



TILLAMOOK JOTTINGS.

H. T. Botts, for abstracts.
 Brock & Atkinson will saw your wood.
 The wet season is an early visitor this year.
 Those wishing wood sawed phone Ed Walker.
 W. W. Ridehalgh was up from Gariibaldi today.
 C. H. Wheeler came in on the steamer on Saturday.
 Seth F. Moon has moved from Willamina to Newberg.
 John S. Gray, of Nehalem, was in the city on Wednesday.
 Mrs. Renesson, of Portland, was in the city on Wednesday.
 D. Baughman was in the city on Monday from Portland.
 F. C. Davis, of Bay City, Mich., was in the city on Monday.
 R. A. Crawford was down from Nehalem on Wednesday.
 We want wood on subscription, for our wood shed needs filling.
 A. E. Branch and wife, of Dayton, are looking over the county.
 Shoo Fly, best on earth to keep flies off stock. For sale by Sturgeon.
 Miss Ora Sovell is on a visit to her home at Nehalem from Astoria.
 Dr. James Wiley came in from Portland on Tuesday on a short vacation.
 G. B. and R. L. Wood, of Pleasantville, Iowa, were in the city on Wednesday.
 The Truckee Lumber Co.'s saw mill at Hobsonville has closed down indefinitely.
 Mrs. Eliza M. Keys, mother of Mrs. J. M. Maddux, died in Portland last week.
 J. S. Stephens is the agent for the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.
 Baths for ladies and gentlemen, at F. H. Davis' bath room, opposite the Allen house.
 Chas. Smith cracks the whip on the stage between this city and the Trask house.
 The lumber schooners Oakland and Jennie Thein were towed to sea on Wednesday.
 The steamer brought in on Wednesday a number of Chinamen to work in the cannery.
 Wanted, 20 cranberry pickers about the 10th September.—M. Sommer, Sandlake, Oregon.
 F. S. Whitehouse left on Tuesday for San Francisco in the interest of the Tillamook Lumbering Co.
 J. S. Talbott, of Dallas, and John Howie and John A. Lang, of Brooklyn, Ia., came in on Monday.
 Percy Wiley will leave on the next steamer to resume his studies at the medical college in Portland.
 P. H. Davis, the barber, has put in a nicely fitted bath room in his old stand opposite the Allen house.
 John Bogart, of Woodland, Wash., a brother to Mrs. McIntosh, came in on Sunday on a short visit.
 St. Alphonsus Academy, which is now conducted by the Sisters of the Precious Heart, opened on Monday.
 Agent B. C. Lamb will ship, on the next trip of the Sue H. Elmore, between 30 and 40 tons of chittim bark.
 Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hughes, of Forest Grove, who were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tuttle, have returned home.
 Miss Jessie Mason is clerking at Halton's and Miss Mary Tinnerstet at the new store opened by Mr. Patzlaff.
 Tho. Turner, of Centralia, Wash., who came in to visit his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan, has returned home.
 M. L. Tower, the government engineer, has returned to take charge of the work in the bay and slough for a short time.
Hand Loaded Shells Guaranteed to be the Best that money can buy, at Ralph Ackley.

One Lefever Hammerless Shot Gun, with automatic ejector, at \$40.00; Regular Price, \$59.00, at Ralph Ackley.

The Tillamook Driving Association is figuring upon giving another race meeting, to come off in the middle of October.

The steamer Geo. R. Vosburg went into Nehalem on Monday with chains for the log raft and left for Astoria on Tuesday.

Matt Morrison and Don Ellis, of Nehalem, have gone to Southern Idaho on a business trip, and will be gone two or three weeks.

A petition was circulated this week to have the business houses closed at seven o'clock, which was signed by most of the business men.

Mrs. Howard Edmunds and child and Miss Cora Watson, daughters of R. M. Watson, returned to the city from Elma on Wednesday.

Will Madison and F. S. Parker, of Astoria, were in the city on Saturday; also Mrs. A. C. Anderson and Mrs. C. W. Christenson.

Father P. A. Olivetti went out on a vacation on Wednesday, on account of being indisposed, and was accompanied by Mr. Jos. Sanders.

Mrs. Patton, sister of Justice Alley, swam from Garibaldi to Hobsonville and back, which is a good swim for anyone, and especially a woman.

The Bargain Friday Sales at Halton's Department Store draws the crowd on those days. Don't miss the next bargain sale tomorrow (Friday).

Walt C. Bailey and John Weiss have rented the office next to Heins' photograph studio and will turn it into a real estate and timber lands office.

Some of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holden gave them a surprise at the home of Mr. H. F. Holden on Saturday, when a pleasant evening was participated in.

Robert Watt, of Bay City, and Robert Watt, of this city, returned from Montana on Saturday, where they had been doing assessment work on oil lands.

Mrs. J. S. Stephens, who was taken to the hospital in Portland last week, stood the journey as well. It is not known at present whether she will undergo an operation.

News reaches us that Dan Cronen, who went from Nehalem to Panama, in company with his two sons, Francis and Haghey, last summer, died there on the 19th June.

Fairview Grange, No. 273, will meet at their hall in Fairview on Saturday, the 12th, at 10 a.m. Lots of work. Come early and be happy.—L. S. Maynard, master.

C. & E. Thayer have provided a separate department of their business for a savings bank, and depositors in the savings bank branch will be paid interest on their deposits.

Mrs. Parrish, wife of Commissioner Parrish, came in on the stage this morning from Albany, where she had undergone an operation for cancer and is now feeling much better.

A new Masonic lodge was organized at Cloverdale on Saturday evening, with a membership of 14 on the charter, and some of the brethren went from this city to assist in the work.

To expedite the work of dredging out the channel between this city and the bay, a larger bucket dredge, of two ton capacity, was brought in last week and will be used for that work.

Percy Wiley and his brother Robert succeeded in running across two cub bears in Dan Goodspeed's orchard, and they killed one and captured the other alive, which they brought to this city.

The new department store of Carl P. Patzlaff was opened on Monday, which has a neat business appearance with a new stock of up-to-date goods displayed that is sure to attract a large number of customers.

All Kinds of Guns at Reduced Prices at Ralph Ackley's.

Elder Arthur Allen, who is conducting a series of evening meetings at the Adventist church, will use a biblical chart to illustrate his lectures. Mr. Allen invites all to be present. He will preach in the Wilson school house next Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m.

The passengers who went out on the Elmore on Saturday were: Peter Jacobs, Mrs. Durkee, Miss M. Wicks, Mrs. Mendell, J. Powell and wife, E. Maxfield, H. G. Lee, P. S. Brumby, W. A. Carberry, L. Hill and wife, Miss Gile, Jos. Donaldson, Paulson and Olsen.

The public school will open next Monday, but the primary department will not take up for a week later, Mrs. Hays being away on account of sickness. The new desks came in on the steamer yesterday and the school house is being put in shape ready for the opening.

W. C. King, Mrs. Miss Zoe and Clint, left for Ashland on Tuesday, where Bert King is down with typhoid fever, but reported somewhat better the last week. Is Mr. King going to join the colony of Tillamookers who have located at Ashland?

Owing to the wet weather, the timber owners have dispensed with the services of the fire wardens they employ to prevent forest fires this year. It was about this time last year that the east wind and dry spell commenced, which was followed by the forest fires.

This is the last month to participate in Todd & Co.'s prize drawing, which takes place on the 1st October, when \$250 in prizes will be distributed amongst the customers to that Clothing and Furnishing Goods Store. Do not miss a chance of winning a good prize. See their advt. in another column.

J. D. Edwards came in on the stage on Friday and has been shaking hands with his old friends. And he is still the same familiar John with the same broad smile on his countenance. He thinks that this city looks awfully slow in comparison to the towns in Southern Oregon, where they have weekly pay rolls and a corresponding amount of business.

N. Ford, of Coos Bay, came in Wednesday in the interest of the A.O.U.W., and will remain in the city two or three weeks. He is a grand lodge deputy, and it is expected that his visit will be a benefit to the local lodge and be instrumental in adding a large number of new members to this commendable order, which gives life insurance at a nominal figure.

The steamer Sue H. Elmore came in on Wednesday her passengers being N. Ford, W. R. Hollister, Alma Wagner, Miss Blake, Mrs. Snow, Mrs. Snow, jr., Mr. Affolter, E. Willis and wife, Frank Fowler, W. Wolfe, F. Brenner, C. A. Morgan, J. C. Specht, B. E. Van Voorhis, Miss Wallace, Mrs. Sturgeon and nephew, Mrs. Stovell and daughter, Miss Thompson, Mrs. Howard Edmunds and Cora Watson.

Capt. Dodge, of the gasoline schooner Gerald C, was in the city Monday. He took a cargo of supplies from Astoria to Nehalem for S. Elmore & Co.'s cannery, which is to be operated this season. The announcement was made several days ago that the Nehalem cannery would not be operated this fall, but the salmon market is so favorable that the cannery has decided to pack more Coast salmon than was intended.

With the Wheeler Lumber Co.'s saw mill closed down at Nehalem, with the possibility that it will not start up again for several years; the Truckee Lumber Co.'s saw mill closed down indefinitely on account of being unable to get boats; the Tillamook Lumbering Co.'s saw mill only running occasionally and unable to ship its surplus lumber, and the report that the steamer Geo. R. Vosburg is to be withdrawn from the Tillamook City and bay business, this is not a very flattering outlook for milling and logging, and as it cuts off the only pay roll in the county outside of dairying, it must be expected that employment will be slow until these industries resume.

The regular meeting of the city council was held on Monday with Mayor C. W. Talmage and Councilmen C. Woolfe, H. W. Cary and E. Jenkins were present. Bills allowed were:

Marshal's salary	\$45.00
Recorder's salary	15.00
Water rent	30.00
City attorney's salary	8.33
Electric lights	20.00
I. H. Smith	3.00
R. L. Wade	3.40
L. Olds	35.50

The committee having in hand the matter of the drainage of the land in the vicinity of the school was given further time to report. An ordinance, to abate nuisances, was laid over and referred to health and police committee. A petition, which was signed by a large number of taxpayers, asking for better fire protection, was read. Recorder Coates had received several letters from engineers in answer to inquiries what they would furnish an estimate of cost for a new water system, and after these had been read it was decided that W. B. Chase, whose charges were \$100 and expenses, be asked

to furnish the estimate of cost. An ordinance, to adopt the city surveyor's report as to laying out 2nd Avenue E, was passed to its final reading.

Frank Atkinson, who was brought to this city from Sandlake two weeks previous for medical treatment, died Monday afternoon. He had suffered several weeks with swellings in the throat, and this grew worst from day to day, until death relieved him of his sufferings. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Atkinson, of Sandlake, and was born in Iowa on the 7th August, 1875, making him 28 years of age. He came to Tillamook county with his parents twenty years ago, consequently was well known and had a number of friends. Frank had a fine physique, was of a kindly and persevering disposition, and he had the respect and admiration of his neighbors and acquaintances. The funeral took place on Tuesday, the religious service being in the Christian church, the Rev. E. M. Patterson conducting the service and preaching an appropriate sermon, which was attended by a number of sympathizing friends. The burial was in the Oddfellows' cemetery. The deceased's brothers being members of the A.O.U.W., a delegation from the local lodge, also one from the Degree of Honor, attended the funeral to show their sympathy for the family in their time of bereavement. The deceased leaves a father, mother, four brothers and two sisters to mourn their loss.

Shot Guns, Air Guns, Pop Guns and the Mamous, 30-30 Rifles, at Ralph Ackley.

Ho! How True.
Oregonian.

A man goes into a gambling-house hoping to fleece others, and gets fleeced himself. Then he raises a roar about having been robbed, takes up the time of the police and Police Court for three days to "get even," and next thing passes his woes on to the grand jury. How would it do to treat him as a culprit also, and put him on the rockpile?

Seaside Sentinel.
Mayor Williams, of Portland, has issued orders permitting the gambling games to run and requiring them to pay a license the same as is done in Seaside and Astoria. As it is impossible to stop the evil, it is better to regulate it and derive some revenue from it. A man that gambles is a sucker. The dealer wears diamonds, while the sucker wears patches on the seat of his pants.

NOTICE.
To Heads of Families, Doctors and Midwives.

It is the duty of heads of families, doctors and midwives to report all births, deaths and contagious diseases to Dr. I. M. Smith, who has been appointed by the County Court health officer for Tillamook county.

W. W. CONDER, County Judge.

Bids Wanted.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.—That the Common Council of Tillamook City, Oregon, will receive bids for graveling Fourth Avenue East from First street to Eighth street; Eighth street from Stillwell avenue to Fourth Avenue east; Fifth street from Fourth Avenue east to Miller avenue; and Miller avenue from the County Road to the South line of Block eight in Miller's addition to Tillamook, all in Tillamook City, Oregon. Said gravel to be laid in the center of said streets and to be eight feet wide and eight inches deep. Bids to be for all or any part of said graveling. Bids will be opened September 7th, 1903, at 8 o'clock p.m.

The Common Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

THOS. COATES,
City Recorder.

Stray Bicycle.

A bicycle was left in G. C. Vaughn's barn at South Prairie on the night of July 23rd. Owner can recover same by describing it and paying for this notice.

Cohn & Co. are in a position to meet all competition in the price of Chittim Bark. See them before you sell.

Real Estate Transfers.

Furnished by H. T. Botts, abstractor, U.S.A. to Charles C. Clark. Patent Sw. sec. 2, tp. 3 north, range 1.
 Charles Burke and wife to Jesse Earl. Four acres in Goodspeed's Park \$50.00
 David H. Sexton and wife to S. J. Wilson. Lots 7 and 8, block 22, Thayer's addition to Tillamook. \$475.00
 Charles R. Hodgdon and wife to F. L. Buell. E 1/2 W 1/2, Sec 1/4, sec. 4 and 12 acres adjoining tp. 2 south, range 9. \$697.00.
 W. N. Jones and wife to U.S.A. Quit claim. S 1/2 Nw, sec. 36, tp. 2 north, range 5.
 Two mortgages filed securing \$760.00.

Short Horn Bull for Sale.

For sale, a thorough bred short horn bull, 5 year old and fine stock.—Apply to W. D. Goswell, Beaver.

\$250.00 GIVEN AWAY. On October 1, '03.

We will give away, absolutely free of charge, \$250.00 in Cash or Merchandise. First Prize, \$50.00. 42 Prizes in all. With each \$1.00 cash purchase made we will give you a ticket which will entitle you to one chance in these prizes. We carry a complete stock of CLOTHING, HATS and SHOES, FURNISHING GOODS, GROCERIES, FLOUR and FEED.

We will also give with each \$10 cash purchase a 16x20 Enlarged picture on anything sold except sugar, flour, oil, tobacco and coffee, which are sold on a very close margin.

TODD & CO.

Editorial Snap Shots.

It's amusing how the "stool pigeons" got fooled. ***
 Butter fat at 29 1/2c. per pound at some factories, against 25c. this time last year, is a good showing. ***
 The ordinance to have the city officials report once a month should be repealed, for it is simply a dead ordinance. ***
 What do you think of a person who will come to you and pretend to be your friend and then go away and plot against you? ***
 As the city council has decided to employ an engineer to give an estimate of cost for a new water system, it will now be in order to make a guess as to what it will foot up. ***
 We are not an authority on calling etiquette, but as the editor of the Independent is to make his domicile opposite the Headlight man, we are in a quandary to know who should be the first caller. ***
 If, as is reported, the Portland, Nehalem & Tillamook Railroad Company is to commence work within thirty days, no one will be more awfully surprised than the people of Tillamook county. We do not know how the betting goes, but it's a \$1,000,000 to \$1 that work will not commence in that time. ***
 On the night of the 1st September a certain person was seen coming out of D. E. Dawson's barn on the McCormick place who had been skinning the milk. And, oh, what a surprise, when the identity of the person was established. The same person made another raid on the same milk cans Saturday night, and he was tracked to his house. ***
 There is a difference of opinion, when inferior cheese is manufactured and sold as a first class article, whether the local newspapers should call attention to such facts. "Yes," says one, "give them hell." "No," says others, "it will hurt the reputation of Tillamook cheese." This is one instance where an editor is between two fires. Which ever he decides to do he is sure to get abused. ***
 There is one thing that some country editors make themselves somewhat ridiculous in, and that is to make local mention of everybody who goes into the county. ***

print shop and spends two bits. Suppose business men did the same thing, it is said to say they would be considered a little silly. But what is seldom is wonderful with some country editors, and they use this to blow their own horns. ***
 With a modern school building and every convenience provided by the taxpayer to place Tillamook City public and high school on a par with other progressive cities, it is now up to the teachers to make the school a success and a lasting benefit to the rising generation. We believe the faculty is in every way prepared for the occasion, and everything being in harmony, the school opens up on Monday with pleasing prospects. ***
 Another version for the failure of the Portland, Nehalem & Tillamook Railroad Company to construct its line is that W. Reid and J. McCracken are only playing a game of bluff for the railroad companies to bluff off any other railroad company from building into Tillamook. Gracious, if this is true, how easy it is to humbug the people when there is a little money and a number of "stool pigeons" used to do so. It is now in order for Mr. Reid to write an article for the Oregonian confirming or denying this. ***
 Plenty of green feed for Old Bossy this fall in Tillamook county, the recent beneficial rains and the absence of east wind and hot weather being an assurance of this. The meadows are a perfect picture of green verdure, thus showing a marked contrast at this season of the year with other sections of Oregon where meadows are brown and with no pasture on them. With plenty of green feed in their meadows and plenty of hay in their barns, with butter fat at 29 1/2c. a pound, no wonder that Tillamook dairymen are happy, contented and feeling as independent as as lords. ***
 When you want to buy or sell a farm advertise in the HEADLIGHT and by going so you save several hundred dollars in real estate agents' commissions, and another thing you don't have to tie your property up either by having to sign a tricky eastiron option. Also, another thing, by advertising in the home newspaper, you'll never be flummoxed, monkeyed with, fleeced, interfered with and bull-rugged for the commission fee, whether a sale is or is not made. Keep your eye peeled for the real estate sharks, who, according to their statements, scare new comers out of the county. ***

"Our Motto."

"Not a Great Big Store, but a nice Little Store."
 Well Open Monday, September 7th, opposite the Larsen House, with a full line of Dry Goods, Ladies' Furnishings and Notions.

HEADQUARTERS FOR SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

I have been appointed a depository for all the authorized School Books for all grades and carry a very large stock of all kinds of School Supplies:

Pens, Pencils, Slates, Sponges, Rulers, Copy Books, Writing Tablets and everything required by scholars.

Lowest Prices on Everything.

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