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OUR EDITORIAL POLICY

- 1. To advocate, aid and support any measures that will bring the most good to the most people.
2. To encourage industries to establish in Tillamook county.
3. To urge the improvement of a port for Tillamook City.
4. To insist on an American standard of labor.
5. To be politically independent, but to support the candidates for public office who will bring the most good to the people of Tillamook county and of the State of Oregon.

FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1923

Miss Miller and Will R. King, moderate, are aspiring to grab the senatorial toga in this state.
It is what might be termed personal candidates and no doubt think Mr. Pierce was elected as a democrat last fall that the state is overwhelmingly democratic. Well, it is neither republican or democratic. The day of political hacks and party success is waning. The people will have to know that the man whom they elect is the man they want most regard to politics. It is time that some of these party aspirants stop twanging on the party harp and look a deeper look into the political mire, where they might see something that would surprise them. This country will in the near future be ruled by leaders who hold the principles of the nation above petty self aggrandizement and party success. The man who hangs on to the old party traditions and who has not felt the impulse to a higher conception of real citizenship and the necessity for right political action at the present time has usually failed to observe the present strong trend of public opinion both in the state and nation.

Now that the summer tourists are beginning to come through our city behooves us to make the town as pretty as possible. Many of our residences have nice lawns, flowers and well trimmed shrubbery with neat well kept parking strips while others do not show the same well kept and attractive conditions. A scythe, a pair of pruning shears and a little well applied elbow grease will do wonders in a few minutes night and morning, provided the man of the house does to rise at a reasonable hour. Not only is the value of one's property enhanced by its well kept appearance but to the man of civic pride the neatness of his premises is a source of pleasure which his neighbors and the city in general share.

Down in Marshfield, Coos county, the federated clubs have adopted a slogan that reads: "One hundred modern dwellings in 1923." That is the record in building in that live town which its citizens hope to achieve this year and with such a force of boosters behind the slogan there is little doubt that the word "success" will be written across the federated club's banner at the conclusion of the year's work. Now, let's reason together a little bit. If Marshfield can induce the building of 100 new residences within the limits of a year, why can't Tillamook get its boosters to work and secure enough men to build 30 new residences for the same length of time? Let the clubs federate and get busy. Our boosters are just as snappy as the Marshfield boosters. Let's go.

More than 70,000 workmen in the state of Oregon are under the state compensation act. There has been

an increase in number of over 50 per cent within the last year, the great increase being ascribed to the fact of increased activity in industrial pursuits in this state, mainly lumbering. It is estimated that 2,000 men are employed in lumbering in Tillamook county, and that means that that business has not reached the peak of its progress by any means. It is believed that a great majority of these workers are under the compensation act, and are protected during disability. There were 2800 accidents during May which is a high record with only 11 deaths.

The dispatches tell that ex-Governor Olcott has accepted a lucrative position with an Italian bank in San Francisco and it would now seem that he is about to make good his threat to shake from his feet the dust of this state. His frenzied opposition to the school bill during the last election may be getting its reward in the tender of the position in the cago bank in San Francisco, which may or may not explain some lurking suspicions in the mind of some people during the late state campaign.

Oregon has been little prospected for minerals, if we except gold. A Sunday paper says "Oregon is filled with iron." No doubt not only plenty of iron ore can be found in our coast range mountains in paying quantities, but it takes an expert to find out about the presence of minerals. The average man is not a mineralogist.

June, the month of brides, of flowers and the green witchery of shrub, tree and grass is here. With its advent will come the summer crowds to the seashore and the mountains. Leafy June, the month of long days and wholesome outdoor activity—welcome.

From Exchanges

Martin Jenck, Tillamook mail carrier, narrowly escaped serious injuries and perhaps death when his mail truck was struck Thursday night by another car. The truck was turned over in a ditch and the back end was badly smashed. No clew was given as to the identity of the driver of the other car which drove on without stopping.—Telephone Register.

Rain has prevented the county crew from rocking a small section of the North fork road. A day or two of good weather would see this stretch surfaced and regardless of weather the remaining portion of the North fork road could be graded and surfaced without interfering with traffic. Fine progress has been made on the clearing and grading and with an even break the county will complete

OPENING DANCE

AT PACIFIC CITY

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LET'S GO!

SWISS PICNIC AT PACIFIC CITY

ON JUNE 17, 1923

All Swiss and those of Swiss descent are invited. Bring your own lunch. Arranged by Swiss Society of Tillamook.

Arrangement Committee: Casper Zweifel, Joe Schrieber.

its contract this fall. Bids will be called in a few days for the building of an overhead crossing at the south end of the dike road. The estimated cost is \$16,000.—Wheeler Reporter.

The state highway commission has filed with the public service commission application for authority to eliminate five grade crossings over the Southern Pacific company's tracks in Tillamook county. Four of the crossings involved in the application are located between Bay City and Garibaldi, while the other crossing is located within the corporate limits of Bay City. The petition sets out that a large amount of money will be required to make the improvements and the public service commission has been asked to fix a date for hearing. The improvements, if allowed, will be paid for by the state, county and railroad.—Garibaldi News.

Elbert Gary, who wants a flood of cheap labor for his steel mills with Oriental standards of living for American toilers is now ranting religion. What this slab faced old hypocrite needs is a good horse-whipping. Society will adopt Christian standards with decent wages and working hours and no profiteers and chatter can speed the day otherwise.—Salem Capital Review.

A California supreme court ruling is to the effect that married men cannot be sued for breach of promise. If it were otherwise, there would be nothing to sue for after a wife had compelled her husband to make good on all the promises he has made to her alone.—Banks Herald.

Mrs. A. Nichols, an old pioneer in Oregon, who lived in Tillamook county for several years, and is well known by all of the real old timers in the Western part of the state, passed away at her home in Portland, Friday May 25 at the ripe old age of 85 years. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband and four daughters. Mrs. A. E. Nichols, who lives about 1 1/2 miles northwest of Willamina is the only daughter living near here. Funeral services were held Sunday and interment made in the Green Leaf cemetery in Portland.—Willamina Times.

The kid who used to be tickled to death when you presented him with a wheelbarrow, now demands possession of an automobile.—Roseburg News-Review.

JUNIOR SCOUTS RETURN HOME

The Junior Boy Scouts who last week spent several days out on Fawcett creek on their summer vacation living in tents in true soldier style, returned to town Monday of this week having spent a most enjoyable outing on the above named creek where mountains, woods and streams and shade combined to make an ideal camp. About 30 of the Junior Scouts

some of them of rather tender years, were in camp and enjoyed themselves to the full extent, although a few of the youngest were a little bit tinged with homesickness the first few days. Many fathers and mothers were out to see the boys and one night Rollie Watson and daughter Miss Rolletta sang some songs for the boys, Rollie accompanying with the banjo. Ten of the senior scouts were also camping with the juniors being assigned by Scout Master Harness.

COUNTY S. S. PICNIC

The Tillamook county Sunday school picnic which is to occur on the 20th of this month at Bester's grove promises to be one of the leading events of the summer. The Sunday schools in the north part of the county have trucks hired to come in and preparations are coming along nicely in every way. The state Sunday school secretary Rev. E. E. Cissna will give the leading address of the program. Interesting games are being arranged for the afternoon.

FAWN SEEN IN BAY CITY

While driving through the corpor-

ate limits of Bay City one day this week, R. B. Miller of this city saw a fawn by the roadside, peering curiously from a patch of brush. When the auto came close to it the animal disappeared in the thick underbrush. During the world war, deer are said to have multiplied very fast for the reason that they were not hunted so much. The coast section is heavily wooded, with abundant brush, which makes it difficult to hunt deer and they are therefore pretty well protected except from cougars and the like.

COLORADO LUMBERMAN VISIT

D. W. Sutherland, H. Whisner and Chas. H. Emory of Trinidad, Colorado, were registered at the Tillamook hotel Sunday. After driving about the city and looking over the mills and making inquiries of local men, they left Monday in company with Mr. Comstock of the Comstock mills, in the north end of the county and from there will go via Seaside to Portland. These men it is said are looking over this county with a view to getting in close touch with the lumber and timber situation and there is a possibil-

ity that they may engage in the lumbering business in Oregon. They have had experience in the business in Colorado and seemed to be well impressed with conditions in this county say local men. This county on account of its large resources in uncut timber

is just now attracting many lumbermen from localities where the lumber game has been played out and our field in consequence looks inviting.

Miss Etta Fitch was in town Monday from Blaine shopping.



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