# TILLAMOOK FIRE DEPT. HAS FINE RECORD FOR YEAR

YLY FOURTEEN BONAFIDE FIRE ALARMS RECORDED IN

PAST YEAR

WILL COMPARE FAVORABLY WITH ANY IN STATE

In the ceaseless quest for news this ek, a Headlight reporter strayed the office of Fire Chief Coatsst plain Thomas Coates"-as he as it himself, putting us at our at once by the effectual elimtion of all formality, while he ked freely and gave us some insting and illuminating figures ative to the department's actividuring the year now drawing to

The Chief stated that there had only fourteen bonafide alarms ded during the year, and the egate damage to city property fire would not exceed \$8,000. he two fires of any real con ence," said Mr. Coats, "were of the McGhee apartments and Odd Fellows building. During nonths of January, September

d the corner at Liberty Temew, and at the Sunset Garage arm. This record was taken

way or another by grownups want to congratulate the boys irls on this commendable re-

ef Coats thinks Tillamook has and speaks enthusiastically interest displayed by the men fire station who keep things excellent shape. He states at no time has it been necssary ait on the men, as they are already for duty. Mr. Coats also sed his gratification at the spirit of cooperation disby the city council in supplyiny equipment necessary for ning and perfecting the dent's usefulness.

us darws to a close a successful or Tillamook's fire organizahile the new year witnesses a of cooperation and civic pride important nuxiliary that security by day and night.

#### VER MAN IS NEMESIS OF THE BOB CAT TRIBE

t Aufdermauer, of Beaver, three bob cat hides to Counrk Brimhall Wednesday and ed the bounty of \$2.00 each. arket value of bob cat pelts is m \$2.00 to \$3.00 each. Althe "champeen" bob cat of this section, 32 being to his prowess last year. He wever, that he has the cats leaned out in his section and devoting his time to racto be made from them, any-

#### TY BASTILE VISITED BY CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

Epplett, county jailer, states prisoner's in the county re kindly remembered at is by the ladies of the Nazhurch, each of the five priselving a bible and some ngs to eat. This thoughtfulthe part of the church was appreciated by the men.

Pauline McElvaine is in town ek having come in for the of Miss Beatrice Gaylord. Sivaine has many friends in as she taught in the high re a few years ago.

her, J. P. Worrall.

# Christmas Bells and Wedding Bells Mingle

ristmas night at the home of A. edding was a culmination of llege romance. The bride is on and a member of Pi Beta Phi. he groom is the son of A. B. Merch, vice president of the First Naonal bank of Medford, Oregon, and also a graduate of the University Oregon and a member of Delta

The bride, attended by her sister irs. R. G. Quickenden of Portland, was charming in a gown of orchid eorgette, and carried a shower ouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley. Mrs. Quickenden's own was of chiffon over taffeta. Mr. Quickenden attended the groom. A solo, "Because," by Nell M. Gaylord, sister of the bride, preceded the ceremony. A reception followed for the family and guests, a few immediate friends of the bride.

The couple expect to make their future home in Medford where Mr. Merrick is in business.

joins in wishing them a happy and em country. prosperous journey through life.

live thirty Wednesday afternoon at Miss Florence Warren which the Christian church parsonage by companied by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fischbocker The couple have many riends in the city who wish them

Sunday, December 24th, at three!

A wedding of interest was that of, o'clock at the Methodist parsonage elen Beatrice Gaylord and Emer- in Tillamook Charles O. Johnson and B. Merrick, which took place on and Miller of Beaver, Oregon, were united in marriage by Rev. Simpson | Gaylord, the brides' father. The Hamrick. Mr. Johnson was raised at Beaver and is well known in that ommunity. Miss Miller is the raduate of the University of Ore- teacher in the Beaver school. Their nany friends will wish them much oy and happiness in life.

> O. W. Dixon and Miss Dolly Buckes were united in marriage Saturlay, December 23, at Vancouver, Washington. The bride is a popular Tillamook girl and the groom has een running a battery station here for some time. They are at home in he Plasker Court. The happy couole have the best wishes of their many friends in their new life.

A wedding which took place in Portland last Saturday was that of Louis Eckloff and Miss Miller, a daughter of Fred Miller, superinendent of Coates Camp. The bride s an Astoria girl and the groom has resided here for some time.

Wilford R. Hallowell and Alice Last Friday night at the Presby- Steele were married at the M. E. terian manse George E. Leach and parsonage December 19th by the Lucile Tanner were united in mar- Rev. Simpson Hamrick. Both are riage by Rev. McRea. Everybody well known residents of the Nehal-

One of the most elaborte wed athi were very quietly married at liam H. Martin of Tillamook, and solemnized at the Turn Verein Rev. George Harness. They were ac- in Portland last week, before a large ber 23, 1832. number of friends and relatives. George Coats of this city was the best man. A luncheon was served after the ceremony. The happy couple will make their home in this city, where the groom is employed.

## AMERICAN LEGION FIRE DESTROYS ELECTS OFFICERS

The annual election of officers of lliamook Post No. 47, The Ameray night, December 18

he following officers were elect-Commander, Harry Gilham; vice get out of the machine before Ross and R. C. Patterson; adjutant, Victor L. White; chaplain, J. E. Reedy: historian, C H, Coe,

Shearer, turned over to the new com- the exhaust pipe mander \$1150 in the treasury of the Legion which has been earning COMPANY K HOLDS MUSTER interest for some time past. The Legion expects to use the bulk his money to outfit rooms in Tillamook's new armory when it is built.

## PLEASANT GATHERING

fail to give us all a serene Beitz was the scene of much gaiety day the date was changed for the oc-U. G. club members and their hus- present and answered to muster. bands came loaded down with good hings for their evening meal. All gathered around the table with great allarity and continued to stay there 'till only scraps were left.

The remainder of the evening was spent with music and other amusements. Around a sparkling Christall were made happy by Santa. Everyone left resolving to have a

isiting for the past seven weeks and minks, as there is more with relatives in Dixon, California, returned last week. She was accompanied home by her son Harold who will visit here for about two weeks.

> Mrs. Ruby Andrus is in receipt of very interesting letter from her other, Mrs. Jennie McGhee, who spending the winter with relatives National City, Cal. Mrs. McGhee ells of picking ripe tomatoes and green peas in the garden while Oreon was in the midst of sleet and now. She says that her first few tays in the southern city were spent n getting warm.

Mr. and Mrs Louie Nielson and on, from Montesano, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. tark, parents of Mrs. Nielson, and he holidays.

Bruce Hare is in the city from Lila Liedig and sons of Corvallis where he has been studying the year.

# **BIG AUTOMOBILE**

An Oldsmobile Eight belonging to R. W. Watson was a total loss last on Legion, Department of Oregon, Sunday when it caught fire from vas held at the W. O. W. hall Mon- some unknown cause and was consumed before aid could be summon-Mr. Watson and his son were ed to guide the destinies of Tilla- in the car at the time and they renook Post for the coming year: port that they barely had time to ommanders, Emil Wooley. Bert was a mass of flames. The car was insured.

The automobile belonging to C. E. Hadley sustained nominal damage The retiring Commander, Dr J. E. last week when it caught fire from

## AND INSPECTION WEDNESDAY

The quarterly inspection for mus-The home of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz night having fallen on Christmas Wednesday night, Dec. 20th. The casion. About seventy men were boys took the machine to Nehalem

## CHRISTMAS PARTY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Anderson was the scene of a delight ful party Christmas night. A beautifully decorated Christmas tree was the center of attraction and Santa Claus arrived during the course of mas tree gifts were exchanged and the evening to distribute presents to all. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Coats and family, Mr. and "get together" dinner quite often. Mrs. O. A. Schaltz, Mrs. Francis Stranahan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Homer Mason, who has been F. A. Beltz and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Anderson and family.

> Representative K. W. Watson expects to leave soon for Salem where he will attend the opening of the state legislature, which will commence a forty day session on the 8th January. Mr. Watson states that be expects to see a very warm session from what indications are in sight.

o McMinnville Sunday morning, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roe, to eat Christmas dinner at the O'Dell parental home. The dinner CAPE MEARS RESERVE MAY was in the nature of a family reunion as there were thirty relatives present. From McMinnville Mr. and Mrs. O'Dell went to Carleton to visit with Mrs. O'Dell's mother, Mrs. W. for a two week's visit.

#### ROOSEVELT HIGHWAY GETS FEDERAL HELP

Dispatches from Washing-Roosevelt highway has definitely been placed on the map for future construction in this state, by the bureau of public roads.

The report of the bureau, including the proposal for building this highway, is now in the hands of the secretary of agriculture and there is said to be no question that he will give his

entire Oregon program of federal aid roads is to be made public very soon.

# TILLAMOOK CO. PIONEER DIES

JNO. BUMGARTNER JOINS SILENT MAJORITY ON NINTIETH AN-NIVERSARY OF HIS BIRTH. 40 YEARS IN THIS COUNTY.

On the recurring date of December 23, John Bumgartner passed away at the old homestead in Yellow Fir, Miss Faye Brenner and Peter dings of the season was that of Wil- exactly ninety years from the day upon which he first saw the light of terrestrial life in Pike County, Ohio, having been born on Decem-

> Mr. Bumgartner was a pioneer of Oregon and Tillamook county, having staked his homestead at Yellow Hr more than forty years ago.

In the early spring of '69, he with other hardy and fearless men and women, crossed the great plains by ox team, defying the dangers that lurked along the trackless path of the desert and for forty years he has been identified with the development of Oregon and watched her merge from a vast wilderness into the great emipre of wealth that she s today.

owa, where he was united in marriage to Ida A. Sawyer of Decatur county. Three children were born in his many years preaching he had um deceased: Florence A Dann and Lawrence W. Bumgartner.

Deceased was a member of the United Brethren church and the uneral services were conducted by the local pastor, the Rev. W. O. Woolever. Interment was held in I. O. O. F. cemetery

#### YOUTHS APPREHENDED IN STEALING MACHINE

Roy Olson, Arthur Johnson and Jack Parker were taken into custody er and pay was held at the armory by the sheriff's office Wednesday of Company "K" 162nd Infantry last evening charged with stealing an Wednesday night. The usual drill automobile from the Sunset garage belonging to Walter Harris, an ing was taken up for the Armenian uncle of Oison. It appears that the and back, injuring it somewhat on the trip. Parker and Johnson are ant evening. being held in jail pending investiga-

## COUNTY CLUB NOTES

(By D. H. Kennedy, Club Agent) A sewing club has been organized at Garibaldi, S. D. No. 14. The officers of this club are as follows:

cotte, Eunice Kerby, Beatrice Kerby Craven, Leila Cook, Laura Towers, ary Lights' and "Virgin Lamps" feed. Grace Goff, Delia Merrill, Francis vere represented by ten young wo-Phetterplace, Beryl Fowler, and men. An offering of \$150 was rais- A! Kinnaman and Hercules Ander-Poxine Fisk.

a number of the lessons and it is ex- time at the Christmas exercises at ty, and, in the memory of the chilpected that it will finish as a 100 the Methodist church. The program per cent club, that is every member was as follows: Song. Joy to the Mr. and Mrs. Hubert o'Dell went filing a final report with the Coun- Recitation, "If I were a Snowflake," ty Club Agent.

number of acres at the Cape Mears | mary. At this junctuer Santa Claus the N. M. N'elson horse during E. Roe, Mrs. O'Dell remaining there lighthouse reserve to be used as a himself put in an appearance and efficient planist. At the close of last Friday, Albert Benson was summer resort and national monu- passed out treats to all those ment. There is quite a large tract present. John Carroll is in Portland this in the Cape Mears reserve that is week. Mr. Carroll will take up his not needed for lighthouse purposes, the United Brethren church states n. California, are in the city forestry at C. A. C. He will leave duties with the Howard-Cooper Cor- it is the plan of the government to that the "best ever" program was thanks, through the Headlight, to holidays, visiting Mrs. Lie- for his studies again after the first poration at that place the first of move the lighthouse from Mears to Cape Lookout at some future date. | which was secured by Norman Dye, the happy occasion.

# CHRISTMAS SPIRIT MANIFESTED IN LOCAL CHURCHES

SUNDAY SCHOOLS MAKE

## SANTA MANY PLACES AT ONCE

PROGRAMS ARE EXCELLENT AND ENJOYED BY LARGE AUDIENCES

During the annual period this year of "Peace on Earth, Good Will Toward Men" the churches of this city played a most prominent part, as they necessarily must, in the celebration of the birthday of the Savior of Men.

Christmas festivities at the Presbyterian church last Sunday night comprised a male quartet, a ladies quartet and readings, vocal solos and dialogues by the Sunday School classes. Santa Claus was present direct from his work shop near the North Pole, and everyone present received a gift, whether members of the Sunday School or not. The Willing Workers class put on a much appreciated playlet. A generous offering was taken for Syrian orphans now under the care of the Presbyterian church, as has een the custom of this organization since the war, one hundred thousand dollars having been devoted to this cause by the church since the war. A large crowd attended this Christmas function and the seating capacity of the church was inadequate for the occasion.

Shurch, said he had shifted the esponsibility and labor of the Christmas activities observed at the thurch last Saturday evening to the houlders of Mesdames Hunt, Hart Lee Doty, Burton and Leslie Harrison, who trained the children in their various roles so perfectly that to this union, namely, Mable O. never witnessed a finer program. The Christmas cantata pre about 75 pupils from the primary, unior and intermediate grades, was nost excellent. Many gifts were exchanged on the Christmas tree, and about 360 sacks of candy were disributed among the children, who attended. The church has a seating capacity of 500 and every seat was occupied. Santa Claus, of course was present in full regalia and added zest to the occasion with droll renarks, as he handed out the good

things. The Church of the Nazarene had program of the Sunday School pupils in which several fine recitations and songs were rendered. An offersufferers which amounted to \$21.69. There were about 165 present at hese services and all report a pleas-

The Reformed church held their program on Sunday evening and it consisted of the usual Sunday school program followed by an impressive presentation in pantomine of the the Young People's society of the church. Mrs. W. G. Lienkaemper President, Dorothy Cook; vice was reader. The various scenes as ed for missionary work.

This club has already completed Rev. Hamrick reports a joyful tions, and was a thing of beauompleting the entire course and World. Welcome, Paul Hamrick. by three little girls. Recitation, Three Bad Boys,' Albert Long. Clear." "A Glad Word," exercise by BECOME PUBLIC PLAYGROUND 9 boys. Recitation, Pauline Winslow. Anthem by the Choir. Recita-A movement is on foot to ask the tion, Berenice Johns, Song "Crown national government to set aside a Him." Song, "Oh, Santy," by pri- O. Woolever

Rev. W. O. Woolever, pastor

#### WIND PLAYS HAVOC THROUGHOUT COUNTY

A heavy windstorm last Tuesday night caused much apprehension on the parts of housholders of this section when it tore down upon the city with an almost unbelievable fury. No very severe damage has been reported but the ticket office at the fair grounds was persuaded by the excess air to take a trip across the road. A number of telephone lines were put out of commission. High water made its appearance also when some of the roads leading out of the city

# CHRISTMAS CHEST MARKED SUCCESS

CHURCHES AND LODGES COM-BINE TO BRING HOLIDAY CHEER TO MANY HOMES IN THE COMMUNITY.

The Tillamook Community Christmas Chest was filled by the lodges and churches to the extent of more than \$200 and this was invested in Christmas cheer for the needy. Over 30 Christmas baskets were sent out over the county from Cloverdale on the south to Nehalem on the north. The Eastern Star joined in the fine spirit of giving, as also the Episcopal Sunday School.

The Shakespeare Club sent three Christmas dinners. There wer other clubs and individuals gave generously and are worthy of special mention. The Community hest idea was borrowed from Portand, and it is by far the best meth d of meeting the needs of any comunity. The books of the secretary nd treasurer of the Ministers' As ciation, through which all conributions passed, was audited by he Tillamook County Bank and ound to be correct.

## MUSICAL CLUB

Holden, Dec. 18. The life of Chopin were given in a very creditable manner. Those appearing on the cogram were Sarah Trombley, Ruth Erskine, Thelma Hoover, Helen loover, Bessie Barber, Helen Had-

Jan. 22. Invitations are issued by he members of the class.

## DRIED WHEY PROFITABLE

Dairy by-products are now being sed in various new ways as a result f investigations by the United States between the taxes for the past deepartment of Agriculture.

fried whey. From 100 pounds of been raised to \$920,825.43. This the whey were obtained 4 pounds of year the budget that has been passed crude sugar and 1 1/2 pounds of dried calls for a tax of \$521,680.23 to be whey containing about 30 per cent, raised. A difference of nearly of albumin. The dried whey was \$400,000 is noted between the tax sold to a laboratory making baby of 1921 and this year. Christmas story, which was given by food, at a price which resulted in a satisfactory return for the whey.

Dried whey and dried buttermilk are being fed experimentally to lay- party was held on Christmas day at president, Fay Langley; secretary, depicted were The Light of Men, ing hens at one of the department the Eugene Crosby home in this Rena Goff. The other members of The Light in the Cottage, The Light farms. In the first half of the 12- city. Members of the family presthe club are Gertrude Smith, Eva in the Field, The Light in the Sta- month experiment the pen of hens ent were: Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Cros-Boyce, Florence Lazotte, Ethel La- ble, The Light in the East, and Tiny receiving dried whey produced eggs by of Rockaway, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Tapers, which was represented by a at a rate comparing favorably with Over and son, Larry, of Brighton, Mary McMellan. Evelyn. Virginia number of small children. "Mission- results obtained with other kinds of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hiskin and son

> on, was resplendent with decorafren, a joy forever. The program was said to have been exceedingly the first of the year, to which posiwell rendered, each one on the proram from Superintendent Bennett him. to the smallest child in the primary class doing their bit to the delight Song, "It Came Upon the Midnight and inspiration of the congregation and the evidencing of the careful training given by the committee in harge, Mrs. A. L. Bowers, Mrs. B. A. Leach, Esther Mills and Mrs. W. ped over in Salem.

Miss Buelah Bowers served as the the program a generous treat of Christmas sweets was given to all ceiving a severe cut which necessiof present. Mr. Woolever says that he tated several stitches and causing the desires to express his most hearty loss of several teeth.

# COUNTY BUDGET FOR NEXT YEAR MEETS APPROVAL

GOOD REPRESENTATION OF TAX PAYERS WERE PRESENT AT MEETING

## DELEGATION FROM CLOVERDALE

RESOLUTION PRESENTED ASKING COURT TO ALLOW FOR ARMORY FUND

The annual budget meeting of the county court was held last Friday at 10 A. M. in the court house. A good representation of taxpayers was present though many misunderstood the time of the meeting and did not arrive until the meeting was

The taxpayers had organized themselves into a committee with Rollie Watson as the chairman and A. A. Hall as secretary The budget was taken up by this organization and each item discussed and passed upon by this body. Finally the budget as arranged by the county court was ratified.

A delegation consisting of J. L. Gay and C. A. Smith, both of Cloverdale, arrived during the course of the meeting, saying that they represented the Cloverdale grange. Mr. Smith addressed the meeting, stating that the budget was high. A part of the budget that had already been passed upon was read for the benefit of the Cloverdale delegates

A resolution was prepared memor alizing the county court to make a ufficient appropriation for the state rmory that is being asked for by his county. Several expressed hemselves on this matter and no ault was found by the meeting regarding the building of an armory in lilamook. A part of the armory noney was accounted for by a reluction in the amount allowed for the state taxes. At the time that the budget was made up it was not The Musical History and Harmony known just what the state would exict for the 1923 tax so, \$160,000 was entered as the probable amount. Afwas read and discussed, also the ter this has been done the Secretary analysis of the different pieces. A of State informed the court that the number of his best compositions state tax for Tillamook county would amount to \$154,856.22. This left something over \$5000 which can be applied to the armory fund, leaving a like amount to be raised in some other way. Just following the World War the county court appropriated The next social evening will be \$5000 to be used for a soldiers' memorial. This sum was later turned back because it was not used. It is thought that this amount can be used to fill the quota for armory

An interesting comparison is given cade. In 1912 the total tax to be Good results have been obtained raised for Tillamook county was particularly in the manufacture of \$416,704.80. By 1921 this had

## FAMILY REUNION

A family reunion and Christmas Eugene of Newberg, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Crosby and daughter Jeanne Elizabeth and son Billy.

Ira White and family have returned to Tillamook. Mr. White will take up the duties of City Recorder tion the new mayor has appointed

Victor White made a trip to Portand Sunday, and also visited with his folks at Aurora Christmas day. On the return trip Mr. White stop-

While working at the Coats mill struck on the chin by a timber, re-

Q.7. Edwards left Tuesday Pffer accor for Seattle on business.