

Marathan Lodge Elects Officers

On Monday evening at the regular convention of Marathan Lodge No. 89, K. of P., the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Floyd Erickson, C. C.; Fred Robitsch V. C.; A. H. Gaylord, Prelate; John Ebinger, M. at Arms; E. W. Stanley, K. of R.; Albert Plank, M. of finance; C. A. Johnson, M. of E.; J. A. Richardson, Trustee; Albert Schlappi Inner Guard; H. Norberg, Outer Guard. After the usual business the members were entertained with some good talks on the good of the order. Marathan lodge has made a record in the past, and under the leadership of Mr. Erickson, and his able body of lieutenants he expects to make the Marathan lodge the shining light of Tillamook, a lodge where all its members are welcome, and Mr. Erickson expects the co-operation of every member of the lodge.

At the next regular convention there is some very important business to be discussed, and it will pay every one that has the interest of the lodge at heart to be present.

Cloverdale Hospital.

At a mass meeting on December 4, the citizens of the south end of the county raised part of the necessary funds and the balance of money was assured to provide and equip this much needed institution for that end of the county.

Dr. Shearer was unanimously elected to have full charge, and it will run under his personal supervision.

The doctor was with us for most two years, but owing to his large surgical practice, he was compelled to move his offices to Tillamook, where he could have hospital facilities which left the people here without a doctor, but after considerable persuasion on our part we have succeeded in getting doctor Shearer's consent to return here, which he very gladly consented when the good people, and the doctor's numerous friends, insisted that they would provide a modern institution that he could care for his large surgical and medical practice. We are very fortunate, indeed, in being able to get Dr. Shearer to return to Cloverdale, as he is wide awake and keeps abreast with the advancement of his profession. He not only has a county reputation as a surgeon of ability, but the State of Oregon as well, which assures success, of our modern hospital. We extend an invitation to everyone to come and look it over, to feel at home and be at home.

Building Committee.

County Court Jottings.

In the matter of the J. J. Hudson county road was continued until December 15.

In the matter of the J. B. Dimick county road, the report of the board of viewers was accepted and the supervisor of the road district be notified.

In the matter of taxes for the years 1894 and 1895 on certain property belonging to Matt Moroney, it having been shown that the taxes had been paid, an order to that effect was made.

In the matter of the petition of Ella Himple, for indemnity, the 4th of January was the date set for hearing same; a like order was made to the petition of E. L. Robertson.

In the matter of the petition of Fred Skomp for a county road the same was continued until January 3.

In the matter of the petition of D. L. Jones for a county road, the same was continued until January 3rd.

In the matter of R. H. Coshun for refund of taxes, the same was continued until the January term of court.

In the matter of the claim of B. W. Neilson for indemnity, half of the following claims were continued:

- E. A. Blackburn, for gravel, \$12.30,
- E. A. Blackburn for gravel \$14.90.
- R. H. Baldrick, expenses in case of Tillamook and Yamhill Co., \$48.00.
- Mutual Telephone Co., \$1.20.
- Mallory and Blum, for Little Nestucca bridge, \$135.30.
- Hermine A. Weber, damages \$29.60.
- Fred Burton, damages, \$65.00.

In the matter of a levy for fire patrol for the year 1916, it was ordered that the County Assessor be ordered and instructed to extend upon the assessment rolls a levy of 1 1/2 cents per acre upon all the lands as described in the petition for the purpose of defraying the expenses of fire patrol for such timber lands, as provided in chapter 247 of the laws of Oregon, for the year 1913.

THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

A New Event in the History of Tillamook City.

The Ministerial Association of Tillamook City took the initiative in creating a "Christmas Spirit", and with that object in view it was decided to have a large Christmas tree brilliantly lighted on the street and a program of Christmas carols the Saturday night previous to Christmas.

A meeting of the different committees was held on Tuesday evening at the Commercial Club rooms, when final arrangements were made.

The pupils of the public school and Sunday Schools will sing Christmas carols and assist in the program.

Several towns are making arrangements for events of this character, and it was thought advisable to have one in this city so as to create a Christmas Spirit.

Christian Church.

Bible School 10 a.m. Communion and preaching 11 a.m. Morning theme: "Paul and the Church at Corinth." This is the first of series of Sunday morning expositions on the first epistle of Paul to the Church of Corinth.

Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p.m. Evangelistic service, 7:30 p.m. theme: "The Young Man Who Made the Mistake of his Life."

Hear these sermons and worship with us.

C. C. Curtis, Minister.

NOTICE.

Don't forget to call at my store, when you do your 'Xmas shopping. A few suggestions for 'Xmas gifts.

Dressers, Dining chairs, Rocking chairs, Dining tables, Roll top desks. Over 60 satisfied customers have my ranges.

Various other articles suitable for 'Xmas gifts.

ALLEN PAGE'S STORE

Billiard Tournament.

The billiard tournament which is being staged at the Rialto is causing a good deal of excitement at that popular place of amusement. There are sixteen contestants entered in the tournament in which there are two prizes to be given by the management. Those who have entered the tournament are Harry Kerr, Webb Holmes, Dr. Olson, Otis Chase, W. J. Reichers, J. E. Keldson, Ben Neilson, Allen Page, H. Wells, T. B. Handley, E. E. Koch, Geo. Chaffee, M. F. Leach, Arch Rogers, P. Wells and Bert Johnson.

Rook Party.

Mrs. R. T. Boals and Mrs. J. E. Youel were at home to a number of their friends Tuesday at the home of the latter. The afternoon was pleasantly spent with fancy work and rook, he honors falling to Mrs. J. S. Lamar and Mrs. W. L. Campbell. Decorations appropriate to the Christmas season in a color scheme of green and red were used throughout the rooms. The invited guests were Mesdames Alderman, Amner, F. C. Baker, Bales, Burge, Byers, Campbell, Clough, Conover, Crenshaw, Edwards, Groat, Gruber, Habrlach, Hall, Hadley, Hanssimer, Halom, Erwin Harrison, Hill, J. C. Holden, R. C. Jones, Kirk, Koch, B. D. Amar, J. S. Lamar, Leonard, Miller, LeNair, Olson, Poorman, Reedy, Reichers, Robinson, Robison, Sanders everance, Stephens, Walls, Winslow, V. A. Williams and the Misses McNair and Tinnerstett.

The Store will be Open Every Evening from Monday, December 18th to Saturday, December 23rd, inclusive.

Delineator Special Offer.

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A year's subscription to this popular Fashion Publication would make a most acceptable gift to any of your women friends.

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DESIRABLE qualities and styles in Holiday Handkerchiefs for Ladies. Some are shown in Boxes suitable for Gift Purposes others being boxed and purchasable in any quantity. Don't fail to see this exceptional showing of Gift Handkerchiefs for they are without a doubt the prettiest and most attractive productions we have ever seen.

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Further Reductions on Fur Trimmed, Plush and Fur Fabric Coats for Ladies.

\$25.00 Coats now \$16.65. \$30.00 Coats now \$19.85.

What more desirable gift could a woman receive on Xmas Day than one of these Handsome Coats? Come in and see what a beautiful Style you can buy at a price showing a remarkable reduction.



Just Received A New Shipment of These Famous Silk Stockings, 85c., \$1.00, \$1.25.

Black, White, Pink, Champagne, all sizes. A Gift a woman always appreciate especially if the Stockings bear the name Phoenix. Fancy Colored Silk Hose. Per Pair. \$1.25

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A gold locket with star and crescent in art diamonds costs only \$2.50. Nothing could be prettier than the Merite bracelets and brooches, or more practical than the new Merite cuff links, chains, etc.,

On Display in Our Store

Fashions require new jewelry each season. You can have them without spending much money—if you buy them at our "Little Paris Shop." Our Merite Jewelry display shows you all the new styles as fast as they are created.

- Friendship Bracelets 10c. to \$2.00
 - Pearl Bead Necklaces 50c. to \$1.75
 - Delicate Green Gold Pendants \$1.00 to \$3.50
 - Collar Pin Sets 25c. and 50c.
 - Rings for all 25c. to \$2.25
 - French Enamel Brooches 50c. and up.
 - Bar Pins and Ear Drops 25c. and up.
- Then for Men We Show:**
- Double Pocket Vest Chains 75c. to \$2.00
 - Gold Filled Knives and Cigar Cutters with Chains \$1.50 and up.
 - Link Cuff Buttons 25c. to \$1.75
 - Coat and Belt Chains 50c. to \$1.50
 - Cravat Pins 25c. to \$1.75
 - Tie Clasps 25c. to \$1.75

Practical Gift Suggestions from our Men's Shop.

MEN APPRECIATE something useful for Xmas and the suggestions listed below should help you very considerably in choosing just the right Gift for Him, whether he be Father, Husband, Son, Brother, Friend or Fiance.

When ready to commence your Xmas Shopping, cut out this list and check the items which you think will meet with the recipient's approval.

- Men's Arm Bands in Gift Boxes 25c. to 50c.
- Men's Garters, Silk or Lisle in Gift Boxes 25c. to 50c.
- Men's Flowing-End Silk Ties. All New Patterns 50c. to \$1.50
- Men's Suspenders in Gift Boxes 50c. to \$2.00
- Men's House Slippers, Felt and Leather 98c. to \$2.50
- Men's Phoenix Silk Sox Black and Colors, per pair 55c.
- Men's Pajamas, Self Colors and Fancy \$1.25 to \$2.50
- Men's Combination Leather Sets, Belt, Fob, Bill-Book \$1.50
- Men's Dress and Auto Gloves, Per Pair \$2.00 to \$3.50
- Men's Bath Robes, Seasonable Gifts \$4.50 to \$7.85
- Men's All Wool Sweaters, All Sizes \$5.50 to \$10.00

An Exceptional Showing of Christmas Neckwear, Priced from 35c. to \$1.98.

JUST RECEIVED IN TIME for the Xmas Shopping were these lovely Collars and Collar Sets for Gift Purposes this Holiday Season.

All the new shapes are included in the selection and the many exquisite designs are developed in Voiles, Organdies, Nets, Laces, Felt and Paisley Silks.

See Window and Dept. Displays and make your selections while variety of choice is available.

Most Attractive Showing of Velvet and Leather Gift Handbags, Priced from \$1.38 to \$5.00

INCLUDED in this showing of Gift Handbags there are the very newest Bead and Metallic Lace Trimmed Black Velvet Bags, as well as the popular envelope shapes in leather. Every bag is nicely finished and made of quality that ensures each one being gladly accepted and appreciated.

See them in the Window and Dept. and make a point of choosing yours early.

MEN!

You Will Need New Wearables for the Holidays.

Shop Early.

WHILST we will do our utmost to give the same attention and careful service during the rush of the Holiday Buying we urge you to Shop Early. You will obtain better selections and will have a better opportunity for making your selections as leisurely as you wish.

- Hart Schaffner and Marx Suits \$22.50 to \$27.50
- R. & W. "Ballymede" Highland Hether Overcoats \$18.00 to \$25.00
- Men's Rubberized Fabric Overcoats \$13.50 to \$15.00
- Men's Florsheim Shoes, Button, Blucher and English Lasts \$5.00 to \$6.50
- Men's Monarch and Arrow Shirts \$1.25 to \$3.50
- Men's All Wool Jerseys, Navy, Oxford, Cardinal \$2.95
- Men's Mallory Hats, America's Best \$3.00 to \$4.00



Every Woman in Tillamook County is Invited to Participate in this

Great December Sale of Ladies' Suits, Coats, Dresses, Dress Skirts and Millinery.

Including "Palmer" Suits and Coats, "Wooltex" Suits and the famous "M. & C. Skirts.

SUPERB STYLES, fashionable fabrics and perfect tailoring are the outstanding features of the Women's Fall Wearing Apparel offered in this Great December Sale.

Buy your New Fall Styles NOW at great savings and secure almost a full season's service by so doing. You will never regret grasping the opportunity now afforded you.

- \$25.00 New Fall Suits now \$18.65
- \$35.00 New Fall Suits now \$26.45
- Closing-out Line of Coats \$7.45
- \$15.00 New Fall Coats now \$11.45
- \$25.00 New Fall Coats now \$15.45
- \$20.00 New Silk Dresses now \$14.65
- \$7.00 Kenyon Raincoat now \$3.98
- \$7.25 New Dress Skirts now \$6.29
- \$10.00 New Dress Skirts now \$8.95
- \$15.00 New Dress Skirts now \$13.65
- \$7.50 New Fall Millinery now \$3.83
- \$5.00 New Fall Millinery now \$2.08

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