a dilemma whether to use a stick of giant powder or bring a suit for \$6000 against the person, who, with slow, monotonous tread, marches up and down nearly the whole of the day in the rooms over the Headlight office.

Some of the boarders at the Allen house did not forget the waiter, Mrs. A. D. Smith, for on Christmas eve they presented her with a silver tea set. The printer's devil thinks that a good "hash slinger" is entitled to a present at this season of the year.

Taking everything into consideration, we feel proud that Tillamook City was so orderly and devoid of drunkenness and rowdiness throughout Christmas. There's nothing like being merry and wise, and that accounts for the quiet time during the holidays.

Special school tax levies have been filed as follows: District No. 1, 6 mills; No. 2, 5 mills; No. 3, 1 mill; No. 15, 4 mills; No. 5, 5 mills; No. 12, 1 mill. As we stated in a previous issue, special school tax levies must be filed in County Clerk Mason's office by February 1st.

Anyone having an account with me will greatly oblige by making payment by January 10, 1903, for all my accounts which are over thirty days will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection unless arrangements are made for settlement by the 10th. Respectfully, RALPH ACKLEY.

We wish to call attention again to the sale of dairy stock by Mr. Hy. Kunze on Friday, Nov. 16, on his ranch east of Tillamook City. This is a splendid opportunity to procure good dairy stock, for Mr. Kunze has the reputation of having one of the best dairy herds in the county, as well as being a most successful dairyman.

Mr. Carl Haberlach returned to the city on Friday from Oregon City, where he had spent Christmas. It was rumored that Carl had returned a Benedict, and the boys serenaded him that evening. To keep the joke up, Herbert Cooper dressed in female attire and Carl introduced him as his bride. The laugh was on the serenaders.

If the bill prepared by Secretary Hitchcock to change the timber and stone act is passed it will deprive the citizens of taking up a timber claim in Tillamook. It will tie up all timber lands and be to the advantage of those who can scrip government timber, thus depriving the citizens an opportunity to secure a claim, for it is plain to see that it will be almost impossible for them to comply with the provisions of the proposed new law. For that reason we hope the Oregon delegation will oppose it, so as to deprive corporations gobbling up big tracts of timber lands with scrip.

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See the Bargain Tables at Haltom's they are loaded with values that will prove a Revelation in Tillamook.

Monroe A. Keys died on December 27, 1902, of heart failure, after an illness of four days. He was born in Kentucky on the 24th March, 1823, and has been a resident of Tillamook county for over twenty years. He leaves a daughter-in-law, Mrs. B. M. Keys, and six grandchildren. The funeral took place Monday at the I. O. O. F. cemetery, the Rev. Gabriel Sykes, officiating.

Ed. Leach and Chas. Wells killed two bears on Monday across the Tillamook river, one being a large one weighing 400 pounds and the other a small one. They packed the small one to the city the same day and sold it to Barues, the butcher. Next day a party went out and packed the other in. The bear were caught in a tree, and being poled out of it were shot as they came down.

Another petition was circulated this week praying that necessary improvements be made in Hoquarton Slough with the money available for that purpose, and which was appropriated in the last river and harbor bill. Representative B. L. Eddy will present this petition to Captain Langatt, which is from the shipping and business men, and also another from the creamerymen and dairymen.

The Masonic lodge and Eastern Star fittingly observed St. John's Day with a joint installation. The installing officer was Mr. T. B. Handley, who officiated in the capacity of worthy grand master with becoming dignity, as is usual with him on such occasions. Mrs. G. W. Grayson, the retiring worthy matron of the Eastern Star lodge in this city, was presented with a gold badge. It is reported that the members of both lodges had a fine social time together when they adjourned to Todd's hall for supper.

C. Ben Riesland, the energetic real estate hustler has made extensive arrangements while outside to handle eastern emigrants from this time on. He has established a branch office in Portland, and will handle Portland and the Willamette Valley property from this point. Mr. Riesland has been doing much for the upbuilding of the land business in Tillamook County during the time of his career among us. He predicts a bright future for this section of the coast.

The Tillamook Logging Company has changed hands, Messrs. C. E. Hadley and Claude Thayer selling their interests to the Truckee Lumber Co. During the three years it was operating it did a large volume of business and employed a large number of men, for 30,000,000 feet of timber was logged in that time. It proved a profitable undertaking, for each of the retiring members received about \$6,200 as their share in the plant, as well as some timber land. As the Truckee Lumber Co. has some timber claims which the fire went through last summer, it is the intention of the company to log this as soon as possible.

Married, at the home of Mrs. Barbara Babi, on the 25th December, 1902, by Rev. Gabriel Sykes, pastor of the M.E. church, Mr. Arthur J. Stillwell to Miss Bessie B. Fischbocker. A number of invited guests witnessed the ceremony, which took place in a room tastefully decorated for the occasion. The bride looked charming in her wedding attire, the dress being blue and prettily trimmed with white. She is a niece to Mrs. Babi, and is an estimable young woman. Arthur is so well-known throughout the county that he needs no introduction, but his numerous friends wish him and his bride a long life of happiness. They were the recipients of a number of presents.

Announcement.

I wish to announce to my friends and patrons, that I am not in any combine, and shall not enter into any, but shall continue as I have during the past nine years, manage my own factory business. With the long experience I have had in manufacturing and marketing, I am in a position to serve my patrons as well as any of my competitors. I take pleasure in thanking all who have entrusted to me the handling of their milk in the past. I shall try in future to serve you to the best of my ability.

Yours faithfully,
P. McIntosh.

You cannot buy anything for less than cost, at Gangloff & Snuffer's, but it may be to your interest to examine their stock of feed and flour.

The High School Contest.

The contest on Monday between the Emersonian and Ciceroian societies of the Tillamook high school drew a large audience at the opera house. It consisted of declamations, Misses Zoe King, Hazel McNair and Anna Waldvogel representing the former and Misses Frankie Drew, Carrie Fox and Gertrude Bristoe the latter. It was a contest of elocutionary ability, and for individual merit Zoe King and Frankie Drew, by their dramatic pose and clear, well timed expressions, deserve much praise and won for their respective sides the praise of the audience. Carrie Fox, Hazel McNair and Gertrude Bristoe, deserve mention, especially the former, who had the misfortune to forget her part for a few seconds when she was doing exceedingly well and had the audience interested, but it was only a few seconds, and what points she lost on that account must have been made up by the nice way in which she finished the recital of a long piece. Anna Waldvogel's rendering was too rapid and lacked expression, so much so that the Emersonians, who appeared to be the favorites after four recitals had been given, placed the trophy in doubt, as the contestants up to that time had about balanced for merit. The last declamation by the Ciceroians turned the balance in their favor, when the judges, Revs. G. Sykes, W. N. Blodgett and S. S. White rendered their decision, giving the Ciceroians 585½ points and the Emersonians 578½ points. Mr. B. L. Eddy then presented the prize, a complete set of Bulwer-Lytton's works given by Mr. Chas. I. Clough, and in doing so commended the vanquished as well as the victors in a contest where there was very little difference between the competitors. Altogether, it was a pleasant evening's enjoyment, and as the proceeds will go toward furnishing the assembly room of the new school building with a piano—a most commendable object—everyone was well pleased—including the losing side.

Cupid's Work for 1902.

Cupid's work in Tillamook county last year amounted to 41 weddings, and this is 10 more than the previous year, when only 31 couple entered the married state. It is satisfactory to know that weddings are increasing in this county, and by the number of young people of marriageable age still on the market, it looks as though Cupid will have plenty to do to captivate their hearts and woo their affections in behalf of suitors and lovers, so that when another year rolls round we hope we shall have the pleasure to have their names in the "matched" list—a genius at head writing was cute enough to turn the stereotyped head of "births, marriages and deaths" into "hatched, matched and dispatched."

Following are those who were married in 1902 in this county:
January 1.—Benjamin D. Lamar to Bessie I. Broadhead.
January 19.—Sannel F. Lucas to Jessie B. Ray.
January 25.—De Roy C. Quick to Ida M. High.
February 13.—Richard M. Dingess to Lulu Bays.
March 19.—Howard R. Edmunds to Ida E. Watson.
March 30.—Hans E. Wilks to Mamie J. Briggs.
March 25.—Asa Nesonger to Viola Jackson.
April 26.—Wirt Sappington to Millie C. Jensen.
April 30.—Halbert L. Fowler to Pearl Briscoe.
May 1.—Ralph E. Winter to Catherine V. Paul.
May 11.—Stephens T. Childers to Grace Reed.
May 11.—Arthur G. Reynolds to Daisy V. Smith.
May 11.—Landa McFall to Ermina J. Ripley.
June 25.—Geo. W. Pierce to Belle M. Lewallen.
July 2.—Archie C. Gist to Lela A. Pike.
July 5.—John C. Springer to Ada Hiatt.
July 16.—George H. Maddux to Carrie Wells.
July 25.—Jack Tone to Aribell Gervais.
September 7.—David M. Plumm to Hattie Sturgeon.
September 7.—Charles H. O'Neil, jr., to Myrtle Elizabeth Moore.
September 7.—Charles C. Murphy to Belle Booth.
September 17.—Dan Gervais to Mary Seaman.
September 19.—Benjamin Powell to Hulda Christensen.

Price of Lumber in Tillamook City.

The price of Lumber to be in force from January 1st, 1903, is as follows:
Common Rough, from six inches up \$10.00
Common Rough, from under six inches 11.00
Rustic, Ceiling and Common Finish and Lap Siding 20.00
Vertical Grained Flooring and Stepping 22.00
Shiplap 12.00
Molded Casings, lineal foot 1½c.
Window and Door Jamb, per lineal foot 2c.
1x3 and under, Clear, dressed 4 sides, per lineal foot, plain 1c.
All Lumber above 28 feet extra, at the following prices:
28 to 38 feet, \$16 per M., Rough.
36 to 40 feet, \$20 " "
40 to 50 feet, \$30 " "
Extra price on Lumber over 16 inch wide.
TILLAMOOK LUMBER CO.,
By F. S. WHITEHOUSE, pres.
YELLOW FIR LUMBER CO.,
By EDW. G. E. WIST, pres.
TRUCKEE LUMBER CO.,
By J. E. SIBLEY, Manager.

A HAPPY NEW YEAR And a Prosperous One to All.

We take this method of thanking our many customers and friends of Tillamook county for their very generous patronage in the past.

We say of Tillamook county, because we have customers from the extreme south, north, east and west parts of the county, and we believe that they are satisfied with the business transacted with us.

We have probably made mistakes, but we are all liable to do that.

We have endeavored to treat all alike, one price to all, and sold goods at a fair price.

We shall endeavor to continue in the future as in the past and solicit your patronage, as well as any new one for the coming year. Again wishing you a happy and a prosperous New Year. We are

Most respectfully,
Todd & Co.

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CLOUGH'S NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS.

Is now on. My assortment of Celluloid and Leather Goods is the Largest in the City. Everyone knows my price is always the lowest. I want you to look at my line whether you buy or not.

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