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Editor's New Year Sermon.

We feel somewhat loath to touch upon a matter which is very conspicuous in Tillamook county, and which appears to have become part and parcel of the make up and characteristics of a number of people, so much so that one would naturally suppose that it was an incurable disease with them. We refer to the little petty jealousies and prejudices by which some people are awayed and controlled and the lack of a broadminded, magnanimous spirit which is necessary in a progressive community. Now that we have entered upon another year, let us all try to rise above these petty, personal animosities, for they only engender strife and discord. It seems to be the fashion in Tillamook that as soon as persons become conspicuous through their own ability and perseverance there are those who are ready to pull them down and slander them at every opportunity. It is not confined to one class of people, for we see it in business circles, in society, in politics, amongst church members, and we are sorry to know, this little spirit of personal and political animosity crops out in some of the secret orders of this city, only to bring them into disrepute and disgust and estrange some of the best members. We have for a long time been trying to locate the source of this narrow minded, petty jealousies and the slanderous spirit which breaks out periodically to "do up" somebody, no matter how esteemed and honest a person may be. To illustrate what we mean, we must beg Representative B. L. Eddy's pardon for citing him as an example. He came to Tillamook a few years since to practice law. By dint of hard work, study, honesty of purpose, promptness and perseverance he has come into prominence solely upon his merit and ability. He was sent to the state legislature as a joint representative of Tillamook and Yamhill counties, where he gained a reputation for himself and brought this county into good repute by his intelligence and refusal to participate in the political bribery and corruption which became so conspicuous in the last election fight. This was a surprise to the political wire pullers. An honest, fearless, intelligent and independent republican from Tillamook. Was it possible? When Mr. Eddy returned home from Salem he brought with him the good will of every legislator, with the plaudits, "Well done Tillamook!" Though no one can call into question Mr. Eddy's honesty and integrity, yet for all that it is a well known fact that the petty, malicious, jealous dispositions of some persons have in season and out of season assailed him for the purpose of pulling him down, and especially is this true of those who give him the fraternal grip of friendship before his face but stab him in the back in the dark. What is true of Mr. Eddy in this particular may be said of others, but we have only illustrated this to show the point we want to bring out. The editor finds at times the same narrow, spiteful spirit hurled at him by those who want to manifest their smallness, but we invariably rise head and shoulders above it. How much more encouraging and pleasant it would be to all if these petty personal jealousies could be displaced by a magnanimous spirit, amongst business men, in society, in politics, in church members and in fraternal orders. Where we find merit, perseverance, intelligence and honesty, no matter in what line of business or profession, let us encourage it in those who are surviving to mount the ladder step by step. It is those who have ceased to progress who invariably try to pull down those who do, and not recognizing that it is the survival of the fittest who come to the front, they resort to back-biting scandal and bring all their personal and political animosities into play to checkmate or defeat those whom they would support if they were liberal minded, magnanimous and large hearted. Let there be a disposition to rise above petty jealousies and scandal, but the disease has become so chronic

with some people it will not surprise us much if it is incurable with them and they will go down into their graves trying to pull down, "do up," those who are their peers in every particular.

Repression of Anarchism.

Congress has shown a very proper disposition not to legislate hastily in the matter of repressing anarchism and punishing anarchists. The senate adopted a resolution instructing its judiciary committee, of which Senator Hoar is the chairman, to inquire and report as to the power of congress under the constitution to deal with anarchism and anarchists and that committee may be expected to give the subject careful and thorough deliberation. In the house of representatives the matter has been under consideration by the judiciary committee of that body and a bill framed which it is said brings together features of the many propositions that have been presented in congress for dealing with anarchism.

Senator McComas of Maryland, in his speech in support of the anti-anarchist resolutions introduced, he strongly contended that congress has the power to legislate for the repression of anarchism, the punishment of those who advocate it and the exclusion and deportation of alien anarchists. He declared that this sovereign nation is not so weak that it must depend upon the varying laws of its different states to punish a criminal who assassinates, or attempts to assassinate, the president, whom the constitution declares "shall take care that the laws be faithfully executed," citing in support of this view decisions of the supreme court of the United States. One of these decisions says: "The founders of the constitution could never have intended to leave to the possibly varying decisions of the state courts what the laws of the government it established are, what rights they confer and what protection shall be extended to those who execute them." Mr. McComas urged that congress has the power not only to enact laws to protect the high executive officers of the government, but that it may go further and even protect members of congress. Senator Hoar concurred in the views of the Maryland senator and suggested as a further means of dealing with anarchism that there should be an agreement among the nations of the world to deport persons proven to be anarchists to some place where there is no government and compel them to stay there. This idea, however, has found little support, chiefly for the reason that it manifestly would be unwise on the part of the United States to become the custodian not only of its own deported anarchists, but also of those of every other nation which might be a party to the agreement. Such a responsibility would be repugnant to American principles and quite incompatible with the spirit of our institutions.

The question of how to properly deal with anarchism and its adherents, with a due regard for American principles, is a very serious question that needs to be considered with great care and deliberation. It is therefore gratifying to find congress disposed to give the subject the consideration which its importance demands.

Admiral Sampson's Mistake.

Admiral Sampson, or rather his over-zealous, super-persistent friends are doing his cause no good by the labored attack that they have made on Admiral Dewey's findings in behalf of Admiral Schley. On the contrary, they bid fair to play such mischief that even history itself will not succeed in repairing the damage done.

The great majority of the people of the United States have made up their minds so thoroughly as to the merits of the deplorable controversy that words by Sampson are absolutely wasted. They do not question his claim that he was the man who had the title of commander-in-chief of the fleet before Santiago. They have never been unwilling to concede to him the arrangement of the blockade. But what they refuse to concede to him is the credit for the victory itself when, to all intents and effective purposes, he might as well have been with the board of strategy in Washington, so far as the actual destruction of Cervera's fleet was concerned.

Admiral Schley may have been, under

the strict letter of naval rules, second in command at Santiago. But he and the Brooklyn were in the thick of the fight and not several miles away to the east. Admiral Dewey's conclusions were strictly in accordance with the facts and the evidence, and all that Sampson's counsel can say will not alter the certainty that Schley was there and Sampson was not. History may unravel the terrible snarl, but even history will have to acknowledge the truth of Admiral Schley's words: "There was honor enough for all," and history will not fail to accord to Schley the highest honor of being, with Captain Clark of the Oregon and Captain Philip of the Texas, the real hero of Santiago.

There appears to be some friction amongst republicans in Tillamook county as to who will control the next county convention, not that we expect to see the conflicting interests harmonized before then. It is the same old game of political bluff by the rule or ruin faction. There is not much doubt in our mind who will control the convention. It will be the best element in the republican party, men who are independent, taxpayers, and who cannot be cajoled into voting for those who have brought the republican party in this county into disrepute. Those who think they have the vote of the republican convention already stuffed away in their vest pocket are poor judges of human nature. We look for a convention which will be more pronounced in its sentiment against Sappington and Maxwell and those who bear their ear marks than the last republican convention, for republicans are in no mood to be trifled with on account of the county saw mill and silent partnership business, and if ex-Senator Maxwell do not want to meet the same avalanche and snow under which we predicted for him two years ago in local politics, he will act wisely by keeping out of the fight, for it will only be another snow under more pronounced than two years ago if he and his small following should attempt to pack primaries with democrats for the purpose of getting himself and Sappington into office again. This is no idle dream on the part of the Headlight, but a sentiment which can be found all over the county.

The entry into the religious world of the American Federation of Catholic Societies is an event of no little interest and of vast possible importance, says the Chicago Tribune. The federation, if intelligently managed, will, in the first place, command respect by reason of its enormous size. It is expected during the first year of its existence to have on its rolls a membership of 1,000,000 persons. Provided that nothing happens to check its growth, it will soon cause all the Protestant societies of a similar nature to shrink by comparison into bodies of dwarf like proportions. There is, of course, no Protestant society in the country that has so large a field from which to draw. Nevertheless, the Protestant societies have not been without their influence, and it, with their comparatively small number, they have been able to make so much stir, it is only reasonable that the new Catholic federation, focusing in itself the membership, ambitions and abilities of the Catholic societies of America, will be capable of making itself felt in the religious life of the whole country.

Are politicians over in Clatsop county becoming corrupt? One would suppose so, for this is what the Astoria Herald has to say: "There is a strong and growing sentiment in the county in favor of taking local officers out of the influence of politics as it has been conclusively proven that a better and more economical administration of county affairs is secured by non-partisanship." There is, probably, a little truth in this, but the trouble is as soon as officials become dishonest it is seldom that any action is taken to turn the rascals out.

President Roosevelt is admired by all because he does not mince matters cutting off the heads of political and office-holding boodlers. If Judge Sappington was under the president's control, how long would it be, after he had heard about the "silent partnership" contract and the building of the Beaver Creek bridge, would it be before he had Sappington's head in the political basket?

Edgar Stanton Maclay, who said that the verdict in the Schley court of inquiry vindicated him, has at last quit the government employ, although he did not do so without a bluff. The next order of business should be to find out those who have been at the back of Maclay, for it is plain to see that he was only the tool in the hands of others.

A Chicago man has gone into court to protest against a deception practiced on him by Dowie, the freak evangelist. His association with Dowie cost him \$185,000. After regarding him for a long time as a "divine healer," this victim found him to be only a human healer.

If Cervera's squadron had turned East instead of West, Sampson might have been the hero of Santiago. But the Spaniards went west and Schley met them. By all the rules of fair play, Schley is entitled to the honors and nothing Sampson can say will change the facts.

Engineer Morison's dread of Nicaraguan earthquakes may be well founded, but the impression is growing that it would take a pretty big earthquake to shatter the red tape with which the canal enterprise is being bound up.

City Girl Sets a Hen.

Maud Muller on a summer's day Set the hen in a brand new way. (Maud, you see, was a city girl, Trying the rural life a whirl.) She covered a box with tinsel gray, Lined it snugly with new mown hay, Filled it nicely with eggs, and then, Out of the flock she selected one And then she thought her work was done. It would have been, but this stubborn hen Stood up and cackled "Kadoot!" and then Maud Muller came and in hurt surprise Looked coldly into the creature's eyes, Then tied its legs to the box, "You bet," Said she "I know how to make you set." But still it stood and worse and worse Shrieked forth its wrongs to the universe, Kicked over the box with its tinsel gay And ignominiously flapped away. Then a bad boy, over a barnyard fence, Told her, "Say, Maud, there's a difference 'Tween hens, you know, and it is that One says 'Ka-doot' and one 'Ka-dat'!" Then Maud recalled that the ugly brute She tried to set had said "Ka-doot!" And ever since that historic day, She blushes in an embarrassed way, To think of the hobble she made once when She tried to set a gentleman hen!

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a decree and order of sale rendered in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Tillamook, on the 11th day of November, 1901, in the suit of F. Botefuhr, doing business as F. Botefuhr & Co., plaintiff, vs. Charles H. Smith and Helen Smith, defendants, and of an execution duly issued out of the said court in the said suit on the 22nd day of November, 1901, I will expose for sale, and sell as the law directs at the Court House door of said county, in Tillamook City, Oregon, on Monday, the 27th day of January, 1902, at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m., the real property described in said decree and order of sale as follows, to-wit: Se 1/4 of Ne 1/4, section 8, and the N 1/2 of Sw 1/4, section 9, Township one South of Range 8 West of the Willamette meridian. All of the interest of Helen Smith, as heir at law of G. W. Fearnside, deceased, in and to the following described real property; commencing at low water line of Nehalem river, at a point 50 feet up said river from North point of a lot formerly owned by C. Pye, thence following said low water line up said river 59ft. thence in a northwesterly direction 100 feet, thence in a south-westerly direction 59 feet, thence south-easterly to Nehalem river to point of beginning, all lines and angles in said description to conform to lines and angles in survey of the town of Nehalem in lot 5, sec. 23, tp. 3 N, R. 10 W. All the interest of the defendant, Helen Smith, as heir at law of G. W. Fearnside, deceased, in and to lot 3, sec. 16, tp. 1 S, R. 10 West Willamette Meridian; lots 3 and 4, block 1, Tillamook City, less 20 feet off South end; and what are known as referee tide lots number 3 and 4, in Tillamook City, according to map recorded on page 64, of Book "B" of record or deeds for Tillamook county, Oregon.

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