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**THE TILLAMOOK HEADLIGHT.**

**Editorial Snap Shots.**

Liquor dealers who violate law and come before Judge Belt may expect heavy sentences, if the case decided this week is and criterion to go by.

So the House voted to limit the importation of liquor into the state per month to two quarts of liquor or 24 quarts of beer. The House broke faith with the people, for the constitutional amendment did not say one word about limiting the importation of liquor.

Judge Belt did not have much faith in the affidavit filed by Attorney Oak Nolan in the Hadley case, for he denied the motion to have the case reopened. If newspapers published such libelous matter and argued that a pack of lies were gospel truth, the newspaper men would be sued for damages, and we contend that where attorneys make false accusations in complaints and affidavits they should be liable for damage suits. Attorneys who swear to falsehoods should be disbarred, and we understand that an effort is to be made to disbar Nolan.

It will not be long before the whole county will become interested in and demand a hard surfaced highway through the county, to become part of the great Columbia Highway, which will become one of the most picturesque highway in the United States. A "Tillamook Highway" would add to the picturesque of the Columbia Highway, for there is no grander scenery to be found anywhere that can be seen in Tillamook County. Coming into the county by way of Necarney Mountain, through Nehalem, down the South side of the Nehalem bay and thence along the beach to Garibaldi, through Bay City, Tillamook, Hemlock, Beaver, Cloverdale and out by way of Little Nestucca, this will make the prettiest driveway in Oregon, and we don't make any exceptions. Get the "Tillamook Highway" spirit and boost for this improvement.

Bro. Trombley showed a grouchy, knocking disposition when he jumped out to the Gossip, with the impression that Calvin Worrall was editing it, and his uncalled for attack on that gentleman on Friday showed that he intended to rub it into Worrall. We are sorry to see Bro. Trombley make himself so ridiculous, but he is deserving of some censure. Because a visitor to the club abused the privileges granted to him, it was unfair to single out the secretary for abuse and accuse him of things that were not true. Several members of the Club, it appears, asked the corn doctor to provide a little entertainment, but we do not believe that any of them, not even Attorney Talmage who introduced the visitor with complimentary remarks, thought that he would resort to smutty poetry. It was because of this that the visitor was not asked to speak at the banquet. The toastmaster thought that silent contempt was the best way to treat such individuals.

We are quite aware that some of the timber men have made a persistent fight against County Judge Mason, and no doubt they are in high glee that the supreme court has decided that his term of office expired the first of the year. In the matter of road and bridge improvements, Judge Mason can point to some very great improvements that have taken place during his administration, work that is permanent and of a substantial character, and he had the grit to start hard surfaced roads, which is the most economical and satisfactory road to construct for the main highway through this county. There is something very characteristic about some of the people of Tillamook County. They are too prone to jump onto and knock those who bring about or advocate improvements instead of complimenting the progressive citizens and county officials for hard work done along those lines. As County Judge-elect Hare is thorough-

ly familiar with the needs of the county and the value of timber and farm lands, and the need of good roads, we believe he will take hold of the office with a determination to push the good road movement along as rapidly as possible. We do not venture too much when we say we expect to see most of the main thoroughfare through the county hard surfaced during Mr. Hare's term of office. This is something the people want, and as the maintenance charges on macadam roads are getting bigger every year, it is economy to build hard surfaced roads in the future. Mr. Hare steps into the office of county judge respected by the citizens of the county, and we are convinced he will do about the right thing.

**Scientific or Sentimental.**

A Louisville physician declares the Wisconsin eugenic marriage law, so-called "sentimental bosh." It does seem to be at least more sentimental than scientific. The major objection to most, if not all, of the "eugenic" legislation and agitation, is that it is pitched upon the plane of melodrama. The agitators copy the claptrap of the theatre. And no matter what else the theatre may be it is not a school of eugenics.

Upon the stage there is no money-maker's opportunity in a coldly scientific discussion of the ill effects of the marriage of the merely physical unfit. There is, of course, a rich profit in discussing the ranks as a villain and the innocent bride as a victim. A more scientific, and even a more dramatic, play than the Brieux masterpiece might be written with tuberculosis as the theme. But it would not be popular. The public grows sentimental about the tubercular hero or heroine, but would not accept a sufferer from tuberculosis, or some other wholly "moral" disease, as a villain. There is nothing, we believe, in the Wisconsin law that prohibits the marriage of a woman who is suffering from a communicable disease, yet in the individual with tuberculosis is as unfit for parenthood as anyone could be. Nature takes no account of causes and makes no distinction between the individual who is unfit to marry without being in any way responsible for that condition and the one whose unfitness may be considered discreditable as well as unfortunate.

In order to proceed with promise of being useful legislators interested in eugenics must get away from sentiment and consider such scientific facts as may be useful. And they must face the fact that while the objects of eugenic laws are excellent it will be difficult, if indeed it proves possible, to restrain by laws persons who should not marry, but insist upon doing so.

**Collier's Caustic Critics.**

Only satisfactory laws from Jefferson City will be the hand made ones; machine-made laws never suit.

Los Angeles was wise; she had herself built where she couldn't be shot up by battleships.

Brand Whitlock is having the time of his life in Belgium, but it can't be said he is enjoying it.

Violet rays can do so much, why not substitute them for single guns?

"Earthquake" is a word that is out of San Francisco's vocabulary. Remember this: It is always "Before the fire," when you are talking to a San Franciscan. Hereafter, any shake will be merely a "seismic tremor."

Census Bureau says the population of Cleveland next April will be 701,803. The particularity of statistics is exhibited in that final "3." If there is anything that is cocksure it is the census.

Dismal Pasha announces that the Italian flag will be saluted. Dismal is our composite of several of them.

We all know how to save the government \$1,000,000 a day, but hanged if anybody seems smart enough to cut down his own average daily expenditure by as much as 50 cents.

They can write all the stories they please about luxury in the trenches, but we'll never be convinced that the officers sleep in lavender silk pajamas even if that should be the next yarn.

Senator McBride, Speaker Selling and Representatives Grier, Cobb and Stewart can boast of having introduced no bills during the session. Whether the temptation to become the author of some measure will prove too strong for each of the men before the session is over, remains to be seen. All of them have kept an eagle eye on bills introduced, however, and have signified their intention of continuing to do so.

**THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH.**

Services next Sunday at the Chapel in the Masonic Building. Holy Eucharist 11:00 A. M., and Evensong at 7:30 P. M. Everybody welcome. Sunday School at 10 A. M. Rev. F. O. Jones, Vicar.

**Interesting Scraps.**

Senator Burton is one of the few Senators who can filibuster without having to read irrelevant matter from dictionaries and encyclopedias to kill time.

The future of the Federal Commission on Industrial Relations is assured, since Samuel Untermyer has become the guide philosopher and friend.

Postal savings deposits have increased \$3,000,000 a month since the outbreak of the war, which is probable about the same amount that foreign money order business has decreased.

The report of the Federal Commission on Industrial Relations would contain more information if the commission summoned more witnesses like John Mitchell and fewer like Amos Pinchot.

Villa accuses Gutierrez and associates of looting the Mexican treasury of ten million pesos. But since he fails to describe the iron bound chest in which the money was placed his charge is not credited.

Whatever the glowing predictions of the astrologers, human experience teaches that the Sayre youngster will not amount to much until he overcomes the handicap of being called the White House baby.

In Mexico, the merchant, professional man, business man or circus proprietor is compelled to make good on his advertisements, but the Mexican president or general is not expected to live up to any advance notices.

An American miner is reported to have been killed because he shouted a viva for the wrong Mexican. Residents of Mexico should scan the morning papers before giving any vivas. In fact, people everywhere will find it to their advantage to read the morning papers.

An interesting effort to stimulate trade is the "buy it now" campaign, started by the Agricultural Publishers Association. It is particularly an appeal to the farmers to buy early the implements and materials that they would in any case buy in the spring. The Southern farmers may feel poor, though with the enormous cotton crop they are not so badly off as they imagine. But the Northern farmers have more money than they ever had before, and in the wheat belt, especially, there is the highest degree of prosperity, for an unprecedented wheat crop is attended by almost unprecedented prices. They certainly ought to be willing to spend money, that they are going to spend in any case, before the very last minute.

The Southern cotton grower may not feel like joining in the general agricultural jubilation over the best year ever, but he is not nearly so bad off as he imagines. If the price of cotton is low, the amount of cotton is enormous, and the value is \$510,000,000. It has only been delayed in its outward movement; it is now leaving the country freely. In spite of a loss of \$300,000,000 in the farm value of the cotton crop, the aggregate value of farm products is not much below \$10,000,000,000, and runs \$83,000,000 above the unprecedented figures for last year. Corn is worth \$10,000,000 more than last year; wheat is worth \$268,000,000 more; oats \$60,000,000 more and all animal products were much higher in value, with very slight increase in production during the year, except in the case of sheep and swine. War may delay, but it can't prevent the general prosperity that so good an agricultural report promises.

Many portions of President Wilson's speech to the convention of the American Electric Railway Association are subject to criticism but his statement that he has met many men whose horns dropped away the moment he was permitted to examine their character is filled with truth. Most of the prejudices of the world are based on misunderstanding. Knowledge is the greatest dehorner extant. During the week Mother Jones, who has been regarded as a professional trouble-maker by many excellent people, had a personal conference with John D. Rockefeller, Jr. At its conclusion she declared that the young millionaire had been "terribly misrepresented." She confessed that she had participated in the misrepresentation. Mr. Rockefeller has not given the public a statement as to his impressions of Mother Jones, but it is altogether likely that his views of this earnest old woman were likewise greatly altered by the conference.

There is evidence that the farmer is not at all dazed by his good fortune. Instead, he is working a longer day, increasing the acreage of his wheat land, and strengthening his farm pro-

duction in every department. It will require little more evidence of this rural opulence to swell the "back-to-the-land" cry to a grand chorus and move many a city dweller to seek an independence on the farm that he has not been able to find in urban life. In the resultant farm expansion the distribution of population should be spread on more equitable lines and the present congestion of labor in the cities will be relieved to some degree. No one will begrudge the farmer his well earned prosperity. His labor is exhausting and too often ill rewarded and while the increased price of his products will levy some toll against the dinner table, the net result will be to help the business of the whole country enormously.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

During the discussion of the resolution to submit a constitutional amendment providing for woman suffrage, Representative Stanley Bowdle of Cincinnati, the one-term congressman who defeated Nicholas M. Longworth in 1912 through the defection of some ardent friends of the latter's father-in-law, indulged in some remarks which were shocking even to some of the most pronounced anti-suffragists. His speech was devoid of taste, to use the mildest characterization. But Mr. Bowdle is still pleased with his effort. There have been some resolutions of censure adopted by organizations in Ohio, but he regards these lightly. When informed that one individual had called his speech the "foulest heard in congress" during his memory, Mr. Bowdle merely smiled and remarked that copies of his remarks was greater than he could supply. He intimated that he had been deluged with letters of congratulation. This may be no exaggeration. The extreme utterances are those which elicit the greatest amount of commendation. Every man in public life should bear this fact in mind. One cannot measure the sentiment of the country by the letters he receives.

**Tillamook High School Notes.**

The Tillamook High School basketball team met defeat at the hands of Jefferson High School of Portland last Friday evening. The score was 35 to 15. The home team played a good game, but was not as able at throwing baskets.

Saturday Jefferson defeated the Alumni by a score of 36 to 11. Jefferson has not suffered a single defeat this season. The high school team made the largest score which they have allowed their opponents. After Friday's game the Alumni gave a dance in the Commercial Club rooms in honor of the visiting team. Saturday the High School gave them a trip to Bayocean where the Natatorium had been opened for the day. The lineup of the teams were:

Jefferson	T. H. S.	Alumni	H. S.
Shandeling 14	F	Erickson 6	
Buik 6	F	Maddux 4	
Capt. Bonney 15	C	Capt. 6 Wallace	
Everett	G	Mason	
Maurice	G	Boquest	
Referees: Rhodes and Jamison.		Score, Jefferson 35; Tillamook H. S. 16.	
Jefferson 36		Alumni 11	
Shandeling 4	F	Stanley	
Burke 8	F	Ebinger 3	
Capt. Bonney 22	C	Crenshaw 4	
Everett 2	G	Hare 2	
Maurice	G	Stam 2	
Referees: Rhodes and Jamison.			

**Stock For Sale.**

I am leaving this ranch the first of March, I have for sale:  
2 fine 2 year old heifers freshen in March, 2 yearling heifers, 1 sow and six nice pigs, six weeks old, 1st of March, 1 breed sow, find pigs middle of May, 1 saddle mare 7 years old partly broke to drive single or double, 1 two seated light hack in good condition, 1 set single harness. Reasonable prices. D. B. Marshall, Hemlock, Ore. Alex Watts' ranch, Yellow Fir Mill.

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**PERSIAN GULF PEARLS.**

**The Divers Are Practically Slaves of the Boat Masters.**

Bombay, noted for its pearl markets, is not a pearl producer, though the gems are bought there for shipment to all parts of the world. The pearls sold in Bombay come from the Bahrein Islands, a small archipelago on the western side of the Persian gulf, which, although adjacent to territory under the control of Turkey, is governed by an independent sheik under special British protection, the British government maintaining a political agent there.

Of this group of islands only those of Bahrein and Maharak are of any size. Their importance, however, is out of all proportion to their extent, for they are the great center of the Persian gulf pearl fisheries, which are the world's chief source of supply for pearls. The sheik of Bahrein is said to have a customs revenue amounting to about \$400,000 per year, which makes him the richest ruler in the Persian gulf. The pearl fisheries under his control may in a good year bring to his islands as much as \$2,500,000.

**SCRAPS AND A DINNER.**

**A French Chef's Feast With Food That Had Been Discarded.**

A year or two ago I was chef in a country gentleman's household in England. The morning after my arrival I looked around the kitchen garden, and in the dust bin that stood in the back yard I saw a mixture of food that could have been turned into a first class dinner.

In about four quarts of milk that had turned sour were swimming stale half loaves, drumsticks of fowls, old ham bones, cold boiled potatoes, trimmings of dough made for piercests, cracked eggs, some old codfish and some spoiled macaroni.

Next day I found a second consignment, very similar, about to be carried away and thrown out. I stopped this lot, sorted it out and, with the help of a little stock, half a dozen eggs and a hare that had been shot on the estate, served a seven course dinner for a family of ten that night, and the master of the household called me up and complimented me before the whole family on the best dinner they had had for a year.

Afterward his wife sent for me and told me that, though pleased with the dinner, she feared I had been too extravagant and said that her rule was not to allow more than 7 shillings per head in housekeeping. It was a severe shock to her to hear I had fed the family on the sins of the cook that had left the day before, the cost being not over ninepence per head.—From an Interview With a French Chef in National Food Magazine.

**The Market in Cauls.**

We believe that there is still some market for cauls among sailors, who retain their belief in the efficacy of the membranes as a protection against shipwreck and drowning. Notices of "Cauls For Sale Within" were to be seen recently in windows in the vicinity of the docks of both London and Liverpool, but it is some time since we have noticed an advertisement of a caul for sale in the daily press. It may be remarked that the sale of cauls, so far from being a very ancient custom, is a comparatively modern innovation. The witchcraft of the middle ages declared against the caul retaining any virtue whatever if parted with by gift or sale to any but a member of the child's kindred.—London Lancet.

**The Struggle.**

The road to eminence and power from an obscure condition ought not to be made too easy nor a thing too much of course. If rare merit be the rarest of all things it ought to pass through some sort of probation. The temple of honor ought to be seated on an eminence. If it be open through virtue let it be remembered, too, that virtue is never tried but by some difficulty and some struggle.—Burke.

**Tangled Up in Boston.**

Hank—Ever in Boston. Bill? Bill—Yep. Hank—Get tangled up any? Bill—A little. I stole a pup from a front porch, run two miles with him and stopped to rest right on de same front porch I stole him from.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

**A Spanking Team.**

"Now, Tommy, this little story says, 'The rich man had a spanking team.' Now, what's a 'spanking team'?" "I know, My pa and ma's one."—Baltimore American.

**Astronomy Versus Art.**

Professor—Has anything ever been discovered on Venus? Student—No, sir, there has not—if the pictures are correct.—Judge.

That action is not warrantable which either blushes to beg a blessing or, having succeeded, does not present a thanksgiving.—Quarles.

The residents of Mexico City consider the rustling of provisions the chief duty of a provisional president.

While Mr. Wilson is captain of the team, Mr. Gompers does some very effective work coaching on the sidelines.

A bill to place the state judiciary on a non-partisan basis, similar to that proposed and defeated at the November election, is one of the measures pending before the judiciary committee in the House. The measure was introduced by Representative Handley, of Tillamook, and is indorsed by some of the leading attorneys in the state. The committee has taken no action and may be governed by the fact that the people rejected a similar plan at the polls although by a narrow margin.

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