



## THE LATEST REAL ESTATE BARGAINS.

Watch this Space for New Bargains Every week.

No. 64—\$1,800 buys a farm and 10 good Dairy Cows. The farm has 39 acres of creek bottom land, of which there is 20 acres in meadow and the balance is staked off and seeded to grain. The house is a beautiful one and a half story six room cottage, all nicely finished and painted, and cost about \$1,000 to build. The barn is large enough to hold 15 cows, team and hay cart, which cost not less than \$400. On one corner of the place, just one quarter of a mile from the house, is a school house, church and cheese factory. This beautiful little home is located at Pleasant Valley, so named for its beautiful scenery and being sheltered from the winds. Place is on the main county road, eight miles from Tillamook City. The above is a true description and the first party who pays me \$1,000 down can have time on the balance and take possession at once. Remember the 10 cows will yield an income enough to pay for the place in three years. For sale by Ralph Ackley.

No. 63—We have for sale a 75 acre farm just 3/4 miles from Tillamook City; 56 acres of this place is slashed and in grass; 12 acres in meadow. The place is all river bottom land. This little farm has 21 choice dairy cows which go with it. A good team and wagon and harness, one buggy and several other farm implements. The lucky fellow who buys this place can make an income of \$1,500 next year, and by little work the place can be made to keep 50 cows, which will yield an income of \$3,000 annually. The place has a good house and barn and is ready to go onto at any time. Price \$9,000. Sold on easy terms.

## Bargains in Clothing and Clothing and Gents Furnishings at Mason's

Begin the new year right by having your eyes properly fitted.—Dr. Henry Morris.  
The steamer Sae H. Elmore came in on Monday morning, and owing to the fog had to remain outside the previous night with her passengers, who were Mrs. Tittle, Miss Waller, Carl Knudson, Messrs Williams, Marolf, Hasbrough and Wells. She left here on Thursday and went out the same day, here passengers being Mr. Tilden and wife and family, Mrs. Nielson, Mrs. Tillison, W. Williams, Mrs. S. S. Phelps, J. B. McCowell and wife, Mr. Hicklin and wife and Ed. Tomlinson.

Revival meetings at the United Brethren church will commence next Sunday. Rev. Chas. H. Wayne and his daughter Mary are expected here on Monday, and will assist in conducting the revival. There will be watch night meeting, commencing at 7:30. The Christmas entertainment was a grand success. An excellent program was rendered by the members of the Sunday School. Mrs. Dr. I. M. Smith again proved her ability in training the children for the Christmas entertainment. There were 402 presents distributed to the members and friends of the Sunday school. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend all the services.—N. J. Crawford, pastor.

The railroad meeting on Saturday last at the opera house, although not largely attended, got down to business so as to meet the situation. Mayor H. T. Botts, Messrs. Claude Thayer and A. J. Cohn and Engineer Davis went over the situation, which we pointed out in our last issue, and which is simply this, there was not enough money subscribed for rights of way. At one time it was thought that from \$12,000 to \$15,000 would be sufficient, but it is now found that about \$20,000 will be required. Over \$14,000 was subscribed, and as so many persons who will be directly benefited by the advent of a railroad had not subscribed it was decided at the meeting to make another effort to raise the extra \$6,000, as the railroad company had more than lived up to its agreement. Messrs. A. J. Cohn and M. F. Leach have been soliciting subscriptions, and our readers will be glad to hear they are meeting with success, for \$2,000 have been subscribed towards the \$6,000 to be raised, and it is thought that if those who have not subscribed will do the right thing it will not take long to get the balance, for this is a public matter and of vital importance to the county and the property owners.

## Light Mitchell Wagon for Sale.

For sale, a light Mitchell wagon, to be sold for \$35; nearly new.—like Quick, South Prairie.

## For Sale, at a Bargain.

For sale, a good Wagon, Team and Harness, at a bargain.—Address Fred C. Skomp, Tillamook.

## For Sale or Rent.

For sale or rent, 80 acres, about all level, 15 acres cranberry land, 3/4 acres cranberry in bearing. Several acres onion land that will produce 800 bushels annually per acre, 40 acres in pasture and meadow. House, barns and other buildings. Ten cows with place. Close to school and post office. Write or call on M. Sommer, Sandlake, Ore.

## For Dry Goods and Notions go to Homer Mason's at D. T. Edmunds' Old Store.

Don't forget the Masquerade New Year's Eve.

## BREAK FROM COUNTY JAIL.

### The Bank Check Forger Recaptured by the Sheriff.

L. J. Arstell, the bank check forger, made another record for himself on Saturday when he broke out of the County jail, but was promptly recaptured at the point of a gun by Sheriff Crenshaw. When it became known that Arstell had broken out of the new county jail, it caused some surprise, for it was thought that the jail had been so constructed that no prisoner could escape. Not so however, for there was one defective place in the jail, and Arstell soon detected it. In the corridor is a padded cell for insane persons, which has a strong iron door, fastened with a Yale lock. In the padded cell is a transom window, with no bars to prevent a prisoner from escaping out of that into the toilet, and from there into the main hall of the court house.

It is customary for the sheriff to allow prisoners out of their cells during the day into the corridor, so as to enable them to have recreation. While the officials were at dinner on Saturday, Arstell, with an old case knife used for his meals, sawed the hasp of the Yale lock of the padded cell, through about a quarter of an inch of brass, and then wrenched the lock off. Obtaining a chair, he managed to get through the transom into the toilet; thence into the main hall of the court house and out by the south door, taking with him his coat on his arm. Having obtained his liberty, Arstell must have made up his mind to get out of the county across one of the roads over the mountain, for he took to running in that direction. M. Bays passed him and passed the time of day with him, saying you are out then. It so happened that Sheriff Crenshaw was in the neighborhood of the academy, and seeing a man running across the lots, suspicious that he had been up to something and was getting out of town as quickly as possible. The sheriff decided that he would hold him up, anyway, not dreaming that it was his prisoner who had escaped. Crenshaw was at the corner of the academy, and had to run two blocks, while Arstell was coming in the direction of the Handley residence. When within a block and a half of Arstell, the sheriff saw that it was his prisoner who was running. Crenshaw then made the mud fly under his feet, for while Arstell was covering one block the sheriff covered a block and a half. Just as Arstell came to the Handley corner, the sheriff suddenly bobbed up in front of him with a determination on his countenance and a ugly looking gun pointing right into Arstell's face, with a command to stop. Arstell partly obeyed, which did not satisfy the sheriff, who told him if he did not obey he would shoot him dead. As Arstell peered into the barrel of the revolver, which looked to him as big as a bushel basket, he was halted and his break for liberty frustrated. Catching his prisoner by the shoulder, the sheriff took his man back to the county jail and placed in a cell, where he will have to remain until he is sentenced for forging bank checks, nor will he have the privilege of the corridor in the future, for there is now a growing opinion that Arstell is a dangerous man and this is not the first scrape he has been in.

When brought back to the jail, Arstell assumed a sour, ugly mood, and would not eat the meals furnished him, but it seems he soon thought better of this and is now taking his meals regularly, but it is with a spoon now instead of a knife and fork. It is evident that Arstell had planned to escape from the jail by taking one of the sashes of a window cut in the jail. He has told the sheriff that he will never go to the penitentiary.

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

All customers holding SALE SLIPS and expecting to use them on PREMIUMS MUST TURN THEM IN TO THE STORE NOT LATER THAN

### December 31st, 1906.

I intend to give Premiums during the year 1907. But I POSITIVELY cannot allow SALE SLIPS secured this year to apply on next year's business.

Are you going to make a NEW YEAR'S GIFT. If so, buy them at this store. All Left-Overs from 'Xmas. are on SALE at about HALF PRICE.]

Watch the Papers for announcement of the Biggest Money Saving Event at this Store ever recorded in Tillamook County.

We Wish All  
A Happy New Year.

## HALTOM'S DEPT. STORE.

## Ralph Ackley, Real Estate, Tillamook, Ore.

## TILLAMOOK JOTTINGS.

20 per cent Off on Holiday Goods at Homer Mason's.

T. Botts, for abstracts.  
valley apples at McNair's.  
Henry E. Morris, eye specialist.  
These ware for 'Xmas at King & Co.

Villan, the photographer, makes up photographs.  
The Board of County Commissioners meet next Wednesday.

Harris will feed your team hay and them over night for 50c.

That stock of hardware at King & Co. is getting more complete every day.

You can get that Jap-a-lac that you read so much about at King & Co.

Wanted, a few choice timber claims, which will pay good price.—F. R. ...

Into the habit of trading at Patz and receive a 5 per cent discount.

You make any new year resolutions to them. Don't be a quitter or get set.

Leave your horses in the rain you can tie them in Harris' Tie for 10 cts.

Forget to stop at Harris' Feed the cheapest place in the city to buy your team.

Reported that Ben Vantress and Flora Perkins are to be married on New Year's day.

ated Timber Claims.—I will pay for Timber. Don't sell without first see me. Ralph Ackley.

not too late to make a Christmas New Year's present of a pair of shoes.—Dr. Henry Morris.

lumber schooner Coquille River Wednesday with a cargo of lumber from the saw mill at Hobsonville.

ried on Tuesday, by County Judge Goodspeed, in this city. Mr. Hunt and Miss Lottie Johnson.

There will be a meeting of the members and friends of the Presbyterian church after the service on Sunday evening.

is the time for you to get your Christmas presents for those 'Xmas presents which you received.—Dr. Henry Morris.

Bewley, real estate and rentals. Your Timber, Farm and City Property at a reasonable price with me and I will guarantee you satisfaction.

ried on Wednesday evening at the residence of the Christian Church, by Rev. G. F. Zimmerman, the pastor, and Miss M. Thomas and Miss May ...

Dr. Baird was unable to reach Tillamook in time to hold service there on Monday morning, he will preach next Sunday morning, and in this city on the evening.

Special meeting of the school district on Monday, a levy of 7 mills was levied for general school purposes and 1 1/2 mills for the sinking fund. Total 8 1/2 mills were levied.

S. Kelsay, dentist, has offices in the Commercial Building, where he is prepared to do all kinds of first class, up-to-date dental work. Consult Dr. Kelsay about your teeth and he will give you the best of care.

You can get st. Zyng powder now at King & Mills.

G. A. Edmunds expects 1,500 bushels of grey, winter Seed Oats on the next trip of the Elmore. Those having orders placed, please take notice and call as soon as the steamer arrives. Those desiring seed oats will save fully 15 per cent by buying at once from this lot.

The school districts which have levied special taxes are: No. 5, 5 mills; No. 9, 7 mills; No. 13, 5 mills; No. 15, 6 mills; No. 19, 3 mills; No. 23, 1 mill; No. 31, 6 mills; No. 33, 5 mills; No. 37, 7 mills; No. 42, 1 mill; No. 44, 10 mills; No. 46, 3 mills; No. 50, 10 mills; No. 51, 20 mills; No. 53, 7 mills.

New Year sermons at the Christian Church next Lord's Day morning and evening. Subject of the morning sermon: "A New Year's Message." Subject of the evening sermon: "A Young Man's New Year Meditation." Good song service will be arranged and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

A subscription list is being circulated for the purpose of establishing a hospital in this city, the subscriptions to be used for the location, erection or purchase of a hospital building south of the Catholic church, the same to be under supervision of Rev. L. A. Le Miller, the parish priest, the hospital to be given into the charge of an order of experienced hospital sisters of the Catholic church and the same to be operated as a public hospital.

Christmas passed off pleasantly in Tillamook this year with the usual Christmas entertainments. The public school had a pleasant gathering on Friday afternoon, and there was an excellent entertainment at St. Alphonsus academy on Saturday evening, which was well attended. On Christmas eve the usual entertainments took place in the different churches which were well attended. The weather on Christmas day was mild, but showery.

It is about time that a start was made to wipe off the county's indebtedness, and we move that the court levy a 10 mill tax every year until the same is paid off, for there is no sense in allowing the indebtedness to remain for another dozen years. The cause of the indebtedness is that the county court, year after year, has not levied enough tax to cover the expenditures, consequently, for a number of years the county has been getting into debt and no provision made to pay it off. This is as good a time as any to start in to do something and stop the leakage of about \$4,000 that is paid out annually for interest alone, for that amount of money is thrown away every year because the county has been allowed to get so far behind.

## SHOES AND RUBBER GOODS AT MASON'S.

In wishing Our Numerous Customers a Happy New Year, we also thank them for the patronage they have given us the past year.

Commencing on Jan. 2nd, the

## GREAT SACRIFICE SALE

OF

LADIES' DRESS GOODS, Gent.'s Furnishings, Boots and Shoes, Underwear, Hats, etc.

## COHN & CO.,

AGENT FOR YAKIMA BEST FLOUR.

## City Council Meeting.

At a meeting of the city council on Wednesday evening, a levy of 10 mills was made. The bills allowed were:

Thayer & Johnson	\$200 00
Carl Haberlach	25 00
Geo. Lamb	1 65
King & Mills	7 65
E. A. Edwards	44 00
J. C. Gove	22 25

Reports of the Recorder and that of the City Treasurer were submitted and that of Recorder J. C. Holden is as follows, which shows an indebtedness of \$3,297.57 on the general fund, and \$1,851.05 on the road fund, but there is enough to offset the latter from persons owing the city for improvements done by the city. Out of the taxes collected last year \$1,831.65 went to the Water Commission.

## GENERAL FUND.

Bal. on hand January 1st, 1906	\$49 80
Amount received on taxes	400 77
Amount received on licenses and fines	262 50
Total	\$713 07
Amount paid out on Warrants and Interest	547 23
Bal. on hand	\$165 84

## ROAD FUND.

Bal. on hand January 1st, 1906	\$58 59
Amount received on taxes	856 62
Amount received on street assessments	284 90
Total	\$1200 20
Amount paid out on warrants and interest	1151 33
Bal. on hand	\$448 87

## WATER FUND.

Amount received on taxes	\$931 65
Amount paid to Water Commission	931 65

## MEN'S, BOY'S AND CHILDREN'S OVERALLS. Best in the market at Mason's.

## Edmund's Locals.

Fancy Nebraska Sorghum at 55c. per gallon until Jan. 1st only. Bring jugs.  
Best Standard Rolled Barley \$28.50 per ton for a short time only.  
Wheat \$1.50 per ton.  
Dairy butter 40c. per roll.

We carry the best of everything for you to eat that money can buy.  
Red Ribbon Strawberries and Cherries, 3lb. cans at 20c. the can while they last.

If the Flour you are using does not exactly please you, try a sack of our best and your troubles will be over.

We are now cutting August cheese, the best in Tillamook county. It will please.  
The finest assortment of Candy, Nuts and Fruits in the city for Christmas trade—and prices very low.

You can save 5 to 10 per cent on your Groceries, Flour and Feed by trading at G. A. EDMUNDS.  
Our Study is to please the inner man.

## Local Institute.

A Local Institute and School Patrons' Convention is to be held at Beaver, on Saturday January 12, commencing at 10:00 o'clock, the program being as follows:

Reading.  
In the Course of Study, Discussion led by Mrs. M. F. Dunstan.

In White's Art of Teaching, Discussion led by Prof. W. R. Rutherford.  
Arithmetic.

In White's Art of Teaching, Discussion led by Mr. V. B. Goin.  
Afternoon's Program:

"What Apparatus do we need in our Schools?" General Discussion.  
"The Consolidation of Schools in this Community."

W. W. Wiley, County Superintendent.  
W. D. Gladwell, Director, District No. 50.  
R. Y. Blalock, Clerk, District No. 32.

The School Director:  
As a Parent—A. M. Ginn, Clerk of District No. 8.  
As a Citizen—J. J. Howser, District No. 27.  
As a School Officer—C. J. Blanchard, Director, District No. 26.

A general discussion will be had on the subject: "The Changes needed in the School Law."

## Answer to Correspondent.

A. L. D., Fairview.—In answer to your letter, you were wrongly informed that the unfortunate woman, Mrs. William Hicklin, had "been locked up in a criminal's cell in our grand new court house," for she was given into the care of and taken into the home of Mrs. Wilt in this city, where she received the kindest of treatment. As soon as a complaint was filed Sheriff Crenshaw brought her to the county judge's office, where she was declared insane, and from there taken to Mrs. Wilt's. Instead of notifying the officials at the asylum, the sheriff communicated with the woman's friends, with the result that they have taken her out on the steamer to care for her. We may add that while under Mrs. Wilt's care the woman improved every day.

## A Texas Wonder.

There's a Hill at Bowie, Tex., that's twice as big as last year. This wonder is W. L. Hill, who from a weight of 90 pounds has grown to over 180. He says: "I suffered with a terrible cough, and doctors gave me up to die of Consumption. I was reduced to 90 pounds, when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Now, after taking 12 bottles, I have more than doubled in weight and am completely cured. Only sure Cough and Cold cure. Guaranteed by Chas. T. Clough, Druggist. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free."