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TILLAMOOK JOTTINGS.

Every article of summer goods at Haltom's must find a new owner.

H. T. Botts, for abstracts.
Trunks and valises at Todd's.
Blankets and quilts at Todd's.
A. W. Bunn was in from Beaver Tuesday.
W. C. Bailey, timber locator and estimator.
Men's Furnishing Goods of all kinds at Todd's.
Berth Ray was in from Cloverdale on Tuesday.
When you want clothing go to Todd's.
R. Robinson returned from Tacoma on Thursday.
Born, on Monday, to the wife of M. F. Leach, a boy.
Clough sells Paraffine at wholesale for coating cheese.
William Woods, of Astoria, was in the city on Monday.
O. P. Lumm, of Dayton, Or., was in the city on Tuesday.
E. Wood, of Tigerwell, Or., was in the city on Wednesday.
James Anderson, of Salem, was in the city on Wednesday.
C. F. Franklin left on a business trip for the outside on Saturday.
W. E. Prudhomme, of Portland, was in the city on Thursday.
Just received at Todd's, a nice line of ladies' shoes—latest fashions.
Ed. Wamelsdorf, of La Center, Wash., was in the city on Monday.
Miss Dora High has been re-engaged to teach South Prairie school.
Mrs. Chas. Pye, formerly of Nehalem, came in on a visit on Wednesday.
Dive Reddaway is back to the city and is again at his old stand for a few weeks.
Mrs. Chas. I. Clough returned Wednesday from visiting relatives in the East.
The Red Clover cheese factory is putting in a plant and will manufacture butter.
Assessor Hare has bought the Wilson house from C. Wells, the consideration being \$959.
Green wood, direct from the mill, \$1.80. Dry wood, \$2.50. At Tillamook Lumber Co.'s mill.
S. S. O'Neil and W. W. Freschl, of Milwaukie, Wis., were in the city on Wednesday.
For rent, Office consisting of two rooms, in business part of town. Call at Hein's Studio.
The lumber schooner John R. Miller sailed in on Tuesday to load lumber at Hobsonville.
Miss Cora Wade left last week for Southern Oregon, where she will make her future home.
A. Mearse, of Forest Grove, who is spending a vacation at Netarts, was in the city to-day.
When you want the home news you can find it in the Headlight, the leading paper for home news.
Ladies! Attention! Go to the most stylish tailor made suits, go to Sarchet's, The Fashionable Tailor.
The city authorities have put in a substantial bridge across Hoquarton slough replacing the old structure.
Haltom Special at one third off. Entire stock Women's summer underwear, vest, sleeveless and long sleeves. Pants, knee and ankle length.

Haltom Special at Half Price. 500 remnants of wash goods and spring woollens. Lengths, 2 1/2 to 10 yards.

Rev. E. M. Patterson returned to the city and will occupy the pulpit at the Christian church on Sunday.
Miss Alice Wilson came in on a vacation from Portland and is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Peter Brant.
Justice G. B. Alley left this morning for a business trip to the south end of the county, to be gone several days.
Postmaster Severance and C. N. Drew are attending the grand lodge of the A.O.U.W. in Portland this week.
Rev. A. S. Foster will preach at the morning and evening services in the Presbyterian church on Sunday.
The best bath in the city is at C. R. Johnson's Barber Shop, which has been fitted up with a new bath room.
Rev. E. M. Patterson and wife returned to the city on Wednesday after attending the camp meeting at Turner.
The mail going North from this city in morning does not leave until the mail coming in via North Yamhill is sorted.
Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, parents of Rev. E. M. Patterson, are visiting with Dr. and Mrs. Mills at Pleasant Valley.
Clough's Carbolic Compound mixed with water, ready for use, costs 10c. a gallon. Money back if you are not satisfied.
Todd & Co. are sole distributors of Gordon hats, Walkover shoes for men, and Uitz & Dunn shoes for ladies and children.
It is reported that the tug Geo. R. Vosburg, for want of profitable business, will be put out of commission and will be tied up.
J. D. Bourne, District Deputy Grand Chancellor of the K. of P., came in on Wednesday on an official visit to the lodge in this city.
When you want wood sawed leave your orders with H. Marble, opposite the Alderman house and they will be attended to promptly.
Major W. C. Langfitt in his recommendation for funds for harbor improvements, asks for \$16,000 for Tillamook for the next two years.
While out in the timber last week, W. C. Bailey had a nasty fall on his face, knocking some of his teeth out of business and bruised his face.
Miss Eleanor Macdonald, a graduate of Wellesley College, has been engaged to fill the vacancy in the faculty of the public school in this district.
The Closing Out Sale of the Racket Store goods will be continued, to be sold at cost as long as it lasts at Peterson & Svenson's Furniture Store.
We understand that Miss Minnie Roland, who taught school in this city and was re-engaged, will not return and has resigned the position of teacher in the public school.
The schooner C. H. Hill came in Tuesday to load lumber from the Tillamook Lumber Co.'s saw mill in this city, which is being scowed to the bay. She sailed in.
I have but one object in view and that is to force a recognition for the grace and truth that came by Christ, instead of the law that came by Moses.
—J. C. Gove.
Bruce Wolverton was in the city for several days in the interest of the Pacific Monthly, and by his request we have given him permission to use several half-tone pictures.
Haltom Special at about Half Price. Entire Stock Children's Wash Dresses.

Haltom special at 75c. 100 shirt waist, values up to \$2.00.

For sale, in most desirable part of Tillamook City, a first class house and lot, situated on lot 10, Thayer's 4th addition to Tillamook. Apply on the premises to George Watt.
At the monthly meeting of the hose company on Thursday, Chief Crenshaw complimented the boys for the promptness in which they answered the call and the good work they did at the fire at the Hardman house.
Al. Letcher and family, after spending several days in the county visiting their former friends here, left on Sunday, going out over the Wilson river road. They had the misfortune to have three days' wet weather while here.
The passengers who went out on the Sue H. Elmore on Friday were E. W. Dingman, N. Ford, J. C. Spect, R. L. Brookings, H. J. Goff, C. N. Drew, F. C. Gullip, Dr. J. Koshaba, R. H. Knight, Miss C. Wade and Claude Hunt.
Captain Hatt came in on his summer visit on Wednesday and is again stopping with Mr. Smith at Bar View. He is a congenial gentleman and quite a favorite with the Tillamookers who camp on Garibaldi beach—especially with the ladies.
The Palace Hotel, which has received extensive improvements, will open for business about next Monday. The hotel, since it was painted on the outside, presents a nice appearance. The saloon will not be moved into the building until the first of the month.
Personal and other local items that our readers may like inserted, will be pleased drop into the office and acquaint the editor. It is a difficult job to keep tab on all such items, and when they are overlooked it is for the reason that we have not been informed.
Weather Observer Beals was in last week from Portland for the purpose of investigating the advisability of installing a government weather bureau in this city. It was proper that it should rain when a weather prophet comes to the wettest spot on the Coast.
A. J. Stiffer and wife, who are distant relatives of Mrs. Peter Brant, and who have not met for 40 years, came in from Salem on Monday. They located in the capital city last year, so came over for a visit and summer outing, being accompanied by Dave Clearwater and wife and S. B. Catterlin.
The two Tillamook canneries belonging to Elmore & Co. have been put in shape for the season, which commenced on the 15th. The cannery at Garibaldi has been entirely remodeled and extensive repairs made to the Nehalem cannery. The packing-house at Garibaldi will commence operations about August 1.
E. T. Haltom will leave on the next steamer for Spokane, where he will meet J. D. Morton, the New York buyer for the Cash Buyers' Association, who is there in his special car with samples for those in the Northwest who belong to the association to select their stock. Mr. Haltom expects to buy a much larger stock than he has bought before.
The fourth quarterly meeting services of the M.E. church will be held next Sunday, July 24th, at 11 a.m. Rev. D. A. Watters, D.D., will be present for the last time in his term of six years. The holy communion will be administered. All are cordially invited. Evening service at 8 p.m. The quarterly conference will be held on Monday at 9 a.m.

Haltom Special Ladies' Hats.
\$1.00 to 1.50 values, 48c.
\$2.00 to 2.50 .. 98c.
\$5.00 to 10.00 .. 3.48.

At a meeting of the city council Monday evening, it was decided to order the opening of the street through what is known as the John Day property. The matter of securing a site for the hose company and bell tower was referred to the committee on streets and public property. Bills allowed were: Tillamook Hose Company, for chemicals, \$8.45; A. K. Case, \$1.50; L. T. Byrum, \$4; Ed. Walker, \$21; W. Kimball, \$12.

The steady rain on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, after several months of bright fine weather, was a great blessing to the county, even though it did come at a time when a number of the farmers were in the midst of hay harvest. Little or none will be destroyed, however, and as the weather turned fine again, this started hay making afresh. Another good feature about the rain last week it allayed all fears as to forest fires for some time.

The steamer Sue H. Elmore came in on Wednesday with a small quantity of freight and the following passengers: Miss Smart, Mrs. Pye, A. B. McLelland, Mrs. and Miss Watt, S. J. Richardson, Captain Hatt, H. F. Frazer and wife, J. D. Bourne, A. K. Kelso, Mrs. Hardman, A. K. Gleason, Miss Alice Wilson, H. Chase and daughters, S. D. Hartman, W. W. Jackson and wife, Rev. E. M. Patterson and wife, Mrs. Clough, Miss Reynolds.

A writ of habeas corpus was issued from the county court in Clatsop county on Saturday night on petition of Mrs. Bertha Reid, citing William Joel Martin, to produce his son, William Joel Martin, in court at 10 o'clock on Monday morning and show cause why the boy had not been turned over to the care of his mother, as was alleged had been agreed upon when the parents were divorced in a Portland court about a year ago. Before the court convened, however, the matter was amicably settled and the boy was placed in charge of the petitioner.

\$12,000 DAMAGE SUIT.
For Unlawfully Logging Off 160 Acres of Timber.

A suit was filed in the Circuit Court on Monday by James W. Johnson, plaintiff, vs. The Tillamook Logging Company, defendants. The cause of action against defendant, alleges that defendant is and was at all times herein mentioned a corporation, incorporated, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Oregon. That at all times mentioned plaintiff was the owner and entitled to the immediate possession, and in possession of upwards of four million feet, board measure, of spruce and fir timber, fit to make merchantable timber, and which was on and prior to on or about July 1st, 1901, standing upon the following described real property, situated in Tillamook County, Oregon, to-wit: The N 1/4 of the Ne 1/4, and the Ne 1/4 of the Nw 1/4 of sec. 24, and the Sw 1/4 of the Se 1/4 and the Se 1/4 of the Sw 1/4 of sec. 13, tp. 2 S, range 10 W, containing 160 acres.

That in Tillamook County, Oregon, between on or about July 1st, 1901, and on or about December 31, 1902, defendant wilfully and wrongfully and without authority of law and without plaintiff's consent entered upon said premises and wilfully and wrongfully and unlawfully and without plaintiff's consent, felled and cut into saw logs four million feet, board measure, of said spruce and fir timber of plaintiff; and the defendant at the said time and place, wrongfully and unlawfully and without plaintiff's consent, took and carried away all of said four million feet of said timber in the form of saw logs, the same being of the value of three dollars per thousand feet, board measure, and wrongfully converted the same to defendant's own use, to the damage of plaintiff in the sum of \$12,000.

Wherefore plaintiff demands judgment against defendant in the sum of \$12,000, with interest from December 31st, 1902, and his costs and disbursements therein. Claude Thayer and J. E. Sibley forms the Tillamook Logging Co.

Haltom Special Men's Clothing.
\$6 to \$7.90 Suits, \$5.00.
\$10 to \$12.00 .. 9.50.
\$16 to 19.00 .. 15.00.
\$20 to 25.00 .. 18.50.

Notice.
Notice is hereby given by the Tillamook Water Company that sprinkling of the streets must be done between the hours of seven and eight in the morning and six and seven o'clock in the evening. Persons are warned not to use water for irrigating gardens. Gardens can be sprinkled the same time that is set for sprinkling the streets.

W. H. COOPER.

THE AUDITOR'S REPORT

Charge Ex-Sheriff Stanley up with \$1,233.20 he Gave in Rebates.
Clark & Buchanan, the auditors, who have been auditing the accounts of the county treasurer, P. W. Todd, and the ex-sheriff, E. W. Stanley, but owing to the time it had taken to check up these two officials' accounts, they delayed until their next visit auditing the other officers accounts. As far as all monies collected by the ex-sheriff and turned over to the treasurer, and the disposition of the county funds entrusted to the latter, they find that all monies have been satisfactorily accounted for and their accounts are correct. There is one thing which Stanley did which the auditors object to and which was not according to the strict letter of the law, that was allowing rebates after the 15th March, so they have filed a detailed statement charging Stanley up with \$1,233.20, \$531.36 of that sum being for rebates that he allowed after the 15th March, \$684.70 due as penalty and interest accrued on taxes paid subsequent to the first Monday of April, 1904, and \$16.40 for interest. It will be remembered that during tax collecting time in the spring, Tillamook mail was held up for several weeks, so when Stanley's mail came to hand after the 15th March he thought that it was only right that he should allow the rebate to those who remitted in time to pay their taxes by that date. Whether the county court will sustain him in this remains to be seen. If not, then there is a question whether the property owners are liable and will have to pay the rebate after all. Deputy District Attorney Cooper has been asked for an opinion on these points. Had Stanley dated his receipts back he would have come within the letter of the law. This was done last year when the sheriff's office could not handle all the work, issue receipts and answer correspondence which piled up a few days before the 15th March, so the receipts were dated back. All the difference this year was the letters were held up and could not be got at, whereas last year they were on hand and could not be attended to right away with the small staff to handle the rush.

Following is a summary of the auditor's report pertaining to the rebates: Memorandum of rebates allowed after March 15th, 1904, and penalties and interest accrued to first Monday of April, 1904, and not paid: Rebate allowed after March 15, 1904, as per statement..... \$531 36 Amount due as penalty and interest accrued on taxes paid subsequent to first Monday of April, 1904, as per statement, 10 per cent penalty 684 70 Interest 16 14 Total..... \$1,233 20

The auditors have placed on file two other reports relating to collection of taxes by ex-Sheriff Stanley and the late H. H. Alderman, in which a few clerical errors are set out, leaving a small balance due the county from the two former sheriffs on these reports. The auditors have also handed in a written report, which is of interest, and is as follows: Tillamook, Or., July 18, 1904. Honorable County Commissioners of Tillamook County.

GENTLEMEN.—We have examined the accounts of the Sheriff and Treasurer, covering the transactions of their respective offices, occurring between Jan. 1st, 1904, and July 5, 1904, and file herewith statements showing our findings. Owing to the time required to adjust the accounts of the foregoing officers, we are unable to check the accounts of your other officers, but will do so during our next visit, under our contract, next July. There is a considerable discrepancy in the accounts of your sheriff, and we recommend that the matter be placed in the hands of your attorney for settlement. In justice to the sheriff we must state that the differences shown have occurred under a misconception of the law, and is in no sense a wilful shortage.

We note that the bonds of your sheriff and treasurer are insufficient to cover the amount of county funds in their possession, and we recommend that they be increased.
Your attention is called to the statute requiring the cancellation of issued and unrepresented outstanding warrants, which has been overlooked by your Court.
Yours very respectfully,
CLARK & BUCHANAN,
Auditors.

No Weather Station.

Owing to lack of telegraph communication, Tillamook will not get a regular storm-warning service from the United States Weather Bureau, if the report of District Forecaster Edward A. Beals is accepted by the Chief of the Weather Bureau. Mr. Beals returned to Portland on Sunday from a trip to Tillamook to investigate the conditions there and the need of the storm warning service. The application for the service was made some time ago, but it was only lately that Mr. Beals was able to investigate. He found upon arrival at Tillamook that the only communication with the outside world was by mail or telephone. During the winter telephone communication cannot be maintained continuously, in fact, it is in trouble most of the time, and therefore cannot be depended upon. However, an effort will be made to help the shippers at Tillamook with some sort of service that at least will be better than nothing, and it is possible that if the need becomes plain telegraph communication with Tillamook will be established, although Mr. Beals stated this morning that he knew nothing about such a project.—Telegram.

FLEET ON RAID.

Vladivostok Ships Enter the Pacific.
Tokio, July 20, 10 a.m.—The Vladivostok squadron has overhauled a Japanese steamer eastward of Tsugaru Straits. The name of the vessel captured and her fate has not yet been learned.
The Vladivostok squadron, unaccompanied by torpedo boats, entered the Pacific Ocean today at 7 o'clock. Its destination is unknown, but it is suggested it possibly plans to raid the east coast of Japan and then either return to Vladivostok, escaping to the southward, or attempting to form a junction with the Port Arthur fleet.
The squadron was discovered in the Straits of Tsugaru at 3 o'clock this morning, steaming rapidly eastward.
At 3:30 a.m. it was reported off Tappi Cape, and at 7 a.m. observers at Hakko-date discovered and reported to Tokio that it was then steaming east.
Warnings have gone out to shipping along the eastern coast of Japan and merchantmen are hurriedly seeking cover. It is expected that most of the shipping will be warned before the Russian ships can inflict serious damage, if a raid is intended.
Ordinarily, a lack of coal would prevent an extended cruise, but it is possible that the Russians possess a collier at a rendezvous in the Pacific Ocean.

WANTED.

SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE in this county and adjoining territories, to represent and advertise an old established business house of solid financial standing. Salary \$21 weekly, with Expenses advanced each Monday, by check direct from headquarters. Horse and buggy furnished when necessary; position permanent. Address Blew Bros. & Co., Monon Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

Intense concern prevails in diplomatic circles at Constantinople over the report that Lord Lansdowne has made representations to the Porte, with regard to Russia's alleged violation of the Dardanelles treaty. It is said that Lord Lansdowne's communication amounts to a declaration that Britain will close the straits against warships, should Turkey fail to do so.



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