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TWO DOLLARS PER YEAR

\$2,000 RAISED FOR ASTORIA SUFFERERS

RELIEF WORKERS MEET WITH HEARTY RESPONSE — TILLAMOOK COUNTY CREAMERY ASSOCIATION SUBSCRIBES FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

Notwithstanding so many drives for money at this season of the year, the people of this city and county did not overlook the dire calamity that befell Astoria when the business part of that city was wiped out by fire, for it took but a short time to raise \$2,000. When a number of business men met at the offices of the Tillamook County Creamery Association this was thought about the amount of money that should be raised, when a committee composed of H. H. Rosenberg, Fred C. Baker and Rollie W. Watson, was appointed to manage the drive. The city was divided up into four sections, and a committee appointed for each.

First section—Rollie W. Watson, C. I. Clough and M. D. Ackley.
Second section—A. F. Beltz and W. J. Riechers.
Third section—R. B. Miller, H. H. Rosenberg, and Fred C. Baker.
Fourth section—B. C. Lamb and W. H. Nichols.

What swelled the subscription list considerably was a check from the Tillamook County Creamery Association of \$500.00, and five subscriptions of \$100.00 each from the First National Bank, Tillamook County Bank, A. F. Coats Lumber Co., Coast Power Company and B. C. Lamb.

When the committees had raised the \$2,000, Mayor Moulton was informed, who wired the Astoria relief committee that the money would be forwarded immediately.

CHRISTMAS CHEER FOR ALL

Christmas cheer will find a place in every home in the community this year according to the plans of the ministerial association. Donations have been made by the Moose Lodge, Masons, Oddfellows, Ku Klux Klan, Boy Scouts and all Protestant churches of the city, to a fund which has been turned over to the ministerial association for the purchase of gifts and Christmas dinners for the more unfortunate people in the city. The Boy Scouts will have charge of the distribution of the packages.

HARBOR CLUB

The Harbor Club was entertained by Mrs. Frank and Mrs. L. W. Thurston at the home of Mrs. French. Each member brought a small Christmas package which was placed on a beautifully decorated tree and later exchanged. Christmas decorations were carried out and a delicious two-course luncheon was served by Mrs. Thurston. Those present were Mrs. M. C. Allen, Mrs. Colman, Edgard Krogstad, Welborn, Geo. Hoskins, Buckle, Geo. Vossler, Alva, Wilk, Frank, and Thomas Wray Stuart and the hostess.

A number of friends of John A. Carroll surprised him at his home last Friday, gathering together to wish him success in his new position. The evening was spent in "sing" and music. The guests presented Mr. Carroll with a very beautiful traveling bag. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Kurath, Coe, French, Barick, Nichols, Turner, Spitzmeier, Carroll, and Mrs. Eastman.

The Friday club met at the home of Mrs. Small, with Mrs. Pollock presiding. The rooms were decorated in holiday season. The centerpiece was a small Christmas tree. Mrs. Disney won first prize at bridge and Mrs. French consolation. Mrs. Temple was the guest of the afternoon.

Fred C. Baker, who for the past two years has devoted his time to the Chamber of Commerce, handed in his resignation as president and a member of the executive committee.

After a week of cold weather, with a blanket of snow covering the ground, Sunday brought a change in the atmosphere, with rain. The wind went to the south and on Monday morning the snow had disappeared.

Miss Saragette Bellinger, a popular high school student of Holly wood,

NEW SCHOOL CENSUS FOR TILLAMOOK ANNOUNCED

Large Increase is Noted in the Enrollment at the High School

County School Superintendent G. B. Lamb has compiled the census reports of the various school districts for the school census which was taken October 25, 1922, and which shows the total number of children of school age in the county to be 3024.

Rather an unusual condition exists with this year's reports, as they show exactly the same number of boys of school age as girls, being 1512 of each. The last five years the school population has been steadily increasing. The figures are as follows:

1918 census 3441, 1919 census 2361, 1920 census 2774, 1921 census 2792, 1922 census 3024.

It will be seen that the increase in five years has been about 24 per cent. The increase has been steady each year with the exception of 1919, which shows a slight decrease over that of 1916. The high school enrollment for the year ending June 1918, was 191. The high school enrollment for the year ending 1922 was 316. The per cent increase in high school enrollment is approximately 65 per cent more than in 1918, while the school population of the county has increased but 24 per cent. This shows the desire of young people and their parents for high school education.

NEHALEM NOTES

Elmer C. Storm and family who lost their house and contents by fire a few weeks ago, and later sold their lots to M. L. White, decided to visit their old home in the east. They left Nehalem last Wednesday for Tennessee, intending to go by way of San Francisco and New Orleans.

The Nehalem telephone and telegraph company are preparing to extend their lines along the railroad to include the small stations and camps as far as Knudson and Lynnrock. The work will be completed as fast as the weather will permit.

Mrs. Bert Gresham who was operated upon recently at a Portland hospital is reported as recovering rapidly and will soon return home.

A community Christmas tree will be held at the K. of P. hall, December 23d. Cost of the same is met by popular subscription.

R. F. Zachman just completed putting up two steel fire escapes on the Nehalem hotel last week. Fortunately no one needed to use them during the five Fridays, though some of the amount of smoke which poured from the rear windows, it looked as though the building was doomed.

A third dividend was received from the Nehalem Valley Bank last week on savings accounts only. The commercial accounts are still in wait.

Mrs. William Smith of Manzanita who recently underwent an operation in a Portland hospital for the removal of a tumor, is expected here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Haybarker have joined the radio family, having recently had a receiving outfit installed in their home.

An alarm of fire Friday morning awoke our citizens when it was discovered that the Nehalem hotel was on fire. The blaze, which started from an overloaded stove was confined to one or two rooms on the third floor. The prompt action of the proprietor, Henry Tohl, with some chemical extinguishers soon had the fire out. The local fire company responded to the alarm on second time and had a stream of water to the building just as Mr. Tohl announced that the fire was out. The loss to the building was about \$225.00 covered by insurance. The tenants of the apartment, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blanchard, were not so fortunate as they had no insurance and lost most of their clothing and furniture.

On December 16, County Clerk Brinham issued a marriage license to Thurston D. Smith and Doris M. Coote, of Tillamook, and on December 19, a license to Wilfred R. Howell and Alice Steele, also of Tillamook.

Jack Reuter and W. D. Fine, county agents, were in Nehalem yesterday, looking into tide land conditions, where the former gentleman has interests in the dyking project.

This week's issue was gotten up by three people on very short notice and as a result Headlight readers will no doubt note some

TILLAMOOK POST OFFICE BUSY PLACE

HOLIDAY RUSH NOW ON IN FULL FORCE. — OUTGOING MAIL HEAVIEST IN HISTORY OF LOCAL OFFICE — RUSH WILL CONTINUE SEVERAL DAYS.

Postmaster W. C. Fister and his efficient working force have felt the impetus given Uncle Sam's business in Tillamook by the advent of the holiday season. Mr. Fister said to a Headlight representative yesterday: "As near as we can estimate the holiday business will run about one-third heavier than in any previous like season during my seven year's incumbency and perhaps heavier than in any during the history of the postoffice.

"The only way we can judge of the run at present, however, is by the volume of insured outgoing parcels. Last Tuesday the number reached 350, Wednesday 310, and on Thursday we dispatched 75 No. 1 large size sacks of mail. The incoming mail will, of course, show no appreciable increase until about tomorrow, Saturday, increasing until after January 1.

"Our regular force comprises three clerks and we have added one helper for the rush work.

"I take pleasure in acknowledging the fact that the general public has been unusually considerate this year by not only sending their packages early, but a swell for the neatness with which they have been prepared."

"The postoffice is giving Tillamook a good holiday service and at the same time carrying out the prudent idea of expense curtailment wherever practicable.

LAST WEEK IS LEADER IN INDUSTRIAL MISHAPS

Seven accidents marred the week just past, most of them being in the industrial class.

Albert Martin suffered a broken collar bone while working at the "Whitney camp on Killech river. Mrs. Brandine received a badly crushed foot while employed at the Coats camp Friday. William Daugherty, also of the Coats camp, was hit over the eye by a flying cable and a gash cut in his scalp. The health of the Whitney camp broke a bone in his foot the first day of the month for which it was necessary to have medical attention last week. Ernest Gray, who has been employed at the Wampler box factory south of this city, stepped backward into a saw yesterday and cut his foot, almost severing the tendon. A man by the name of "Carr" received an injury to his head while cutting wood on Veterans Monday. Perry Kirby, one of a hunting party near Nehalem, received the charge of a shotgun in his leg when he slipped while stepping a log Tuesday.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The purchase of a new piano was made possible by the donation of the money realized last year from the Senior play and the grade school operetta. This piano is for the high school assembly hall and is now on trial. The piano is a very small one weighing only 390 pounds. However the strings are arranged so as to give as much volume as a larger piano. Those who have used it say it is a fine one with an exceptionally good tone. Two pianos will help matters a great deal as this will do away with the present inconvenience of moving the piano back and forth from the gym to the school house.

The parent-teachers' association will furnish materials to be made into candy by the high school domestic science classes, under the direction of Miss Ryder. This candy will be sold at the next meeting of this organization and the proceeds will be given to the high school annual fund. The staff will welcome this assistance very much as about one hundred dollars is still needed to finish paying for the annual. The parent-teachers' association is a for the interests of the school and constructive organization working for the interest of each individual pupil. They are planning on helping the high school secure a phonograph in the future and rumor has it that they are going to give the high school their support in getting a radio receiving set.

The annual sale of Red Cross seals is being sponsored by the History classes. The general manager for the student body is Wanda Halton. The chairman for the different classes are: American History, Alfred Gabriel, Civics class, Beatrice Sheldon, Medieval History, Catherine Smith, Roman History, Olga Tucker, Greek History (6th period) Evelyn Glad, Greek History, (7th period) Beryl Turner.

The minute men for the sale of the stamps are: Paul Powers, Victor Matthews, Trevor Hare, Marlon Lamb, Alfred Coats and Richard Cone. This sale is under general direction of Miss Barry and Mrs. Hansen.

Last Thursday the H. S. was dismissed after the first period in the afternoon and everybody went out to Perkins' hill. The time thus spent will be made up this week by lengthening the periods in the afternoon from forty-five minutes to one hour. In this way an enjoyable time was spent by all with no time lost. Snow is such an uncommon occurrence in this country that the unexpected was a welcome to the students.

A Christmas program has been arranged for Friday afternoon, December 22. The first part of the program will consist of Christmas carols and other musical numbers by the school. At the close of the program the students will exchange like presents. Albert Yerck will officiate for Santa Claus.

The Dawson Logging company is near the county in the north end. They have secured permission from the State highway commission to construct a pole road. The logs from Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Affolter of Newbloom were in town Wednesday shopping for Christmas.

MANY SUITS FILED IN CIRCUIT COURT

MANY LITIGANTS WILL HAVE THEIR DIFFERENCES ADJUSTED AT NEXT TERM OF COURT — MAJORITY ARE SUITS TO RECOVER MONEY.

State Industrial Accident Commission vs. Hiner Foundry and Machine company, is a suit to recover \$273.76 under the workmen's compensation act.

Jesse Davis vs. Harriet Davis is a divorce suit filed in the Circuit court the parties being married at Dallas, Oregon, in September, 1918. Four children have been born to the union. Plaintiff alleges that his wife willfully and without cause deserted and abandoned plaintiff and to the best of plaintiff's knowledge is now living in Canada. Plaintiff asks the court to give the custody of the children.

Lottie E. Glad vs. Edward Eric Glad is a divorce suit filed in the Circuit court. These parties were married on August 30, 1921, in Tillamook county, and plaintiff alleges that the defendant failed and neglected to support her. She also charges cruel and inhuman treatment. No children were born to the union. Mrs. Glad's maiden name was Lottie E. Orth.

Lippman, Wolfe & Co. filed suit in the circuit court against E. H. Elliott to recover \$211.43.

Tillamook City filed suit against the Hiner Foundry for several sums of money.

Anton Shultson and wife vs. J. F. Auer, et al, is a suit filed in the circuit court to recover \$6500 principal and interest on a promissory note.

J. A. Deako and R. B. Stiger vs. G. T. Bailey and wife is a suit filed in the circuit court to recover \$150 on a promissory note.

A notice of appeal in the matter of the claim of Clarence B. Nelson for compensation on account of injuries received on the 4th of July, 1922, while in the employ of the Belding Lumber Co., was filed in the circuit court.

JOINT CELEBRATION

Wednesday evening at Odd Fellows hall the Rubelkans and Odd Fellows held a joint celebration and Christmas tree when a delightful program was presented by the children. A feature of the occasion was the introduction of a Junior Santa Claus. While Santa Claus arrived a little ahead of schedule time, the joy among the young folks was none the less pronounced. A large crowd was present to receive the gifts and Christmas treat, distributed by Santa and the event will be a bright spot in the memory of all who attended. The affair was under the direction of Mr. Hubert Odell, Mrs. Ruby Angus and Mrs. G. H. Ward.

THE OREGON COAST FOR SCENIC BEAUTY

Advantages To Be Gained By Early Completion Of The Roosevelt Highway

Lee M. Travis, of Eugene, Oregon, writing from San Diego, California, sees the great advantages to be gained for Oregon by the early completion of the Roosevelt highway. He says: "The advantages of an early completion of the Roosevelt highway through Oregon has recently been impressed upon me.

"Yesterday I took an auto ride up along the coast past La Jolla, the home of artists and rich men, famed as the most beautiful part of the coast between San Francisco and San Diego, because here the red, barren dirt hills, coming down to the ocean are a little higher than elsewhere, and one can see the waves splash, but not in any way comparable to the rocky, verdant, wild Oregon coast.

"Neah-Kah-Nie or Shore Acres Shore Acres down here would be the mecca of tourists as one of the wonders of the world, and as soon as the Roosevelt highway is completed California tourists, they all have cars, will swarm your coast line and become Oregon boosters, because California has nothing to compare with Oregon for coast beauty, at least south of San Francisco.

"Oregon scenery will become as celebrated as Tillamook cheese.

"I asked a groverman here today why he returned Tillamook cheese, instead of the California product. He gave two reasons: 1st, That's what the people ask for, and 2d, We have no 'come-backs,' its standard and always the same."

Mr. Travis is of the opinion that no dinner is complete without Tillamook cheese on the menu, and to get some age on the cheese orders a case at a time for his family.

SHAKESPEARE CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Edwards entertained the members of the Shakespeare club and their husbands at their new home in the east part of the city, which is one of the most modern, up-to-date residences in the city. The visitors were delighted with the artistic arrangements of the new home. The evening's amusements were also enjoyed, and especially the vocal and instrumental features by Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Koch. Mrs. Edwards proved herself a splendid hostess in providing a most elaborate and dainty lunch, which all the guests highly appreciated.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Dought, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Koch, Mr. and Mrs. Woodier Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crenshaw, Dr. and Mrs. David Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bishers, Mrs. E. T. Halton and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Baker. Owing to sickness Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lamb and Mr. and Mrs. John Grant were unable to be present.

SMITH-WOOLFE WEDDING

One of the greatest weddings of the season occurred last Saturday at the home of Henry Wolfe at 2 p. m. when his daughter Doris was married to Thurston D. Smith. The impressive ceremony was used by Rev. A. A. McEwen of the Presbyterian church. At the marriage ceremony all the guests and relatives sat down to a sumptuous wedding dinner, where turkey and all the accessories were served. The happy couple left immediately for Portland and on their return will live at the Plasker apartments. They have the best wishes of everybody.

State Supt. J. A. Churchill has called a conference of county school superintendents to meet at Salem for a few days beginning December 29.

Sandlake school, Mrs. Brode, teacher, will furnish the program for the large community Christmas tree at the grange hall, Saturday night.

The Headlight extends Christmas Greetings to all the people of Tillamook county, with the hope that everybody will be happy this Christmas.

E. F. Lyster, who has been a subscriber of the Headlight since it was first issued in 1888, was in the city on Monday and renewed his subscription to March, 1924.

Charles Fox, a prominent Cloverdale lawyer, was in town Thursday and renewed his pleasant relations with the Headlight for another

STATE ARMORY SITE ELECTION CARRIES

TILLAMOOK CITIZENS CAST ALMOST UNANIMOUS VOTE IN FAVOR OF PROPOSAL. — GETTING AMOUNT SET ASIDE FOR COMPANY K, NEXT MOVE.

The election held last Monday for the purpose of voting to donate to the general staff of the National Guard, all of block one, Maple Grove Addition, contingent upon the erection of an armory building, resulted in 98 votes for and 4 against the proposition. The property in question has a value of approximately \$10,000, it is stated.

The state has already appropriated \$20,000 for Company K, which was supposed to go to Independence, but as Independence failed to get the quota necessary for organization, Company K was organized in Tillamook. Representative Watson expects to use his influence, in the coming session of the state legislature to secure this fund for Tillamook. Tillamook county has been authorized, under an enactment of the legislature, to appropriate a sum of money for memorial uses of the American Legion, and \$5,000 has already been set aside for this purpose. It is hoped the county will appropriate an additional \$5000, and these aggregate sums are expected to build the armory.

Thus it will be seen that the erection of the proposed new building will entail neither a bond issue or an increase of taxation.

The overwhelming vote favoring the donation of the property above mentioned, indicates very clearly the attitude Tillamook citizens hold toward the consummation of this purpose, and indicates a looking-forward spirit that is good to contemplate.

CHEAP MONEY OFFERED

Two millions of dollars will be loaned the dairymen and farmers of the Tillamook region at 6 per cent interest on a 33 year basis by the Oregon Washington Joint Stock Land Bank of Portland, which is affiliated with the Lumbermen's Trust company bank according to announcement just made by Robert E. Smith, president of the two institutions. The Oregon Washington Joint Stock Land Bank is the first bank of its kind to be established in Oregon, and already has received applications for more than \$10,000,000 of loans. Several millions of loans have been approved.

"We have just completed a survey which shows us that Tillamook needs considerable money to fully develop her growing dairy industry," said President Smith, "and we have ample funds to assist in the work of bringing the industry into stable and profitable channels.

"If farmers banks have been working at a big disadvantage because regulations are such that the banks cannot give his farmer customers all the service which he knows they deserve and which he would like to extend. Now however, in addition law has made possible the creation of joint stock land banks, and this is opening to agriculture the vast reservoirs of surplus wealth which has been reserved for industry and mercantile loans. As a result agriculturalists now can secure 6 per cent money with 33 years to repay it in and is no longer forced to assume high interest bearing short time mortgages and to submit to 'commissions and bonuses' in making such loans.

"In securing loans in the Tillamook region, we will cooperate with the dairymen who want loans to go to their local banker and secure application blanks which the banks have on hand."

C. W. Spiering and Edward Praki, both of Portland, returned Wednesday from Dayton where they had been for five days on a hunting trip. They were the killed the limit in quail and geese. Mr. Spiering was in charge of Camp Four for the Brighton company.

A 10 per cent dividend is to be paid the creditors in the savings department of the Nehalem Valley bank, according to the Register at Wheeler. There are no funds available at this time for a dividend to the commercial department. Liquidation is moving along very rapidly.

