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The Tillamook Headlight.

Fred C. Baker, Publisher. Let us Build Up, not Pull Down.

As a large number of our citizens are well aware, the spirit of rule or ruin has been one of the worst features to contend with in Tillamook. It crops out in business and politics to such an extent that it is a detriment to the business and industrial interests of the city.

Who are the Cowards?

Some people are severe in their criticism of an editor because he does not champion this or that person's ideas of public morals. There is hardly a week but what we have to listen to those who complain about this or that evil in the community, and who expect the editor to champion what they think is right.

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tor of the Pacific Monthly must have had Tillamook county in mind's eye when he penned the above, for there is no section of Oregon where there are as many opportunities and a country needs awakening as Tillamook.

A Few Thoughts for the Pupils of Our High Schools

[TO THE EDITOR TILLAMOOK HEADLIGHT.]

My young friends, you have taken a long stride in your search after an education. For seven or eight years you have been taught in the lower grades of our public schools, but you now are about to pass into the last and crowning department of our system of free public instruction, the high school.

The high school is dedicated to study, which the teachers will make so pleasant as they can; but you may as well understand, from the start, that unless you do study, it will be very unpleasant for you. In the lower grades, you have had much of your knowledge diluted or mixed, and given in homoeopathic doses in the shape of oral lessons.

Let nothing, then, but the direct necessity induce you to leave school. Run errands, chop wood, milk cows, fish, sell newspapers, do anything honorable to continue your education. Let your motto be, To him who wills, nothing is impossible.

When old and blind, Milton composed his immortal epic, Paradise Lost, and the unapproachable Iliad is supposed to be the work of Homer, 'the blind old man of Scio's rocky isle.'

A Good Certified Milk Story. As a general proposition the average householder knows what he bargains for, but he doesn't know what he gets, says the Indianapolis Journal.

"It makes me smile to read about sterilized milk," said a portly citizen who looked as if the germ-goblins hadn't got him yet. "I don't pay much attention to germs, myself, but my wife actually lies awake at night thinking what germ to be afraid of next.

"One day my wife had been down street, and as she came toward home she saw the gay milk chariot drawn up to a halt just around the corner. The driver, a 17-year-old boy, seemed to be pouring milk from a large can in the rear into some jars.

"What had you do that for?" she asked. "We haven't got bottles enough to go 'round, vet," he explained, "so I had to fill these after I had picked them up from other customers."

of school long before they were ready to graduate, whose education was stopped by just such indulgences.

Young America is proverbially fast. Our young people are too eager to enter business; they are unwilling to take time to prepare themselves for responsible positions, and therefore often fail to realize their cherished hopes.

Notice. I hereby give notice that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mrs. Johana Tomlinson, from this date, who has deserted my home.

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