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Bryan may win a certain small proportion of his large personal following to his point of view—enough, we say, to bring confusion and defeat upon his party; but he will never win the country to his point of view, and if he persists in his present course will merely cause a vast amount of trouble without accomplishing his personal ends. Unless he has thrown all political wisdom and discretion to the winds, now is a most opportune time for him to gracefully subside.

#### A MIDNIGHT NEWSPAPER.

The Oregon Journal announces that next Monday it will begin the publication of a midnight-morning rural-route and out-of-town edition. This will be sent to all parts of the Oregon country on midnight and early morning trains, giving all the news of the previous 24 hours.

The Journal has added a leased night wire to its facilities, which already included two leased day wires. The Journal has been carrying the news of three press associations, and this additional night service will enhance its commanding news position.

It is really remarkable how the Oregon Journal has grown. Established in 1902 by C. S. Jackson, who prior to going to Portland had brought the East Oregonian to the front in Eastern Oregon, it is now from every standpoint the leading afternoon daily of the Pacific Northwest. The news field of the world is raked and combed for its columns, and it also excels in local and editorial fields.

From its inception it has attracted to its staff the best newspaper talent of Oregon, and its chief editorial writer, Frank Irvine, has a concise and pointed style that always lends interest and value to its editorial page. C. H. Chapman, a scholar and able writer, and Rex Lampman, a brilliant young humorist, are among the recent additions to its force. Both were formerly with the Oregonian.

C. S. Jackson is a newspaper builder who has scored one of the very few signal triumphs in journalism well needed in the Northwest during the past twenty years. He is the only man who has ever been able to challenge the powerful Oregonian in its own field and win. Many times before his advent had the feat been attempted. Never before was it successful. Mr. Jackson, however, is naturally a great executive, and would have been equally as successful as a merchant prince, a railroad magnate or a captain of industry. Following his career, the Leader man is nevertheless impelled to reflect that Mr. Jackson (our former boss) has never run a G. Wash., nor set a stickful of type. A mighty man is he, but we couldn't use him on the Weston Leader.

#### WARNING IS SOUNDED.

The nomination for J. M. Banister for mayor at the recent primary means, we take it, that Weston intends to share toward sustaining and enforcing the new state-wide prohibition law. Mr. Banister has always been an earnest and active supporter of prohibition, and his record and work along this line are well known locally. That he is the community's evident choice for mayor shows where the community stands. It shows that "blind pigs" and "speakeasies" and "boot-leggers" will not be tolerated here. It serves warning upon anyone who might be disposed to engage in the subterranean and secret traffic in liquor after the first of the year that the community is prepared to walk upon him with hobbled shoes and convince him that he is a manufacturer of great undesirability and nuisance. It shows that breaking the prohibition law will be regarded here as a peccadillo to be passed over with a wink and a grin, but that punishment of the culprit will be swift and sure.

Singular that the New York suffragette who used her shoulders as a sign board for her cause, when she had such admirable backing.

#### ODD BITS OF NEWS.

Altoona, Pa.—Unable to speak above a whisper for four years, Miss Mollie Friesch, an invalid from pulmonary troubles, awoke from a dream in which she approached death and found that she could speak perfectly again. She declares she is going to get well.

Greensport, L. I.—After hiccoughing for ten months, Cortland Brooks is dead at his home here. When he began to hiccough he was taken to a hospital and put in a plaster, but continued to hiccough even in his sleep. Physicians diagnosed his malady as tuberculosis of the spine.

Danbury, Conn.—With his right arm severed near the elbow and the flesh hanging in shreds, John Calkins, 24 years old, a chauffeur, drove his automobile with his remaining hand two miles to get surgical aid. His arm was cut off by a snail-like cutter.

Waycross, Ga.—Dr. J. C. Lattimer, member of the city council, had an operation performed to remove a No. 8 birdshot from between his fingers. The shot entered his arm over 18 years ago and had never troubled him until it was broken by his fingers so that he was unable to move them.

Roston, Tex.—At a birthday party given by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watson in honor of their son, Rufus, a fruit cake graced the table which was cooked by Mrs. Watson. It was a "Paris" shilling, of Paris, the young man's aunt. She gave it to his father and told him not to cut it until the boy was twenty-one years of age. The flavor was said to be fine.

#### ORDINANCE NO. 244.

An Ordinance for the levying of a General Municipal Tax for the year 1915.

The People of the City of Weston do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That there is hereby levied upon all taxable property in the City of Weston, real and personal, a tax for general municipal purposes of 15 mills, as follows: Light fund, 2 1/2 mills; Street Fund, 2 1/2 mills; General Fund, 7 1/2 mills; Sinking Fund, 2 mills; and Library Fund, 1/2 mill—on each and every dollar of such property for the year 1915.

Section 2. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage by the Common Council and approval by the Mayor.

Passed the Common Council and approved by the Mayor this 6th day of November, 1915.

Approved: P. T. HARBOUR, Mayor.

Attest: ANDY T. BARNETT, City Recorder.

### SAM PHILLIPS SAYS A WORD OR TWO

Dry Creek, Ore., Nov. 19.—(To the Editor)—I want to reply to the letter published in the Leader which you published in the Leader. As for being the first white child born in Umatilla county, I do not know that I am. I know one thing, however. I was born September the 14th, 1832, at Cayuse station. I am proud that I was born in Umatilla county. It makes me a native citizen of this county. A Umatilla Indian, you know, is a native of the county, and I stand as one with the noble red man.

We emigrated to Lane county, Oregon, and lived there until I was 15 years old. In the year 1847 we came back to good old Umatilla county and bought a place on Dry creek, and I have lived there ever since. I have tried to swell the population of Umatilla county by raising a family of eleven children, six sons and five daughters, all of whom have grown to manhood and womanhood. And I can say with some degree of pride that the old homestead where I now reside on Dry creek.

There are lots of good things about Umatilla county. One good feature is that it contains some of the finest widow women of any county in the state; and although the widows do not concern me, I am proud of them as a Umatilla county asset.

Now as to my pioneer friend, Mr. Walden, I do not think he should become so concerned over the first white child question as to lose any sleep or to suffer any decrease in appetite for his meals, as I am sure it doesn't bother me one bit.

S. T. PHILLIPS.

#### ASTONISHES WESTON

The QUICK action of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Ad-ler-i-ka, the appendicitis preventative, astonishes Weston people. ONE SYMPTOM of this remedy relieves sour stomach, gas and constipation AT ONCE. H. Goodwin, druggist.

#### The Piano's Seven Octaves.

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#### A Shortened Visit.

"DM the little girl from next door have a good time" inquired the fond mother.

"I'm not sure, mamma," said the wee child. "Her nurse said she could stay two hours, but I gave her some lessons on how to behave when on a visit, and I read to her several chapters from that dear little book you gave me called 'Functious Oinks For Polite People, and she went home an hour earlier.'"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Geneva, Ohio—Menu: Breakfast, spring water; luncheon, spring water, dinner, more spring water. That was the diet which Dr. H. G. Huffman, oculist, lived on for 47 days. The doctor's fast is said to have saved his life.

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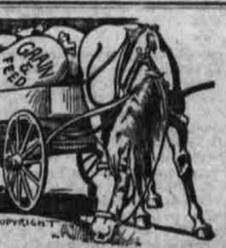
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#### NOTICE OF FILING FINAL ACCOUNT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. In the Matter of the Estate of Elizabeth Prine (sometimes called Eliza Prine), Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that I, as administrator of the above named estate with the will annexed, have filed my final account and report with the clerk of the above entitled court, which court has fixed upon 11 o'clock in the forenoon on December 4, 1915, as the time, and the County Court room in the Court House of Umatilla County, Oregon, in the City of Pendleton, in that county, as the place, when and where any person having any objection or exception to anything in said account and report contained or to anything done by me as administrator may present the same and they will be heard; and at that time the court will finally settle said final account.

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#### PEACE, BRYAN, PEACE!

William Jennings Bryan is for peace except with the name of the Democratic party. Herein he has sounded a note of antagonism toward President Wilson that may occasion exceeding discord among the Great Unwashed and lead ultimately to their undoing in the campaign of 1916.

It is as difficult for Bryan as it is for Roosevelt to keep still when he isn't satisfied. Rather than not to be seen and heard and read, we fear he would rather disrupt the party that thrice honored him with a presidential nomination. He may be sincere, but a sincere man who is also obstinate and likewise wrong is just about as disturbing a factor as a cockroach in the pudding.

Coming out in open opposition to Wilson's policy of preparedness, Bryan may cause the administration and his party great embarrassment without being able in the least degree to stop the progress of what he regards as the militarist movement in the United States. In other words, national preparedness will be carried forward, despite whatever Bryan says or does. It is necessary and it is popular. Bryan may be able to defeat the administration's program and he may be able in 1916 to defeat the administration by imitating Roosevelt and bolting his party's ticket, but he will never be able to defeat preparedness.

If this nation isn't put into an adequate condition of defense by the democratic party, the work will be done by the republican party. The great majority of voters recognize the necessity of arming Uncle Sam, and will tolerate no half-way measures in that direction.

Bryan is unable to understand the view point of his countrymen in general—which is that proper military and naval safeguards are the best assurance of peace. We wish to be strong, that our tolerance, our fair-mindedness, our respect for the rights of other nations, may not be regarded as a confession of weakness. We also wish to be strong that no other nation may be persuaded to impose unjust demands upon us in the knowledge that we are unable to defend ourselves. To be prepared for war doesn't mean that we will be seeking a pretext for war, any more than it means that the big, strong, well-developed man is always looking for a fight. Generally he is amiable and even-tempered, and will seldom use his fists unless attacked. The better armed we are the better we will be able in future years to bring about an agreement among the nations looking to universal peace. We would cut a

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