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**Editorial Snap Shots.**

The Oregonian made a canvass of Oregon editors as to their preference for candidate for president and a large proportion of them voted Taft.

Up goes the price of talking. If you don't care about paying high rates for telephoning, why, you can get the next best thing—order the talking machine out.

The county judge had a large delation of Bayocean property owners at his last week, made up largely of women, who put up strong arguments in favor of the completion of that long delayed road. Every person who wants to be fair must admit that Bayocean is justly entitled to a way out, and to delay the completion of the road is doing Bayocean rank injustice.

Of course, no one takes seriously a proposition to move the capital from Salem to Portland, although quite a sentiment could be created in favor of the latter place if some organization took the matter in hand. Marion county's attitude on the road question seems to have created a hostile feeling. That county voted against the \$6,000,000 bond issue notwithstanding Marion county would be greatly benefitted by the Pacific highway, it being reported at \$1,000,000 of state money has been expended in that county. In Tillamook the county officials have shown a magnanimous disposition in agreeing to co-operate with the state Highway Commission on a 50-50 basis, and it was for that purpose the people of Tillamook county voted bond issue of \$430,000 at the special election. Mark the difference. Marion county voted \$800,000 bond issue for good roads, but not to co-operate with the State Highway Commission on a 50-50 basis. No one wants to deny Marion county of a just share of the state road money, but in the spirit of co-operation was lacking in that county. This is one reason why other parts of the state are showing resentment. It would be unfair to class all Marion county people, as lacking the spirit of co-operation, for there are a large number of progressive citizens in that county, but, unfortunately, Marion county has a whole lot of mossbacks who lack the progressive spirit of other counties.

The high cost of living is now a burning question, which, had the resident stayed at home and called congress together to grapple with the problem immediately the armistice was signed, the country would now be getting back to normal conditions. That is the reason everything has been going up, up, up. The proper place to reduce the high cost of living is at Washington, and that is where a start should be made in putting a stop to the wasteful methods of the democratic administration. It cost the taxpayers two billions of dollars while the government had control of the railroads. Another billion dollars was voted to guarantee the farmers \$2.26 per bushel of wheat. This is only two cents where the government can reduce the high cost of living, for this money comes out of the pockets of the taxpayers. Instead of the democratic party living up to its political promise that it was going to reduce the high cost of living, the reverse is the case, so much so that people all over the country are clamoring for a reduction in the cost of living and want a stop put to the wasteful system of spending the people's money.

We are sorry that the State Highway Commission did not decide on Tuesday the Miami-Beach route controversy for the state highway through the north part of the county because there is going to be more or less contention and probably hard feeling. It was so when the Little Nestucca vs. Three Rivers roads were in controversy. As the Tillamook County Creamery Association went on record in favor of the Miami road, and no doubt the granges of the county will do likewise, there is going to be considerable difference of opinion. For that reason we would have preferred that the State Highway Commission had made a decision on Tuesday so that all this controversy could have been avoided. The Wheeler people played for delay in making a decision and won out. With this situation confronting us, the snap shot man strongly recommends that the county court put some vim in the road work next year. There is no reason why the hard-surfacing cannot be completed to Garibaldi and as far as Cloverdale next year. It can and should be done, and it is what the people demand. When this is done probably the State Highway Commission will be ready to decide in regard to the beach-Miami route. We feel greatly disappointed that it is impossible, at this season of the year to lay five miles of hard-surfaced road north of this city, but we strongly urge that the road be hard-surfaced as far as Garibaldi next year.

It is highly important that the Red Cross in this county be maintained. The people continue to be interested in the Red Cross.

agement. It is true that when the armistice was signed it seemed that the bottom dropped out of many things, and Red Cross activities were one of them. Tillamook county was no exception to the rule, for other cities and counties had the same experience. Probably only a small proportion of the people of this county know how far reaching are the activities of the Red Cross, and a little more education along those lines would soon convince most people that it is very important to maintain these organizations in every county. One feature of the Red Cross is the home service department, which has to do with discharged soldiers, their wives and families, and this is a work of considerable more magnitude than most people are aware. Even in this county there are some distressing cases that the Red Cross is handling and there will be considerable more as time goes on. It is this home service department of the Red Cross that is to become a feature of Red Cross work in Tillamook county, which will be in the hands of a special committee appointed for that purpose. The influenza epidemic, according to the prediction of the medical profession will sweep over the country again in a few months and the Red Cross chapters and branches are making preparations to cope with the disease. This is something for the Tillamook branch also to take in hand. In the near future the people of the county will be given an opportunity to become better acquainted with the Red Cross officials who will visit Tillamook, and who will explain what the different departments are doing in this great work. With every county in Oregon with a Red Cross organization, Tillamook county must fall in line. Of course it will not require the strenuous work of last year, but what Red Cross work is done here should be done well and in the right spirit.

**FISHERMAN DRIFTS IN HALF DEAD AT NETARTS BEACH**

Engine Stalls on Him While Fishing in Columbia, and he Floats Out to Sea With Little to Eat.

Floating in on the tide at Netarts last Thursday evening, dazed from exposure, hungry and thirsty, was Wesley Wadsworth, a fisherman on the Columbia. His engine stalled on him the Saturday before while he was fishing in the Columbia, and he drifted out over the bar in his little fishing boat. The tides and the north wind drifted him along the coast south, and all the while for nourishment he only had a little water and two sandwiches for the five days he floated this way and that, as the waves tossed him. No boats went by him on the lonely sea, and no one saw, or paid any attention to the little craft listlessly and dully drifting south. On arriving off the bay at Netarts, the tide changed a little and brought the boat in nearer shore, where Mr. Wadsworth in desperation, climbed over the side, and swam to the spit through the breakers. He then waved his arms, and attracted attention of one of the campers, who went over and brought him to Netarts. He was in a worn-out, exhausted condition, but with good food and water, they soon had him better. Friday about noon he was able to go over to the spit with some of the campers, and get his boat. Sunday a friend came in, and towed Mr. Wadsworth and his boat back to the Columbia.

**Defending Shantung Deal.**

Defending the Shantung deal, the Wheeling Intelligencer says, "the ignorant Chinese" of Shantung are not "fit for self government." The qualification of the average Chinaman for self government is quite equal to that of the average Japanese. One proof of this is that China has enjoyed local self government for some forty centuries, and has outlived every other government the world knew at the time of the birth of Christ. Another proof is that the Chinese people were capable of throwing out of power an autocracy similar to that which prevails in Japan, and drop the custom of emperor worship. The Chinese are capable of self government, with a civilization and a government more than forty centuries old, if they are not made the objects of international piracy by statesmen who profess to be guided by "ideals" and "visions," but who, as a matter of fact, have indulged in this instance in the most disgraceful piece of grand larceny in modern history. The fact that advocates of an unamended league of nations covenant defend this Shantung robbery is a sufficient commentary upon the professions of devotion to "liberty" and "justice" throughout the world with which their claims are accompanied, and they actually ask the United States to assist in and underwrite this infamous act of robbing a friendly republic to enrich and strengthen an autocratic military power which avows a purpose to pursue further the claim that our policy of oriental exclusion constitutes a denial of Japanese national rights.

**Oregon Life Special Agent in the City**

H. R. Blauvelt, Executive Special Agent of Oregon Life Ins. Co., is at the Tillamook Hotel. Mr. Blauvelt says the Oregon Life is doing an enormous business as the citizens of Oregon are beginning to realize that it is a good business to support Oregon industries. "It is about as convenient to carry one's bank account in New York as it is to carry one's life insurance in New York" said Mr. Blauvelt. "And anyone knows that would be next to impossible." Mr. Blauvelt expects to be in Tillamook for the entire month of August and would like to see anyone interested in good service and good life insurance.

**Statement.**

Of the Tillamook County Bank of Tillamook County, State of Oregon, showing the amount standing to the credit of every depositor, July 1, 1919, who has not made a deposit, or who has not withdrawn any part of his deposit (commercial deposit), principal or interest, for a period of more than seven years immediately prior to date, with the name, last known place of residence or postoffice address of such depositor and the fact of his death if known.  
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 Turner, C. A. Tillamook, Unknown, 4c.  
 Vernon, James, Tillamook Unknown, \$1.05.  
 Withrow, Frank, Tillamook, Unknown 3c.  
 State of Oregon.  
 County of Tillamook ss:  
 I, Walter Williams, being first duly sworn, depose and say upon oath, that I am the cashier of the Tillamook County Bank of Tillamook, County of Tillamook, State of Oregon; that the foregoing statement is a full, true, correct and complete statement, showing the name, last known residence or postoffice address, fact of death, if known, and the amount to the credit of each depositor as required by the provisions of Chapter 148 of the General Laws of Oregon, 1907, and Chapter 214, of the General Laws of Oregon, 1917.  
 Walter Williams,  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July A. D., 1919  
 Margaret Coates,  
 Notary Public of Oregon  
 My commission expires Nov. 20, 1922

**Miss Travers in "The Love That Dares."**

Madeline Travers will be seen again at the Gem Theatre next Thursday in "The Love That Dares," a William Fox production. This, it is said, again gives Miss Travers an opportunity to register on the screen her great dramatic power. "The Love That Dares" deals with the wealthy class. Its characters include an idle millionaire who has everything in the world but the woman he loves—and despite the fact that she marries another man he continues his pursuit. He attempts to trap the old sweetheart, but she is saved through the bitterness of a girl whom the millionaire has cast off. Harry Millarde, who directed "The Danger Zone" and "Gambling in Souls," in which Miss Travers has already appeared, directed "The Love That Dares."

**Marion Davies in "Cecilia of the Pink Roses."**

Marion Davies, the celebrated stage beauty of Follies fame makes her select debut in the appealing title role of "Cecilia of the Pink Roses," from Katherine Haviland Taylor's novel of the same name. This unusual story will be shown at the Gem Theatre Sunday, August 10, and this delightful young star will be seen in a role far removed from anything she has ever done on the stage, interpreting the sympathetic character of the spiritual young heroine in a manner which gives assurance of a successful motion picture career.

The dramatic moments, pathetic incidents, and shining love scenes quicken the pulse throughout the great human drama in which you meet Cecilia, the little girl acting the good angel to her crude father and her misguided brother, the simple priest whose goodness spreads like sunshine over the gas-house district, the unsympathetic principal of the girls' school, narrow minded children of the idle rich, the "clombers" the settlement-workers and the real man who wins her. The simplest sort of story, yet presented with an exquisite charm which makes it a series of smiles and tears, a suspense underlying every moment. As the name suggests, it is a veritable "fragrant rose petal floating on a spring breeze."

**70 ATTEND JERSEY MEETING**

Met July 31st, at Wm. Maxwell's Farm—riam Club Room.  
 The Tillamook Jersey Cattle Club met at the farm of Wm. Maxwell, July 31st. Mr. Maxwell's herd consists of thirty-five excellent Jerseys. He does his milking with an electric milking machine. A fine dinner was spread in the orchard at the noon hour. It was very much enjoyed by all. There were seventy members present, which was a very good attendance as there are quite a few still harvesting, that could not be present. The Club rented rooms at Tillamook City, which they expect to fix up as a sort of club rooms, and place within it a very extensive library touching on the Jersey breed and where the members may spend their idle minutes while in the Cheese City. The next meeting will be held at the farm of Mark Bays, of Cloverdale August 15. Every Jersey breeder near Tillamook City must try and attend this meeting on Mr. Bays' place. A big basket lunch will be served at the noon hour. The Japanese have killed 361 Korean demonstrators in favor of self determination of peoples in 41 days. It is a good deal safer to talk about freedom and self-determination in a presidential message than it is in a good deal of the territory dominated by some of the powers it is claimed have joined in a covenant to enslave mankind.

**Don't Fail to Attend  
 The 6th Annual  
 Tillamook County  
 Fair  
 Tues., Wed., Thurs., and  
 Fri.**

**August 26-27-28-29, '19.**  
**4 GLORIOUS DAYS 4**  
**In Which Fun, Pleasure, Sport and Profit**  
**will be mingled**  
**This is the Event of the Year, Don't Miss it**  
**Recreation for all the People**  
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