

# The Tillamook Herald

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TUESDAY, MARCH 4, 1913.

## CITIZENS HEARTILY ENDORSE WORK OF THEIR COMMITTEE.

On Friday evening at the close of the pavement investigation meeting about 200 of our citizens heartily endorsed by a rousing vote, resolutions commending the committee for the work it had performed. Following are the resolutions:

"Be it resolved by the citizens of Tillamook City, Oregon, on this 28th day of February, 1913, that we heartily endorse the action of the citizens committee in the investigations made by them to determine the quality of the pavement recently laid in our city by the Warren Construction Company.

Some one said A. G. Beals should have been a lawyer. We guess that is about right.

Mr. Speaker will not take the responsibility for the sand and bitumen wearing surface which our pavement has; Mr. Richardson will not take the responsibility of the same. If no one will take the responsibility of it, it must be of illegitimate origin.

One of the peculiarities of the situation in regard to the pavement is the fact that Engineer Richardson through the report of Chemists Gilbert & Hall recommends our pavement as being O. K. while in talks with some of our citizens he has admitted that our pavement is not up to specifications and that a bitulithic pavement can not be laid on our soil without first laying a concrete foundation. There is certainly something rotten somewhere. While everyone seemed to be looking for something sensational, the nearest resemblance to a riot occurred when councilman Dick asked the chemist Mr. Gilbert if he was paid by the Warren Construction Co. After some sparring for position it was finally admitted that Gilbert & Wall chemists were in the employ of Mr. Richardson.

During the past few days we have heard many words of commendation rightfully bestowed upon the citizens committee which has been carrying on the investigation in regard to our pavement. Messrs W. G. Dwight, F. R. and A. G. Beals have been working most diligently and spending much time and money in an endeavor to get at the bottom of things, and they they have already rendered the people a great service there can be no question of a doubt. Their work has been exhaustive and thorough and we guess somebody thought they had run up against a buzz saw when the above named gentlemen got under motion. Tillamook City ought to be proud of the fact that she has citizens of this caliber and enterprise. A. G. Beals should be especially commended for the excellent manner in which he took the brunt of the fight last Friday. He certainly handled the evidence which had been gathered and which he presented to the council in a most telling manner.

### COUNCIL MEETS IN REGULAR SESSION.

On Monday evening the council met in regular session, with Mayor Harter, Councilmen Leach, Harrison, Bales and Dick, Recorder Todd and Attorney Bots present.

After some routine business had been disposed of, the manager of the Warren Construction Co. and Attorney Huntington appeared before the council. The manager of the company asked the council to make an assessment at that time because the company had a lot of money tied up in its work here and it was desirous of getting something in repay for work done. When the manager saw that the council would not make an assessment allowing the 80 per cent of the amount would be available and finally came down to 50 per cent. All these propositions were turned down by the council and it was decided to wait, as previously agreed upon, for another two weeks.

During the evening the following resolutions were adopted by the council:

### RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, the COMMON COUNCIL of Tillamook City, Oregon, in contemplation of making an assessment for the purpose of making a part payment to the Warren Construction Company of Portland, Oregon, for street paving, handling curbs and sewers, and taking the ordinary course used in such transactions of making a careful examination of said sewer, curb and paving, and before making such part payment, the Council at the suggestion of and with the concurrence of the Mayor, deputized Councilman M. F. Leach and City Recorder P. W. Todd to go to towns in the Willamette Valley where Bitulithic pavement had been laid, to get samples of said pavement, and procure other information concerning Bitulithic pavement; and

WHEREAS, samples of Bitulithic pavement were procured, and a comparison of said samples with samples taken from the pavement in Tillamook City left in the minds of the Council some doubt as to the genuineness of the Tillamook pavement; and

WHEREAS, the Council, as further precaution, sent samples of the Tillamook pavement to a laboratory at the State University of Eugene, Oregon, for a laboratory test, and whereas said test seemed to show the Tillamook City pavement not to be up to the standard of Bitulithic pavement; and

WHEREAS, the Council do not feel fully qualified to pass upon this question intelligently without procuring further information and evidence of a more certain nature from sources not liable to be dominated by personal interests or sordid motives, and in furtherance of this object,

BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the Common Council, in concurrence with the Mayor, appoint a committee of Erwin Harrison and Emmett Bales to conduct a further investigation, said investigation to be made with as little delay as possible; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be placed on file, and a copy sent to the Warren Construction Company of Portland, Oregon.

[Editor's Note: There are some things in the above resolution that sound rather queer to us. If one did not know the facts of the case the impression might be conveyed, on reading the fore part of the resolution, that Mayor Harter had taken the initiative in the present investigation and that his committee, composed of M. F. Leach and Recorder Todd was the only committee interested in the matter, when the truth is, that a council meeting had been called for the purpose of making an assessment, and that assessment would undoubtedly have been made had it not been for a most determined stand against the same by a body of our citizens, who demanded an investigation before the assessment was made. Upon the repeated demands of our citizens for an investigation the mayor appointed a committee which did act in conjunction with a committee appointed by the citizens.

The above resolution seems to ignore the interest taken by the citizens and the work done by the citizens' committee, and besides recommending that another committee be appointed makes the insinuation that the evidence now at hand came from sources liable to be dominated by personal interests or sordid motives. This insinuation was absolutely uncalled for, and we are sure there are men on that council who would never have stood for the resolution had they given it a second thought. It is hard for us to understand by what

process of reasoning the instigator of the resolution could justify himself in making such an insinuation, knowing as he must know of the splendid work done by the citizens' committee, and that 80 per cent of our citizens are ready to back up their report.

Did Professor Skelton, one of the faculty of the Oregon Agricultural College, one of our great state institutions, make his report with a sordid motive in view? He most assuredly did not.

Did Mr. Richardson, whose written report was in favor of the Warren Construction Co., but who emphatically stated to some of our citizens that our pavement was not up to specifications, have a sordid motive to know? We will leave the answer to that question up to our readers.

Was the Eugene report prompted by sordid motives? Most certainly it was not.

Was Mr. Johnston, chemist for the Warren Construction Co., prompted by sordid motives when he stated that all of our pavement was laid with a wearing surface composed of bitumen and sand?

Was the report of the Portland Bacteriological Laboratory prompted by sordid motives?

Was the evidence gained through Warren Bros. Co. literature secured and made available because of sordid motives?

What is the use of another councilman's committee did not Messrs. Leach and Todd do their duty?

If there ever was a preponderance of evidence in favor of any proposition, it is to the effect that our pavement has not been laid according to contract, and it seems to us that it is utterly useless to spend any more time or money along this line.

The above resolution is simply a slap in the face of the citizens' committee and a slap in the face of the many loyal citizens who are backing up their committee. Regardless of appearances, it is hard for us to believe that there is any one among our officials who would serve the interests of the Warren Construction Co. in preference to the interests of our citizens. However, should this be the case, there is but one word in the English language that would express our disgust in regard to the same, and that word is "Rotten!"

In summing up the proposition, the citizens did the bulk of the work in the present investigation, and should receive due credit.]

### YOUNG FOLKS GATHER AT McNAIR HOME.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. McNair was the scene of a merry gathering last Friday night, about forty young people of the Presbyterian Church responding to invitations sent out early in the week.

A musical program which included songs by Mrs. Mackenzie and violin numbers by Mr. Kiech, with piano accompaniment by Miss Ethel Gaylor and Miss Ruby McGhee was most heartily appreciated.

Various games occupied the time of the guests until a late hour when the hostess served refreshments.

This was the first of a series of entertainments that has been planned for the young people of the church and they are eagerly anticipating the next one to be given some time during this month.

### Chamberlain's Tablets for Constipation.

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### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF HEARING OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned has filed his final account as administrator of the estate of N. M. F. Dawson, deceased, and that the County Court of the State of Oregon for Tillamook County, has appointed Monday, the 7th day of April, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the court room of said court in the county court house in Tillamook City, Oregon, as the time and place for the hearing of objections, if any there are, to said account, and the closing of said estate.

Dated Feb. 25th, 1913.  
J. A. Dawson, Administrator of the Estate of N. M. F. Dawson, Deceased.

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### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. LAND OFFICE at Portland, Oregon, February 14th, 1913.  
NOTICE is hereby given that Hugh V. Weald, of Blaine, Oregon, who, on October 15th, 1907, made Homestead Entry No. 16350, Serial No. 01416, for SW<sup>1</sup> SW<sup>1</sup>, Sec. 8, NW<sup>1</sup> NW<sup>1</sup>, Sec. 17, and E<sup>1</sup> NE<sup>1</sup> Section 18, Township 3 South, Range 8 West, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Hadden, County Clerk of Tillamook County, Oregon, at Tillamook, Oregon, on the 30th day of April, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses: J. J. Broadway, J. J. Hill, L. Dee Moss, and K. E. Rowland, all of Blaine, Tillamook Co., Oregon.

H. F. HIGBY,

Register.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Tillamook.

In the matter of the estate of J. Henry Cochran, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that John R. Oatman, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of J. Henry Cochran, deceased, has rendered and presented for final settlement, and filed in said Court, his final account of his administration, and that, Thursday, the 29th day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Court room of said Court at the Court house in said County of Tillamook, in the State of Oregon, has been fixed and appointed by said Court as the time and place for the settlement of said account, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file exceptions in writing to the said account, and contest the same.

John R. Oatman, Administrator with the will annexed of the Estate of J. Henry Cochran, deceased.  
Dated and first published, February 11th, 1913.  
Date of last publication, March 11th, 1913.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. LAND OFFICE at Portland, Oregon, January 22nd, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that Chester C. Shaw, whose postoffice address is care of Shaw-Locke Realty Co., Portland, Oregon, did, on the 25th day of April, 1912, file in this office Sworn Statement and Application, No. 03496, to purchase the SW<sup>1</sup> of SE<sup>1</sup>, Section 30, Township 1 South, Range 8 West, Willamette Meridian, and the timber thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 3, 1878, and acts amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law," at such value as might be fixed by appraisal, and that, pursuant to such application, the land and timber thereon have been appraised, the timber estimated 80,000 board feet at 75 cents per M, and the land \$40.00; that said applicant will offer final proof in support of his application, and sworn statement on the 14th day of April, 1913, before the Register and Receiver of the United States Land Office, at Portland, Oregon.

Any person is at liberty to protest this purchase before entry, or initiate a contest at any time before patent issues, by filing a corroborated affidavit in this office, alleging facts which would defeat the entry.

H. F. HIGBY,

Register.

### SUMMONS. In the Justice Court for the Second Justice District in Tillamook County, Oregon.

Henry Plasker, Clem Plasker, and John Plasker, partners, doing business under the firm name of Plasker Brothers, Plaintiffs,

vs.

Fred Wheeler, Defendant.

To Fred Wheeler, Defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and action, on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order herein, which said order was made and dated on the 18th day of January, 1913, and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof the plaintiffs will have judgment against you as demanded in the complaint filed herein.

This summons is served upon you by order of E. W. Stanley, Justice of the court above-mentioned, dated the 18th day of January, 1913, therein ordering that Summons be served upon you by publication thereof in the "Tillamook Herald," a newspaper of general circulation in Tillamook County, Oregon, once each week for a period of six weeks from the date of the first publication thereof; and the time for you to answer said complaint begins to run from the day of the date of the first publication of this summons.

The date of the first publication of this Summons is the 21st day of January, 1913, and the date of the last publication thereof, and the last date upon which you are required to answer on or before is March 4th, 1913.

E. J. CLAUSSEN,

Attorney for Plaintiffs.

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### DAIRY NOTES.

From Western Farmer.

Butter paper is not expensive, and makes a nice covering for butter than tags.

Lots of comfort for the cows during the day is an open shed fencing the south.

There is constant improvement in the land where cows are kept.

And the dairy business develops fertility of the brain as well as of the soil.

The man who forgets to salt his cows is the one the cows forget.

Stop and think about the water supply. It should be secured from a source uncontaminated by impurities.

Cream that is too cold will cause trouble on churning day.

Before calving, the cow's food should be reduced in quantity and of a laxative nature.

If the cow could talk, we may imagine what she would say to the attendant who neglects to keep her clean and well bedded.

Feeding well is the only way we find to get full milk pails. It takes pounds of feed to bring pounds of butter.

It doesn't pay to go to the expense of cows, stables, land, utensils, etc.,

for the dairy work and skimp the cow.

Cream that has been properly handled and ripened will come without doctoring.

My neighbor claims the cream is churn easier when shredded corn fodder is a part of the cow's ration.

Cows will fall off in milk if water is not within easy reach. When in full flow of milk they require, it is claimed, 50 per cent more water than when dry.

No opening in your cow stable will admit sunlight! This is a great mistake. Sunlight is death to many forms of germ life.

One thing we do not like about some old barns is the dust from the hayrack sitting down upon the cows' heads. Tight flooring in the mow above would help matters.

Once a cow finds she can get over an old fence there will be trouble, perhaps for all time.

It takes a little time to remove all refuse matter from the last feed before giving fresh rations, but this pleases the cow and it is worth while to humor her fancy.

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