



TILLAMOOK JOTTINGS.

The Headlight Office is located in new quarters South of Eugene Jenkins' Jewelry Store.

H. T. Botts, for abstracts. C. Mills for bargains in real estate. Go to Fred Forslund's for Bicycle Sundries. Mrs. M. W. Harrison returned to the city last week.

Octav Vogt has been engaged to teach Beayer school. Albert Plank has gone to Portland to take in the fair. Born, on Thursday, to the wife of M. Alpanalp, a son.

Mrs. Chas. Bester and children left for Seaside on Monday. For sale, full blooded Shropshire bucks. Apply to J. J. Rupp. C. Brown, of Forest Grove, was in the city on Wednesday.

A full line of new guns just received at Mason & Ackley Co.'s. Al. Southmayd and wife were in the city on Tuesday on business. Money to loan on improved farm property.—Apply to F. R. Beals.

Attention, Loggers.—Get your boots and shoes calked by W. E. Page. Emil Hellenbuych and wife left Saturday to make their home in Portland. Wanted, to purchase, a good buggy horse. Apply at the Headlight office. Shoo Fly is guaranteed to keep flies off stock. For sale at Sturgeon's Drug Store.

G. F. Baker, from Kansas, has been engaged to teach the public school at Keebels. Captain Wanzer, Dr. Bailey and E. E. Lyter came in from Portland on Wednesday. Preaching service at Fairview Grange Hall next Sabbath at 2 p.m. by Rev. J. E. Connor. P. F. Browne, who went out on a business trip to Portland, returned on Wednesday. Joseph Blaser's child died on Friday and was buried in the Catholic cemetery on Thursday.

Seemless patching on ladies' shoes a specialty.—W. E. Page. Mrs. Schrader and family left on Saturday to visit the fair, and after doing so Otto Schrader will leave for Corvallis to resume his studies at the Agricultural College. M. Perkins and wife, after two weeks visit here with old friends, left for their home at Ashland on Saturday, their daughter, Miss Flora Perkins, going out on a vacation with them. Homer Mason sold the lot upon which J. S. Lamar moved the saloon building, which is now occupied by the Headlight, for \$225. This looks like giving away city property.

It is reported that Walt J. Smith and J. E. Tuttle, who were indicted by the federal grand jury in connection with the alleged Tillamook land fraud case, will testify in behalf of the government. Three Ranches for Rent. Two are dairy. One will carry 25 cows, other one 40 cows. One is a genuine sheep ranch, with large range adjoining. C. Mills for all kinds of manners and bargains. Nuff said.

Omit the habit of using old fashioned hand mixed lead and oil on your buildings. It is powdery, perishable and behind the age. Let Mason & Ackley Co. tell you why Sherwin-Williams Prepared Paint is better. Boot and Shoe Shop.—Look for the Big Boot Sign at the Second Hand Store. Over 30 years in the boot and shoe manufacturing business. All work done with neatness and dispatch. Come and see.—W. E. Page.

Mr. John Glad, of Rock Creek, Minnesota, has been visiting his two brothers, Erick and Nils O. Glad on Wilson river this week. They have not seen each other for 15 years. He will return to the East the last of the week. Farm for sale, 159 acres, near Sand lake; good house and barn; 40 acres tide land and 30 acres of bottom and meadow land; raise 40 tons of hay and will easily support 25 cows. To be sold cheap if sold at once. Inquire at this office.

George Anderson, the piano tuner, is in the city this week and can be found at the Larson house by those who want their pianos or organs tuned. He is a first class tuner, and his work in previous visits to the county gave general satisfaction. When you buy a gallon of paint insist on a full U.S. standard gallon. Don't trust a paint that is short in quantity; the quality is most likely short as well. Mason & Ackley Co. keeps the Sherwin-Williams kind. Honest goods and honest measure.

Every man owes it to himself and his family to master a trade or profession. Read the display advertisement of the six Morse Schools of Telegraphy, in this issue and learn how easily a young man or lady may learn telegraphy and be assured a position. After a long spell of dry weather a rain and electric storm passed over the county on Monday evening, and a soaking rain on Tuesday, made everybody feel happy. The rain will start the grass to grow and make everything look fresh and green this fall. J. C. Bailey and family left by team on Wednesday for Eastern Oregon where they will probably locate this winter, as he is under the impression that he can do better in that part of the state. But he will be back in Tillamook to locate permanently after a while.

The yacht Lorens went Sunday to the seal rocks, but had only a limited number on board, who, however, brought back a large supply of deep sea fish. A large number of seal lions were shot and several whales were seen disporting in the neighborhood of the rocks. Keeping or secreting money in the house or about the premises in any considerable sum is a dangerous practice, as it invites robbery and crime, and there is always the liability of loss through destruction of the building by fire.—Tillamook County Bank.

Mr. F. S. Whitehouse has been disappointed in getting lumber schooners, for after chartering three vessels while in San Francisco some weeks ago, one of the vessels went ashore and became a total wreck, another was sold, and the third, the Glen, which loaded here, is on her way back to this city. The rain on Monday not only wet down the meadows, but it did also the timber in the mountains, thus allaying all fear of forest fires this year. Although it was a dry summer without the usual showers, as far as we are aware, not a stick of timber was destroyed by fire, only, however, where land was being cleared. Considering that something like 6000 permits have been issued by the county clerk, this shows that the settlers have taken good precautions to prevent the fires getting away from them, but it also shows the energy and labor that is being used to clear up land and improve Tillamook county. The large amount of land cleared up this year will help to maintain more cows next year.

Rev. William J. Sharp, the new Oregon and Washington Field Secretary of the Christian Endeavor Societies will be in Tillamook City one week from next Sunday, when a union meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church. Mr. Sharp is a graduate of Macalester College, St. Paul, Minnesota, and from Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, N. J. His first pastorate was at Kent, Washington, where he was ordained and installed immediately after his graduation. From this field he was called to the isolated and difficult work at Friday Harbor, on San Juan Island, Washington. After months of diligent search by the committee of two States, and after several men had been considered for the work of field secretary, the matter was laid before Mr. Sharp. With reluctance he gave up a work that was prospering under his direction to enter this wider sphere of influence. His duties as field secretary will be to superintend the work of the young people of the various churches identified with the Christian Endeavor Society, to hold rallies, institutes, conferences, etc., and to aid in the various state and district conventions. His work will be broadly undenominational. See our next issue for the meeting in Tillamook City.

Married, on Wednesday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Vaughn, at Bay View, and parents of the groom, Mr. G. O. Vaughn to Miss Rose Smith. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. E. Connor, pastor of the U.B. church in this city, after which the happy couple received the congratulations and best wishes of a large number of relatives and friends who had been invited to the wedding. A splendid dinner was served and a delightful time was enjoyed by all. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. O. Vaughn are well and favorably known in the county, with a large number of friends, who wish them lots of happiness.

The passengers who went out on the steamer Sue H. Elmore on Saturday were Flora Perkins, Mrs. B. Alderman, Mrs. Finlayson, Miss Wilson, Mrs. Reifenberg, J. J. Harrison and wife, Mrs. W. Wood, Mrs. F. Wheeler, S. Shyman, L. W. McDaniel, Herman and Frank Sander, A. M. Hoke, Blake Thompson and wife and child, L. Zurich and wife, Emil Hellenbuych and wife, M. Perkins and wife, L. Buel, Eva Wheeler, Mrs. Curtiss, E. E. Curtiss, Francis Curtiss, G. T. Goldwatte, L. S. Wheeler, J. Melchior, Miss Cupp, Miss Bouliware, Mrs. B. Powell, Frank and Albert Hansenkrat, Mrs. E. I. Hansenkrat, J. Bromwell, Annie Edie. Last Saturday a young man from the surveying crew of the Portland-Nehalem and Tillamook railroad company which has been engaged in surveying near Banks, was in town, and with one of our business men he held the following conversation: "Is there any place here I can hire out for hop picking?" "Yes, there is a sign down this way, and one over yonder," was the reply. "I've been working on the surveying crew of this railroad." "What railroad?" was asked; "the hot air road?" "You may call it what you please but we call it the 'hot air' road," was the rejoinder, and his face was the picture of contempt. He expressed a time check and said "that is what they paid us off with, but now we've got to pick hops to get enough money to get out of the country on."—Washington County News.

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NEHALEM. The cannery commenced work Tuesday and the run of fish is fair. E. R. Steinhauser and his sister, Mrs. Lottie Philips, started for Hood River Thursday, to be gone about two months. Miss Amelia Robinson and sister, of Garibaldi, are visiting friends this week at Nehalem. N. P. Alley is building a new school-house in the Balm district. School commenced in the town district Monday. Miss Sophia Nordhausen, of Aurora, Ore., is the teacher. G. B. Alley is up from Tillamook, doing life insurance business. Prof. G. A. Walker came home from Cloverdale, Monday, where he has been teaching school. Fred Robich came up from Spruce Saturday on business. Mrs. C. C. Clark is in from Seaside to visit her parents. J. B. Pape and wife were in from Cottage Grove visiting Nehalem last week. * * * * *

Hit By Lightning. WOODBURN, Or., Sept. 12.—Two deaths and two prostrations by lightning are reported from an electric storm that raged for 18 hours in this section of the Willamette Valley and came to an end this morning. Rain has been descending ever since. At Champoeg a boy named Eldridge was struck by a bolt as he passed under a tall tree. A man near him, it is said, was knocked down. The latter did not receive the full force of the electric shock but was rendered unconscious for several hours. A rumor from Hubbard says that a woman hoppelike, from Portland, who was standing under a tree to keep out of the rain, was struck by lightning in the morning, and died from the shock this afternoon. The name of the woman could not be learned, nor could the report be verified. At Mount Angel the end of a barn was torn out and a butcher, who had taken shelter in the structure, was knocked senseless. From various parts of the country reports of destruction of barns by lightning have come in. * * * * *

Editorial Snap Shots. After the rain the first part of the week the weather turned to beautiful Indian summer this morning. * * * * *

The railroad situation looks somewhat gloomy, or in about the same condition it did about twenty years ago. * * * * *

In future call the beach between Garibaldi and the Nehalem river, "Tillamook Beach." That is more appropriate than the two names it has now and not so misleading. * * * * *

There are parties looking over the county, not with any promise of building a railroad, but simply to ascertain the actual conditions and to see for themselves where a railroad should be built and whether it would be a paying investment. * * * * *

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