

Tillamook Headlight

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"Getting out from under" is a phrase commonly heard these days, but its import is little sensed.

"Getting out from under" is too prevalent. It is becoming psychological. It is instilling a fear of the future.

Unless this feeling is quieted, or unless the conditions that are causing it, are changed the doom of a chaotic future is presaged.

It is impossible to quiet that feeling by mere reassurance. The people are too well aware of the tottering conditions of the markets and the reasons therefor.

When labor started out to get its equitable share in the profits reaped by capital that capital used labor's endeavor as a pretext for tacking on extra burdens for the consumer.

The example set by capital was followed by everyone. It was an excuse for profiteering by persons both big and small financially.

Prices advanced by leaps and bounds. They attained heights beyond reason. It was like a game of stacking cards.

One by one you pile them and breathlessly watch to see if the next one will be sufficient to send the whole structure toppling to a confused mass.

It is realized prices have been built too high and the foundation is unsteady.

The tearing down process is underway. This is the forerunner. All of us are watching the reductions, wondering what next is to happen.

Thus the anxiety and fear and the inception of the phase of "getting out from under." And with it is the feverish desire of everyone to get all he can as quickly as he can before this so-called crash comes.

It is not a question of salvaging. It is a matter of retaining a grip on the flagon of extravagance and high living and dinking deep draughts before "back to normalcy" arrives.

No one can be censured for that. But the danger lies in the trend becoming an avalanche, an unstoppable slide. And no slide is without its fatalities.

It may be the feeling is not so far advanced that it can not be quieted. But that is questionable.

The best remedial effort is that which will alter the conditions that are causing it. This is the "back to normalcy" plan of President-elect Harding.

Can Mr. Harding be successful? His success depends upon the support he receives, and the confidence of the people is two-thirds of that.

The victory of prohibition was not dimmed by the recent election, for in Minnesota Congressman Volstead author of the Volstead Act, was re-elected.

This assured the dregs of having the coveted chairmanship of the Judiciary committee in the House in their possession.

R. A. Booth of Eugene, member of the state highway commission, and N. J. Sinnott of The Dalles, representative in Congress from Oregon, are being mentioned as possibilities for the portfolio of Secretary of Interior on President Harding's cabinet.

"That the condition of the roving wage earner is not what it was during several recent years is indicated by the number of 'hobos' who pass through here on freight and passenger trains," comments the Cottage Grove Sentinel.

"One train crew reported a 'tourist' passenger list of 23 and another crew reported a similar kind of patronage amounting to 48."

"One of the most important new pieces of highway construction in the county that should be started at an early date is the link between Brighton and Rockaway," declares the Wheeler Reporter.

The student preacher of Willamina left his school work at Salem one day to coach the Willamina high school students in athletics, and returned to Salem the next morning to attend his own wedding.

That's a preacher who is taking no chances.

County Judge Asa Robinson of Polk county is the objective of a recall movement now under way. Bitterness against him has been aroused because of his course in the state highway controversy in which Dallas became involved in a quarrel with the state highway commission.

Numerous infractions of the law Saturday night are said to have been the result of undue witness due to too much moonshine. Well, when the authorities get busy we will expect an eclipse.

You never knew how scarce wood is around Tillamook until you went to buy some, did you?

Do you serve milk on your table when visitors are present? It's a good boost for the dairy industry of Tillamook.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

(From the issue of Nov. 22, 1909.) Dr. C. E. Hawke leaves this city on the steamer for Portland, where he will locate, having sold his practice here to Dr. I. M. Smith.

The electric light plant has closed down and the city is in darkness. May it not be very long before another plant is put in to replace the one which is said to have petered out.

Messrs. Drew & Monroe gave an entertainment at the opera house with their new graphophone and stereopticon machines, which they are going to travel with for several months.

Miss Selma Allen returned to the city on Wednesday and will attend to the long distance telephone line. Cohn & Co. are figuring upon putting in a small electric light plant for their store building, to be run by water power.

The paramount issue is still with us—the improvement of Tillamook bar.

Articles of incorporation were filed on Wednesday for the Yellow Fir Lumber company. The incorporators were E. G. Wist, F. R. Beals and Peter Brant.

Two juries were drawn to try cases at the circuit court on Monday. It is now several years since a jury has been drawn in that court, which plainly shows that Tillamook is a law-abiding county.

Tillamook county had a few days of winter the forepart of the week with a little snow.

We are informed that the water company has purchased a tract of land above the barn near the reservoir, and it is the intention to erect a new and larger reservoir there.

Mr. E. Jones expects to open up his new hardware store next week. Sand Lake cranberries are selling now at 4c a quart.

A new concern, the Nehalem Transportation Company, has sprung up in competition with the Pacific Navigation Company, which will carry freight from Portland to Nehalem and Tillamook.

The steamer Elmore arrived on Wednesday and came up to the city the next day.

Tillie Mook's Own Col Yam

By TILLIE MOOK

I met one of the merchants on the street the other day. Sez he indignantly, sez he: "There was a local item in one of the papers which showed a lady of my store, etc., etc. Now she wasn't of my store." And the merchant riz in his anger and avowed that that item must be corrected.

Aks I off the point-like: "Do you advertise, mister?" "No," sez he, back-firing promptly.

"Well, then," sez I thoughtfully-like, sez I, "You should have no objections to the item. It is free advertising. You should consider yourself lucky to get something free. There's few enough free things these here days."

Heard in the barber shop. A patron pulling out five dollars to pay for a shave, a hair cut, a dandruff remover, face massage, hair wash, etc., etc.

"Now if I could only dodge the barber I might save some money," he remarks.

"Oh, no, my friend," replies the barber. "If you didn't patronize me the county would have to keep me and that would increase your taxes."

Some one accused me of using slang. He said as how my grammar was fierce. Said it peered to him as if anyone who writ for a paper should have elastic use of preponderous words and make an artesian flow of rhetoric.

Sez I him: "I'm a mere puppet of the human mind, I am. I reflect human life in a slightly exaggerated form. Therefore if the public recites all its errors and purifies its speech you'll see me trundle my pen along the path of progress."

I wuz in the phone office one of these weeks and there wuz a woman what was calling up to order sum wood. I heerd her say as how she needed some fule immediately. This is what she sed:

"Is this number so and so?" "Have you any wood today?" "Is it good and dry?" "How much is it?"

"Oh-h-h, that much? How awful. Oh, dear. Will you deliver a load to me this afternoon?" "You say you can't this afternoon? When then?"

"What? Not for ten days?" "Not the best possible chance for ten days. Oh, dear, what shall I do?"

She hung up the receiver in despair and then called another number. Sez she:

"Have you any wood?" "Can you deliver today?" "You can? Fine. What kind of wood is it? Is it dry?" "Not dry? Nothing but green alder. How much is it?" "What that much for green wood?"

She sighed, then resignedly sez, sez she: "All right send me a half cord."

Then I wandered out on to the street and looked about. Everywhere I peered I saw wood. Wood. "The good Lord was thoughtful with this country when he provided these great forests around here. I ruminated. "Wood is beautiful. Undoubtedly He intended man to keep warm. But, sadly enough, his intentions went awry when He made man as his agent to provide the fule for man."

"Rise in phone rates asked" reads a headline. Well, 'twas always thus. Man's tongue is constantly getting him into trouble.

Russia is "in the red" again.

Didje ever see a ninnard who wasn't as clever with his tongue as he is with his shooting stick? On a recent morning I was stepping me way along the street when I met a couple lads who betwix and between 'em were carrying a load of ducks. Wild ducks they were, the boys had shot along the river.

Sez I: "Some haul yuh made today boys?" Sez they "Huh, mister," they snorted, "this here bunch is nothing. We lost twict as many as we have here."

And most hunters these days consider themselves lucky to bag one. Some boys, them!

There's a value in clogged sewers, as I observed toter day whilst my attention was divided between watching the street and a chap make a difficult shot in an attempt to land ball 13 in a game of pool.

A fellow come along and he had mud all over his rubber boots. But being as how he wasn't raised in a barnyard he sought the puddle of water caused by the sewer being clogged and washed off his boots afore he come into the store.

How're we raisin' our young 'uns, speculated I, as my footsteps led me along the main drag of our fair city Sunday afternoon. Before me walked a girl, barely in her teens. Her skirt was of muslin, or leastwise of material no better and hung like the palm leaf on Eve when she was shamed before Adam.

But heydey! Around her shoulders, as high as her ears—and as low as her waist, she wore a fur. And had I only seen the fur I would have sez to myself would I have sez: "Her dad must be John P." But I reckoned as how he wasn't when I looked at that skirt again.

Notice of Budget Meeting to the Taxpayers of the Port of Bay City, Oregon.

PUNDS AND RESOURCES. Cash on hand 11-1-1920 \$31,474.46 Cash on hand 11-6-1920 . 9,943.75 Bankers Acceptances . . . 97,919.19 U. S. Treasury Certificates 2,500.00 Port Bonds to be sold and delivered Morris Bros. January 1921 60,000.00 Required from taxes . . . 28,147.99

Total \$260,995.38 ESTIMATED DISBURSEMENTS FOR 1921.

To complete dredging work on harbor project appropriated \$260,000.00 Less paid Contractors:

Voucher 181—\$17,189.28 Voucher 186— 38,887.20 " 183-185— 433.63 Voucher 187— 724.51 57,234.62

Balance unexpended 11-1-20 \$202,765.38 For Interest on Port Bonds 18,210.00 Due June 30, 1921 20,010.00 Due December 31, 1921 20,010.00

Total Requirements . \$260,995.38 Please take notice that a meeting of the taxpayers of the said Port of Bay City is hereby called to meet at the office of the First Bank of Bay City, Oregon, on the 4th day of December, 1920 at 10 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of discussion of said estimates or budget.

By order of the board,

NOTICE OF SALE FOR DELINQUENT STREET IMPROVEMENT ASSESSMENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of a warrant issued by the City Recorder of Tillamook City, Oregon, dated November 10, 1920, and issued by order of the Common Council of said Tillamook City, the undersigned, Marshal of Tillamook City, Oregon, has duly levied upon and will, on Monday, the 15th day of December, 1920, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand the property hereinafter described. The particular tracts or parcels of ground to be sold, together with the name of the owner or owners thereof, and the amount for which each separate tract will be sold, are as follows, to-wit:

District No. 14, Fifth Street Sewer Tract beginning at a point 60 ft. East and 270 feet South of the N. E. corner of Lot 1, Block 4, King's Add. to Tillamook City, thence South 80 feet thence East 105 feet thence North 80 feet, thence West 165 feet to the place or beginning.

A. A. Yager, Owner, Amt. of Lien \$87.36; Interest to Dec. 15, \$1.97; Cost of Adv. \$15.20.

Said sale will take place at the front door of the City Hall in Tillamook City, Oregon, being the front door of the building in which the Common Council of said Tillamook City holds its sessions.

The names of the owners, or reputed owners of said property, as hereinbefore given, are the names of such owners, or reputed owners, as they appear on the docket of city liens of said Tillamook City, and each of said tracts of land so described will be sold at said sale to satisfy the assessment, interest and costs due upon each tract as de-

scribed, and each tract will be sold separately.

This sale is made for the purpose of satisfying the delinquent assessments for street improvements duly assessed against said property, together with interest and costs thereon, said assessments having been made by the Common Council of Tillamook City, Oregon, on 29th day of June, 1920, and said assessments having been thereupon docketed in the docket of city liens of said Tillamook City, and more than 30 days having elapsed since said docketing and said assessments not having been paid in whole or in part, and the Common Council of Tillamook City, Oregon, having, on October 18, 1920, duly ordered a warrant to issue for the collection of said delinquent assessments.

Dated this November 10th, 1920. M. E. GRUBER, Marshal of Tillamook City, Oregon 11-11-20

BARK ON TREES NOT WOOD

It is Composed of Three Layers of Tissues, Each of Which has Important Function.

Bark on trees and shrubs corresponds with skin on animals. But it has other uses which the skin hasn't. Bark isn't wood, and it isn't formed as wood is formed. It covers the wood, and it is generally an easy matter to separate the bark from the wood. Hemp and jute and flax are all bark—the outside covering of certain vegetable growths.

Bark is composed of three layers of tissues. The inside layer conducts food to the plant, and under a magnifying glass is seen to be made up of tiny fibers. Then there is the "green zone," as it is called, and this also is fibrous, and helps feed the plant. The outside layer is cork, and is really dead. That is, these cork cells develop and die immediately, so one really sees only a dead tree when he looks at the bark. The cork of commerce is the bark of a certain kind of tropical tree, but the outer layer of bark of all trees is technically known as cork, and the little cells going to make it up are called cork.

Soon Tired of Life. A Lawrence (Kan.) young man, who craved the life of a fireman, applied for a position at the department and was told to report for duty at seven o'clock Thursday morning.

Shortly after seven a practice drill was staged with all the thrills of a real alarm, with the new recruit an interested spectator. After the drill the chief brought in an application for insurance for the new fireman and asked him who should be notified in case he was the victim of an accident. The recruit said there would be no accidents so far as he was concerned, and thereupon tendered his resignation, having been a fireman for a period of 40 minutes.

Riches of the Indian Tribes. In connection with the practical reservation industries maintained by the government there are conducted twelve demonstration and three experimental farms, and nearly 300 farmers, stockmen and assistants are employed and live near Indian communities for giving instruction and counsel. Under authority of the law the service handles large sums annually in loans to Indians as initial capital for beginning their self-support and looks after the later liquidation of these loans. The value of all individual and tribal property, if recent mineral tributes are included, is approximately \$1,000,000,000.

Rex Theater

"Don't Ever Marry"

Beginning Saturday. Matinee free to children under 15 years of age.

Opening of "Don't Ever Marry," Comedy "Over the Transom."

Admission 15 & 25c

"The Little House with Quality Pictures."

Are We Blinkies Downhearted?

NO! Not so long as the Red Cross Sees a fellow through



Let a blind soldier speak to you—

"Close your eyes for a moment. Then imagine that, for you, the rest of your life was to be one perpetual night; no flowers, no colors, no sunshine, no friendly faces—just sounds and smells and feeling things with your fingers. That's blindness.

"But are we blinkies downhearted? NO! Not so long as the Red Cross sticks around and sees a fellow through!"

Your Red Cross does just that—"sticks around and sees a fellow through."

Not only is your Red Cross helping ALL of those men who were blinded or half blinded in the war and training them for happy, self-supporting occupations; it is helping to bring back to health more than 26,000 men who are still in hospitals as a result of the war.

Your Red Cross membership makes possible work like this.

Join the Red Cross or renew your membership during the

RED CROSS

TEACHES: Home Hygiene Care of Sick First Aid Dietetics Life Saving Thrift Community Service

RED CROSS FOURTH ROLL CALL

November 11-25, 1920

RED CROSS

PROVIDES: Health Centers Public Health Nurses Social Workers Care for Service Men Help in Disaster Relief in Europe Information Service

Tillamook Lodge No. 57, A. F. & A. M.

Stated Communications second Wednesday of each month. Visiting Brethren welcome. Leslie Harrison, Sec'y.



Tuesday eve, 8 p. m. Rebekah, Wednesday evening Camp 2-4, Thursday

Notice to Contractors

Notice is hereby given that the County Clerk of Tillamook County will until 10 o'clock A. M. December 3rd, receive bids for the clearing and grubbing of the Co. Road right of way through what is known as the Scovell cut off on the North Fork of the Nehalem River, a distance of approximately 1300 feet.

No bid will be considered unless accompanied by cash, bidders bond or certified cheque for an amount equal to at least 10 per cent of the total amount of the bid.

Specifications may be seen at the office of the County Clerk of Tillamook County.

The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals, or to accept the proposal deemed best for Tillamook County.

Signed, HOMER MASON, County Clerk. First publication, November 18, 1920. Last publication, December 2, 1920

Theodore Jacoby, Secretary.

Notice to Contractors Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Board of Directors of school district number 20, Dolph, Oregon, on or before 1 o'clock, P. M., December 15th, 1920, for the building of a public school building in the said district, according to the plans and specifications now on file with the district clerk at Dolph, Oregon. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check made payable to school district No. 20, Dolph, Oregon, of the sum of \$100.00, as a guarantee that the contractor will furnish an approved bond equal to 50 per cent of the contract within ten days after the awarding of the contract.

Plans and specifications may be seen on file with the district clerk, Mrs. Ellen Munro, Dolph, Oregon. The successful bidder will be required to give references and an approved bond equal to 50 percent of the amount of the contract.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the school board of district No. 20, Dolph, Oregon. 11-18-20

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Beals left for Portland Monday morning to attend the livestock show.

Announcing

THE OPENING OF OUR AGENCY AT TILLAMOOK

Four Reasons Why You Should Buy the Noiseless Typewriter

- 1. IT IS NOISELESS. 2. IT IS DURABLE. 3. IT DOES BEAUTIFUL WORK. IT IS SPEEDY.

We Stand Ready To Make The Demonstration At Your Convenience.

W. F. BAKER, Agent

NOISELESS TYPEWRITER DIST. CO. No. 10, National Building



Marathon Lodge No. 93, Knights of Pythias

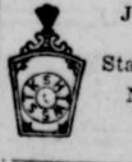
Regular meeting Monday evening at 7:45 sharp. By order of the Chancellor Commander. John C. Carroll, C. C.



Corinth Post, No. 35, Dept. of Oregon

Meets on second and fourth Saturdays of each month at 1:30 p. m. in W. O. W. hall. Visitors welcome.

H. W. Spear, Com'dr. Samuel Downs, Adj.



Johnson Chapter No. 24

R. A. M. Stated convocation Friday Nov. 19. Visitors welcome. I. E. Keldson, Sec.



Tillamook Lodge No. 1200

L. O. O. M. Meets every Friday at K. of P. Hall.

S. A. Brodhead, Sec.

Dr. and Mrs. Lebow will have charge of Dr. Wise Dental practice while he is away. 11-18-21