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The Tillamook Headlight,

Editorial Snap Shots.

Some of Commissioner Alley's friends are talking of running him for commissioner at the general election.

It is proposed to have a May day clean up of the city—and a little fresh paint and fixing of side walks would be in order.

In the three corner race for the presidency, no one can tell whether Taft, Roosevelt or La Follette was the choice of the people.

If Geo. R. Edner, the nominee for county commissioner, is as good road builder as he is a house builder, he will make a good commissioner.

Don't feel grouchy because some of the candidates whom you favored were not nominated. Show the right spirit and get in and help elect the other fellows.

Senator Bourne said the people of Oregon were on trial. The verdict of the people of the state is that they have had enough of Bourneism and monkeying with representative government.

When Bro. Taylor's name is prefaced with "Judge" he will probably feel a little more dignified. But, surely, a country editor has enough troubles of his own without having to settle other people's disputes.

The lord chief justice of Nehalem proved himself a good runner in holding down that dignified position. It is now in order for Joe to fine his opponent for contempt of court in attempting to deprive him of that honorable position.

Considering that the Democrats have nominated mostly all the Republican nominees on their county ticket, it is about time that both parties got together in one happy political family—the G.O.P. annexing the Democratic mule.

Attorney C. W. Talmage's little boomlet for Congressman did not assume large proportions, for only nine of the unterrified brethren mustered up courage to vote for him. But he has this satisfaction, for he obtained nine votes to the snap shot man's one.

Political prophets in this neck of the woods predicted that Ben Selling would carry Multnomah county with a big majority and that Jonathan Bourne would capture the rural counties. The vote showed the opposite, for Bourne captured Multnomah and three or four other counties, Ben Selling carried all the other counties with big majorities, which insures his election.

If the vote in Oregon is any criterion to go by, the sentiment all over the country is divided between Taft, Roosevelt and La Follette, with the probability that neither will be nominated at the Republican national convention should Roosevelt develop much more strength. All three aspirants are prominent characters and each of them have a strong following. The question which now confronts the Republicans is whether the party will be able to get together or will be divided up into factions if either one of the three aspirants are nominated.

For the first time in a long while the immoral habits of some of the young men of this city received a wholesome lesson this week that will help to improve the moral condition of the community. No one is desirous of seeking young men sent to the penitentiary for statutory offences, but as conditions became such that public morals must be guarded, there was nothing left for the court to do but to make an example of the young men who were making white slave of young girls in this city. If all reports are true there are several other young men who should go over the road for the part they have played in the white slave traffic in this city. Parents who exercise no control over their daughters and allow them to roam the city at late hours and in the company of degenerates, are responsible and to blame in a great measure for their offsprings becoming white slaves.

It is easy enough to criticize distressing affairs like the loss of the Titanic while on terra firma, but considering the many vessels which cross the Atlantic it is surprising that accidents like this occur so often. Marine catastrophes have been recorded ever since men went to sea, and since passenger vessels have assumed such large proportions carrying 3000 human lives and war vessels of enormous weight stored with all kinds of explosives, when an accident happens these days it naturally follows that the loss of life must be great. We are living in a fast age, and people will travel in fast trains and fast vessels notwithstanding the terrible accidents which occur occasionally. Accidents happened just the same to slow trains and slow vessels. With such a large cargo of human freight on board the Titanic it is surprising that no panic ensued, and considering that the accident occurred at night and with so few boats available, it is somewhat surprising to us that such discipline prevailed on a newly commissioned vessel and so many lives were saved. There may have been a few mistakes committed in the hurry and bustle to save lives when it was seen that the vessel was doomed, but men and women when they saw no hope of rescue accepted the inevitable with coolness and resignation. Brave women would not leave their husbands, and brave officers who maintained discipline when 3000 persons saw death staring them in the face, was a condition of affairs which calls for commendation.

In some respects the present system of making nominations is no better, if not as good, as the convention system. The same selfish, personal and sectional animosities continue to exist. Because of lack of representation in years gone by, the adjoining counties swiped large timber tracks from this county, and now that an effort was made to have this county represented in the State Senate by a Tillamook man, 277 voters in this county cast their ballots against Tillamook county being represented. It was personal and sectional prejudice, as a glance at the tabulated returns will show, which prompted citizens to vote as they did. For instance, the voters in Fairview and South Prairie voted against Mr. Botts because of his connection with the Port of Tillamook and to get even with him, and Bay precinct voted against him because he was a Tillamook and not a Bay City man. This, to our way of thinking, is about on a par to a man cutting off his nose to spite his face, and the 277 citizens who voted to deprive Tillamook county of representation in the State Senate did so to satisfy their own animosities, caring little or nothing about the interests of the county. It was the same spirit which prompted some of the citizens in Bay, Fairview, South Prairie and Garibaldi precincts to vote against Commissioner Alley. Twenty-nine citizens in Nehalem precinct allowed their personal prejudices to sway them and vote against the man who has obtained more and accomplished more to open up the Nehalem country than any man in the county, who obtained many new roads and bridges for the north part of the county. Little petty, personal and sectional jealousies have played its part in the primary election, and when it is carried to such an extent as to deprive Tillamook county of representation in the State Senate it looks to us that some of our citizens

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BITULITHIC STANDS HEAVIEST TRAFFIC

Traffic-Census Taken on Fifth Street, Heaviest Traffic Street in Portland, Substantiates Assertion.

In connection with any subject, accurate figures not only establish the facts of the last analysis, but they lend interest through their very illumination. It is therefore interesting and, it may be accepted also by the open-minded as conclusive also, to record here the result of a traffic census, which has come to the notice of local people, taken on Fifth street, one of the busiest thoroughfares in Portland's business district, last Wednesday. The census figures are vouched for by the parties taking them, and serve to substantiate the claim that Bitulithic will stand the heaviest of traffic, at a maintenance cost amounting to practically nothing during long terms of years. The Bitulithic on the stated street in Portland was laid in 1905, seven years ago, and officials records of that municipality show that the maintenance cost has been practically nil.

The traffic census follows, as taken last Wednesday during that day's business hours:

A total of 2,605 vehicles passed the census-taker, by careful and actual count. There were 37 one-half ton loads; 904 one-ton; 274 two and one-half-ton; 218 two-ton; 202 two and one-half ton; 193 three-ton; 133 three and one-half ton; 142 four-ton; 56 four and one-half ton; 76 five-ton and 71 five and one-half ton loads, all included in the foregoing total of 2,605 vehicles.—Olympian.

Win. L. Cook, Prop. the Bee Five Drug Store, Neilhart, Mont., says the Neilhart is the most picturesque spot in all Montana. He writes, "I recommend Foley's Honey and Tar Compound to all my customers and am never disappointed. It gives the best results for coughs and colds of anything I sell." Chas. I. Clough Co.

The Church and the Kingdom of God

For 4000 years men conceived the idea of worshipping God before either the Kingdom of God or the church were instituted. From the beginning to Abraham men sought to please God by offering a sacrifice. Next came the promise to Abraham, the institution of circumcision, and the law of Moses, and establishment of the Synagogue.

The preaching by John and Jesus of the kingdom of heaven at hand marks the beginning of the Christian religion. Christ satisfied the worship by sacrifice, by offering himself, and the law by fulfilling it. God was revealed in Spirit. The church was established to accommodate the new religion, for those accepting it, were cast out of the synagogue, and denounced.

The distinction between the synagogue and church was that one promoted the law of God, the other the Kingdom of God. There was but one law of God and there is only one Kingdom of God. There were different sects of Jews as there are of Christians because they choose to adopt tenets that were irrelevant to either the law or kingdom. There could be but one church if all men confined them, selves to the one purpose for which the church was instituted.

The protestant religion is the limit of distance from the kingdom of God. There could be no greater opposition. A child born under paganism has no less ideas of God and his kingdom than the child born and raised in any protestant church, for the kingdom of God has been abandoned completely. The church itself is the only objective point.

My grandfathers on both my Father's and Mother's side had a dozen children each. Their children or the second generation less than one-half that number. My generation less than a quarter. At the same ratio the fourth generation will completely exterminate our existence. What is true in my case is true with the great mass of the protestant born race. Self extermination is the unwritten pass word of protestantism.

A few days ago the Mormons is

sued a statement of increase by the number of births, but the protestant child has no recognition until he makes a profession of a second birth. It appears to me from the best information I can get that nine-tenths of the children that should be born to recuperate the protestant church are either prevented entirely, murdered from conception to birth, or else fail to attain the second birth. Once I was proud of being a protestant but long years of experience has convinced me that it is a failure, that it does not pertain to the Kingdom of God.

There is no need of a new church. What we need is to return to the old principles, for which the church was instituted.

The Kingdom of God is the issue. It was the only thing that Christ preached, or that He ever authorized any one else to. On the terms of repentance to the Jew, and a free gift to the Gentile. There is but two sides of the question. We either enjoy God's approval or else that sense of banishment and disapproval. We are either a subject of his Kingdom or we are not.

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