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We should be as careful of our words as of our actions, and as far from speaking ill, as doing ill.—Cicero.

Last Sunday's edition of the Oregonian contained quite a story of the fort and blockhouse. This story was written by the McMinnville correspondent to the Oregonian and is very misleading in a number of ways. Here is the story in full:

McMinnville, Or., Oct. 16.—(Special.)—State-wide interest has been attracted to the unveiling of the marker on the Tillamook highway at the site of old Fort Yamhill next week by the Yamhill chapter of the D. A. R.

The marker is a seven ton rock, located beside the highway, bearing a bronze tablet inscribed "Fort Yamhill and the home of General Phil Sheridan, from 1855 to 1861. 300 yards east. Erected by Yamhill chapter, D. A. R., McMinnville, October 20, 1926."

The program for the unveiling will be held at 3 o'clock, with many prominent pioneers of the state in attendance. Among these will be Mrs. G. G. Shirley, who was born at the fort when her father, G. C. Litchfield, was sulter there.

At 3 o'clock a bugle call will open the ceremonies, followed by invocation by Leonard W. Riley, president of Linfield college. Greetings, by Mrs. William Sly, regent of Yamhill chapter; address, "Historic Spots Marked by the D. A. R. in Oregon," by Mrs. E. C. Apperson; address, "History of Fort Yamhill," by Professor John B. Horner, Corvallis; unveiling of the marker and presentation to the state, by Mrs. Ward J. Wisecarver, chairman of erection committee, and the acceptance for the state by Governor Walter Pierce.

The monument is a deep, gray stone of large proportions, with the bronze tablet set into it. The nature of the rock is known as a "nigger head" and is almost unresive.

The fort and blockhouse have been removed from the site and the only remaining sign is the home of General Sheridan, which is still standing in good condition. It has recently been remodeled and occupied. Sheridan was stationed at the fort from 1855 to 1861, when he was called east by the government to engage in the civil war, where he won great fame.

The above states that the "fort and blockhouse have been removed from the site." Where is this fort and blockhouse now? What has become of it? Why, this same fort and blockhouse is now located in the City Park at Dayton. It is beautifully surrounded with trees and flowers and every effort is put forth to preserve this historic building. From the write-up in the Oregonian, readers would be led to think that this building is located somewhere in McMinnville, which is entirely the wrong impression.

Of course we cannot blame the Oregonian for the report as published in the Sunday edition, but we think the McMinnville correspondent, through courtesy, if nothing else, might have mentioned that the fort and blockhouse is located in the City

Park at Dayton and also that it contains many relics and curiosities, and is an interesting place to visit.

Perhaps no one is more familiar with the conflicting ideas of our home dwellers than the editor of this newspaper. Scarcely a day passes but we receive some criticism of the way in which the affairs of the community are run. It would take columns, and also it would be unfair, to publish many of the communications.

The most important thing for our taxpayers to realize is that little is to be gained by simply complaining and that everything may be gained by constructive criticism if it is accompanied by an idea of how the condition complained of may be improved.

It is not a difficult matter to organize a spotless town. All it needs is a little study of the principles of community building and a reasonable amount of money. However, there seems to be the rub. The officials cannot get money out of the air. They cannot make improvements without spending money, and the spending of money means a jump in the tax rate. No one need be reminded what happens when there is talk of increased taxes. The howl echoes even throughout the county. As a fact, slight tax increase for legitimate improvements should not be deplored. Only waste of public monies should raise our indignation. Money spent in useful public improvements is an investment, not an expense. We are all stockholders in the corporation, and we always get dividends in the shape of increased value to our properties when the town adds to something of public moment. Just a little reasoning will make a lot of us much happier, and perhaps a little more prosperous.

You will be asked to vote on the proposition of levying a special district tax at the school house on November 4th. Elsewhere in this issue you will find a notice of such election, and it also states in that notice that the increase of the tax levy for 1926 is six per cent over the amount of the year immediately preceding. This means the year 1923-24, that is from June 21, 1923, to June 30, 1924. Now then, the difference in the amount that this six per cent will bring between the 1925-26 school year and the present school year will be approximately \$70,000. It is also noticed that this amount is to be raised for transportation, insurance and supplies. Money that is to be spent in a most legitimate way. Taking the pupils to and from school. Protection to the buildings. And material with which to do their work.

It is up to each and every one to get out and vote FOR this special tax, at the school house, November 4th.

"Increased Expenses in Postal Department, Including Higher Rates to Railroads, Consume All New Revenues," reads one of our daily paper headlines, and further supplying figures showing that the postal deficit last year was thirty-five million dollars. Still we have a horde of politicians running around these pre-election days proclaiming that they are capable of putting agricultural—the biggest business in the nation—on a satisfactory and profitable basis if the dear people will only give them political preferment.

After several years of home-made hooch diet it is useless to agitate a movement back to light wine and beer. The trend of the liquor habit is for an ever increasing strength of the dope, and the average drinker of today couldn't get a slap, much less a kick, out of beer or wine. We may have to develop stronger stomach linings and spent more for vulcanizing, but will continue to worship at the shrine of the concoction that hits the spot the first pop.

A commercial reporter advises of the fact that last year America spent \$50,000,000 for imported foreign nuts. Now, that's one crop we were sure this country had a surplus supply.

The modern bathing suits of the past season may be fully and simply described as "something that begins nowhere and ends at once."

When wheat sells for a dollar a bushel it does not follow that you classify it as buck-wheat.

Not all the limbs visible this fall are on the trees.

Hood River apple crop estimated to exceed 4,000 cars.

Plans under way for new \$100,000 hotel and business block.

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State of Oregon)
County of Yamhill) ss.

Before me a notary public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared F. J. Robertson, who, having been duly sworn according to law deposes and says that the name of the publisher, editor and business manager is F. J. Robertson, that the owner is F. J. Robertson, address Dayton, Oregon. That the mortgages and security holders are none.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of October, 1926.

J. E. Mellinger, Notary Public. My commission expires, June 3rd, 1927.

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