

Tillamook



Headlight.

TILLAMOOK, OREGON, OCTOBER 23, 1919.

Tillamook Jottings.

Born to the wife of Blaine Hayes, a son.

Born to the wife of N. E. Johnson, a son.

Amba Brown, who has been in the hospital in this city, has recovered and will return to the Yellow Fir Mill.

Out of eleven fire alarms turned in this year it was only necessary to turn water on one building.

After several weeks of beautifully fine weather, rain made its appearance the first of the week.

Owing to several freight cars being off the track, the passenger train was delayed several hours on Monday.

Druggists methods used in chronic diseases of stomach, bowels, liver, diabetes, brights disease, and nervous conditions. Room 4 Masonic, Bldg.

Mrs. Ethel Walls Bailey, expert pedicuring, will take patients by appointment, corns a specialty, evenings, between 7:30 and 8:30 at Boals' hospital, both phones.

A letter has been received from Mrs. D. Billings, who is now in the East with her husband visiting places they have not seen for 50 years. They expect to be home in about two weeks.

There will be a special meeting of the G. A. R. Saturday, October 25, at 2 p.m. for the purpose of electing a commander and performing such other business as may come before the meeting.

On Saturday at the parsonage of the M. E. Church in this city Rev. G. O. Oliver, officiating, John Fox and Miss Mary Elizabeth Craven were united in the bonds of matrimony. Both are well known in the south part of the county.

The latest overseas man to matriculate in the college of liberal arts at the Willamette University is Vern D. Bain, who served with the marines in France for a year's time. Bain at first was a second class pharmacist's mate, but later was assigned to duty with the 13th regiment of marines. He is affiliated with the freshman class, coming from Tillamook, and is one of the late men to report for football.

The city council passed an ordinance Monday evening which provides for numbering the houses of the city, and it is expected that the entire city will be numbered by the end of the year. It is compulsory and persons failing to do so can be fined and imprisoned. Those who want the number of their houses or vacant property can obtain them by applying to the city recorder. The number of the Headlight building is 306 First Street East.

S. R. O'Bryan, who did a bootleg business in the county about a year ago, but Sheriff Campbell being constantly on his trail, he pulled out and went to Colfax, Wash., where he started bootlegging and operated a still. He was arrested but managed to escape, but the Washington officials captured the still. It became known that the man was at Nehalem, and the sheriff arrested him. He was brought to this city and locked up in the county jail. Sheriff McClure came in on Sunday and took the man to Colfax on Monday.

Those who contributed to the recent old clothes drive for Armenia, and those who helped in the shipment of our contribution will be pleased to know that Oregon was the first state in the Union to fill a car with clothing. Also that we shipped two tons additional by local freight. The car was sent in response to the following cablegram, which was forwarded from New York: "Constantinople—Send us immediately a shipment of worn clothing, new garments doubly welcome. No cloth on market, thousands refugees must have warm garments or perish."

On Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Christian M. Dyrland, entertained in formally at tea. The autumn colors, crimson and gold were carried out in the floral decorations, place cards and favors. Covers were laid for fourteen, the guests including Mrs. John Groat, Mrs. Fred C. Baker, Mrs. B. C. Lamb, Mrs. Emmett Bales, Mrs. Joseph Mannix, Mrs. G. E. Carlin, Miss Blanche McNair, Mrs. Lynn Partridge, Mrs. William A. Lewis, Mrs. David Kuratli, Miss Ruth Partridge and Dr. C. Ramsey. Mrs. Dyrland and her mother Mrs. Leslie were assisted in serving by Miss Georgie May Carlin.

Notice.

We the undersigned Boss Barbers of Tillamook City, do hereby agree to close our respective places of business at 7 o'clock p.m. on and after October 26, 1919.

Otis Frisby,
W. M. Heaston,
C. A. Mahan,
Emil Heusser,
S. A. Moulton and Sons.

A SERIOUS SITUATION.

Report Says Present Water Supply is Absolutely Insufficient for Fire Protection.

On Monday evening a meeting of the City Council, Water Commission and a number of business men was held at the council chambers, and in the absence of Mayor Boals, A. H. Harris, who is president of the city council, presided.

The recorder read a lengthy report from Geo. W. Stokes and J. W. Allen, who made a survey of the fire hazards of Tillamook City. The most important part of the report is contained in the statement: "That the present water supply is absolutely insufficient for fire protection purposes," the reason given for this is: "The flow from Killam creek is amply sufficient to supply the city, but owing to the large number of laterals tapping the ten inch iron main outside the town, or to the loss through leakage, the supply is insufficient for domestic and protective purposes."

Notwithstanding "that on account of the uncertainty of the water supply, due to age and deterioration of the mains, as well as the low pressure from the city system," the report recommends "that a Triple Combination Auto pump of 100 gallons capacity be installed at the earliest possible moment."

What is evidently puzzling to a good many persons, the report condemns the water system, on account of the uncertainty of the water supply, yet it recommends the city to purchase a fire engine that will cost \$12,000 to hook onto that kind of water system.

Dangerous Places.

Of 109 places inspected, the fire marshals found these conditions:

42 places where wiring was defective.
21 places where walls and floors were unprotected from stoves.
12 places where gasoline was improperly kept.
20 places ordered metal cans for oily waste and rags.
5 places ordered drip pans for waste oil.
12 places where defective stoves, pipes and flues were found.
12 places where ashes were found in wooden receptacles.
104 places where chimneys were on brackets.
48 places with accumulation of rubbish and trash.
14 places insufficient exits.

Frame Buildings Fire Traps.

Dealing with the frame buildings and the fire traps that are a menace to the city, the report says: "In Tillamook the wooden buildings, as in other smaller cities and towns; invade the mercantile center. A conflagration seldom gets under way in a brick, stone or concrete building, it gets started in a wooden section, and if the wind is right, and the buildings are dry it gains sufficiently in magnitude to burn the brick, stone and concrete sections, also through the unprotected and exposed buildings. Every frame building is a dangerous fire hazard in itself, and, if burning, endangers every building of whatever construction. Most frame buildings possess a special and particular menace, not only to adjacent buildings, but to other frame buildings (also possessing this menace), even when separated by wide open spaces. It will be observed from the lack of fire equipment, and deficient water pressure, the city is practically without fire protection. It must be borne in mind that Tillamook faces a calamity on account of the many frame buildings and their cheap construction. These frame buildings are a source of deadly danger to the people who occupy them. It is a mere favor of good fortune that Tillamook has not paid dearly to the cost of intense suffering and sorrow. Immediate steps should be taken for the better equipment of the Fire Department and this should consist of a triple combination pumper of 100 gallons capacity per minute.

Other Fire Hazards.

The report also deals with other fire hazards, such as lack of proper fire ordinances, removing of rubbish and trash hand burning same on vacant lots, fire hydrants neglected, parking of vehicles within ten feet of fire hydrants, improper storage of gasoline, lack of building laws, electric hazards, cleaning of chimneys, and the accumulation of rubbish.

After some discussion in which it was shown that the present steel pipe is becoming pitted with rust and Rollie W. Watson had enlightened the meeting on several points, a motion was made that the city council and the water commission engage the services of an hydraulic engineer.

The counting room internationalist and the parlor internationalist, as Senator Borah points out, are merely respectable accomplices of the cellar internationalist.

Saving in High Cost of Living.

We offer these bargains in newspapers:

Daily and Sunday Oregonian and Headlight, 1 year \$7.50
Daily Oregonian and Headlight 1 year \$5.50
Weekly Oregonian and Headlight, 1 year \$2.25
Portland Telegram and Headlight, 1 year \$5.45
Headlight and Oregon Farmer 1 year \$2.25

Death of Mrs. L. E. Lucas.

Mrs. Lucinda Elanor Lucas, daughter of Judge S. T. Burch of Rickreall, Ore., died Thursday of last week at the Vidito Hospital in this city at the age of 57 years.

Mrs. Lucas was born in Polk county, Or., November 1, 1861. She was married to Thaddeus Lucas, October 19, 1886, and to this union six children were born, namely: Leslie, Oren and Ralph Lucas, Mrs. Sarah Diehl, Mrs. Mary Mapes and Mrs. Verena Ward, all of whom now live in Tillamook county.

Mrs. Lucas is survived by her husband, six children and five grandchildren, besides a father, four sisters and five brothers living.

The Condemnation Suits

It took five days to try two of the condemnation suits, growing out of the new survey for the state highway at the I. H. Moore place. On Tuesday of last week, the case of Tillamook County vs Elmer D. Hall, Frank Johnson, et al was commenced and it was Thursday before the case was finished. The district attorney, T. H. Goynne was assisted by Attorney Webster Holmes, and Johnson and Handley were the attorneys for the defendants. The case was stubbornly fought by both sides and a large number of persons were present to hear the testimony. The County Court tried to settle and compromise with the defendants in the sum of \$1,010.00, but they contended that that was not sufficient, demanding \$2,650, after which they amended that amount claiming \$500.00 attorney's fees, making \$3,150 in all.

The jury brought in a verdict for \$775.00 for the defendants and allowed \$150.00 attorney's fees. The defendants were greatly disappointed at the small amount the jury allowed and Attorney Johnson & Handley applied for a new trial.

Tillamook County vs. Hope B. Moore and Blanche Moore et al was the second case tried, taking Friday and Saturday to do so. The county offered to settle for \$140.00, but the defendants placed their damages at \$960.00 and \$250.00 attorney's fees. The jury brought in a verdict for the defendants for \$140.00 and \$150 attorney's fees.

Attorneys Johnson & Handley filed a motion for a change of venue in the other condemnation suits, and Judge Bagley took the matter under advisement, as he had to return to Hillsboro.

The Kill Kare Klub.

The Kill Kare Klub met at the home of Mrs. Edwards, who was assisted by Mrs. Franklin.

The study hour was enjoyed and was most helpful. Mrs. H. H. Rosenberg and Mrs. Carl Haberlach being the providers for that particular feature.

The guests were Mrs. Crenshaw and Mrs. Ira Smith, and the Misses Stewart and Schider, a musical selection being given by the latter who is the musical director in the public schools of our city. There was no report given from the Federation as neither delegates attended.

The meeting of the Klub will be with Mrs. Plank and Mrs. Pennington in November and it is hoped the members will all be present.

Wm. S. Hart At the Gem Theatre.

The latest Thos. H. Ince production starring Wm. S. Hart, and released by Artcraft, is "Blue Blazes Rawden" a tale of the Canadian Northwest, which will be exhibited at the Gem Theatre next Tuesday. During the filming of this picture the entire floor space of the art studio was occupied by a massive structure solidly built of rough-hewn logs. The story is laid in the Canadian northwest, and the building represents a combination hotel, gambling house and dance hall that supplied all the requirements of good shelter and amusement for the lumberjacks.

Most of the scenes of the play are enacted under this roof, and there is little of the wild, outdoor life usually associated with Hart pictures. Instead of the familiar cowpunchers there is a motley crowd of lumber-

men and Indians, but it is claimed that even in these unfamiliar surroundings Hart loses not a whit of his effectiveness, and his new setting gains in picturesqueness.

Up Goes the Cost of Living.

Carl Haberlach reports having advanced cheese prices another cent this week, triplets now being 3c. and Young Americas and Longhorns 31c. Tillamook Government reports of cold storage cheese on hand as of October 1st this year show total of 80,955,148 lbs., as against 42,115,674 lbs. last year, or nearly twice as great. For this reason it is thought best to go careful on cheese matters just now. Production in this county is considerable greater than a year ago, and prospects are for a heavy winter and fall make.

Construction of Flour and Feed Mill Progressing Rapidly.

Construction on the new flour and feed mill is moving right along. The building will soon be ready for the machinery and is now being painted.

The people of Tillamook have taken quite an interest in the new enterprise and Mr. Bettcher says, "we hope to become better acquainted with the people of the community and will make an effort to visit personally the dairymen as well as the business men of the county."

"A comfortable office is being built in the mill building and we would be glad to have visitors."

Summary of Assessment Rolls of Tillamook County.

Acres tillable land, 18,300	.....	\$2,877,475
Acres non-tillable land, 158,098	.....	2,279,505
Acres timber land, 413,970	.....	11,420,490
Improvements on deeded land	.....	546,840
City, town and beach lots	.....	34,734
Improvements on town lots	.....	472,760
Improvements on land not deeded	.....	2,200
Steamboats, Sailboats, Stationary Engines and Manufacturing machinery	.....	383,905
Merchandise stock in trade	.....	245,315
Farming implements, etc	.....	54,235
Automobiles	.....	388,880
Hotel and office furniture etc.	.....	28,835
Shares of stock	.....	117,800
Money, notes, accounts	.....	9,100
Logging roads etc.	.....	59,500
Horses and mules, 1,063	.....	61,190
Cows, 10,207	.....	505,840
Cattle, 2,425	.....	58,790
Sheep and goats, 439	.....	2,285
Swine, 1,078	.....	26,635
Total	.....	\$21,328,200

The above does not include the Public Service Corporations which are assessed by the State Tax Commission.

Loyal Legion Makes Nominations.

Tillamook Post No. 47, American Legion, held an enthusiastic meeting at the City Hall in this city Friday evening. About 50 ex-service men were in attendance. The post now has a membership of 100 and it is expected that this will be increased to 200 by November 11.

Permanent officers are to be elected by the Post at its next regular meeting, November 7, and the following nominations were made:

For President—E. J. Claussen, Dr. J. E. Reedy.
For Vice President—Howard Lammar, Dr. Shearer, Leslie Harrison.
For secretary—Leslie Harrison, W. E. Anderson, Russel Hawkins, Jr.
For treasurer—E. L. McCabe, I. E. Keldson.

For executive committee—Victor Learned and E. L. McCabe, of Cloverdale; C. L. Provoost, Cedric Jennings of Bay City; L. E. Kuppenbender, of Nehalem; Dr. Shearer, Emil Heusser, Alexander Crank and Dr. Reedy, of Tillamook.

A resolution thanking the newspapers of the county for the stand they have taken in the matter of German newspapers and for the support given to the American Legion up to this time was unanimously adopted.

A special meeting was called for Friday of this week to take up matters which will be considered at the National Convention to be held in Minneapolis in November. These include questions of compulsory military service, immigration, naturalization, bonuses to service men, opening of land for entrance by soldiers and sailors, etc. It is expected that the sentiment of the American Legion, as expressed throughout the country, will have considerable effect in legislation of the matters in congress.

Those who say that none of Mr. Wilson's fourteen points was incorporated in the peace treaty overlook that one about the freedom of the seas.

TILLAMOOK COUNTY BECOMES A RED CROSS CHAPTER.

Red Cross Officials Visit City and Grant The Charter.

In response to the invitation to attend a meeting on Tuesday evening for the purpose of organizing a Red Cross Chapter for Tillamook County, the citizens did not attend in as large numbers as they should, there being only a few dozen persons present when the meeting was called to order by Fred C. Baker, chairman of the Tillamook Branch.

After the opening remarks by the chairman, who considered that it would be an honor conferred upon Tillamook County to be granted a Chapter of the American Red Cross, Mrs. J. G. Gillingham, of the Portland Chapter, gave the reason why Tillamook County had been recommended to become a chapter. She called upon the treasurer, Chester McGhee, for a statement of the amount of money in his hands which amounted to \$504.01. This, Mrs. Gillingham stated, would become the nucleus of a fund for the new chapter, and that if at any time Tillamook Chapter lacked funds to carry on Red Cross work the Portland Chapter would loan money for that purpose. A report having been circulated that the proceeds from the sale of the Liberty Temple had been given to the Red Cross, Mrs. Gillingham asked the chairman to make a statement in regard to that matter. Mr. Baker said as far as he knew nothing whatever had been turned over to the Red Cross from that source. The question was simply asked so that the new organization would know the exact amount of money on hand. Mrs. Gillingham made a strong plea that the people become just as much interested in Red Cross work in the future as during the war.

D. W. Adams, director of organization and membership of the Western division, whose headquarters are at Seattle, was present. He talked on Red Cross work past and future. He gave a brief recital of what the Red Cross had done during the war, not only in helping our own boys, but in foreign lands. He emphasized the fact that the Red Cross was still under heavy obligations for work started in the war, which would have to be carried on in future in looking after the interest, health and welfare of service men and their wives and families. This is what is now known as the home service work, and although some persons did not think this was necessary, Mr. Adams said there were cases in every county where assistance and help were needed. This brought him to the question of the next membership drive of the Red Cross, which starts November 2 and will be continued until Armistice day, November 11. The money raised in that drive would go toward carrying out Red Cross obligations and work for the future. The money will be divided 50-50 with the chapters, which will enable the latter to carry out their obligations. It was the intention of the Western division to thoroughly organize every community, so that in even of some great calamity the Red Cross would be prepared to meet it.

The chairman and secretary signed the application for the Red Cross Chapter for Tillamook County, and Mr. Adams granted the request.

Mr. Baker, in behalf of the officers of the Tillamook Branch, resigned their offices, which were accepted, with a vote of thanks, as the new organization would require a new set of officers being elected.

The first business was the adoption of the Red Cross by-laws, with an executive board of seven members. Those elected were: Dr. David Robinson, Dr. J. E. Shearer, Rev. G. O. Oliver, Chester McGhee, Prof. L. W. Turnbull, Attorney R. H. McGrath and Fred C. Baker.

As it devolved upon the executive board to elect the new officers, this was proceeded with, as follows:

Chairman—Fred C. Baker.
Vice-Chairman—Rev. G. O. Oliver.
Treasurer—Chester McGhee.
Secretary—R. H. McGrath.

As it will be necessary to make arrangements at once for the membership roll call, the question of manager came up and Fred C. Baker was chosen for that position, and accepted it on the understanding that the executive board conduct the drive as the executive board had done in previous drives.

The chairman and secretary will attend the meeting of the Loyal Legion on Friday evening for the purpose of obtaining that organization's assistance, which is being done in other places.

Mrs. Catlin, of the home service department, was present, but owing to the hour growing late, was not called upon.

In the near future, it is proposed to establish branches of the Red Cross in Tillamook County.

Home Service Work.

Mrs. Catlin, of the Home Service Department of Portland Chapter of the American Red Cross, met with the executive board of the Tillamook

Chapter on Wednesday at the Council Chamber, and urged the importance of home service work in Tillamook county. The chairman was authorized to write to the western division to ascertain what was a reasonable compensation to pay for a home service worker and whether a survey of the county had been made for that work. Rev. G. O. Oliver was made chairman of the home service committee. It was stated that there was plenty of work in Tillamook county to keep a home service worker busy, and the board will endeavor to find a suitable person for that work.

GEM THEATRE PROGRAM

Friday, Oct. 24—"Temptation"—Paramount production, featuring Geraldine Farrar.
"Burton Holmes Travelogue."
Saturday, Oct. 25—"The Uplifters," Metro production, featuring May Allison. A lovely comedy drama.
"Never Touched Me," Harold Lloyd Comedy.
Sunday, Oct. 26—"The Forbidden City" Select picture, featuring Norma Talmage.
Pathe News.
Monday, Oct. 27—"Alias Mike Moran," Paramount production, featuring Wallace Reid.
"Skidding Thrones" Lyons-Moran Comedy.
Tuesday, Oct. 28—"Blue Blazes Rawden", Arteraft production, featuring big Bill Hart. A picture better than "The Narrow Trail" in fact the best Hart has done. Don't miss it.
Pathe News.
Wednesday, Oct. 29—"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," Paramount production, featuring Marguerite Clark.
Bray pictograph.
Thursday, Oct. 30—"Rose of the West", Wm. Fox production, featuring Madeline Travers. A vivid photodrama of the northern wilds. "Harold Last of the Saxons" two reel comedy.

"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" Affords Paramount Star Captivating Role.

Marguerite Clark, the popular little Paramount star who recently became the wife of Capt. H. P. Williams, after spending her honeymoon in Washington, completed her new Paramount picture, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," which will be shown at the Gem Theatre next Wednesday. In this famous subject Miss Clark plays the part of Lovey Mary, that immortal character which is familiar to every child as well as to grown ups.

"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" was staged under the direction of Hugh Ford, who produced the play in London as well as in New York. The cast presents one of the most notable aggregations of popular Paramount and Arteraft players ever disclosed in a film.

Choice Holstein Bulls For Sale.

I have a few choice registered Holstein bulls I am offering for sale for a price much less than the same breeding can be procured elsewhere. The dams of these bulls are all good individuals and good producers; one of them Lady Aagie Ormsby of Rock won the milking contest at the recent County Fair. The sire are Maplecrest and King Segis breeding. These animals are here at home where you can inspect them; we invite the fullest investigation; come at milking time and bring your scales and Babcock tester.

F. R. Beals.

Madlaine Travers in "Rose of the West."

A play which, it is said thrills with vital human interest will be shown at the Gem Theatre next Thursday, with Madlaine Travers as the star. It is called "Rose of the West" and is described as a vivid photoplay of the northern wilds. The scenes are laid in a country that is visited only occasionally by Indians and the patrol of the Northwest mounted police.

The story is that of a brave woman who fights against the plan of her brutal husband to sell their daughter for a gold field he has secretly discovered. At one point the husband, absent for several years, is supposed to be dead, and Miss Travers, as Rose Labelle, is about to marry the head of the mounted police, when her husband reappears. The situations are described as intensely dramatic and full of suspense.

NOTICE.

No Hunting or Trapping Allowed.

This is to give notice that no hunting or trapping will be allowed on our farms or land east of Tillamook City. Persons who do so will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

H. F. Goodspeed,
F. M. Trout.