



### TILLAMOOK JOTTINGS.

Eddy & Botts, for abstracts.  
 Walkover Shoes at Todd's.  
 Hay for sale.—Apply to A. G. Beals.  
 Gordon Hats and Gloves at Todd's.  
 Gent.'s Furnishing Goods at Todd's.  
 Crouse & Brandigee Clothing at Todd's.  
 We understand that Jurd Hunsinger is quite sick.  
 Miss Jennie Smith is teaching at the Cloverdale school.  
 County Judge W. W. Conder came in on Monday on business.  
 Mrs. Walt. Bailey, whose has been sick for several weeks, is improving.  
 Mrs. Dora Glaze will commence teaching the Marx district school on Monday, \$12 per month for board in private family. For further information apply at this office.  
 Rev. A. S. Foster will preach morning and evening next Sunday in the Presbyterian church.  
 Wanted, to buy, heifers coming fresh in the spring. Jerseys preferred. Apply to A. G. Beals.  
 Do not forget the St. Valentine's social to be given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church.  
 The bill to increase the salary of the county superintendent to \$1000 a year passed both houses.  
 The annual meeting of the Tillamook Creamery will be held on Saturday, Feb. 11th, in the city hall.  
 On the last trip out of the Sue H. Elmore, Captain Schrader reported 23ft. of water on the bar.  
 The steamer Sue H. Elmore, which was bar bound for nearly a week, managed to get out on Saturday.  
 Ladies! Attention! For the most stylish tailor made suits, go to Sarchet's, The Fashionable Tailor.  
 J. S. and Pete Lamar have received the sad news that their mother dead, who resides in the East.  
 The young people belonging to the Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church gave a successful social on Saturday evening.  
 Two marriage licenses were issued on Saturday, one to William M. Ray and Rachel L. Woods, and the other to R. B. McClay and Ethel E. Ray.  
 Sheriff Woolfe disposed of the property advertised in the delinquent tax list, and County Judge Conder bought in for the county what was not sold on Monday.

Salt and smoked Chinook salmon and fresh steelheads. W. O. Chase.  
 The fishing season in Tillamook closed on the 1st and does not open again until the 15th July.  
 J. A. Todd writes that he is leaving Napa, Cal., about the 1st February for Salem, Or., and will visit this county in a few weeks.  
 Tillamook Lumber Company will sell Rough Fir Lumber sawed to order for \$7.00 per thousand in one thousand lots and up. Spruce at \$6.00 at the same rate.  
 County Clerk G. B. Lamb has turned the tax roll over to Sheriff Woolfe, which will give the taxpayers six weeks in which to pay their taxes so that they can get the rebate.  
 Elder J. N. Murphy, county evangelist, assisted by the pastor, Rev. E. M. Patterson, are conducting a series of meetings at the Christian Church, to which all are cordially invited.  
 It was with deep regret that the people of this city heard of the untimely death of Mrs. Frank Batter, and every heart goes out in true sympathy for the sorrowing family and bereaved husband.  
 Wanted, single men and women throughout this section of country to correspond with desirable persons on our lists who seek marriage. Send stamp for particulars to box 761, Astoria, Ore.  
 The many friends of H. Gessner, postmaster of Spruce, will be sorry to hear that his wife is quite sick with a cancer, and he has taken her to Portland, and may probably go to San Francisco for treatment.  
 Wm. Hamilton circulated a subscription paper on Saturday to raise money to fix the side walk to the cemetery, as it was getting in bad shape, although not as bad as the side walk north of Hoquaraton slough, which should also be fixed.  
 The hand boys have their bills out for their entertainment, which is to be given at the opera house on Friday, February 17, which will consist of minstrel, vocal and instrumental music, and a farce, entitled, "A Close Shave." Reserved seat tickets at Morton & Trombley's.  
 A big crowd is expected at the railroad meeting in this city on Saturday afternoon. Everybody come and help the movement along. We all live in hope of seeing a railroad into Tillamook, and if the latest proposition is a genuine one made in good faith, is what the people want to be assured of, and if it is only another bluff they want to know that as well, and the sooner the better.

The steamer Sue H. Elmore arrived this morning.  
 A number of Mrs. E. D. Shodgrass' friends gave her a surprise birthday party on Saturday evening, having previously prepared a nice supper. A very pleasant time was spent together, and all joined in wishing Mrs. Shodgrass many happy returns of the day.  
 The racket connected with the removal of the fence opposite the school house in district No. 12 is again the subject of discussion, and how and where it is going to end up no one can tell. Supervisor H. B. Johnson is now the aggrieved party, so much so that he has filed a claim against that badly advised school district for \$25, it being \$12.50 for each time he tore down the fence in that sanguinary fight between the directors and the county officials.  
 The members of Alder Circle, No. 44, Women of Woodcraft, will give a social at Todd's hall on Wednesday evening, Feb. 22, beginning at 8 P. M. Each lady is requested to bring a basket with lunch for two and, if possible, a gentleman to buy it. The baskets will be sold at fifty cents each, and coffee and cocoa will be served free with the lunch, by the lodge members. A nice programme will be rendered. Every one is cordially invited to attend.  
 One of the decisions handed down by the supreme court on Monday was *Claud Thayer vs. Manius Buchanan*, appellant from Clatsop County, T. A. McBride, Judge, affirmed opinion of Chief Justice Wolverton. This was a suit to foreclose a mortgage of \$549.50, and the defense was that a portion of the consideration was secured through fraud and that defendant had paid \$163 in excess of what was lawfully due. The lower courts found for plaintiff. On appeal, the Supreme Court finds from the evidence that the mortgage was given in settlement of a difference of opinion as to the amount due, and although it looks very much as though some usurious items may have been included in the settlement, the court is powerless to help the defendant for the reason that he has set up no such defense and that he made the compromise and settlement with full knowledge of the facts.  
 Dr. P. J. Sharp, the experienced dentist is located in Dr. Wise's dental parlors, and is prepared to do nothing but first class work and give the best of satisfaction. If your teeth need fixing call upon him.

Exclusive Agent for  
**New Idea Patterns.**

The most satisfactory and cheapest paper pattern made.

10c. Each.

Exclusive Agent for  
**American Lady Corsets.**

The most hygienic and Perfect Fitting Corset made.

## REMNANT SALE!

A Cleaning Up of Short Lengths of Piece Goods, broken lots of Lace Curtains, Knit Goods, etc. Odd sizes Skirts, Waist, Coats, Jackets, Rain Coats, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Clothing, Underwear, Hosiery, Shirts, Sweaters, etc., that will accumulate during a busy season's selling and always collected when stock taking. If we can fit you and please you we can sell you, **For the Price is ABOUT HALF.**

**WRAPS AT HALF PRICE.**

**FRIDAY & SATURDAY SPECIAL, February 3rd and 4th.**

We will offer, at Just Half Price, all Ladies' and Children's Coats, Jackets and Capes—Every Garment this Season's make.

\$20.00 COATS, JACKETS and CAPES, Friday and Saturday \$10.00  
 \$15.00 COATS, JACKETS and CAPES, Friday and Saturday, \$7.50  
 \$12.50 COATS, JACKETS and CAPES, Friday and Saturday, \$6.25  
 \$10.00 COATS, JACKETS and CAPES, Friday and Saturday, \$5.00  
 \$8.00 COATS, JACKETS and CAPES, Friday and Saturday, \$4.00  
 \$5.00 COATS, JACKETS and CAPES, Friday and Saturday, \$2.50

**Guaranteed WATCHES GIVEN AWAY.**

**Friday and Saturday Special.**

On next Friday and Saturday, February 3rd and 4th, WE WILL GIVE with each Man or Boy's Suit or Overcoat that retails at \$5.00 and up, one WATCH with stem wind and set and guaranteed to be a perfect time piece, or we will replace it with a new one—Remember these watches will be given away next Friday and Saturday only.

**Remnants of Wool and Wash Goods**

**At About One Half Price.**

About 500 REMNANTS of this Season's Best Selling Fabrics, one yard to ten yard lengths placed on Bargain Table at about **One Half Price.** A Golden Opportunity this is to lay in a supply of Shirt Waist and School Dress Patterns.

**Sattine Petticoats in this Remnant Sale.**

About 50 of them. Black and Colored. This Season's Best Styles—Pleated bottoms, double ruffle, etc.

**1/4 One Quarter Off 1/4.**

\$1.00 Petticoats, Sale Price, 75c.

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| 1.50 | " | " | \$1.13 |
| 2.00 | " | " | 1.50   |
| 2.50 | " | " | 1.88   |
| 3.00 | " | " | 2.25   |

**Knit Goods in this Remnant Sale.**

Balance of the Winter Stock of Ice Wool Shawls, Circular Shawls, Hoods, etc., at—

**1/4 One Quarter Off 1/4.**

All Odd Lots of SHOES, HOSIERY and UNDERWEAR sale at **One Fifth to One Half Off.**

**WRAPPERS in the Remnant Sale.**

About 150 in Stock of Flannelette, Percalé, Sattine and Print—Most all have fancy shoulder bretelles, belted waist and 12 inch ruffle at bottom. Sizes 32 to 42.

**\$.75 Wrappers, Remnant Sale Price, \$.39**

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| 1.25 | " | " | .75  |
| 1.50 | " | " | .98  |
| 1.75 | " | " | 1.33 |

**SWEATERS at Remnant Sale Prices.**

All MEN and BOY'S SWEATERS on Sale at

**1/4 ONE QUARTER OFF 1/4**

\$1.00 Sweaters, Sale Price.....\$ .75

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| 2.00 | " | " | 1.50 |
| 2.50 | " | " | 1.88 |
| 3.00 | " | " | 2.25 |

**Our Big Spring Stock will begin to arrive on next boat. A Big Stock of Valentines on Next Steamer.**

# 1-3rd OFF!

Commencing Feb. 2nd and Ending Feb. 11th, 1-3rd Off on the following goods, to make room for NEW SPRING GOODS, which have commenced to arrive.

**LADIES' CRAVENETTE COATS,**  
**LADIES' COATS and WRAPS,**  
**CHILDREN'S COATS,**  
 Ladies' Dress Skirts,  
 Ladies' Walking Skirts,  
 Ladies' Waists.

Children's Caps.  
 All Wool Blankets.  
 All Cotton Blankets.  
 All Wool Quilts.  
 Men's Mackinaws.  
 Ladies' Knit Under-skirts.

Men's long Oil Coats - - \$2.00  
 Men's short Oil Coats - - 90  
 Men's Bib Oil Overalls - - 90  
 Boys Long Rubber Boots - 2.10

McCALL PATTERNS.  
 All Seams Allowed

C. A. PATZLAFF,

THE SMALL STORE

### PROSPECTS LOOK BRIGHTER

**For a Railroad into Tillamook—Another Proposition—A Good One if it is Genuine.**

If all the propositions the last few years to give Tillamook County railroad connection with the outside world had amounted to anything there would now be at least a dozen railroad companies operating between this county and Portland. But, alas, "hot air" and procrastination is all the satisfaction that the citizens have enjoyed from the large amount of railroad gossip. Hardly had the citizens got their second breath, when a few weeks ago the Oregon Traction Company asked rights of way, terminal grounds, water frontage property and a \$200,000 subsidy, than J. E. Simmons, of Portland, comes to Tillamook with a railroad bee buzzing in his bonnet. Like his predecessors he has a "sure thing" railroad project to offer, and as usual, so anxious are the citizens to get a railroad, they naturally bite, for they have been trained that way for a long time, thinking, no doubt, that one of these times they will bite at a genuine proposition. So as to give Mr. Simmons an opportunity to make his proposition, a public meeting was called on Friday, and he stated that the parties he represented belonged to Portland, and that they would build a standard gauge railroad into Tillamook, either from North Yam hill or Forest Grove, and have it in operation 12 months from the date the work was commenced, and extend it to Netarts, provided the citizens would give a 100ft. right of way, terminal grounds and \$35,000 subsidy, and he would place \$5,000 to \$10,000 in one of the banks as a guarantee as soon as the people of this

county were ready to enter into a contract to do their part. Most everybody will admit that this is within the reach of the people of this county if the company will arrange it so that the right of way to be furnished by the people of this county is to the county line. There is a great desire on the part of the people to secure a railroad, and if Mr. Simmons really means business and is sincere in his proposal it will not take long to determine, for Mayor Cohn appointed a committee, composed of B. L. Eddy, T. B. Handley, C. B. Hadley, W. H. Cooper and C. W. Talmage a committee to confer with Mr. Simmons, and a public meeting is called for next Saturday afternoon at the opera house.

### HUSBAND CLAIMS BODY.

**Louis D. Burdick Hears of Death of Wife Who Deserted Him.**

Ella Rogers Vance Burdick is the name of the woman whose body was left at Dunning, McEonree & Gillbough's undertaking parlors, Jan. 9, by F. M. Shearer, and not Ella Shearer, as was first supposed. Louis D. Burdick, of Lebam, Wash., the legitimate husband, was in this city, identified the remains and is now preparing to have them shipped to Lebam, where they will be interred. It is also developed that the unfortunate woman had three children by her first marriage with F. Rogers. These children were taken from her and placed in the Boy's and Girl's Aid Society, Jan. 2, 1902. They are still with that institution.

At that time Mrs. Burdick was married to a man named Vance, who deserted her and is now serving a term in the state penitentiary for burglary. After her desertion, the woman met Bur-

dick and went to Tillamook, Ore., where she was married to him. The couple then moved to Lebam, where they resided apparently happy, until a month ago, when she went to South Bend, Wash., supposedly to visit a physician, as she was in poor health.

Burdick heard nothing of his wife until he received news of her death. He now supposes that she went to South Bend to keep a clandestine meeting with Shearer.

Upon her death Shearer dispatched the body to the undertaking parlors, where he called and made arrangements for the funeral, and upon leaving agreed to be present at the obituary services. Since that time nothing has been heard of him.—Oregonian.

The above named woman was well known in the city when she and Mr. Burdick conducted the Home Restaurant. Mr. Burdick is now grafter in Chandler Bros.' mill and is in the city today. He says Shearer took his wife's personal belongings and has given some of them away, but Mr. Burdick recovered some of them. The remains were buried in Lebam yesterday, Rev. Mixsell conducting the services.—Journal.

B. O. Snuffer, John Latimer and L. B. Ziemer returned to the city this morning, coming in with John McNamer over the Wilson road.

The Russian losses the last few days were about 10,000. Many of the bodies of the killed have not yet been gathered. Lieutenant-General Stakelberg's corps was the heaviest loser. The Japanese losses, according to Chinese reports, were as heavy. The Russians took about 500 prisoners.