

OVERWHELMING MAJORITIES FOR COUNTY AND STATE BONDS.

Voters Show their Contempt for Timber Owners Paid Agitator.

ANOTHER LOCAL SCRAP ON THE TAPIS.

Good Roads Advocates Want Certain Timber Land Re-Cruised--Claim that it will Increase County Valuation \$1,500,000.

Precinct	County Bonds		State Bonds	
	Yes	No.	Yes	No
HAYS	66	44	66	41
HOQUARTON	85	11	83	11
BAY	54	32	67	21
TILLAMOOK	57	19	55	8
SANDBLAKE	24	17	23	17
NEHALEM	139	74	167	36
SUNNYMEAD	57	11	54	11
FAIRVIEW	41	66	40	66
NETARTS	12	8	10	10
STILLWELL	55	12	55	19
CLOVERDALE	137	4	129	6
NEKOWIN	39	4	40	3
KILCHIS	33	16	33	16
BEAVER	88	11	88	13
LONG PRAIRIE	10	28	10	28
UNION	51	0	47	2
ROCKAWAY	29	4	28	5
WHEELER	21	94	81	31
HEBO	60	28	60	29
LITTLE NESTUCCA	92	1	91	2
TRASK	16	22	17	21
GOODSPEED	85	31	83	27
GARIBALDI	50	20	50	19
SOUTH PRAIRIE	20	35	17	36
MAPLE LEAF	54	27	50	29
BLAINE	29	41	28	13
BAYOCEAN	12	2	12	2
FOLEY	27	24	27	24
CARNAHAN	61	22	57	21
WILSON				
	1496	678	1368	567

Oh! What a surprise! Dougalsism got two lovely black eyes.

This is what happened to John Dougal, the paid agitator of the Whitney and Hammond companies in this county at the county election which was held on Monday, and was a pronounced vote against the timber owners sending a paid agitator into the county to create dissension and filleting and to retard the progress and development of Tillamook County. This has been going on for several years and Tillamook people have at last woke up to the situation, and don't propose to be interfered with in their local affairs by a paid agitator coming here and advising them how to vote. They have intelligence to know what is best for the county. The issues were upon the county and State bonding measures, and although the timber owners did not appear to oppose the state bond measure, they were bitterly opposed to the county bond measure, and resorted to some coercion and political tricks to bring about its defeat. As usual the Fairview Grangers were rounded up and put to work, but somehow dissension bubbled up there for the reason that some of the Fairviewites seemed to have come to the conclusion they were being ridiculed from all parts of the county, especially when Oretown and other grangers went on record in favor of the state and county bond measures. So things did not look as encouraging as it might at Fairview, for without the opposition of the dairymen to the measures it was seen that they would carry. Something to offset this had to be done. The saw mill men were coerced and others were lined up in opposition to the county measure, and several of our worthy citizens were foolish enough to sign a circular letter sent out at the last moment, which caused some resentment. Tillamookers soon saw through the scheme and its acted as a boomerang, even among some of the loggers at Nehalem who were taken to the polls in autos, for we are informed quite a number voted for the bonds. A glance at the vote at Nehalem and Wheeler showed how mill hands and loggers had been rounded up to vote against the county bonds. Those who favored bonding put up a clean fight and did not resort to personalities, giving figures and facts to the people to think over and digest before they went to the polls to cast their votes. Although there have been more or less sentiment in the county for bonding for roads, it was doubtful whether a bond measure would have carried in this county a few years ago. What helped the bond advocates more than anything else was the repeated interference of the timber owners' paid agitator in purely local affairs. It drove a large number of heavy resident taxpayers into the bond band wagon, who were greatly opposed to bonding previously, and the avalanche that struck Dougalsism and gave it two lovely black eyes, was no

surprise to those who have watched the drift of public sentiment and the strong resentment against Dougalsism. So if anyone is to blame for the county being bonded it is the foolish policy of a few of the timber owners. They started the fight and now they are up against another fight for it is the determination of the good roads and bond advocates to ascertain for certain whether the county timber cruise, which states that certain percentages should be added to some of the timber cruised, but which was never done, should be recruised to ascertain the facts. If it should be added the timber men will pay additional taxes on \$1,500,000 valuation on timber. We understand that the County Court had this matter under consideration some time ago.

The first serious opposition to the good roads advocates met with was at Wheeler, which opened their eyes to the situation about the saw mill men and loggers being lined up. It was a complete surprise, for several weeks previous a delegation from Wheeler had come to this city and participated in the arrangement where the county bond money was to be expended. But that did not blight the ardour of the goodroads advocates. It put more ginger into the fight, notwithstanding the strange somersault of some of the Wheeler citizens. Strange as it may appear to people living outside of Wheeler, that town went on record with a big vote opposed to providing the money to prepare the road bed to give that city three hardsurfaced roads leading into it.

When the campaign closed on Saturday night in this city, the local committees were perfectly satisfied that the bond measures would carry with good majorities. They had got next to the people and appeared to know what they were talking about. Others were not so optimistic about a land slide in favor of the bonds. It was the strenuous work of the local committee, and the women workers, with the live wires in the south part of the county, that induced people to turn out and vote. But for all that hardly anyone expected such an overwhelming and pronounced vote in the county for the state and county road bonds. With over 800 majority for county bonds and over 1000 majority for state bonds, Tillamook County did itself proud in favor of good roads, and the people will not be satisfied until there is a hardsurfaced road from one end of the county to the other. This may not mean any additional taxation, for with the county bond money, state aid and the regular road levy, there is no reason why in the next four or five years this road project cannot be carried through to completion.

The vote in the four precincts of the Nestucca Valley was most surprising, which is composed for the most part of dairymen. The vote shows that 319 voted for county bonds and only 9 against. Even Fairview, the hot bed of Dougalsism, showed that it had become tired of

having a sort of a Kaiser to rule over them and tell them to toe the line. It was the intention of County Clark Harrison to make the official count on Wednesday, and Justices Stanley and Taylor were on hand to do so, but when the boxes were opened it was discovered that the election board at Wilson, Beaver and Union had failed to enclose the tally sheets.

Campaign Committee's Thanks.

To the Editor of the Tillamook Headlight:

We wish to express our appreciation and thanks to the voters of the various precincts for the loyal manner in which they rallied to the support of the state and county bond measures at the election Monday.

We feel that a few of the precincts mentioned. The magnanimous view taken by the voters of Tillamook City when they voted to place their 1/4 million dollars of assessed valuation, which would have otherwise have been exempt for any road tax, under the bond issue, shows a faith in the future of their city and county which is pleasant to reflect upon.

The unselfish voters of Maple Leaf precinct, an exclusive farming district who have already a hard surfaced road, are to be congratulated on the splendid vote of 2 to 1 which they put up in favor of the bond issues.

The principle shown in Maple Leaf, however, was not evident in Fairview who also have a hard surfaced road, but our hearts go out in sympathy to the loyal 41, who, severely handicapped though they were by a large part of their population being composed of a selfish, distrustful element, rallied to the support of progress to such an extent that they almost tied the vote of the opposition in the precinct, which fact indicates that the fair name of Fairview bids fair to be redeemed by the fair minded progressive citizens of that locality.

It is a fact, worthy of note for future reference, that in the Wheeler precinct, the home of our Representative F. A. Rowe where the wouldbe iron hand of Dougalsism and timber autocracy was most in evidence, the greatest opposition was demonstrated against the county bond issue. This opposition appears to be very inconsistent when we stop to consider that \$87,000 of the proceeds of the county bond issue is to be poured out in the lap of Wheeler so to speak, and practically assumes the hard surfacing of 20 or 30 miles of road leading to that town, which hardsurfacing was provided for in the State bond measure and which could not be procured in any feasible way except by bonding the county to raise funds to prepare the road bed. We can only attribute such acts to petty jealousy, narrowness or servility to Dougalsism.

Nearly all the southern precincts showed their interest by voting almost unanimously for the measures, one precinct (Union) when the votes were counted was found to be 100 per cent pure.

The unstructured support of the newspapers and the loyal co-workers, men and women, throughout the county, the untiring efforts and timely advice of F. R. Beals, who seemed to be everywhere at the same time, all contributed to the success of the undertaking and made the victory an extremely decisive one.

May our county continue to prosper.

City Campaign Committee.

Academy Entertainment.

Do not forget that on June 12th, the pupils of St. Alphonsus Academy will present the charming operetta, "A Dream of Fairy-Land," in two parts. There are twenty five girls in the cast; all have put forth their best efforts to make this operetta a perfect success. Admission 35 and 15 cts.

A Generous Offer.

The Headlight is pleased to announce a clubbing arrangement just made with the Oregon Farmer, whereby every subscriber to the Headlight may also receive the Oregon Farmer without extra charge.

Any subscriber of the Headlight who pays a year's subscription at \$1.50 henceforth will be entitled to receive the Oregon Farmer if he will simply express his wish that it be sent to him. If your subscription to the Headlight is paid in advance, all you need to do is to send in another \$1.50 and your subscription to this paper will be credited one year from the time to which it is now paid, and the Oregon Farmer will be started to you at once.

The Oregon Farmer is more than a farm paper. It is a home paper; just the sort of a paper to be welcome in any family circle. Besides many interesting stories and features every week, the Oregon Farmer devotes considerable space to fighting for the

things that we people of Oregon all want and against all kinds of schemes and combinations detrimental to the agriculture of the state.

It was the Oregon Farmer, with its two sister papers, the Washington and Idaho Farmers, that exposed the Northwestern General Trading Co., causing the indictment and conviction of four of the company's officials for swindling the farmers of the northwest out of several hundred thousand dollars.

The regular subscription of the Headlight alone is \$1.50 and of the Oregon Farmer is \$1.00. You will now be able to subscribe for both for the price of the Headlight.

I. O. O. F. Memorial Services

The Tillamook Lodge I. O. O. F., No. 94, and the Rebekahs will meet on Sunday morning, June 10th, at the Oddfellows Building, from there they will take a conveyance in a body, to the Oddfellows cemetery where memorial exercises will be participated in. The Committee on arrangements requests that all Oddfellows and Rebekahs be present at the hall by 9 o'clock to join in the services at the cemetery. The weather conditions of course permitting. In case of disagreeable weather the services will be conducted at the hall and the trip to the cemetery omitted.

Dr. Turner, the well known eye specialist, of Portland, will be in Tillamook again Friday and Saturday, June 22 and 23 at Jenkins' Jewelry store. Dr. Turner will make regular visits to Tillamook every month in future. In Cloverdale, Thursday, June 21st, Be sure and call and let him show you the new double vision glass without the slightest lines or seams to catch dirt, strain the eyes or come apart. One light solid piece of glass that looks like a single pair, yet answers the purpose of two, enabling you to read or do close work, and see distant objects perfectly, be sure and see them. Dr. Turner makes no charge for consultation or examination. Headaches relieved, cross eyes straightened, satisfaction guaranteed.

Teachers' Examination.

Notice is hereby given that the County Superintendent of Tillamook County, Oregon, will hold the regular examination of applicants for State Certificates at the court house in Tillamook City, as follows:

Commencing Wednesday, June 27, 1917, at 9:00 o'clock a.m., and continuing until Saturday, June 30, 1917, at 4:00 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday forenoon—U. S. History, Writing (Pennaanship), Music, Drawing.

Wednesday afternoon—Physiology, Reading, Manual Training, Composition, Domestic Science, Methods in Reading, Course of Study for Drawing, Methods in Arithmetic.

Thursday forenoon—Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods of Geography, Mechanical Drawing, Domestic Art, Course of Study for Domestic Art.

Thursday afternoon—Grammar, Geography, Stenography, American Literature, Physics, Typewriting, Methods in Language, Thesis for Primary certificate.

Friday forenoon—Theory and practice, Orthography (Spelling), Physical Geography, English Literature, Chemistry, Physical Culture.

Friday afternoon—School Law, Geology, Algebra, Civil Government.

Saturday forenoon—Geometry, Botany.

Saturday afternoon—General History, Bookkeeping.

G. B. Lamb,
County Superintendent.

The following memorandum is issued:

- 1.—Men between the ages of 21 and 31 will, after having registered on June 5, 1917, be drafted for the different branches of the service for the National Army only.
- 2.—This draft will take place between day of registration and Sept. 1, 1917; and, after a man is once drafted by the War Department and has been advised that he has been drafted for the National Army, he will have to enter the National Army and cannot enter, join, or volunteer for the so called U. S. Regular Army, in which he can choose his branch of service and be under well trained officers.
- 3.—Now is the time to enlist and join the regular army before you are compelled to enter the National Army.
- 5.—Don't be a slacker and wait until you are compelled, but join the Regulars today. Tomorrow may find you drafted and then it will be too late.

The above gives each person registered a choice of the service in which he wishes to enter, and those who wish to join the home company, apply to Captain S. S. Johnson, and for any other part of the service, to your local Postmaster.

Americans Must Pay.

To protect the Democratic tariff from protection, the Ways and Means Committee of Congress has laid out a plan to increase the federal taxes already assessed on incomes, corporation activities, articles in general use and the special entertainment privileges, to make these provide the government with extraordinary war revenues to the amount of \$1,800,000,000 a year. Some of the important items of that tremendous tax-

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SATURDAY and SUNDAY, JUNE 9-10--"BRIDGES BURNED." Metro picture featuring Mme. Petrova. "CROSY'S RESCUE." One reel comedy with Sidney Drew.

MONDAY, JUNE 11th--Triangle feature film in eight parts featuring the popular BILLY BURKE, in "PEGGY." Adults 15c. Children 5c.

TUESDAY, JUNE 12th--"PEARL OF THE ARMY." Pathe Serial Picture. Pathe News and Single Reel Comedy. Adults 10c. Children 5c.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13th--BLUEBIRD Photoplay. See announcement on the screen. Adults 10c. Children 5c.

THURSDAY, JUNE 14th--FOX feature film "BLUE STREAK" featuring Wm. Nigh and Violet Palmer. This Drama Throbs with Virile Western Life. Dont miss this One. Adults 15c Children 5c.

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Notice.

The stallion Liberal, black Percheron, will be at the Harris barn once a week for two days, Friday and Saturday, commencing April 21st.

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