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THE TILLAMOOK HEADLIGHT.

Editorial Snap Shots.

Tillamook County's big pay roll for road work this month should help solve the money stringency for a few weeks, for it places a big wad in circulation.

Some business men pay \$50.00 to \$100.00 a month for rent and nothing for advertising. But the man who spends money on judicious advertising gets the business.

Portland is boasting, and have a right to, because of the Columbia Highway. Let's get even with the metropolis of Oregon, and have a Tillamook Highway that for scenic beauty would eclipse the Columbia Highway.

If the Democratic free trade have knocked the bottom out of the lumber and dairy industries, it must be that it must have also knocked the values of timber and dairy lands. That being the case, how can county assessors make the same assessments on these lands when they are not worth as much as they were last year?

What's the use of beefing if it costs an additional \$450,000 a year to run the municipal government of Portland? The people voted for the new commission system, and now they have obtained it, why, they didn't ought to beef about the extra cost. The Oregon System has proved its li to be a great tax eating institution in many ways.

Of course the home team was the best base ball players in the two games on Sunday and Monday, but they showed a magnanimous spirit when, by a few errors, they gave the game to the visitors on Monday. Well the Harriman's would have felt bad to have been defeated twice. However, they were good, clean enjoyable ball games and afforded plenty of amusement.

It pays to advertise. When making a trip by auto to Southern Oregon, we were a little surprised when approaching the city limits of a certain town to hear a man stationed there yell out at the top of his voice "Tillamook's wet! The town's wet." but somehow one don't have that dry feeling on entering a "wet" city as they do when they enter a "dry" territory. The saloon keepers however believe in advertising and this is how the tourists were advised of the fact.

The dual system of citizenship will cause lively discussion in the United States before many moons. And it is right and proper that it should, for it is beginning to dawn on our citizens that a large number of naturalized citizens are showing a decided leaning towards the countries from which they came and are openly opposed to what President Wilson and the government think is the right and proper course for this country to pursue while the European countries are at war. Some drastic measure should be inaugurated to eliminate this dual system of citizenship, which is liable to cause serious complications now that these naturalized citizens have shown so much antagonism to the United States.

We are sorry we have upset Bro. Trombley's apple cart, or, to be more correct, those who inspired the editorial criticizing the snap shot man. We feel sorry if we have hurt their feelings and punctured their hide. But, say, Bro. Trombley, the litigants made a great smudge in accusing the City Council of being bribed, and dined and wined, etc., and now they are falling all over themselves to take "hush money" from those who put up the money for the gay old time the city duds had while inspecting pavement. Well, isn't it funny, Bro. Trombley, and enough to make a Cheshire cat laugh when we see the great transformation that have come about. Hush, hush, hush, Bro. Trombley, are you getting any "hush money" for publishing those editorials?

Carl Haberlach is now having the most strenuous time and difficult task in disposing of Tillamook cheese since he handled that industry, but considering everything he is doing wonderfully well. It ought to convince him that many of our so-called political reformers are a pack of humbugs when it comes down to dealing with actual business conditions. And that is the reason why Mr. Haberlach is up against a hard problem right now in doing his best to maintain the price of cheese at a good figure. Conditions have been decided against him and will continue to be as long as free trade is allowed to interfere with the dairy business. This experience will, surely modify Mr. Haberlach's ideas some, for in his younger days he was raised and nurtured with one of U'Ren's sucking bottles in his mouth, imbibing those "reform" nostrums and he even went to that extreme and opposed the

party that gave the dairymen protection. Well, now that he can see from actual experience what the so-called political reformers have done to the cheese industry, he will not be so ready to take up with the progressive and "reform" party in the future.

There is a difference of 4c. a pound in the price of cheese, thanks to the free trade policy of our Democratic friends. It is what Bro. Trombley advocated—reduction in the cost of living. The free trade medicine has one good feature. It puts everything on the slump that comes in contact with it, and that is the reason the cheese market is on the slump and the dairymen's checks greatly reduced in value. But, then, the snap shot man is only a bad wicked Republican "stand pater" who predicted what was going to happen to the Tillamook dairymen if they voted for the free trade policy. We want to ask them now who is their best friend, the snap shot man or Bro. Trombley, the free trade advocate who fought for a reduction in the price of farm products and placing most everything that is raised or manufactured in Tillamook County on the free list and in competition with cheap labor of foreign countries?

One thing that interested us in the trip to Southern Oregon, was the public park at Ashland. All the towns from here to Ashland have made remarkable progress and growth, and many of them have very pretty spots, but what attracted our attention most was the pretty park at Ashland, which was partly finished. It is situated by the side of a hill with a stream of water flowing through it, with large shade trees. This has been turned into an exceedingly pretty spot and beautified with flowers, water falls, rustic seats, camp and picnic grounds, lawn tennis, swings, etc. An ideal place to spend a hot day under the shade of trees. Ashland is to be commended on its pretty park, and the large crowds that patronize it show how thoroughly it is enjoyed. Whoever planned the park and splendid ideas are to be commended for the artistic manner in which everything is so nicely arranged. One feature that is to be added to the park will also be an attraction. It is proposed to pipe the different mineral waters into the park and the citizens and visitors will be allowed to drink these mineral waters free of cost. The scheme is a good one and will attract visitors to that city. The snap shot man was sorry this feature of the park was not finished when he was there, for he surely would have had a mineral booze on had it been completed.

Another Bay City Editor has gone by the board, and at the same time he gained some experience in attempting to run a paper where the field is not large enough to support it. Anyway, business men who dabble in the newspaper business as a side issue with the expectation of controlling it for business or political reasons, generally get "stung" good and hard. Everybody who have attempted it in Tillamook County have gone through that experience, and, no doubt others will try it with a like experience and financial loss, only to admit that they had fooled away a lot of good money for nothing. But there are not so many business men now who want to throw away their money in that manner. When Bro. Smith first came to Tillamook he discussed the newspaper situation in this county with the snap shot man, and although he did not agree with us then and thought the we were prejudiced, he now acknowledges that we were right and he ought to be kicked. Well, he is kicked out of the Bay City Examiner. There were some good traits about Bro. Smith, and he was giving Bay City a fairly good newspaper. We hope he will have better luck next time. It takes a large population to make and support newspapers, and where the population is small and scattering, such as exists outside of Tillamook City, it is a hard matter for newspapers to make a living, and as for bona fide subscribers, they only amount to a comparatively few, which was the case with the Bay City Examiner. Our advice to business men who own newspaper plants with the idea that it is going to help them in a business or political way, is to get rid of the plants as soon as possible. They are an expensive and unsatisfactory luxury and generally acts as a boomerang. There are even now in Tillamook those who will admit that the snap shot man is preaching the gospel truth in this respect, for they have been "stung."

More Taxes.

We are informed from Washington that the administration is about to turn to the problem of ways and means, says the Globe Democrat. This we are quite sure, is wrong as to tense. The administration turned to the problem of ways and means a long time ago. It created the problem at the very beginning by putting into practice the favorite Democratic theory that the revenue can be maintained by reducing the income. The result which could have been revealed in advance by a simple calculation in elementary arithmetic, was a deficit, a continuing and growing deficit. Where before had been a full purse was now an empty pocket, with a hole in it. To fill the pocket an income tax was created, and to that was added a war tax, levying special tolls upon bankers, brokers, commission merchants, proprietors of amusement places, tobacco dealers and manufacturers, and stamp tax upon all kinds of commercial papers. But they didn't mend the pot.

And now we are told that the administration is contorted with the necessity—mark the word!—of raising at least \$75,000,000 and possibly \$200,000,000 more revenue per annum than is being raised under the present extraordinary laws. The war tax law now in force will expire by limitation December 31, but it is to be re-enacted with increased rates, and with many additions to the schedules. It is reported that among the additions will be a tax on gasoline and possibly automobiles, and an industrial rev-

enue tax on flour, salt, sugar, coffee and tea is said to be under consideration. It has been stated that the sugar schedule of the tariff law may be so amended to increase instead of diminish the revenue from that important staple, but that is hardly probable, for it would be treason and heresy and a number of other reprehensible things. The deficit must be made up by direct taxation, and it must be continued as long as the hole in the pocket remains. That hole will not be repaired until the Democratic party moves out and the Republican party moves in.

State Press Flashlights.

On the walls of a cafeteria in Portland there hangs a sign: "Forget your present worries this hour. A year from now you'll laugh at them." Pretty good advice and makes you dead sure of a good lunch—if you can do it.—Itemizer.

Hillsboro Independent.—Portland has discovered that commission government is costing more than by former council, whose extravagance caused the change, and newspapers supporting the two sides of the question are engaged in a merry scrap. The Oregonian doesn't see improvement to justify the extra cost, while when the Journal's argument is boiled down it is found to be that the people must rule, and d-n the cost.

Last year women at the beaches were allowed to eliminate the long skirt. This year they are allowed to eliminate stockings. Next year—we shall spend our vacation at the bathing beaches.—Dallas Observer.

Tut, tut, Brother Cates. Have a care. Of course you mean that next year stockings and skirts will again be required, but there are evil minded persons who might draw wrong conclusions and take it that you believed the elimination would continue.—Hillsboro Independent.

There is no good excuse for continuing the two-telephone system in Portland or any other city of Oregon. The fearful extra burden of expense, borne by home owners and business men, might be justified if the state had no power to regulate rates and service. But the state has the power—it can force a telephone monopoly to charge fair and reasonable rates and to render good service. We complain about high taxes, and we submit to paying for two telephone systems without a murmur. Consolidation should be accomplished within the next few years, else the two systems will continue to grow side by side until the capital investment and expense will have assumed to enormous proportions. The public ultimately has to pay all this expense, and the sooner consolidation is effected, the less the public will have to pay.—Oregon Voter.

The prohibitionists of Oregon are not entirely satisfied with the prohibition law that will go into effect January 1. It will not prohibit the people of the state from getting about all they want of intoxicants and there will in all likelihood be more private consumption at homes than at present. It is a law, as probably intended by the liquor men, to disgust the people to such an extent that they may repeal it, yet it may lead them into the idea of prohibiting importation. The majority of the people were for prohibition but the legislature was not. There is a hint that the supreme court will declare this law or the legislative action unconstitutional, and to many a prohibitionist in the state such a decision would be welcomed, for the law as doctored by the legislature is simply a screaming farce and slap in the face of every conscientious prohibitionist of Oregon.—Woodburn Independent.

The county clerk who gets a 50c or \$1 commission from the stationery house, and the county commissioner who gets to per cent from the road machinery house, are getting scarcer and scarcer. A few are left, with their dirty mits out for a tip, and there are a few business firms still willing to risk giving these hand-sawing handouts. One firm in the printing line is notorious all over the Pacific Northwest for these out-of-date methods. Its business has been falling off of late, as the majority of public officials are of higher type than the contemptible little grafters who don't know any better than to try to make pin money by sneak-thief methods. One firm in the road machinery line has been bumped pretty heavily of late, for they started out on the theory that every county commissioner was a crook, and they were willing to play the game along crooked lines.—Oregon Voter.

Under date of August 16, democratic papers carried dispatches saying that "President Woodrow Wilson today began the task of mapping out his program for national defense." There was remarkable truth in the word "began." Only a short while ago President Wilson was declaring that there had been no neglect of national defense. The platform on which Wilson was elected was silent on preparedness. The republican platform was drawn by men who had both the knowledge to understand national needs and the courage to say what they believe. They wrote these words: "We believe in the maintenance of an adequate navy for the national defense and we condemn the action of the democratic house of representatives in refusing to authorize the construction of battle ships." On August 16, 1915, when he began planning for national defense, President Wilson paid a magnificent tribute to the wisdom, foresight and courage of the men who wrote the republican platform in June, 1912.—Astorian.

The politician who is always ready to jump sideways at the railroads and holler for the "deer pull" is usually employing no one but himself at the public expense. According to the complications just completed by the auditing department of

the O. W. R. & N. Company for 1914, the company has expended for wages, taxes, construction and for other purposes incident to the conduct of its business in Oregon, Washington and Idaho an aggregate of \$15,573,335. This is \$50,893 for each working day of the year. Although the exact proportion of this amount that went for labor has not been compiled, the company announces that a large per cent of their operating and maintenance expense is chargeable to labor. Outside of operating expense, which represents two thirds of the expenditure for the appropriation for investment and construction, totaling over three million dollars, was the highest charge for the year. The company paid in taxes \$1,416,745. These figures are impressive, as showing the large part the railroad plays in contributing to the industrial prosperity of the community it serves. Were one to trace the extent to which the industries are dependent upon the railroad for their growth and welfare, its influence be manifest into the very foundation of our industrial activity.—News Reporter.

PREMIUM LIST FOR HOME STEADER'S FAIR.

To Be Held At Nestucca Grange Hall September 18th.

Below will be found the premium list for the Homesteader's Fair to be held at the Nestucca Grange Hall on September 18.

- FARM.**
1. Best General Display by a homesteader. First prize, \$5.00 offered by Tillamook County Bank, 2nd prize \$2.50 worth of merchandise by King & Smith Co.
 2. Best Farm Display by anyone. 1st prize, silver cup, by First National Bank of Tillamook, Ore., 2nd prize, \$2.50 by R. C. Magarrell.
 3. Best Display of Grasses by a Homesteader, 1st prize, \$2.50, 2nd prize \$1.50 offered by Alex. McNair to be paid in mdse.
 4. Six Best Onions, 1st prize 60c 2nd prize 40c offered by Tillamook Mercantile Company, Cash.
 5. Best Bunch of Oats, A \$1.00 buggy whip. Offered by W. A. Williams. 2nd prize 50c by Nestucca Grange.
 6. Best Three Cabbage. 1st prize 75c worth Baking Powder, 2nd prize 25c worth Baking Powder offered by Conover & Condit, Grocery Store.
 7. Best Display of Clover, by a Homesteader. 1st prize, pitchfork, 2nd, Bull Chain given by Lamar's Variety Store.
 8. Best Display of Potatoes by a boy under 15 years of age. 1st prize, \$1.00 knife by H. Mason & Co.
 9. Best Squash, by boy under 15 years of age. 1st prize \$2.25 sweater, 2nd prize, stick pin and cuff holders valued at \$1.00, offered by R. E. Wilson.

- DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT**
10. 1 Chocolate and one Coconut cake. 1st prize, comforter valued at \$1.50 offered by Ammer Furniture Co., 2nd prize, stand cover valued at \$1.00, by W. H. Guest, Novelty Store.
 11. Best Loaf of Bread by girl under 18 years of age. 1st prize 50c, 2nd 40c. Tillamook Meat Co.
 12. Best Display of Cakes. 1st Prize Gilt frame picture, offered by Grand Leader.
 13. Best Loaf of Bread made from Vim Flour. Prize 1 sack of Vim flour. Tillamook Feed Co.
 14. Best Display of Canned Fruit, 1 doz. half-gallon fruit jars. Offered by The Satisfaction Store.
 15. Best Trio of Chickens, any breed. 1st prize, \$1.50 can Clough's Carbolic compound, 2nd 1 qt. can of Clough's Carbolic Compound. C. I. Clough Co.
 16. Best Can of Peaches. Prize, set of beauty pins valued at \$1.00. Offered by Jenkin's Jewelry Store.
 17. Best Display of fancy work. 1st prize, mdse. valued at \$3.00, 2nd prize mdse. valued at \$2.00, offered by Hal-tom.
 18. Best hand sewing by girl under 14 years of age. 1st prize, work basket valued at \$2.00. Offered by Mrs. D. H. McIntyre, 2nd prize, locket valued at \$1.00 by A. H. Harris, Jeweler.
 19. Best Patched Overalls by girl under 18 years of age. 1st prize, 50c, 2nd prize, 25c. Offered by R. Y. Blacklock.
 20. Best darned stocking or sock by girl under 18 years of age. 1st prize 50c, 2nd prize, 25c.

Base ball game, Other sports, Races and everything. Speaking program, children's parade, floats. Everyone expected to bring exhibits irrespective of prizes offered.

Partial list of premiums, others to appear later.

To keep apple cider sweet add one package of preservoline to each 50 gallons of cider. Sold by C. I. Clough Co.

Death of Charley Handley.

News was received in this city on Tuesday that Charley Handley died suddenly in California, Attorney T. B. Handley his brother, left on the morning train to attend the funeral. It is about six years ago that Charley Handley left Tillamook, where he was a well known character. He had a bright intellect and possessed a fine disposition, but he had one regrettable bad trait that was a stumbling block to him becoming a bright professional man in the community.

School Opened Monday.

The Tillamook Public and High School opened on Monday with a good attendance of pupils, and the school year promises to be quite successful, there being a large number of experienced teachers employed. They include Karl W. Onthank, Supt., Peter Crockett, Geo. F. Sanders, Lucia Macklin, Mrs. H. C. Hansen, Emma Ueland, D. E. Reed, Pauline McElevan, Hazel McKown, Miss Case, Clara M. Pruebs, Beatrice Chaneay, Ethel Klann, Mabel Goynne, Harriett Gaylord, Retta Smith, Mrs. Laura I. Leach and Mrs. Clara Burge.

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All School Books are in now, come early and get your supply while stock is complete. We have the finest assortment of pencils, tablets, erasers, pens, pen holders, inks, etc. **FOUNTAIN PENS** 25 per cent off, for a short time only 25 per cent off on Waterman Ideal pens. Hardwood ruler free to our patrons. **CHAS. I. CLOUGH CO.**

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If we didn't think we could please you with our good staple and Fancy groceries, we wouldn't ask you to come at all. We are only trying to get you in our store the first time. We will please you, so you will come back to us. If we don't make good we may as well close out store. We want your regular custom, and we are going to please you so we can keep it.

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