

COUNTY NEWS IN BRIEF

ROCKAWAY

F. P. Miller made a trip to St. Helens last week. C. W. Ross and N. Bosier are building a new house in Midway. L. H. Marks has lumber on the ground for a new house at Twin Rock. Mrs. Floyd Wilkins is spending a few days at Elmore hotel. Dr. O. D. Doane and wife are here for the summer. Hugh Sutherland and family came in for the season. O. J. Houge made his regular weekly trip to the beach.

OCEANSIDE

The new bath house, containing lockers and shower baths was completed last week and is very popular with the surf bathers. Mrs. Staveny Jewitt and family arrived Saturday for a month's vacation. Mrs. P. F. Coleman and mother Mrs. Boon returned to Portland Sunday after a two weeks stay in The Breakers. Mr. and Mrs. Chaney and sons left for their home in Coquille, Ore., after spending a month at Oceanside. J. F. Jones and wife of Portland were visitors in The Gulls Nest a few days last week. Mr. and Mrs. George Marley and children of Portland enjoyed a week's vacation at Oceanside. Mr. Everett C. Pickett and party of Klamah Falls are occupying the Craigs for a week. L. W. Sawtelle and family of Spokane, left for their home Monday after an outing in the Eyrle. Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Rush of Portland arrived Friday for a two weeks stay. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Frydig and daughter Helen of Portland spent the week end at Oceanside. Roy H. Bradley and family of Chemawa, Ore., motored in over the week end. Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Hoffman and daughter Eugenia of Medford are in the Sea Lion for a few days. T. E. Hendor and family of Portland occupied a cottage here for a week. J. S. Grenfell and family of McMinnville were here for the week end. Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Woodbury and children of Portland and Francis Soil of Great Falls Mont., spent a few days last week at Oceanside. Dr. H. H. Flower and daughters of Portland are recent arrivals at Oceanside. P. C. Jorgenson and E. Pearson of the Cream Rose Butter Co., of Carlton Ore., were Oceanside visitors over the week end. M. R. Cooper and family were among those arriving Sunday for a two weeks vacation. Mrs. E. G. Anderson and party arrived Monday for a two weeks stay. Mr. and Mrs. Gruenewald of Tillamook are in their new cottage on the hill for the season.

TILLAMOOK BAY CLAMS

Tillamook bay is a prolific clam field. It has four kinds that may be secured at low tide on the bay. They are known as the Quohog, Cockle, Blue and Eastern clams. The last named clams were transplanted, it is said, in the bay from the east. They are all fine and edible; and each species has its admirers. The blue clam is the largest and next comes the quohog, the cockle and eastern clams being smaller. The Indians in times past when they were in evidence along the bay shore pronounced the clams to be "Hyas closh muck a muck," and clam shell mounds are found in many places along the bay shores that bear mute evidence that the aborigines practically lived on them; and now comes the white man who indorses all the praise given these shell foods by the Indians. It is said that there are immense beds of clams in the bay and that in some places they are so numerous that each year thousands are crowded to death. At least this is the testimony of diggers.

Eugene—Cannery has weekly payroll of \$7200.

St. Helens post office goes into second class.

2851 COWS TESTED IN JUNE

Two thousand eight hundred and fifty one cows were officially tested in Tillamook county last month by the Tillamook county cow testing association. Two years ago, not over 900 cows were being tested in this county. Last year 203 cows were weeded out of the association as being unprofitable to their owners as producers. The association is growing by leaps and bounds and dairy owners are finding that it pays to belong to the association, for by official testing there is no guess work. If a cow is below the average it is found out and owners soon get rid of her.

LODGE ELECTS OFFICERS

Tillamook lodge No. 94 I. O. O. F. elected the following officers of the above lodge at their last regular meeting to serve the ensuing term: N. G., Floyd Culbertson; V. G., Herbert C. O'Dell; Rec. Sec., F. F. Conover; treasurer C. H. Cole.

BAYCITY TO BAYOCEAN

The staunch little passenger boat Rustler of Bay City, made a trial run down the bay last Friday under the management of Earl Snodgrass of this city who is now the owner of the craft. The boat has been thoroughly overhauled and has complied with government regulations, and will run on a regular schedule. The Rustler was built by a firm in Astoria and was originally a cannery tender. She has plenty of passenger accommodations, and will connect with trains at Bay City. The owner, Mr. Snodgrass was nearly three years in the U. S. navy and has had experience with motor boats.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Georgia Hoss of Portland has established a summer home at Twin Rocks and expects to live in Tillamook hereafter during the winter season. Mrs. Hoss recently has been appointed a district manager for a life insurance company which she has represented here for some seasons past.

Mrs. F. M. Bennett and family are spending a couple of weeks at the Rockaway beach.

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Lyle Smith, whose thrilling aerial flights in his airplane two years ago up and down the Tillamook beaches are remembered here, is now a student in a Portland dental college and is attending summer dental school in the forenoon and working for a big ice cream company in the afternoon. Lyle, who came home from overseas a first lieutenant is still a reserve officer and subject to call. He has given up flying and sold his airplane some time ago.

Commissioner Alley was in Portland this week on business connected with the county and Judge Homer Mason motored to southern Oregon early in the week.

Messrs Barrick & Hall, the attorneys were both in Portland the forepart of the week.

Dr. Robinson went to Eugene Wednesday and is expected home the latter part of this week.

E. E. Montague of Portland was in the city a couple of days this week getting data for the Tax Reform League of Portland in the court house.

Miss Funk, a sister of Mr. Funk of the Standard Oil Co., of this city, is reported as being quite ill at the residence of Mrs. M. Medcalf.

Mr. Meek a representative of the Southern Pacific company was in the city the early part of the week looking up right of way taxes in the sheriff's office on property owned by that company in this county.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schultz received a card on the 10th inst from Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brenner dated Rawlins, Wyoming—1374 miles east of Tillamook. Mr. and Mrs. Brenner were on their way at that date to Nebraska, going by auto.

C. J. Edwards is enjoying a visit from his father, Jesse Edwards of Newberg. The elder Mr. Edwards states that he came over to Tillamook to cool off.

Mrs. David Sheininger of Wheeler was shopping in town Monday.

Mrs. Emma Hoover spent a few days in the city with Mrs. Christie Downer this week. Mrs. Hoover's home is in Wheeler.

Mrs. S. Reneger of Wheeler was in the city Monday.

Mrs. Gladys Kessinger is visiting with her brother at Garibaldi this week.

James Hoover of Wheeler is the proud owner of a new Buick sedan which was delivered to him Monday.

Victor White returned Wednesday from a trip to the Willamette valley where he visited relatives and friends.

Mrs. Maude Robinson of Sandlake was in the city Monday.

D. O. Spitzmesser and Mr. Osborne went to Oceanside Sunday to enjoy the surf bathing. They report a delightful trip and came home with a heavy sunburn.

Mrs. Norman Smith is visiting her sisters Mrs. C. E. Vosburg and Mrs. Mizger at Wheeler. They with Kathryn and Billy Vosburg drove to Tillamook Tuesday afternoon in Mrs. Vosburg's new Durant car.

Friends of Mrs. Christie Downer gave her a beach party at Manzanita beach last Sunday evening. Miss Mildred Patterson and Miss Gertrude Owens both of Chicago were also in the party.

Mrs. H. M. Hanville, mother of Mrs. Henry Heisel and Mrs. Clayton Manville and son of Eugene and Mr. and

Mrs. Austin Sutton and three children of Colorado are visiting at the Heisel home. The Suttons are on a tour of the west and will go to California from this place.

Mrs. J. M. DeLillies has returned from Hollywood where she has been spending the winter with her daughters.

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