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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, JULY 20, 1923

The champion egg eater up on the beach destroyed 338 raw eggs in 13 minutes. It is said, whether true or not, that Tillamook has the champion wester of the coast. If this be true, it is not challenge the state of Washington to a pie eating duel at one of its beach resorts?

The editorial association of Oregon met at Hood River last week and members were entertained by the raisers. Many of the real busy ones stayed at home. Some of the

buckbrush editors did not have the price, and balked at railroad fare. Other editors having autos elected to take an over Sunday trip to the beaches. The rich editors probably were to be found up at Hood River smoking 25c cigars and carrying swagger sticks.

A Japanese dairyman of Hillsboro advertises a sale of all his dairy herd "on account to wash my hands of the Japanese problem" and winds up his unique advertisement thus: "In details will pronounce later. R. Hiyeda, for 11 years on John Dennis place." If Mr. Hiyeda has been in the dairy business for 11 years in this country without hindrance, the Headlight fails to see why he should "wash his hands of the Japanese problem." The Jap problem is at least 11 years old.

Speaking of the Japanese problem, we are naturally led to think of the Wobblies. A few days ago fourteen of the I. W. W. were convicted of syndicalism in Los Angeles and sent to the state prison to serve sentences. So far Tillamook courts have been unable to convict any of this breed, tho several have been tried. What is the reason?

Everything the farmer raises seems to be held down by the price makers of the country. Wheat fluctuates slightly at low levels; berries and other farm and orchard products will be cheap or now are cheap, especially berries. Hundreds of acres of loganberries will go unpicked this year. The canneries are not operating as usual, and the high price of tin cans and the abnormal price of sugar and syrup combine to keep them inactive. The profiteer has prospered during the past four years, as never before, except in war times and there seems to be no effort made at restriction. If the government cannot handle the profiteers, who can? It is no wonder that the farmer is disgruntled. But the one worst hit, is the man of little means who has set out a few acres of berries with the idea that he could make a living from their culture and sale. It is not strange when we hear the producer complaining that any phase of farming will not pay. The natural tendency with farmers and small farm-

ers will be to get out of the business and seek some thing that will pay. The producers of food stuff are the backbone of the country, and need more protection than any other class of people. The condition has been serious with the farmers ever since the war and is growing worse year by year. Something should be done to curb the class of parasites who live off the production of the farmer and who set the price of his production in the markets and who when they have cornered most of the crops, proceed to shoot the prices up and exploit the consumer. No nation can prosper when the agricultural classes are thus cheated out of their honest and rightful profits.

OFFICIAL GOVERNMENT TIDE TABLES

These tide tables were compiled by the U. S. Government for Astoria, Oregon, as a standard port of reference. To find the exact time tides occur for the various parts of Tillamook county make the following subtractions in minutes:

Table with columns: Place, High, Low. Rows: Nestucca Bay, Tillamook Bay, Nehalem River. Includes tides for week commencing July 14, 1923.

Table with columns: HIGH WATER, LOW WATER. Rows: Saturday 21, Sunday 22, Monday 23, Tuesday 24, Wednesday 25, Thursday 26, Friday 27. Includes times in A. M. and P. M.

From Exchanges

Mrs. Lela Florence Barthrop, wife of E. B. Barthrop, died at her home in Portland Monday, July 9, at the age of 52 years and 20 days. She was born near Sheridan June 19, 1871,

and spent the greater part of her life in Yamhill and Tillamook counties. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Shortridge, the former passing away in 1920. For several years she and her husband resided in Portland but returned to Sheridan in 1920 when Mr. Barthrop purchased the drug store which he sold a year or two later to the Jonnassen-King Drug Co. They then returned to Portland, and for several months past she was in ill health that finally resulted in death. The body was brought to Sheridan and funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Christian church and interment made in the Masonic cemetery.—Sheridan Sun.

Mrs. Hunter of Tillamook is visiting among relatives here this week, th Sparks and Todd families.—Mc-Minnville Telephone Register.

Mrs. C. Brown was called to Tillamook to see her mother, who was injured in an auto accident.—Banks Herald.

Editing a newspaper is a pleasant business—if you can stand it. If the paper contains many advertisements, a subscriber complains that they take up too much space. If there is lack of advertisements the paper is unpop-

ular, and the people dont want it. If the editor attends church regularly, they say he goes for effect. If we stay away from church, they say we are monstrously heathenish. If we accept an invitation to a wedding, they say we were only invited to "write it up". If we went to a show they say we go on free tickets. If we are seen upon the streets too often they say we are neglecting our business. If we avoid going on the street they say we don't hustle around after the news. If we publish a man who has brought disgrace upon his family, the friends of the family never forgive us. If we out of goodness of heart, decline to say anything on the subject the man's enemies are disappointed and we are branded as white-livered cowards.—Capital Review.

The toy of yesterday becomes the utility of today as we were reminded as we listened to President Harding's address as it came over the radio last Wednesday at the home of B. W. Barnes. It was only a few months ago that we listened to faint sounds which could be translated into words and notes of music, but last week the address might have been delivered in the same room, for every word was distinct. And still some people are skeptical as to the progress of the world.—Hillsboro Independent.

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STATEMENT OF CONDITION JUNE 30, 1923. The First National Bank TILLAMOOK, OREGON. RESOURCES: Loans and Discounts \$836,769.02; Bonds, Securities, etc. 250,075.55; United States Bonds 28,350.00; Federal Reserve Bank Stock 2,250.00; Furniture and Fixtures 10,019.16; Overdrafts 1,147.89; CASH on hand and due from Federal Reserve Bank and approved reserve banks 236,786.55. TOTAL \$1,365,398.17. LIABILITIES: Capital Stock \$50,000.00; Surplus and Undivided Profits 50,058.98; Dividends Unpaid 4,000.00; REDISCOUNTS NONE; Circulation 24,400.00; DEPOSITS 1,236,939.19. TOTAL \$1,365,398.17. OUR GROWTH IN DEPOSITS: JUNE 30, 1921 \$816,187.26; JUNE 30, 1922 \$992,161.76; JUNE 30, 1923 \$1,236,939.19. Our Vaults are protected night and day by the most up-to-date electric burglar alarm system made.

LILLIAN TINGLE, SAYS. In answer to an enquiry regarding diet: "Then probably you could use more milk to advantage. You mention only two quarts daily for two children and two adults, one of whom is trying to gain weight. The children would do well to have a quart or nearly a quart each, and you should have a pint at least for yourself and from a pint to a quart (according to his special needs and his assimilation) for your husband. Then with the increase of milk you can easily cut down your meat and egg bill. "A good rule to remember is that for every extra half pint of milk used in the daily diet the other protein foods, such as meat, eggs, fish, cheese, may be reduced by two ounces without any dietetic loss. Milk is usually the least expensive and the most easily served and assimilated of all the protein foods." ORDER YOUR MILK FOR YOUR TABLE FROM GOLDEN ROD DAIRY. Both Phones Erwin Harrison, Prop.