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THE TILLAMOOK HEADLIGHT.

Editorial Snap Shots.

The Democratic press has a political slogan about Wilson. It is "He kept us out of war." His "Watchful waiting" almost plunged the country into war, for his jelly fish foreign policy made the United States appear ridiculous in the eyes of foreign nations.

Judge Belt has decided a case in which the legality of running theatres on Sunday was the issue. The law was on the side of allowing theatres to be conducted on that day, and he had nothing to do but to decide the case that way. Now most every closed city to Sunday theatres are in a turmoil and going to run their movies on Sunday.

The driver of the auto truck who came to the city with a load of gravel minus a rubber tire on one wheel, did the pavement north of town and in the city some damage, as the rim of the wheel made a deep impression in the pavement. This is a case where the parties should be prosecuted, for if hard surfaced roads are to be damaged in that manner, it is about time to teach those who use the roads that they cannot damage them.

The snap shot man wishes success to the Tillamook Company of Coast Artillery, and salute the officers and young recruits. We want to commend every member of the company for the interest they have taken and the success they have achieved thus far, and we predict, as interest grows, to see one of the best companies of militia in Oregon, which will be a credit to the city and county, for the Tillamook company is composed of a fine bunch of citizens and young men.

Bro. Trombley the free trade booster had a good object lesson last week when he visited Wheeler. He saw hundreds of thousands of dollars in a local industry and a new up-to-date saw mill idle because of Democratic free trade. And he continues to boost for the free trade party that placed timber, lumber and sawmills on the slump, and placed every Tillamook product on the free list and in competition with cheap foreign labor. With an object lesson like this right before the eyes of the people of this county, people must be politically blind who will vote and agitate for more Democratic free trade.

Some of the Bayocean property owners were in the city on Monday for the purpose of starting legal proceedings against the County Court to restrain it from spending the money appropriated for the Bayocean road upon hard surfacing. The snap shot man is in hope that some agreement can be arrived at whereby this can be prevented, if possible. Everybody must admit that the Bayocean property owners have a just grievance and when the County Court placed \$10,000 in the last budget for the Bayocean road, it did so for no other reason than that it believed it was entitled to that amount of money and a way out as soon as possible. Legal proceedings should be the last thing resorted to, and it is our opinion that the County Court and the Bayocean property owners should get together and settle the difficulty without further trouble, and this can be done if the County Court will do the right thing by Bayocean and not do it an injustice because one person failed to live up to his agreement. Probably, after the County Court goes over the road to-morrow and the plans agreed upon, some arrangements can be made whereby the offer to complete the road for \$26,000 can be taken up provided that a bond is put up.

The money appropriated for the Bayocean Road is causing more or less trouble and agitation. The County Court called for bids for hard surfacing about a mile of road, and two bids were made, one by the Arena Construction Company, for \$14,464, and Feldschau & Jackson for \$16,228.00. Both bids were rejected, and now the County Court has under consideration a proposition to hire a man and use Feldschau & Jackson's equipment and the county to do the work itself, which it has a perfect right to do. But should this new experiment cost more than under the contract system, as it is liable to do, what then? Some years ago there was more or less agitation to let road work be done by contract, and since then considerable road work has been done that way, and it seems to us that this should be adhered to as much as possible. Taking hold of concrete work in this county by the county is a new departure and experiment, and before the court does so it should be thoroughly satisfied that it can do the work below what the lowest contractor agreed to do the work for. There is this to take into consideration. The lateness of the season should be considered, for it will only be a few weeks now and the wet season will have set in.

Rev. Mr. Booser told Washington county editors that they should work to consolidate country churches, but like many others who have given the same advice he failed to show how the work may result in practical results. The question of the desirability of consolidation of the country churches was settled long ago, but when it has come to consolidation this is

found less easy—Hillsboro Independent.
 A great many preachers can preach about church unity and consolidation, but when it comes to practicing what they preach it is a cat of another color, for it is our impression that it is the preachers, more than any one else who keep up religious prejudices by their contention that they are right and the other fellows are wrong. And when it comes to church consolidation they are ready to do so if the other fellows will come over and join their denomination. There are some localities where churches have consolidated to good advantage, but still there is in most every small city too many churches and too many preachers preaching to empty pews, which is not a very economical method of running church organizations, and under these conditions it must follow that there are too many preachers who have trouble obtaining sufficient salary to make both ends meet now that everything is so high.

Everybody is going to have the "Tillamook Spirit" at the County Fair this year. It is going to be a great get together, pull together event in the history of the county, for the community spirit is growing quite strong in Tillamook County. This is accomplishing wonderful things in other counties, and we see no reason why the same spirit should not permeate every section of Tillamook County and cement our citizens for community interests. The town of Wheeler showed the right Tillamook spirit last week when the live wires of that section started a movement to get together and pull together for the best interests of the Nehalem Valley and to eliminate all personal and sectional rivalry in the future. Other sections of the county should do the same thing. And it is safe to say that when the people living in the north part of the county come to the county fair this year, they will come with the Tillamook spirit, and if they whoop it up for the Nehalem Valley when here, why, we will all join in the Nehalem spirit and whoop it up for the Nehalem Valley. The south part of the county need a little shaking together along community lines, but we expect to see a good live bunch attend the county fair this year for that section of the county, for they cannot remain inactive while the north part of the county is up and coming with the Tillamook spirit and get together community pull. The central part of the county will be in evidence with the Tillamook spirit at the county fair, offering the glad hand to all who want to develop community interests. The Tillamook Commercial Club and the Women's Civic Improvement League are working along these lines and meeting with good success and encouragement, not only for the community interest of Tillamook City but for the whole county. Farmer's day, too, at the county fair will be a great get together event and so will children's day. The county fair this year will be no place for the grouchy and the knocker, for everybody is going to have the Tillamook spirit and a good time. The snap shot man now wants to emphasize the correct meaning of the Tillamook Spirit and get together, community interest idea. It is to give the glad hand to everybody, pull together for the betterment of every section of the county, making our homes, cities and country districts more beautiful and attractive; for the moral uplift of the whole county; a lively interest taken in the development of the business and industrial life of the county; and patronizing our home merchants and home industries.

More Devine Appointment.
 Emperor William during his recent trip to a point somewhere in the rear of Peronne on the Somme front, says a dispatch to the wireless Press from Berne, made a speech to the German wounded soldiers which is attracting great attention in Germany. The German Emperor is quoted as saying:
 "It is my earnest desire to take my place in the trenches and to deal such blows at our enemies as my age and strength would permit. But the inscrutable Almighty has willed otherwise. Into my care has been committed by divine destiny the leadership of our country, its armies and its forces on land and sea.
 "The burden of thinking, deciding and leading has been hard upon me and realizing this I know that my life must be conserved carefully for the welfare of Germany in order to carry out the duties assigned to me by divine appointment."

Notice of Board of Equalization Meeting.
 Notice is hereby given, that on Monday, September 11th, 1916, the County Board of Equalization will meet at the Court House, in Tillamook City, Oregon, and publicly examine the assessment roll for said year, and correct any error in valuations, description of land, lot, or other property. Said board will continue in session from day to day until the examination, correction and equalization of the assessment roll shall be completed. All persons who may be interested in the assessment of their property should appear at said time and place, as no change can be made after the adjournment of the board. All protests must be filed with the board the first week.
 Dated at Tillamook City, Oregon, August 8th, 1916.
 C. A. Johnson, Assessor.
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Opportunity for Vetch Men.
 I have requests from Tillamook dairymen for 1,00 tons of vetch hay, from a California county agent for several car loads of vetch seed; from a Washington county agent for a large quantity of good clean clover seed, and from a Montana county agent for several car loads of dairy cows. If farmers can get together on these shipments and make up car loads of first class quality at a fair price, I am sure we can find a ready market.
 M. S. Shrock, Agriculturist.
 —Sheridan Sun.

TILLAMOOK COUNTY FAIR.

Good Program Arranged—Tillamook and Community Spirit to Predominate.

The Tillamook County Fair Board arranged the program for the fair, which will be held on August 22-25, and there are many attractive features. The Tillamook Spirit and community interest will predominate during the four days of the fair. The program is as follows:
Tillamook Day, August 22nd.
 10 a.m.—Flying machine exhibition, forenoon on account of wind.
 All exhibits must be in by noon.
 1:30 p.m.—Parade under auspices of Tillamook business men.
 2:00 p.m.—Address by Governor Whycombe, at Fair Grounds.
 3:00 p.m.—Horse races.
 One half mile running race.
 One half mile trotting race.
 Auto Races:
 Slow mile, on high.
 Backward race quarter mile.
 Tire changing contest.
 Miscellaneous:
 Bicycle race, free for all, 1/4 mile.
 Motorcycle race, free for all.
 100 yard dash, men over 35.
 One half mile foot race, men over 30.

500 free rides on Merry-go-round for children under 12 years.
 7:30 p.m.—McGhee's Orchestra, and program under the auspices of Tillamook Boosters, "Tillamook Spirit and Community Interest."
Farmers' Day, August 23rd.
 10:00 a.m.—Flying machine exhibition.
 10:00 to 12.—Horse races, hitching contests, pulling matches, etc. Work team walking race, quarter mile.
 1:30 p.m.—Parade under auspices of farmers.
 2:00 p.m.—Stunts by different granges in front of grand stand.
 2:30 p.m.—Base Ball (5 innings) Farmers vs. Town Men.
 3:30 p.m.—Marathon race one mile, free for all.
 Relay race, quarter mile to regular.

7:30 p.m.—McGhee's orchestra. Program by children, assisted by outside talent. Judging commences in different departments on this day. Boys and girls stock judging. Instructions commence on this day, also two canning teams to work.
Children's Day, Thursday, August 24.
 10:00 a.m.—Flying Machine.
 All children under 19 admitted free.

500 free merry-go-round tickets for children under 12 years.
 Band music. Spelling Contest, Ciphering, Instructions in stock judging for children.
 1:30 p.m.—Parade of schools.
 2:00 p.m.—Bicycle race quarter mile, boys under 16.
 Boys relay race, quarter mile, three relays.
 100 yard dashes, high and broad jumps.
 Girls races, and ball throwing contest.
 Wheelbarrow race.
 Potato race.
 7:30 p.m.—McGhee's Orchestra and program by children including declamation contest.
 2 canning teams to work on this day.

Dahlia Day, Friday, August 25th.
 10:00 a.m.—Flying machine exhibition.
 500 free rides on Merry-go-round for children under 12.
 Band concert.
 1:30 p.m.—Ladies riding contest. Ladies auto driving contest. Ladies riding race, quarter mile. 100 yard dash, ladies under 75.
 Pony race free for all.
 Ladies nail driving contest.
 Ladies hitching contest.
 Stock judging contest, boys and girls. Closing canning contest on this day.
 The Cloverdale Band will furnish plenty of good music each day. Official programs with prizes will be issued later.

Prizes Offered for Dahlia Day.
 The Civic Improvement Club will give the following prizes for features of the parade on Dahlia day at the County Fair:
 Best decorated horse and buggy, first prize blue ribbon.
 Second prize Red ribbon.
 Best decorated horse and rider, first prize Blue ribbon.
 Second prize Red ribbon.
 Best decorated baby buggy . . . \$2.50
 Second best " " " " . . . 1.50
 Best decorated doll buggy . . . \$1.00
 Second best " " " "50
 Best decorated go-cart . . . \$1.00
 Second best " " " "50
 Best decorated tricycle . . . \$1.50
 Second best " " " "50
 Best decorated bicycle . . . \$1.50
 Second best " " " "50
 Best decorated express wagon . \$1.00
 Second best " " " "50
 Best decorated wheel barrow . \$1.00
 Second best " " " "50

Business Men's Parade.
 Most of the leading business men have agreed to take part in the business men's parade and the exercises at the opening of the Tillamook County Fair, which will be on the afternoon of the 22nd of August. This matter is in the hands of a committee composed of Messrs Ammer, Callahan and Walls, and business men who have been missed or who have not signed up should advise the committee at once, for the names of the progressive business men who will take part in the parade will be published next week. The committee has ordered several dozen white duck pants and hats, and those who have not ordered them through the committee or otherwise should do so at once. The Fair Board has also asked the Tillamook Commercial Club and the business men to arrange for the evening program on the opening day when the Tillamook spirit and community interest will be the feature of the talks.
 A large number of business men have signed a request that business houses be closed from 1 till 4 o'clock so as to give the business men and their clerks an opportunity to take part in this first parade of business men in Tillamook City and partici-

pate in the Tillamook spirit and community interest that will predominate on the opening day of the County Fair.

TILLAMOOK ORGANIZES COAST ARTILLERY COMPANY

S. S. Johnson Elected Captain—Ray B. Walls and T. B. Handley, Lieutenants.
 The organization of a Company of Coast Artillery was consummated on Monday evening, with 80 members on the roll call of the first militia company organized in Tillamook County, and the members who were sworn in were proud of this fact. The honor of being chosen captain fell to Attorney S. S. Johnson, who has seen military service in the Spanish war, who appointed Ray B. Walls, first lieutenant, and Attorney T. B. Handley, second lieutenant and Leslie Harrison first sergeant.
 It is expected that an instructor will be here soon for about a month to give the company instructions in drill, and the equipment will arrive here in the course of a few weeks.

The Roll Call and Oath.
 Oath and contract of enlistment of 19th Company, C. A. C., in the National Guard of the United States and of the State of Oregon.
 I do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 7th day of August, 1916, as a soldier in the National Guard of the United States and of the State of Oregon, for the period of three years in service and three years in the reserve, under the conditions prescribed by law, unless sooner discharged by proper authority. And I do solemnly swear that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the United States of America and to the State of Oregon, and that I will serve them honestly and faithfully against all their enemies whatsoever, and that I will obey the orders of the President of the United States and of the Governor of the State of Oregon, and of the officers appointed over me according to law and the rules and articles of war.

- T. B. Handley
- Ray B. Walls
- N. E. Myers
- S. S. Johnson
- Wm. Marx
- W. J. Hill
- Leo Morrison
- Perry DeLillies
- Leslie Harrison
- J. E. Keldson
- N. J. Myers
- John Leland Henderson
- John Gibson
- Rollie W. Watson
- J. W. Jennings, Jr.
- Manuel Thomas
- Calvin Blair
- James Thomas
- Frank Clark
- Wm. Thomas
- Thos. Coates
- W. T. Coates
- Lee Doty
- E. J. Clausen
- John Zumstein
- R. L. Elliott
- A. G. Crimmins
- J. A. Fitzpatrick
- A. G. Haugen
- W. C. Martin
- G. W. Wallace
- Frank Maxwell
- L. Bristow
- J. T. Higgins
- Frank Fitzpatrick
- Lloyd B. Hesse
- Peter Bosma
- L. R. Maine
- C. F. DeFord
- O. G. Swenson
- E. T. Plog
- Geo. H. Ethel
- E. W. Talbot
- R. A. Wicklund
- John Zurluh, Jr.
- E. M. Condit
- J. E. Reedy
- L. V. Stewart
- Emile Wooley
- Charles Bennett
- R. A. Leonard
- Fred M. Gould
- J. W. Maddux
- H. Snider
- Glen Oliver
- W. C. Teague
- W. Thos. Coates
- Louie Wooley
- Chas. Wooley
- Thomas F. Keyes
- D. E. Robinson
- B. E. Utter
- Antone M. Borba
- E. Mills
- F. E. Shaw
- R. L. Shreve
- Vern L. Larson
- D. A. Simmons
- Alfred L. Smith
- Donald A. Hare
- Geo. D. Craffee
- Edw. J. Schilling
- F. M. Kelley
- L. D. Williams
- John J. Berns
- Percy Sheldon
- Vernon Blanchard
- J. R. Callahan
- Otto W. Tappmeyer
- R. Blaine Hays

Subscribed and duly sworn before me this 7th day of August, A. D., 1916.
 Willis Shippam,
 1st. Lieut. C. A. C., U. S. A.

Christian Church.

"A Trinity Faith" is the theme for the sermon next Sunday morning—a practical, live theme and we want you to hear it.
 Our Sunday school is keeping up nicely through the summer months but you are always missed when absent. Please don't forget next Sunday morning to come to Sunday school and church.
 "The Uncrowned King" will be the evening theme. See program on Front page.

Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Tillamook County Mutual Telephone Co., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year will be held at the Court House, on Saturday, Sept. 2, 1916, at 2 o'clock p.m.
 S. A. Brodhead, Secy

Having bought the Tillamook Iron Works from A. K. Case all business from Sept. 1st will be transacted by H. Sander.

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HARMONY.
 Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Allison, of Tillamook, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Graves on Friday.
 Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Hopkins were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Wendt, of Tillamook, on Thursday.
 Emil Krebs and family, with friends from Sherwood, Oregon, are camping for a few days at Netarts.
 Little Emil Krebs the eight year old daughter of Otto Krebs met with an accident while shooting fire crackers, which might have proved serious, the powder flying back in the eye, but the careful treatment of both parents and Dr. Wendt they will save the eye sight.
 D. P. Hopkins went to Banks, Oregon, on a business trip and to visit relatives.
 G. G. Graves went to McPhillip's camp at the beach where a couple of his brothers are camping. Hopkins' miss Lillie and Inez Hopkins spent a few days at the home of Mrs. Alice Phillips.
CALF HIDES WANTED.
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