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Teachers Take Examination.

Sixteen teachers are taking the examination this week as follows:
 Mildred N. Tilden, Manzanita.
 Louise McKimms, Cloverdale.
 Arleen E. Tilden, Garibaldi.
 Mrs. Ella R. Sperry, Beaver.
 Winnie Epplett, Tillamook.
 Sylvia Rowe, Tillamook.
 Mrs. Mabel R. Terry, Tillamook.
 Alice B. McIntyre, Batterson.
 Louise Nagel, Bay City.
 Marie Hathaway, Tillamook.
 Irma Sumerlin, Tillamook.
 Bulah Funk, Tillamook.
 Edith E. Snerv, Tillamook.
 Pearl Graham, Garibaldi.
 Leona Alley, Nehalem.
 Agnes G. Adams, Blaine.

Pupils Give Musical.

The pupils of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Koch gave a musical on Friday evening, there being a goodly number of parents and friends present to hear the young performers, who rendered their pieces real well. Mr. and Mrs. Koch have brought out the musical talents of quite a number of young people, who, under their instruction, promise to become accomplished musicians. Miss Marie Holden showed marked talent and ability. The program was as follows:
 Minuet Beethoven, Lowell Edwards
 Meditation, Kimball, Raymond Ford.
 Two selections, Lerman, Arlen Jones.
 Dolly's Luullaby, Lerman, Eunice Ammer.
 Fairy March, Sheabog, Lillian Groat.
 Barcarolle, Offenbach, James Harrison.
 Rocking Horse, Lerman, Leonard Bates.
 Bed Time, Orth, Kathryn Kirk.
 Mercury Galop, Lerman, Irene Lyster.
 Dolly's Funeral, Tschakowsky, Edna Small.
 Spring, Thots, Schmoel, Edith Chaphe.
 Simple Aveu, Thomi, Bessie Lantz.
 LaPiccola, Leschetitsky, Mrs. Koch.
 Shower of Roses, May, Emma Groat.
 Evening Star, Wagner, Joe Schmal.
 Polka, Engelmann, Mable Harrison.
 Fantasia (Lucia di Lammermoor) Donizetti, Mr. and Mrs. Koch.
 Medoly of Love, Englemann, Marian Robison.
 Consolation, Mendelssohn, Miss Nielson.

Sextet (Lucia di Lammermoor)
 Danzetta, Miss Drew.
 Hark, Hary the Lark, Lizst and Butterfly, Lavallu, Miss Holden.
 Canzonetta, Ambrosia, Lee Doty.
 Good Bye, Tosti, Mr. and Mrs. Koch.
 Fantasic, Mr. and Mrs. Koch.

Archibald Jennings Killed.

The sad news of the death of Archibald Jennings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jennings, of the Kelchis river, reached this city last week, the young man being killed while working in a trench on some public works in Portland on Thursday. It seems that the side of the trench caved in and crushed the body up to the neck. The remains were brought to this city on Sunday, and were taken to the Henkle undertaking parlors, and the funeral was delayed until Wednesday, as the wife and little daughter of the unfortunate young man were on their way home from Kansas where Mrs. Jennings had been visiting. She arrived in the city on Tuesday, the funeral taking place on Wednesday, the funeral services being conducted in the Masonic lodge, Rev. D. L. Shrode preaching the funeral sermon. A delegation of Masons from Bay City lodge attended the funeral. The deceased was 30 years of age and he was a young man greatly respected in the county, and his untimely death is regretted. The bereaved wife and family have the sympathy of a large number of friends.

M. E. Church Notes.

Sunday School at 10 o'clock a.m.
 Morning worship at 11 o'clock.
 Topic of sermon, "Who was, Is, Is to Come."
 Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock.
 Subject of sermon, "The Law of Change."
 The Sunday School will give their Xmas entertainment on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Arrangements have been made to have Santa Claus present. Come and enjoy this occasion and the Sabbath day services with us. Let us all remember in a substantial way those who need our help especially those in our own community.
 A. F. Lacy, Pastor.

ASSOCIATION OF CHARITIES.
 Committee Appointed To Look After Christmas Charity.

A meeting was held Saturday evening at the Commercial Club for the purpose of forming an organization having for its object the association of the different charitable agencies in this city and to consolidate them under one head. Delegates from each of the churches and commercial organizations were present and participated in the proceedings. Rev. J. E. Youel, of the Presbyterian church, gave a short outline of what was intended, after which a temporary organization was formed with Fred C. Baker, of the Commercial Club, as chairman and Mr. Lance secretary.

The chairman appointed Revs. Youel, Clarenbeck and Curtiss a committee on by-laws, and appointed the pastors of the churches and presidents of the other organizations to look after charitable work this Christmas.

Rev. F. Van Clarenbeck of the Catholic church, stated that in charity work they could all get together regardless of sect, and he gave the movement his hearty support. He thought one of the best acts of charity was to find work for those who had families dependent upon them.

Another meeting will be held on Friday evening, Dec. 29, for the purpose of forming a permanent organization.

As a large number of our citizens are disposed to be charitable at this season of the year, especially those who have been blessed during the past year, and want to help those who have been less fortunate, it was decided that they send their Christmas gifts of charity to either of the following persons:

- Rev. J. E. Youel, Presbyterian church.
- Rev. J. F. Lacy, Methodist church.
- Rev. C. C. Curtis, Christian church.
- Rev. F. VanClarenbeck, Catholic church.
- Rev. R. G. Sumerlin, United Brethren church.
- Mrs. C. J. Edwards, Women's Civic Improvement Club.
- Fred C. Baker, Tillamook Commercial Club.

TILLAMOOK MASONS ELECT
 New Officers Chosen by Blue Lodge Chapter and Eastern Star.

Masonic organizations of this city have elected the following officers for the ensuing year:
 In the Royal Arch Chapter, Ray B. Walls, high priest; E. J. Clausen, king; J. W. Jennings, Jr., scribe; C. I. Clough, treasurer; A. H. Gaylord, secretary, A. Pennington, captain of the host.

In the blue lodge, E. J. Clausen, worshipful master; Frank Heyd, senior warden; Frank B. Cardiff, junior warden; I. E. Keldson, treasurer, and A. H. Gaylord, secretary.

In the order of Eastern Star, Mrs. Clara Bools, worthy matron; A. H. Gaylord, worthy patron; Miss Ethel Gaylord, associate matron; Mrs. A. Plank, conductor; Mrs. W. A. Williams, associate conductor; E. J. Clausen, treasurer, and Mrs. W. J. Riechers secretary. Officers will be installed on December 27.

Miss Theresa M. Gaylord, retiring worthy matron, has received appointment as grand delegate of the grand chapter of Ontario, Canada, near the grand chapter of the Eastern Star of Oregon.

LAD DROWNS AT NEHALEM
 George Meacham Disappears While Trapping; Canoe Found.

Wheeler Or., Dec. 15--George Meacham, 19, was drowned in the South Fork of the Nehalem river, between Maples and Batterson, yesterday. A few weeks ago with his brother Frank, and Edward Johnson, opened a camp in a cabin at Maples, having come from their homes at Hillsboro to fish and trap.

Yesterday the victim of the accident and Edward Johnson started to make a tour of their line of traps. Meacham was to look after the traps on the upper side of the river, while Johnson made a trip to Wheeler. They were to meet at a rendezvous where they had a boat, when it was planned they would cross the river together to go over the traps on the lower side. When Johnson returned his partner and the boat were gone. Later the boat was found, but search has failed to reveal the body.

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We discontinue giving Trading Stamps on January 1st, 1917, and we are affording you this final opportunity to fill your books before the closing day.

In addition to this great offer there are Sensational Bargains in every Dept. of the Store--a few only of which are mentioned below:

Pre-Inventory Clean-Up of Women's and Children's Underwear.

Broken lots of Women's Wool and Cotton Pants and Union Suits and Boys' and Girls' Vests, Pants and Drawers in both Wool and Cotton. Not every size in each style garment, but every size in each selection.

To \$2.50 Ladies' Wool Pants now 39c.
To 75c. Ladies' Pants Union Suits now . 19c.
To 45c. Boys' and Girls' Cotton Underwear 19c.
To 93c. Boys' & Girls' Wool Underwear now 29c.

Entire Stock of Ladies' Wearing Apparel on Sale at Tremendously REDUCED PRICES.

Every Lady's Fall Suit and Coat in the Store today is on Sale at a Reduced Price that is positively a sacrifice price. Included in the selections mentioned below, there are the famous "Wooltex" tailored Suits, "Palmer" Suits and Coats as well as a large number of New York Models. See also our splendid offering of the famous "M. & C." Dress Skirts at greatly reduced prices.

- LADIES' FALL SUITS.**
- To \$25.00 New Fall Suits now . . . \$15.85
 - To \$27.50 New Fall Suits now . . . \$18.65
 - To \$35.00 New Fall Suits now . . . \$26.45
- LADIES' FALL COATS.**
- To \$15.00 New Fall Coats now . . . \$9.98
 - To \$25.00 Fur Fabric Coats, etc., now \$15.85

Great Clean-Up of Children's Dresses.

A sacrifice Sale of good wearing, and altogether pleasing styles in Dresses for Girls 2 to 12 years of age.

- To \$2.00 values for 79c.
- To \$2.75 values for \$1.19
- To \$4.75 values for \$1.79

Ladies' Black Sateen Petticoats, \$1.19

For values to \$1.50.

Good quality Sateen, full cut and nicely finished Petticoats in all Sizes.

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Full Size Cotton Blankets, \$1.39

For Actual \$1.75 Values. Blankets in which there is no waste, no shoddy and shown in grey and tan, with colored borders.

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Here are Bargains You Will Appreciate.

This is only a short list of the many desirable lines of Merchandise in our Men's Shop now being offered at savings that are simply astonishing. Come in and look them over--you need some of them, anyhow you will when you realize what the savings really are.

- Men's Rubberized Raincoats, Values to \$9.00 for only . . . \$4.95
- Boys' Rubberized Raincoats, Ages 4 to 16. Values to \$5.00 for only . . . \$2.85
- H. S. and M. Overcoats and Raincoats, 45 and 52 in. long. Values to \$25 for . . . \$14.95

Men's All Wool Goodrich Rubberized Raincoats \$15 Values now \$11.45

Also Black and Brown Mixture Coats in 50 inch lengths.

- Men's Golf Shirts, French and Stiff Cuffs. Values to \$1.50 . . . 89c.
- Men's Striped Bib Overalls, Special at per pair 95c.
- Men's Outing Flannel Shirts, Splendid for Working. Reg. 75c. now . . . 49c.
- Men's Wool Underwear, Values to \$1.50 now 89c.

Haltom's

Entire Stock of Neckwear and Holiday Handkerchiefs on Sale at Sacrifice Prices.

SEASON'S GREETING.

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The Insurance Man.

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 2 1/4 miles South and 1/2 mile west.

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