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TAXPAYER EXPRESSES SELF AS UNFAVORABLE TO TAXES

To the Editor: There is an old saying that "there is nothing so certain as death and taxes" and the time for "facing" the last item is here.

Few people at this time are in a position financially to pay their taxes, which, according to all reports are considerably higher than last year and still mounting higher than people are able to pay. Taxes are now all out of proportion to value received and there seems at this time to be no end in sight. In addition to the overload of taxes the citizens of Tillamook City are being called upon to vote on Saturday, March 18th—the next Saturday—a large bond issue of \$50,000.00, and this in view of the fact that the total indebtedness of Tillamook City now exceeds the statutory limitations by many thousands of dollars. This contemplated bond issue is for the purpose of taking up warrant indebtedness brought upon the city by extensive paving and sidewalk improvements on Miller Ave., and paving of 3rd and 5th streets, west of Stillwell Ave., also General Fund expenditures which have increased faster than the taxes. Yet, we are continually told "that the people are to blame for this condition of affairs."

Personally, I believe that the best interests of the people of Tillamook City will be brought about by voting NO on this bond issue or on any further bond issues for any kind and for any purpose. The city is now bonded to the limit, as well as many individuals who own property in the city and are unable to pay their assessments and taxes.

The City Council should immediately take some action against the county court, from further levying and collecting a large tax from within the city amounting to many thousands of dollars—this year the amount taken from city taxes by the county amounts to \$13,875.16—and it is our understanding from a reliable source that Tillamook City has paid tribute for a number of years. It is quite possible that Tillamook city might recover a large amount of this from the county if some action is taken in the matter. It would appear to us, that it is highly important that this matter be taken up by the city at once, so that this condition will not occur in the future if it is possible to prevent.

I am not in favor of any more bond issues for any purpose and believe that it is wrong for the county court to impose the burden of added taxes upon the city in view of the present overburdened financial condition.

A TAXPAYER

To the Editor:

John 8:6, "Let him that is without sin cast the first stone." Most always its the person wanting to "set" on other people that needs it and others where "good advice" like "charity, begins at home" that ought to had a cook book with "How to roast their husbands" in it before they roasted theirs too much and one minister's wife whose soul is yet her own, is going to roast some "wimmens" in the "Aid" if they don't quit setting around in the forenoons in way of her work and other meals. And she's had years of it now; and she says those that gets others to caststones, is too big cowards to do it themselves. Its like "them as has" no children of their own can always tell you what to give them but one meddling old soul gave her little girl sage tea once unwisely, and nearly killed her, causing much suffering with boated hives before the doctor could come. It takes the ladies who never get tired at amusements and entertainments and dress bills, to get awfully tired out cooking or nursing, or calling, or studying, or doing anything with any seriousness in the cause of worship of any Being higher than themselves. "Eats and 500 games" and fickle spend-thriftness of time and strength leave no patience or interest for sympathetic service to humanity scarcely even at time of death of a neighbor these days yet nothing but profound ignorance, or self love of display excuses people acting like stoics did in Nero's day. Some times too many are so busy following out the motto, "Eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow we die" that

it looks more like unbelief in St. Peter's gate where without warning, a hasty death through the "flu" or "auto" gate may leave one at the heavenly gate empty handed of a page in the book of life service and with the debit side of the sheet lopping over. A WOMAN.

DAFFYGRAMS

People who say nasty things about people behind their backs should wait until their victims are close enough to hear and turn around. Then they wouldn't say 'em and this would be a beautiful and loving world.

Its a wise man who knows enough to keep his wisdom to himself.

Of course, there may be people who never lie, but who wants to sit or stand all of his life?

'Tis wonderful how a fond mother will dwell upon the vivid imagination of her small boy who has just blurted out the truth.

If you want to make a fellow hot just tell him to keep cool when he is between two fires.

Only the wise can recognise the folly of the fool.

If adequate punishment were promptly inflicted in every case there would soon be no occasion for punishment.

Proof conclusive that the president aspires to a second term is the fact that he continues to have his shoes half soled.

These frequent sunny days make us think that spring is on the way, but let us hope that it is not headed in the wrong direction.

There is one effective method of checking the fellow who begins to tell you his family troubles. Tear off a few bigger ones of your own.

This life contains a lot of ups and downs, but most of our profit is found while drifting around in the middle.

Some lawyers are so energetic they perform a double-duty. They get into congress and the state legislatures and help make the laws and then aid their clients to evade them.

A good way to get an obstinate man to do a things is to tell him he can't. He'll hop right to it just to prove you wrong.

The fellow who is fond of hearing his own voice can seldom understand why other people are so deaf.

As a rule a man who is willing to tackle a difficult task doesn't find it so difficult after he gets to going.

There is one common ground upon which we all agree. That is our inalienable right to disagree.

At least one thing can be said in favor of bootleg booze. It's seldom found in dirty bootlegs.

The only thing that is worse than a flat joke is one that is flatter.

And still the movie stars are not all bad. Some of them would just like to be.

The world is full of beautiful women, but it is difficult to get two of them to agree on anyone.

As an evidence of our extreme courtesy we continue to call them courts of justice.

The thief of the night is becoming a back number. Most of them are now pulled off in the daylight.

Its a fact. The more we do the more we can, and the less we do the less we want to do.

We agree with the minister that jazz is immoral. Otherwise it would not be so popular.

Keeping our best foot forward may be good advice but it is a difficult method of progressing.

It is a waste of energy for some people to say they can't. It is a self evident fact.

Keep a stiff upper lip. Drooping ones are not becoming.

Silence is golden when the other fellow has the longest reach.

It des not matter much whom we live with in this world, but it matters a great deal whom we dream of.

Los Angeles means "The City of Angels." Fallen angels, huh?

Blessed are the poor in Europe, for they shall see a lot of American tourists.

Some of the newly emancipated women are becoming pretty independent these days. A Michigan woman left her husband in a huff because he wanted her to pull weeds and help draw the plow.

Why are things in the movies so unreal? Who ever saw a husband kiss his wife as they do on the screen?

Don't say anything about the beautiful weather. Its just like a woman and liable to change any minute.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that the County Court of Tillamook County will until 10 o'clock a. m. on March 31, 1922, receive bids for the building of a Reinforced Concrete Viaduct over Simmons Creek on State Highway, about 8 miles south of Tillamook City, according to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the County Clerk of Tillamook County.

No bid will be accepted unless accompanied by cash, certified cheque, or bidders bond, for an amount equal to at least 5 percent of the total amount of the bid.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids or to accept the bid deemed best for Tillamook County.

H. S. BRIMHALL, Co. Clerk.
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Far in Warsaw an if you find a gold pencil you please give it to Corinne Straabahn an if you do it you aint h'nest. She got it for a present an if she node ware she lost it she wood go an get it but she dont only the last time she had it was up by the high school so will you please give it to her an she wont ast you no questhuns neethur. She ast me to put it in my collum so evrybuddy wood read its o thate why I am puttin it ist. The cheef ast me if I got pade for it but I din't.

Jim dash

Ellen Nrberg told the cheef she was much a bigged for what he sed that time a bout Mister Shariff Ascrim havin a hart when she was snode under with work. cause she aint had half so much work this week.

Jim dash

Mrs. Eastman ast me wood I say she needs all kinds f close speshully for kids an if you got sum old pants an under close an things like that wood you bring them to room 20c up ver Halton's store please an fons her to Bell 125W an tell her a bout it. Boys an girls close an mans an ladies also she sed.

Jim dash

Mister Odell what works for Mister Aschim wich is the shariff is gettin a long all rite now from lookin out the winder to see sum ladies t see wus they vamps. No-buddy was hurt.

Jim dash

Mister Koch is got brass band music up to his store for sale now an drugs also an prescripshuns an face powder an toilet water to make you smell sweet an evrythink.

Jim dash

My fother sed they shoood ought to have a minister up to the Presbuterian church named Red an Mister Wite up to the Christian church cause the Piscapull's is got Mister Black an the Methdisses is got Mister Dark. He sed sumbuddy shoood ought to make life of it. My Mother she ast him when he got threw talkin a bout it if he din't have nothin else more constructive to talk a bout an he sed well a little nonsents is good for you wunct in a wile. Nbuddy was hurt. He was jess follin.

Jim dash

Mrs. Gilbert up to the library ast the cheef to say if you get threw with a book please to bring it back cause you aint expected to lurn the hult thing by hart enny way.

GARIBALDI NOTES

Mrs. E. S. Martin is spending a few days visiting friends and relatives at Forest Grove.

Mr. Lukessa, local scard catcher, spent the week end visiting friends at Tillamook.

Mr. and Mrs. Mains, of Miami, were the proud parents of a baby girl, March 5th.

Mrs. Stevens who has been here with her daughter; for the past two months died March 8. She recently came from California, and was sixty years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Wills spent a few days visiting with friends at Tillamook.

Wilson Kail, who has been employed at the Idaville logging camp, returned to the city last Monday.

Lewis Alexander left here Friday to work in the logging camp at Idaville.

Garibaldi's population is rapidly increasing. Eighteen additional men arrived to work at the mill on the 15th.

The dredge came down from Tillamook Tuesday. It will do dredging for the Whitney company.

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NOTICE TO DAIRYMEN

The Tillamook Cow Testing Association

has begun its new year's work. All dairymen who are figuring on testing will please call or see Paul Fitzpatrick or Mr. Pine or the Tester. And dairymen can test in Tillamook county as the Tillamook cow testing association has taken over the north and south end association's. Testing fee: \$1.50 per head per year. We have a ready market for your grade heifer calves from dams producing 300 pounds of fat or over and sired by pure breed sires.

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