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## Man Drowned At Gold Beach, Sun.

Leonard Moore, owner of the Moore's Variety Store, at Gold Beach, is dead and Morris Graves and his son, Dennis, of Morrie's Sports Shop, Gold Beach, were rescued Sunday evening about 9:30, after their boat had been capsized off the coast at the Rogue River mouth. Vern Kolan told the Pilot, Monday.

While he could not furnish too many details, Mr. Kolan told the Pilot, that the three, all reported to be good boatmen, had gone deep-sea fishing, presumably off-shore at the Rogue mouth. About 5:30, in some manner the boat was capsized. Dennis Graves, when rescued, was holding his father, by then delirious, and was clinging to the boat. The body of Mr. Moore, Monday, had not been found, according to the Pilot's information.

## Patricia Hyland Is So. Curry Princess

Miss Patricia Hyland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hyland, who last spring was named as Azalea Queen, and was the local choice to Girl State by the Legion Auxiliary, and sponsored jointly



by Brookings Chamber of Commerce and Rotary Club, Saturday evening was named Southern Curry Princess to the county fair to be held at Gold Beach, Aug. 22, 23 and 24.

Miss Hyland's victory was not without a struggle — a struggle which forced the judges to count the votes for the fourth time.

Only one vote behind was Marjorie Freeman, sponsored by the Chetco Wranglers, and just five votes behind Miss Freeman was Elaine LeClaire, sponsored by the Chetco Grange. Betty Shuey, the Eagles candidate, came in fourth.

More than just passing interest was shown in the sale of tickets. With the Chetco Wranglers in charge of the entertainment program, the 1952 county fair promises to be one in which Southern Curry will have considerable participation.

Use these columns—it pays!

## Outstanding 4-H Club Member



Mary Donaldson, Denmark lass and student at Langlois schools, has made an outstanding record as a 4-H member. She recently won the championship in a Grange essay contest, and is competing for national honors with this same essay. Mary is an example what great good is being done each year through 4-H activities.

## Mr. and Mrs. Cal Guerrettaz Observed Golden Wedding Anniversary, Sunday

Sunday was the second greatest event in the lives of Mr. and Mrs. Cal Guerrettaz. The most important, naturally, was their marriage fifty years ago at Flora, Illinois, Sunday was the golden wedding observance of that pledging of marriage vows, re-enacted again last Sunday at the Star of the Sea Catholic Church here.

Present, Sunday for the event were all of Mr. and Mrs. Guerrettaz' children, who arranged a party at the Rod & Gun Club rooms on Benham Lane. About fifty friends came to wish the couple many happy blessings. Following a dinner, music and a short program was enjoyed before the couple opened their presents at a large table.

Met At Urbana, Illinois

Nancy Estella Dickenson, who born Oct. 9, 1873, at Fugate Hill, Va., was living at Urbana, Illinois back at the turn of the century, when Calveston Guerrettaz, born Dec. 6, 1875, was attending summer school at the University of Illinois. There was a question who met whom, but the up-shot of it was that Mr. Guerrettaz went to board with the family.

The couple was married, Aug. 11, 1902, with Rev. Fr. Maumer, of Flora, reading the marriage vows.

In 1903, with their tickets, a baby, and but \$5.00 in their purse, the couple came west to Pomeroy, Wash., where Mr. Guerrettaz had signed a school-teaching contract. His daughters think that his true character may be judged by the fact that with the \$5.00, the couple bought a book, or at least the husband did, using about half of their combined resources.

While teaching at Pomeroy, the Guerrettaz homesteaded near the town of Ritzville.

Later the family moved to Colton, where Mr. Guerrettaz went back into teaching. Ill health was the reason he took the civil service examination and became a mail carrier out of Tekoa, Wash.

The couple has four children: Helen (Mrs. Tony Christensen of

Brookings), Valera (Mrs. Miller of Portland), Gertrude (Mrs. Krieska of Portland, and Virgil F. of Portland, and eight grandchildren.

Secrecy About Event—

Some time ago Mrs. Guerrettaz spoke to her daughter, Mrs. Tony Christensen, that she would like to have her help with an "open house" and have a few friends in for the occasion. Mrs. Christensen told her mother not to think of the matter that some affair would be held, but never informed her mother of what plans were being made. Mrs. Guerrettaz was somewhat "put out" by the apparent indifference, but was a trusting soul. Sunday morning came, and the couple went to church as was their custom, there to renew their marriage vows before Rev. Fr. Denman and there were all their children.

Mr. Guerrettaz, who came from a family of teachers, taught 18 years in all, at Clay City, Ill., at Pomeroy, Wash., Bengel, Lentz, Colton, Belmont. After he quit the mail carrying, he attend Western Chiropractic College, Portland and practiced for a time before coming to Brookings.

Among Mr. Guerrettaz family living are: Morrison of San Jose, Calif., Luck Reisenaur, Jim of Eugene and Ray of Brookings.

## Talent Night Show Popular Feature

While he did not win the Friday night contest, Dale Ward was swamped with requests afterward and was asked to return again Saturday evening, as well as to the Talent night contest this Friday evening at Don's Cliff House.

Playing his accordion, Dale was swamped with requests long past the contest time.

Winner last Friday was Bud Cross, local night policeman, who played a guitar and sang. He will be in the finals in five weeks.

## Radio Transcript Will Be Given Here

C. Wylie Smith, of Coos Head Timber Co., who is also representative of the Oregon Committee of Industrial Development, will be guest speaker at the chamber of commerce dinner meeting, Aug. 28, at Chetco Grange hall, talking on the economy of Southwestern Oregon. He is in position to inform many local citizens of the potentialities of this area.

Radio Station KIEM, Eureka, will forward the transcription of the meeting with Congressman Ellsworth and Col. Lipscomb, in July, to be presented also. The Chetco Cove summary and discussion will be heard by every civic minded citizen of the area.

The forthcoming meeting, to be held August 28, is vital. All people are urged to mark the date on the calendar and make dinner reservations.

## LOCAL NEWS

When Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hibbard went to Ashland recently they stopped at the Welcome Motel east of Grants Pass and found the managers to be Mr. and Mrs. Tom (Flora) Smith, former residents of Brookings. Mrs. Smith is a sister of Mrs. Fred Moore.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. Don Craig and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brimm at their recently purchased ranch on Evans Creek, near Medford. While helping to fix a gate, Don was knocked down by cattle stampeding. A board he held onto was knocked against his ribs and his leg was stepped on. He is able to hobble about but is severely bruised.

Bill Smith, whose wife recently passed away, will go to Los Angeles this Friday. Memorial services will be held at the Pierce Columnbarium for Mrs. Smith, Tuesday, Aug. 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Nelson of Youcolla are visiting their cousin, Andy Elofson, whom they had not seen for 40 years, back in Minnesota.

NOTICE—will the person receiving cancelled checks by mistake from Oregon State Bank and belonging to Brookings Motors, Inc., please return them to Oregon State Bank or to postoffice.

Hugh Gearin, former Curry county district attorney, now of Mt. Angel, was a brief visitor here Tuesday and Wednesday.

## Couple Was Wed at Baptist Community Church, Saturday

The Baptist Community Church was the setting for the double-ring ceremony of Bonnie Goodson and Robert Glenn Wright Saturday, August 9. The services were read by Rev. John L. Mumbower.

The vows were exchanged before an arbor bedecked with greenery, roses, baby breath and lillium Aratums. The flowers and decorations were furnished by Mrs. W. G. Hoagland.

The bride, given in marriage by her father Staton Goodson, wore a gown of French imported lace over slipper satin, designed with a moulded bodice, high neck, ragland sleeves, the skirt was ballerina length with smooth hip line and a full bouffant hem. The veil was French illusion finger-tip net draped from a band of lace and pearls. She carried a lace covered Bible centered by a single white orchid with satin streamers thru the pages of the Bible, tied with bouvardia.

Norma Felipe, in a frock of pink lace, was maid of honor. Mary Lou Berger, bridesmaid, wore a similar frock of lavender, and each girl carried matching nosegay bouquets.

William Saunders served as the best man. Jack Wright, brother of the groom, was usher.

Traditional wedding music was played by Mrs. Stanley Patterson. Emil Moore sang "Because" and "I'm Yours."

The bride's mother wore a toast lace dress with chartreuse accessories. Mrs. Glenn Wright, the groom's mother, wore navy blue with white accessories.

The reception was held at the Chetco Inn which was beautifully decorated for the festive occasion with gladioli, sweet peas and roses grown on the Inn's grounds. Those in assistance were Mrs. Thomas Forster, Mrs. Ed Langlois, Mrs. William Browman, Mrs. Homer Saunders and Mrs. Stanley Smoot of Portland.

For her traveling outfit the bride wore a biege casha dress with navy compliments.

The couple left for a brief wedding trip in Eastern Oregon, and will be at home to their friends at Fort Dick after August 18.

## 4-H Clubbers Will Present Program

Mrs. Lillian Zumpfe is in charge of the 4-H program being given at the meeting of Chetco Grange Friday evening.

She has several of the 4-H members who attended the summer school at Corvallis, coming to the meeting to take part as well as Clifford Jenkins, county agent.

The two summer school winners of Chetco Grange scholarships in 1952 were Kay Nichols and Gary Bowlin.