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**THE TILLAMOOK HEADLIGHT.**

**Editorial Snap Shots.**

Plant potatoes early and the frost gets them; plant them late and the blight gets them. That's the snap shot man's luck.

Saturday morning more than one aspirant down in his heart will have to confess what a fool he was to run for office. Pass the lemon to those who have made "goats" of themselves.

The speed limit for autos on county roads is 25 miles an hour, but there's no speed limit on the hard surfaced roads in this county, that is if the snap shot man is any judge of speed.

Two of our citizens have to "dig up" for going surety for contractors. That's hard luck, but it should be a lesson to other not to go surety for every Tom, Dick and Harry who comes along.

The honorable gentleman from Marsville has to doff his hat to the honorable gentleman from Bottsville, for their tempest in the tea kettle started by the gentleman from Marsville over the speed limit cases was simply a brain storm of hot air. So let it go at that.

To the winning candidates on Friday we extend our congratulations, and to those who lose look happy and don't feel grouchy, for political office is more or less a gambler's game. Whoever is nominated, it is safe to say, that in two or four years time, there will be others who want to get into the game, and there are those who want to get into the recall game at the least provocation.

We think that Tillamook County was justly entitled to the joint-senator, and Washington, Yamhill and Lincoln Counties should have conceded this to Tillamook. Republicans in this county should rally to the support of Attorney T. B. Handley, who is an aspirant for State Senator. Yamhill has three aspirants all good men, but somehow the snap shot man cannot get away from the idea that Tillamook should have the honor.

Give C. B. Moores a vote for Secretary of State. He is true, staunch Republican, while Olcott, his opponent, was the fellow who helped to defeat a Republican for Governor and put up money to elect a Democratic Governor. With these facts confronting Republicans, what a gall Olcott has got to ask them to support him. Oregon has had enough of the West spectacular tom-foolery, and Republicans should give Olcott, one of the main performers a knock out blow.

A favored son on the Republican ballot is Russell Hawkins, of Bay City. Every Republican in the county should give him a vote so that Tillamook can be represented at the Republican National Convention. In honoring Mr. Hawkins with your vote you bring honor on Tillamook county. The snap shot man is always loyal to favored sons, for there are as bright, intelligent persons in Tillamook County as in any part of the world, and just as good scrappers when it comes down to a fight for that which is right.

If a Democrat or a Prohibitionist registers as a Republican, for the sole purpose of taking part in a Republican primary election, they are acting dishonestly and butting in where they do not belong. It is the privilege of everybody to officiate with either party, but they purjure themselves when they don't act square and register as Republicans when they don't belong to that party. And the snap shot man thinks it is dishonorable for anyone to take part in a primary election of either party and then go back on the party they have affiliated with at the general election. Far better register as an Independent if you don't intend to vote for the people's choice at the general election. Here is where the primary law is defective. There are some voters in Tillamook that will perjure themselves on Friday.

The Herald, the democratic organ grinder of Tillamook County, approved the political frame up by Hillsboro politicians of creating the new judicial district and another public office, after the people had just elected a judge. The bill carried in the House Representative Handley voting against it, and when it was voted upon in the Senate it was defeated by one vote. Then the politicians over in Hillsboro got busy and induced Senator Perkins, of Multnomah county, a former resident of Washington county to change his vote and asked for a reconsideration of the bill, which was done, and it carried by one vote at the last sort of the last day of the session. That's how Tillamook came to be joined to Washington in the new judicial district and was a decided victory for the Hillsboro politicians.

Mayor Gilmore instructed the Marshal to give notice to the public that the bells must be taken off the cows which are allowed to run at large in the city limits at night. The mayor is under the impression that there is altogether too much noise in our peaceful city after sundown.—Bay City Examiner.

My! my! my! Has it come to this serious state of affairs to the city on the bay that it is turned into a cow pasture? Well, some newspaper men have a queer way of knocking their own town. It is too bad that the peaceful citizens of Bay City should be so much annoyed by cows and cow bells that the mayor has ordered that the Old Bossies are no longer permitted to wear cow bells at night, but have to do so during the day.

The past few days we have received numerous communications from the friends of Senator W. H. Hollis, who is a candidate for circuit judge, all of whom severely criticize the action of those who have resorted to dirty politics to defeat him. They earnestly ask us to publish their letters in justice to Mr. Hollis. As the snap shot man stated last week we allowed no personalities or controversies to be indulged in between Republicans, and we have guarded the characters and good names of all the local aspirants, refusing to publish anything that would injure them in any way. Although we feel these correspondents have a right to these columns to bring out the facts, most of them are of such a nature that they indulge in that which we have so strenuously striven to avoid, so we must abide by our previous decision, not to allow the columns of the Headlight to be used to injure the reputations and characters of those who aspire to office in the Republican Primary election.

It may not be considered exactly proper for a printer to object, to so much time and expense in printing the primary election ballots, but, nevertheless, the snap shot man thinks it is a willful waste of public money to rotate the names where there are more than five persons for one office. It is, however, one of the new fangled ideas under the Oregon System. For three weeks the staff of this office have been working continuously early and late, nights and Sundays printing the ballots, for 1120 rotations had to be made, besides numerous other changes in the three ballots. It certainly was a long and tedious job to print three primary election ballots this year. The State Legislature needs a printer-legislator with good horse sense to devise a ballot that won't cost so much money and time to print. But why complain? The people wanted the Oregon System and now they are paying the fiddler, for every county in the state will have to dole out hundreds of dollars and some, thousand dollars, for printing the ballots, to say nothing of the other expenses connected with the primary election.

The snap shot man has refrained from indulging in personalities or controversies in the local primary election, and we consigned that class of communication to the waste paper basket. We have tried to be fair with all candidates and have allowed no mud slinging, nor have we allowed candidates good names and characters to be assailed by dirty politicians. We are sorry however, that the friends of Judge Bagley have indulged in personalities and that three Tillamook County newspapers, one the Democratic organ grinder, unwittingly did this to injure State Senator W. H. Hollis, who has run a clean campaign and refrained from saying anything disrespectful of Judge Bagley. From what we can ascertain, those who concocted the scheme—the Hillsboro politicians—to create the new judicial district, and put one over on Tillamook, are responsible for these personalities. The snap shot man has taken no active interest in the contest for the judgeship, but we must say this, that it is altogether out of place for one candidate or his friends on a Republican ticket to indulge in personalities against the other candidate, but over in Hillsboro, the political bosses do this to pretty good mud slingers. We are sorry that this should have taken place, for, otherwise, the primary nominating election in this county would have passed off as it should with the best of feeling and no hard feelings. It is natural to suppose that the friends of Mr. Hollis will feel sore. But we are glad we had nothing to do with making them or anyone else sore.

**Afternoon Party.**

Last Thursday was the scene of a very pretty gathering at the home of Mrs. Habersack, Mesdames Bales and Habersack being hostesses to about fifty ladies.

Rook and sewing were the diversions of the afternoon. First honors in rook fell to Mrs. Klinefelter, consolation to Mrs. Andrus.

Mrs. Jones received first honors in the game for sewing. Yellow and green were the prevailing colors.

Scotch Bloom, the chosen flower, was festooned over arch-way, windows, and doors, and seen in profusion throughout the rooms.

The hostesses served a dainty luncheon, after which the ladies departed for their homes.

The invited guests were, Mesdames Alderman, Ammer, Andrus, Boals, Byers, Burge, F. C. Baker, Botts, Clough, Crenshaw, Campbell, Dunn, Edwards, Groat, Hays, Holden, Hadley, Hill, Holmes, Jones, Koch, B. C. Lamb, Leonard, J. Lamar, B. D. Le-mar, G. B. Lamb, Miller, Mason, McNair, Morrison, Onthank, Olson, Poorman, Partridge, Pennington, Stevens, Sanders, Smith, Shrode, O. Schultz, M. Schultz, Stranahan, Robinson, Wendt, Winslow, Williams, Youel, Klinefelter, Wagay, Plank, Franklin and Haltom.

**VOTE FOR  
J. C. HOLDEN,  
The County Clerk who has  
Made Good.**

**READ WHAT A BUSINESS  
MAN SAID OF MR. HOLDEN:**



**OF INTEREST TO TAXPAYERS.**  
Attorney Henderson Highly Complimented County Clerk Holden for his Efficient Service in Office.

At a meeting of representative citizens at the Presbyterian Guild Hall on Monday evening, Attorney J. L. Henderson highly complimented County Clerk J. C. Holden for the manner in which he has faithfully served the public. He said:

"You have just heard read by the President of this Club Mr. Chester Holden's communication stating that Circuit Court being in session and a case being tried tonight, it would be impossible for him to be present, and asking me to represent him in a five minutes talk, showing why he should be re-elected to the office he now fills, that of County Clerk.

"My business is such that for more than 30 years I have been intimately acquainted with county clerks in their official capacity in the county offices in four counties in Oregon, one in

Washington and two in Mississippi. For four years I have sat, as you might say, side by side with Chester Holden, almost every working day during that time. With the experience I have had in my abstract business, which brings me into contact with all the different lines of the County Clerk's duties, I feel myself competent to judge as to a County Clerk's qualifications. I want to say right here, of all the County Clerk's offices in which I have labored during the past 30 years, Chester Holden's office is the best kept, and more work is done, and well done, and with less expense in proportion to the work required to be done, than in any other County Clerk's office of the ones mentioned. I do not believe there is another man in the county that can fill his place so well, and with such good to the public, as he can himself.

"His office is the only office in the County that is self sustaining, and more, the money that his office takes in in fees pays all its expense of maintenance, and leaves a substantial surplus to the credit of the county, which helps reduce the taxes. All county matters begin and end in the office of the County Clerk. In fact this office might be called the County's "back bone." Chester Holden and his clerks besides being efficient, are courteous and attentive to all who have any business with the office, and are never too busy or too tired to give everyone a quick and smiling service. Now, my friends, we do not want any of the candidates for the several offices for which they are aspirants, to get it into their heads that we are "stuck" on them, and that they are the only ones who can fill the jobs, or that the jobs were made for them. We

want them all to understand that we put them into office as public servants, to work for the public welfare, and in deciding whom we will put into any office, the clerk's for instance, we should decide upon the one who will give to the public the most for the money, the one who will serve the people best and attain the best results. We should lay aside all personal feeling in the matter, and though our own brother were a candidate, vote against him and for the other fellow if the other fellow will make the best public servant. In the State of Mississippi, where I lived and worked at my abstract business for 6 years, the people adopted a new constitution. It had been the custom before its adoption to re-elect competent officers over and over again, and especially the clerk of the county. A new law went into effect thereafter, that no county officer could succeed himself, except the clerk. I worked in the offices of the clerks at both Harrison and Hancock counties. The clerk in the former county held his office for 40 consecutive years, and the clerk in Hancock was still in office, and he was clerk 8 or 10 years before 1891. There must be a good reason for this. The reason is that it takes years to make a competent clerk, as is Chester Holden, and this education costs the taxpayers money. Then why change? No argument I have heard against re-electing Chester Holden is used, except he has had the office long enough; and if what I have said is true, and I do not think it can be refuted, the argument is a very poor one from a public welfare outlook. Hence my advice is, retain a good man as long as it is for the people's interest."

**NO. 60 ON BALLOT.**

(Paid Adv.)

**Circuit Court Adjourns.**

Judge Bagley adjourned the May term of the circuit court on Saturday night, having been in session two weeks. The following cases were disposed of since our last issue:

City of Bay City Oregon, on relation of C. F. Stone, and J. H. Hicks, co-partners doing business as Stone and Hicks vs. F. A. Sandberg et al. Action for money. Verdict in favor of plaintiffs in the sum of \$575.00 with interest at 6 per cent.

The Henry D. Davis Lumber Co., a corporation, vs. A. F. Coats Lumber Co., a corporation. Damages. Judgment for defendant on motion.

Adolph Erickson vs. George Moskos. Action for money. Motion overruled as to first stipulation and sustained as to the last two.

Geo. Moskos, vs. A. F. Coats Driving and Boom Co, a corporation. Action for money. Directed verdict in the sum of \$839.80 in favor of plaintiff.

Sinclair Provision Co, a corporation vs. F. L. Sappington. Action for money. Judgment.

Allie Morgan vs. A. Arstill. Motion for new trial overruled.

Ashley and Rumelin vs. L. M. Dennis. Action for money. Judgment and decree.

Theresa Elliott Musselman, vs Eby L. Musselman. Divorce. Divorce granted.

R. B. Driscoll vs. Tillamook County, a Quasi Municipal corporation et al. Petition for writ of review. Judgment for defendant.

C. J. Patterson vs. Tillamook City, a municipal corporation and Ira C. Smith, city recorder. Writ of review. Judgment for defendant city.

Elmer Plog, vs. Tillamook City a municipal corporation, and Ira C. Smith. Writ of review. Order dismissing petition and quashing proceedings.

**CITY CHARTER UPHELD.**

The Attorney in the Speed Cases Get A Bad Knock Out.

The case of Tillamook City vs Patterson, which was appealed from the Recorder's Court, was decided in favor of the city Saturday by Circuit Judge Bagley, who held that there was no grounds to disturb the action of the Municipal Court.

The case attracted some attention some weeks ago when Patterson was found guilty by Recorder Smith for speeding and fined \$25.00. Attorney Marx, for the defendant, sought to review the action of the Recorder, claiming that the city had no right to regulate the speed of vehicles, notwithstanding the fact that the Supreme Court had so held in a Portland case. Judge Bagley, in rendering his decision said "It is a good ordi-

nance, a good Charter, and the Supreme Court has already decided the whole matter." and Attorney Marx was badly knocked out.

The Plog speeding case was also dismissed for the reason that the proceedings were improper.

**RURAL CREDITS BILL PASSES, 295 TO 10.**

Measure Similar to that Already Passed by Senate With Some Difference.

Washington, May 15.—The Glass rural credits bill providing for a Federal farm loan board and a system of 12 land banks passed the House late today by a vote of 295 to 10. A similar measure already has passed the Senate, and the differences probably will be worked out soon in conference.

Little opposition was encountered by the bill, which was piloted through the House by Representative Glass, of Virginia, and Representative Phelan, of Massachusetts. Under its terms the land banks would lend money to farmers at no more than 6 per cent interest, through local institutions, mortgages running from five to 36 years. The mortgages would be used by the banks as the basis for farm loan bonds.

Differences to be Adjusted.

There are many differences between the Senate and the House bills to be adjusted. The Senate measure would capitalize each farm loan bank at \$500,000; the House's at \$750,000. The Senate would authorize loan associations with unlimited liability; the House would not. The Senate would limit loans on lands at 5 per cent, with no recognition of improvements; the House proposes to grant 60 per cent on land value and 20 per cent on value of permanent insurable improvements.

The Senate proposes that no loan shall be made if three members of the local land committee are not unanimous in their appraisal; the House would require a majority report of the committee. The Senate makes the minimum loan \$200, the House \$100. The Senate would charge borrowers 10 per cent interest on all the defaulted payments; the House would only charge contract rates. The Senate would require local associations to make good all defaults within 30 days after notice from a land bank; the House would provide a special reserve to protect associations.

Don't forget those busted castings. Can be welded for half. Goods sent by parcel post and express promptly returned. Hiner & Reed, Tillamook, Oregon.

Harmony. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Dix visited at the Graves home on Sunday.

The directors of the Harmony school met on Monday evening. They hired Miss Gertrude Schlappli for teacher for the coming term. Miss Schlappli taught our school before and we know we have an a-one teacher. Welcome back Miss Gertrude.

Herman Hopkins had the misfortune to lose another cow this last week, which fell in the creek and

drowned. Little Miss Levern Walker spent Friday of last week with her little friend Frieda Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Dix and Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Graves and family spent Sunday evening at the home of E. Krebs, the evening was spent in singing. Mr. and Mrs. Krebs sure know how to entertain.

Herman Hopkins and wife called at the home of Otto Krebs on Sunday afternoon.



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