

BOOTLEGGED HOME MADE VINTAGE.

John Theiler Trapped Selling Wine Made from Evergreen Blackberries.

John Theiler an old resident of this county, living at Pleasant Valley, gained the reputation of being the first boot legger caught in Tillamook County since the prohibition law went into effect on the first of January. It wasn't rot gut whisky made from alcohol, nor was it a less intoxicating beverage known as lager beer, but it was home made vintage with a pronounced "kick" in it and took only a few glasses to prove that it had a large percentage of alcohol in the home product. Every year Mr. Theiler appears to have put up a certain amount of wine, made from what is known as the evergreen blackberry.

Mr. Theiler thought it no crime to sell his home product at 25c. per bottle. But the "kick" in the home vintage is what first caused some suspicion, for it had the effect of making a number of young people feel decided elated and Theiler anticipated doing a thriving business by unloading about \$250.00 worth of this beverage with the "kick" in it.

The tables soon turned when the district attorney's and the sheriff's offices got next. Sheriff Crenshaw was soon on the job, and in almost less time than one can tell it, Theiler's little plan of doing a land office business was smashed into smithereens and Theiler and his large amount of wine hauled to the city. There were five barrels and several demijohns.

Sheriff Crenshaw went out to Theiler's place last Thursday evening simply to rubberneck, and as he reached there he saw a young man come out of Theiler's house. The sheriff put the young man on the sweat box and he owned up that Theiler had sold him a bottle of wine for 25c. Marking a piece of money the sheriff told the young man to go in and get another bottle, and being exceedingly accommodating Theiler produced the bottle of wine and the young man placed the money on the table and departed. The sheriff took the bottle of wine, which was used as evidence against Theiler.

Friday morning the sheriff went out again to the Theiler ranch, armed with a search warrant and a warrant that placed Theiler under arrest as the first person to violate the prohibition law in Tillamook County. With Theiler and the wine piled on an auto truck, the sheriff brought the victim and the goods with a "kick" to the city.

Saturday Theiler pleaded not guilty before Justice Stanley, who set the trial for Monday morning. The court house was well filled at the time, there being considerable interest taken in the case. District Atty. T. H. Goyne was the prosecuting officer, and Attorney S. S. Johnson defended Theiler. The prosecution placed several witnesses on the stand, all of whom conclusively proved that the State had a strong case against Theiler, the testimony of sheriff Crenshaw showing that Theiler had been nicely trapped and that he had certainly violated the prohibition law. There was no doubt on that point in the minds of the large audience.

Court adjourned for noon before District Attorney Goyne had produced all his witnesses, and on reassembling the case soon came to a close. Theiler withdrew his plea of not guilty and pleaded guilty, this being agreed to by the prosecution, provided he would plead guilty to two charges. This Theiler did, and it was fortunate for him that he did so, for had District Attorney Goyne desired, he could have preferred 20 charges against Theiler. One of the worst features in connection with this bootlegging, was the fact that Theiler had sold wine to minors, who had become intoxicated.

The justice took the case under advisement for a few hours before passing sentence, when he fined Theiler \$300.00 and costs and 30 days in jail. Owing to Theiler being somewhat advanced in age he suspended the jail sentence pending good behavior.

It is more than probable that the sheriff will destroy the whole of the wine, which is now stored in the county jail.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the undersigned, was by an order of the County Court, of Tillamook County, Oregon, made on the 25th day of January, 1916, appointed administrator of the estate of Sophia Severance, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned with the proper vouchers thereto properly verified within six months of the date of this notice at the Tillamook County Bank, Tillamook City, Oregon.

Dated this 3rd day of February, 1916.
M. W. Harrison,
Administrator of said estate.

Surprise Party.

Mrs. J. C. Holden surprised Mr. Holden with a rook party at their home last Tuesday evening, the occasion being Mr. Holden's birthday. Honors fell to Dr. Olson.

The hostess had provided a dainty luncheon and all those who were present voted another one of "those good times" and when it was time to go home all joined in wishing Mr. Holden many more like occasions.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Haberlach, Mr. and Mrs. Poorman, Mr. and Mrs. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Burge, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bales, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Alderman, Mr. and Mrs. Crenshaw and Mrs. Haltom.

High School News.

City Supt. of schools Karl Onthank left last Saturday morning for Portland and Eugene to secure an English instructor to take the place left vacant by the resignation of Professor Crockett. Mr. Onthank is planning to return by the Neahkahnie Mountain trail if the trains are not running in a few days. Professor Crockett went out Thursday afternoon by the Southern route-hiking over to Willamina, and from there to Eugene.

Last Friday evening the Sophomore class basketball team of the high school was defeated in a close game with the Freshmen quintet. The final score was 13 to 12 in favor of the Freshmen and such was the excitement that the boys announced it all over the city by loud cheering. This game is one of a series of class games and the ranking at the present time of the classes is Juniors won one game; Seniors won and lost one game; Sophomores won and lost one game; and Freshmen won one and lost two games.

Last Tuesday evening the students and faculty of the high school gave a farewell reception in honor of Prof. P. C. Crockett who is intending to leave this week for Spokane where he has been appointed at the head of the department of Literature in Spokane University. The reception was held in the Guild hall and over 75 were in attendance to enjoy the pleasant time. Games were played until a late hour when dainty refreshments were served. Professor Crockett responded to the farewell gathering by a short talk telling of his appreciation for the spirit of the young people of Tillamook.

On Friday night the basketball teams of Garibaldi will come to Tillamook to meet the girl's and boys high school teams on the local basketball floor at the opera house. Two weeks ago the local school teams sallied down to Garibaldi and the girls lost by a decisive score and the local boys defeated the Garibaldi quintet by a score of 25 to 18. The game was so fast and exciting that it was pronounced the best ever seen near here and a hard fought exciting game is expected here. Garibaldi teams have been adding new players and have been practicing hard for the struggle while the local teams are working out every night. The local teachers and other athletic ladies have been playing against the girls to give them the proper training and the boys have been having some hard work every evening. The Garibaldi teams and supporters will motor from there on Friday.

News has been received by debate coach Crockett of the high school that Astoria and Ranier were the winners in a series of debates through out the lower Columbia River district and that they would meet with Tillamook which won its debate by default, in a triangler contest to decide the championship of the district, on next Saturday evening. According to the schedule Delmar Powers and Clifton Martin composing the negative team will travel to Astoria and Lee Doty and Ernest Crockett will defend the local rostrum against the onslaughts of Ranier's negative team. There are grave doubts whether arrangements will be completed as there will be no communication for some time. If the local boys are successful in both debates then two speakers will be chosen from among the four to represent Tillamook against a team from Eastern Oregon, which is the semi-final contest.

Notice to Mutual Telephone Patrons.

Notice is hereby given, that patrons of the Tillamook County Mutual Telephone Co., are to pay their monthly rentals at the Tillamook County Bank in the future.

United Brethren Church.

Sunday school 10 a.m. Preaching 11 a.m. Y. P. C. E., 6:30 p.m. Evening service, 7:30. Special music both morning and evening.
R. E. Sumerlin, Pastor.

P. J. Worrall Arrested for Bootlegging.

P. J. Worrall, manager of the Hotel Tillamook, was arrested on Thursday, charged with violating the prohibition law. It seems that a number of traveling men were leaving that morning, going out by road, and Worrall allowed one of the men to procure a bottle of liquor.

Christian Church.

Our special Sunday evening service have this far proved a marked success, but we want you to note what's coming next Sunday night. The women will furnish all the specials and we are expecting a hundred of them present. We want you to hear the ladies' choir of 25 voices and also the quartet.

Mrs. Page will sing a solo, and the sermon will be especially prepared for the occasion.

Everybody will be welcomed.

Presbyterian Church Notes.

Although last Sunday was a very stormy day the program for "Join the Church Day" was carried out, and pastor and people were delighted to receive ten new members into the church fellowship all on profession of their personal faith. The special music conducted by Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Koch in the evening service was much appreciated as usual. Many kind words were spoken respecting the pastor's evening discussion of a live subject of the day "The Church and the Lodge" Next Sunday will be a day of good interest. "The Fire from the Hill" will be the subject of the sermon at 11, and in the evening at 7:30 the subject will be "God's Patience Toward the Impenitent." All who are at liberty to attend are cordially and urgently invited to these services.

Women's Civic Improvement Club Meets Friday.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Civic Improvement Club will be held at the Guild Hall Sat. Feb. 5, at 2:30. This club has determined to begin a campaign that will place Tillamook on the map as the "Dahlia City" and to that end the subject of dahlia culture will be discussed at this meeting. Mr. Fred Baker, Mrs. Billings and Mrs. Zaddach of Nehalem, all prize winning growers, will address the club, and will give information which no one interested in dahlias can afford to miss. Every woman in the city, whether a member or not, should take advantage of this opportunity for instruction that will enable them to get the very best results from work in this line.

Frozen to Death.

On Thursday of last week, Dan Gerveas and L. W. Neeley left their homes at Wheeler for a hunt in the hills back of the town. They separated with the agreement that they should meet later. Gerveas, however, did not show up at the appointed time and later a searching party was sent out to look for him. No trace of him could be found until Saturday when his body was found near the jetty frozen stiff. It is thought that he succeeded in getting out of the mountains during the night and wandered towards the beach and died before he could get to safety.

Coroner Wendt went to Wheeler Sunday and made an examination of the body. An inquest was considered unnecessary.

The Community Sing.

The Community Sing given by the Civic Improvement Club at the Guild Hall, last Friday evening was well attended and much enjoyed by all. Everyone entered heartily into the singing of the old songs, led by Miss McKown, music teacher in our public schools.

The McGhee Orchestra, under the directorship of Chester McGhee, rendered two fine selections, which were heartily applauded. Something entirely new were the numbers by the German double quartette. Their two selections were much enjoyed, but not at all understood by the majority of the audience. Mrs. Stranahan read a fine selection from James Whitcomb Riley. The violin selections by Robert Driscoll were well rendered and showed much talent. Mr. Driscoll responded to two encores. He was ably accompanied on the piano by Mr. Leland Erwin. The selections by the male quartette, composed of Messrs. Gaylord, Jones, Claussen and Eberhardt, were both enjoyed.

Mrs. C. J. Edwards, the president of the Club, being absent on account of sickness in her home, Rev. Youel acted as chairman of the meeting.

After the program a good time was enjoyed socially by those wishing to remain.

Piano for Sale.

For sale, a Hollett & Davis piano, in good condition. Inquire of T. P. Johnson, Tillamook, Ore.

DOUBLE GOLD BOND TRADING STAMPS ALL DAY FRIDAY.

Hundreds Continue to Benefit by The Stock Reduction, Clean-Up and Annual White Sales.

The Bargains offered in these three Sales are simply Stupendous and if you have not already taken advantage of them do so now for they cannot be repeated when once the merchandise is sold out.

SALE OF SHOES

For Men, Women, Misses, Boys, Girls and Children.

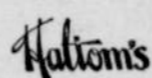
You need reliable footwear this sort of weather so fill your needs now at these saving prices:

- To \$1.75 Children's Shoes for..... 98c.
- To \$2.50 Child's and Misses' Shoes..... \$1.48
- To \$2.50 Boys' Gun Calf Shoes for..... \$1.65
- To \$3.75 Boys' Gun Calf Shoes for..... \$1.95
- To \$3.50 Ladies' Shoes for..... \$2.19
- Special! Men's Dress Shoes per pair..... \$2.20
- Actual \$3.50 Gum Boots per pair..... \$3.15
- Actual \$6.50 Snagproof Gum Boots..... \$4.25
- Actual \$5.00 Snagproof Gum Boots..... \$5.95
- Actual \$7.00 Snagproof Gum Boots..... \$6.15
- Actual \$6.50 12 inch Top Daytons for..... \$5.25
- Actual \$5.75 8 inch Top Daytons for..... \$5.95
- Actual \$6.50 12 inch Top Daytons for..... \$6.65



Announcing an Advance Shipment of **WOOLTEX SUITS AND COATS Received this Week.** Just a few pretty models in advance Spring styles for milady's choosing. Come and see these new models whether you wish to purchase now or not. It will give us pleasure to simply show them to you.

COME AND VIEW THE NEW SPRING DRESS GOODS.



The Store that Sells Munsingwear, 'Wooltex' Suits and Coats for Women, Florsheim Shoes for Men, Hart Schaffner & Marx Good Clothes for Men, Stetson and Mal-lory Hats for Men, Arrow Shirts and Collars, La Porte Woolen Mills Dress Fabrics Nemo & American Lady Corsets, Ladies' Home Journal Patterus.

Sale of Underwear For Men, Women, Misses, Boys and Girls.

A final effort to clean-up the broken lines and odds and ends in Underwear numbers left over from the winter's stocks.

Underwear for Men.

- Actual 50c. Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers for..... 39c.
- Actual \$1.50 Wool Shirts and Drawers..... 98c.
- Actual to \$2.25 Union Suits for..... \$2.00
- Actual to \$3.75 Union Suits for..... \$2.00
- Actual to \$5.00 Union Suits for..... \$3.60

Underwear for Women.

- Actual to \$1.40 values in Pants for.... 29c.
- Actual to \$2.50 values in Pants for.... 69c.
- Actual \$1.25 values in Vests for..... 79c.
- Actual \$1.75 values in Vests for..... 98c.
- Actual \$2.50 values in Vests for..... \$1.59
- Actual 75c. Union Suits for..... 59c.
- Actual \$1.00 Union Suits for..... 83c.
- Actual \$2.00 Union Suits for..... \$1.29
- Actual \$2.75 Union Suits for..... \$1.80
- Actual \$3.75 Union Suits for..... \$2.44

Underwear for Children.

- All Sizes to Fit ages 2 to 16 Years.
- Actual to 50c. Shirts, Pants and Drawers..... 19c.
- Actual to 95c. Wool Shirts, Pants and Drawers for..... 53c.
- Actual \$1.68 Union Suits for..... 98c.

In the BARGAIN SQUARE and Elsewhere SALES OF Laces, Ribbons, Brassieres, Corsets, Undermuslins, Embroideries, Neckwear, Silk Waists, Gloves, Ladies' and Children's Suits, Coats, Dresses and Middies, Men's Hats, Shirts, Suits, Coats, Dress Goods, Kimona Cloths, Also Remnants of Yard-Goods of Every Kind.

COME AND VIEW THE NEW SUMMER WASH GOODS.

THE NEW QUEEN QUALITY SHOES FOR SPRING ARE HERE.

Every woman who appreciates good and stylish footwear knows that the name Queen Quality stands for everything that is excellent in design, make and finish, and these features combined with the style embodied in each model makes them the desired of all shoes for women. Shown in Patent, Vici Kid, Gunmetal, Patent with cloth tops and Gunmetal with cloth tops, these shoes can be had in either Cuban or Louise Cuban heels.

The "Gypsy" is a special Model in Soap Kid. Ask to see it next time you are in the store. It will be shown you gladly.

Prices are from \$3.50 to \$5.00.

SALE OF BEDDING

That Offers Wonderful Savings to Every Housewife in the County.

The savings you can make by purchasing bedding supplies now are both tangible and worth while. Every bedroom need is included in this Sale.

- Actual 79c. Flannelette Blankets for per pair 68c.
- Actual \$1.19 Flannelette Blankets for per pair 98c.
- Actual \$1.25 Flannelette Blankets for per pair \$1.09
- Actual \$1.75 Flannelette Blankets for per pair \$1.59
- Actual \$2.00 Woolnap Blankets for per pair \$1.79
- Actual \$2.50 Woolnap Blankets for per pair \$2.29
- Actual \$1.98 Soft Downy Comforters for.... \$1.75
- Actual \$2.50 Soft Downy Comforters for.... \$2.29
- Actual \$2.75 Soft Downy Comforters for.... \$2.59
- Actual \$2.98 Soft Downy Comforters for.... \$2.75
- Actual \$1.25 Plump Filled Feather Pillows \$1.09
- Actual \$1.50 Plump Filled Feather Pillows \$1.29
- Actual \$1.75 Plump Filled Feather Pillows \$1.59
- Actual \$2.25 Plump Filled Feather Pillows \$1.98
- Actual \$3.00 Plump Filled Feather Pillows \$2.69

Sheets and Pillow Cases at equally generous savings.

Gold Bond Trading Stamps Given With Every Purchase.