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The Tillamook Headlight.

Editorial Snap Shots.

Business men say collections are slow. Perhaps some of their customers are standing them off and the money is going over the bars.

Send a copy of the annual edition of the Oregonian to your friends in the East and Middle West. It is full of valuable information about Oregon—and Tillamook as well.

If it is impossible under the city administration of Mayor Talmage to convict saloon keepers, then it is time to ask for a recall on all the city officials or agitate for a commission—not a saloon—form of government.

How funny. One person will step into the editor's sanctum and commend him for something he has written, while others will criticize and abuse him for the same article. This goes so prove that this depends on whose ox is being gored.

The sheriff has started in to collect taxes. The agency will soon be over for another year. Just as well put on a smiling countenance and happy disposition as to wear a long face or fret or fume, for the sheriff has got us all over the barrel.

Representative Beals has succeeded in getting \$1,500 incorporated in the expense bill of the state legislature for the fair to be held in this county. We hope he will succeed in keeping that amount there, but he have our doubts. But there is nothing like hustling, and no doubt Beals is doing his level best to secure the appropriation.

We have been pestered by an unusually large number of letters, already written, to send to this county's representatives in favor of the passage of a bill providing for a State Industrial Accident Commission. We did not do so, for it looks as though somebody must be looking for soft jobs with little work. The state has altogether too many commissions.

State Dairy and Food Commissioner Bailey is at the end of his political rope. Incompetency and petty pilfering appears to be the accusations brought against him, and from all appearance was holding down the job for the money that was in it and what he could get out of it. The state needs a live, energetic dairy and food commissioner, but not of the Bailey stripe.

We wish to extend our hearty congratulations to the daily Oregonian upon reaching its fiftieth birthday, with the hope that it will be as strong a factor in helping develop Oregon in the next fifty years as in the past, for all fair minded persons must admit that the daily Oregonian has done wonders in helping to boost all parts of the state.

For once the saloon interests in this city was rebuked. The attempt of Clyde Clements to deprive an old man like Joe Therlich of the lease of the building he now occupies deserves to be censured by all fair minded persons. To drag an old, respectable man into court, with practically no grounds upon which to base a case, is far from right and taking the time of the court with frivolous litigation.

The fiftieth anniversary number of the daily Oregonian was far in advance of all previous annual editions. It was certainly a crackerjack number, giving an enormous amount of useful information about Oregon, based on facts. This, with a profusion of pictures, makes it the most valuable edition ever published to boost the state. It is not only a commendable edition, but also shows the enormous strides the Oregonian, as well as the state, have taken the past fifty years.

City Attorney Willett ran up against "Tillamook Justice" last week, good and hard, and his keen sense of honor and justice received a rude shaking. He was prosecuting a clear case

of a saloon keeper selling whiskey to a drunken person. This was not disputed, but the city recorder contended that it was not a sale and freed the saloon keeper, who was not even defended at the trial by an attorney. Consequently the City Attorney feels as though the City Recorder is not giving him a square deal. Say, Tom, is that a dose of undefiled, straight Home Rule?

This is what Albert Tozier, for many years secretary of the Oregon Press Association and Past President National Editorial Association, wrote the editor in regard to the editors of this county getting together to boost Tillamook County:

"BRO. BAKER: Mighty glad to see the editors get together. Such moves help any county. Keep a fraternal feeling and forever boost. Don't cut prices. Boost your county and accept clean, legitimate advertising. I congratulate the Tillamook County editors."

As Mr. Tozier has been a great friend to the newspaper fraternity of this state, we accept his congratulation and appreciate his good advice in behalf of the booster editors of this county.

The local newspapers have been pounding away for a long time for paved streets and for cement sidewalk, and it looks as if something is to be done to bring about these improvements, which have been too long delayed. The dirty, filthy condition of the business streets is a disgrace and the old, rotten sidewalks all over the city are dangerous to pedestrians. There is a good deal of city property held for speculation, and these persons will do nothing to improve it until they are forced to by city ordinance, yet improvements of property by residents owners adjoining the same helps to enhance the value of vacant city lots. That is the reason, we contend, that an ordinance should be passed compelling all property owners to construct cement sidewalk in front of their property. It will be economy to do so, and those who are holding property, and who will do nothing to improve the city, will have to do so.

Our contemporary is advocating that the people of this city subscribe for and buy up mill sites, to be given to persons who may want to locate factories in or near this city. We should look at this matter from different view point. First, we are inclined to advocate patronizing all business and industrial enterprises in this city, which have been started on their own merit, without being subsidized, for no city can hope to succeed when the people trade in other places or cities. It may be necessary at some future date to offer inducements to obtain industries, but this should not be done in competition with those who have had to pay for their sites. For instance, the mill company was made to pay nearly \$10,000 for land alone, and some of which at exorbitant figures. But no one offered to help the company out, nor was anything asked, for it was a business venture and to help the city with a pay roll. We are ready to coincide with our contemporary to this extent, that those who come here to start factories should be protected in securing factory or mill sites from those who would hold them up. The snap shot man is not much stuck on bonus men, who usually sell out at the first opportunity, making the other fellow pay, while he pockets and gets out with the money.

Tillamook County was one of the best advertised counties in the fiftieth anniversary number of the Oregonian. Besides a general write up of the county, with other articles on railroad building into Tillamook, harbor improvements and dairying, the county had a page advertisement, which some of our leading citizens consider one of the most attractive advertisements in that number. However that may be, this year's annual edition of the Oregonian will be the means of bringing hundreds of new settlers into the Tillamook county. It also proves once more that it is the newspapers of Oregon that are doing the publicity work that counts. For instance, if person in the East or Middle West decides to come, say to Tillamook, they will invariably send for a copy of a county paper. The reason of this is they know

they well get facts about the country where they propose to locate, and this is the reason the local newspapers are receiving so many requests for sample copies of Tillamook papers.

GOVERNMENT MAY NOT BEAR EXPENSE.

Tillamook Taxpayers Must Show Reason for Improvement of Waterway.

Unless taxpayers of Tillamook Bay regions and residents of other places who have interests in that territory and are concerned in the improvement of the waterway file with the board of engineers, of the rivers and harbors committee, at Washington, additional reasons why the Government should shoulder the bulk of the expense in deepening the bay, there are prospects that the undertaking will not be commenced.

Major J. J. Morrow, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., was yesterday apprised from Washington that the board was of the opinion that the amount of present and prospective tonnage does not justify the estimated expenditure, but that before a final report was filed it was requested that those interested present additional data. That can be done in writing within six weeks or an oral hearing can be arranged for, the address given of the board of engineers being rooms 507 to 510 Colorado building, Washington, D. C.

Acting on the information conveyed Major Morrow caused letters to be forwarded to about 20 persons who had appeared at a hearing held here the latter part of December; when Colonel John Biddle, Major Kutz and Major Morrow sat as a board. At that time it was proposed that the Port of Bay City derive from taxation \$300,000 and that the Port of Tillamook secure \$400,000 to be merged with Government funds for the construction of two jetties at the mouth of the bay that would give a depth on the bar of 20 feet.

It was suggested to the special board that the channel to Bay City from the bar be dredged to 16 feet and to Tillamook 14 feet. It was estimated that the jetties would cost \$1,000,000, the dredging \$800,450 and \$20,000 was suggested for the annual maintenance of channels if Tillamook was included.

The board stated in the report forwarded to Washington that in the opinion of its members it was inadvisable to improve the road above Bay City and while the jetty estimate was not altered the dredging cost was dropped to \$144,000 and \$5000 recommended for the annual maintenance of the road from the bar to Bay City.

Even with that change Washington officials were advised by wire that the residents of Tillamook were willing to provide sufficient funds so that with the contribution of Bay City a total of \$436,000 could be turned over to the Government, it representing one-fourth the approximate cost.

The intelligence from Washington is in effect that the board of engineers does not concur in the opinion of the special board, as the Government would be called on to expend \$1,308,000, which they believe is not justified from a standpoint of commerce to be benefited or created. Major Morrow says that the official notification of the attitude of the board of engineers does not sound the death knell of the project, as there remains an opportunity on the part of the taxpayers further to exploit their showing as to the necessity for improvement.

Pneumonia Follows a Cold.

But never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar, which checks the cough and expels the cold. M. Stockwell, Hannibal, Mo., says, "It beats all the remedies I ever used. I contracted a bad cold and cough and was threatened with pneumonia. One bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar completely cured me." No opiates, just a reliable household medicine.—C. I. Clough.

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