

Tillamook Headlight

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Editorial Snap Shots.

The gas situation—everybody who uses gas "stung" for a few extra dollars. Great is scientific profiteering.

Government ownership of railroads was a financial fizzle, to say nothing of poor passenger and freight service.

John L. Schuylerman, who was a candidate on the democratic ticket for delegate-at-large to the democratic national convention, is a socialist, and registered as such, which goes to prove that the Oregon primary election law needs some necessary amendments.

It is a little amusing to hear people, who are not engaged in a productive occupation, complain about under production of food stuffs. It is very plain to see that too many persons are engaged in the professions and not enough on the farm.

His majesty, Emperor Woodrow I, autocratic ruler of the democratic party, must evidently have lost his temper when he read the republican platform, for he characterized it as "Prussianism" and political skullduggery.

So McAdoo has crawled. He doesn't want the democratic nomination for president, and his actions show plainly that he did not want to go down to defeat.

One of the moonshiners who was pinched last week in this city said in this office that it was the best paying business he was ever in. That, probably, accounts for so much of the talk going the rounds that there were quite a number of persons making moonshine in the county, and also an inducement to others to get into it.

Why Sugar is Outrageously High.

There is no disputing the fact that President Wilson and the democratic administration is responsible for the high price of sugar, as well as responsible for taking one billion dollars out of the pockets of the people, brought about by a move to benefit the sugar growers in the Southern States.

James S. McCandless, a sugar planter of Hawaii, is in Portland this week, and he repeats what has been stated before that Attorney-General Palmer agreed not to prosecute Louisiana planters, who happened to be good democrats and administration supporters, for profiteering if they collected 17 cents a pound.

"Under Hoover and the sugar commission, headed by George Rolp of San Francisco, the United States had contracted for the 1919 sugar crop for 6.99 cents," he said.

"In August or September of 1919, it was estimated that Cuba would

have a crop of 4,200,000 tons in 1920. The sugar commission wanted to contract for all the 1919 crop at 6 1/2 cents at which it was offered, but on the advice of Palmer and because of the objection of President Wilson to fixing the price, congress failed to pass the appropriation bill.

"In the meantime, Louisiana planters had waited on Palmer and asked that a reasonable price be fixed for the 1919-1920 crop. It was agreed with these good democrats that 17 cents would be reasonable and that no prosecution for profiteering would result if this price was not exceeded.

"The result of the refusal of the administration to accept the Cuban offer resulted in Europe coming into the Cuban market and bidding against American refineries until the price was run up to 12 cents. This was the height reached in February. At this time, revised estimates of the sugar crop of Cuba cut it from 4,200,000 tons to 600,000 tons.

"This created a serious shortage as the world was living from hand to mouth and no surplus was on hand or in sight. Then prices rose too the unheard of height of 23.52 cents. Meantime the Louisiana planters asked for more were allowed to raise their price to 20 1/2 cents.

"The price of Hawaiian sugar is based on the price of Cuba centrifugals in New York on the day of the arrival of our sugar. The Hawaiian crop is about 600,000 tons and this year the consumption of sugar in the United States is near the 4,000,000-ton mark. We do not figure much in the market, for Cuba dominates it and sets the price.

A League Incident

Attention is being called to recent incident in the English House of Commons to illustrate how the United States would be hampered in her strictly national activities were she a member of any league of nations such as proposed by Mr. Wilson.

Now in the House of Commons the other day up rose a member, Major Lowther, who made inquiry as to whether the attention of the English government had been called to the proposed fortification of the island by American and whether it might not be a proper matter to be brought before the league of nations council.

Of course since the United States is not a member of the league and since we are doing what we have undeniable right to do for our own protection and the protection of all the Americans under the Monroe Doctrine, we shall pay no attention to the inquiry, but if we were a member of the league as Mr. Wilson would have us, and were allowing the nations of Europe to run affairs on this side of the water, we probably would have nothing to do but allow that part of the Canal to go unprotected. And as Great Britain would have six votes to our one in deciding the matter, it is more than probable that we should have to ask England's permission to construct the fortifications. It isn't at all a pretty thought.

Life's a Funny Proposition After All

We have previously published the following, but by request do so again:

"A man comes into this world without his consent and leaves without his will. During his stay on earth his time is spent in one continuous round of contraries and misunderstandings. In his infancy, he is an angel; in his boyhood, he is a devil; in his manhood, he is everything from a lizard up; in his duties, he is a damn fool; if he raises a family, he is a chump; if he takes a check, he is a thief; and the law raises hell with him. If he is a poor man, he is a poor manager and has no sense. If he is rich, he is dishonest, but is considered smart. If he is in politics he is a grafter and a crook. If he is out of politics, you can't place him, and he is an undesirable citizen. If he goes to church he is a hypocrite, and if he stays away from church he is a sinner. If he donates to a foreign mission he does it for show. If he doesn't he is a "tightwad." When he comes into the world everyone wants to kiss him; before he goes out they all want to kick him. If he dies young there was a grand future before him. If he lives to a ripe old age, he is only in the way and is living to save funeral expenses. In order to be entirely healthy, he must eat nothing, drink nothing, smoke nothing, and see that the air is properly sterilized before breathing."

"It has been costing the people from \$5,000,000 to \$8,000,000 per month to keep 18,000 of our soldiers on the German frontier," declared Representative Stuart F. Reed, of West Virginia, recently, in debate on the peace resolution. "This number is several thousand more than England is keeping there, guarding territory in which we have declared we have no interest. Let us end the war, stop spending the people's money in foreign lands, and give our attention to the needs of the citizens who are groaning under caused waste, extravagance, profiteering, and lack of sane business methods in the administrative branches of the government."—Polk Co. Observer.

Tillamookers Visit Lodge.

Judge Webster Holmes, Dr. Shearer, Howard Lamar, Chas. Pankow, and John Carroll were among the Tillamook Elks who were here Tuesday evening to attend a session of the lodge of that order. Tillamook is eager to have a lodge in its home town, and the Tillamookers asserted that Tillamook has the 5000 population required by the order before a lodge is instituted. It is likely that Tillamook will present its claim at the next session of the grand lodge. At present Tillamook is in the jurisdiction of the McMinville lodge.—News-Reporter.

Ball Game at Beaver

The ball game at Beaver last Sunday between Beaver and Nehalem although not close, was exciting and greatly enjoyed by the fans. In the first inning Nehalem put across three runs and held the lead until the third, when Beaver tied the score. Thereafter Beaver scored at will, except in the ninth, three men striking out in a row. Nehalem made several long hits, one a home run, but they came well scattered and with a few men on the bases. The pitching on either side was nothing extra, but Beaver's hits came when hits meant runs. The batting of Meador and Maloney, of Beaver, and of Nehalem's second base men were features of the game.

Think of These Things

Money spent in your home town and county remains in circulation. It will ultimately find its way back to you. Isn't it true? The local business and professional man helps with his taxes to maintain the institutions in which you are most interested. Money sent out to mail-order houses or to outsiders does not contribute to the building up of your town. Such money so far as you and I are concerned, is practically withdrawn from circulation. Isn't it?

The local merchant is your friend and neighbor. He rejoices in your prosperity and sympathizes with you in your adversity. Truly he is your neighbor. Isn't he? Taking all things into consideration, you can buy as cheaply and get just as much for your money from your home dealer as though you sent your money fifty or a thousand miles from Tillamook. Isn't it so?



MAGNUS WOOLEY At the Hill Military Academy commencement exercises at the academy in Portland, on the 16 of June, Magnus Wooley was appointed a Cadet Corporal and commended for his excellent work at the academy. Hill Military Academy was one of the schools to receive military equipment from the government during the past year. The boys also received many other advantages during the year from camping trips and social affairs.

President Wilson committed another fool error when he said the republican platform was Prussianized. When we look and see how Mr. Wilson and the democratic party has been supported by the Hearst newspapers some of us are inclined to think that, the democratic party is already Prussianized. It is poor gratitude on Mr. Wilson's part to be throwing nasty, uncalled for insinuations at the republican party and republicans in general, for it was republican senators and republican congressmen who voted money and backed him up in war measures. And it was republicans who took the lead in war work activities. It might be asked whether the democratic party was Prussianized, for billions of dollars were wasted and the United States army failed to obtain the necessary equipment. One of the first appropriations made by congress was for 20,000 air planes and bombing planes, and notwithstanding the fabulous waste of money, our boys in France had to use discarded French and British planes. Talk about the republican platform being Prussianized, who were the Prussians amongst Mr. Wilson's advisers, who hindered and held up war supplies?

As C. E. Spence has again been elected master of the state Grange it must be taken for granted that his radicalism is what the organization wants and the proverbial conservation of the farmer is no more. But for its own sake it is to be hoped that the line will be drawn if the master attempts to deliver the organization over to the Non-Partisan League—an act he has several times given evidence of attempting.—Independent.

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