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Siletz Items.

Died—April 30, 2:20 a. m., at the residence of Rev. E. H. Bryant, Mrs. Mollie Wood, aged 25 years and 11 months. Her husband Leo D. Wood, relatives and a host of friends are left to mourn their loss. She was converted in girlhood and united with the Baptist church. Mr. and Mrs. Wood arrived at the M. E. parsonage about 4 p. m. Friday, where they continued their preparations for the Epworth League social in the evening. Mrs. Wood finished her basket, assisted in preparing a hurried lunch for supper and took much pains in assisting her husband to get ready. It was frequently remarked during the evening at the social, how well Mrs. Wood appeared and how thoroughly she was enjoying herself. At 11 p. m. the selling of the ladies' shadows commenced for the baskets, and as Mrs. Wood took her seat and her shadow was cast upon the curtain she was laughing and joking with Mrs. Delaurier. Within a few minutes her shadow was sold and in the act of rising from her chair a congestion of the brain occurred and she fell heavily on the floor. Her husband and loving hands carried her into the open air and restoratives were applied. Rev. Bryant suspended operations at the social until it was reported that Mrs. Wood was recovering. She was carried into the parsonage and everything was done that could be done with the facilities at hand. Mrs. DeLaurier, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. DeLoss, Mrs. Bryant and her husband being in constant attendance but all efforts failed and within two and one-half hours she passed into that deep sleep of death. The suddenness of the unfortunate affair has cast the deepest gloom over the community and her bereaved husband has the profound sympathy of all. Mr. and Mrs. Wood have been married six years and their home during that time has been open to all comers. It was a happy home but the golden bowl is broken, the pitcher is shattered at the fountain and mourning is in our midst. Funeral services were held at the M. E. church Sunday morning. Mesdames Davis and Brown and the Misses Pearl Hall, Mabel Kreiger, Jennie Robbins and Hattie Montgomery served as pall bearers. The floral gifts and many beautiful designs were in abundance. Mr. Wood will have the body removed to the valley soon.

A large crowd attended the Epworth League social held at the M. E. church last Friday evening. The program was excellent throughout and enjoyed by everyone, especially the vocal duet by Mrs. E. H. Bryant and Miss Jennie Robbins and the graphophone belonging to the Hall Brothers. Mrs. Alexander and Mrs. DeLaurier then introduced a male minus its caudal extremity and offered a prize of a fine cake to the one who succeeded in placing the missing appendage nearest to or in the proper place blindfolded. The prize was won by Henry Johnson. Then came the selling the ladies' shadows and the baskets they held to the highest bidder. Lunches of sandwiches, cake and coffee were sold. About \$45 was

netted. It was an enjoyable affair in every way except the sad affliction that fell upon Mrs. Mollie Wood and cast a gloom over everyone.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. David Adams, a boy.

E. T. Hamar has resigned as industrial teacher at the Siletz Indian School and will soon begin peeling chittim on his place east of town.

L. D. Wood feels deeply grateful and desires through your columns to thank all in Siletz who so willingly ministered to the wants of his loved one during her sickness and death.

Tuesday Hon. B. F. Swope and father, Louis Young, Judge Brown and son Alvin and Will Sonie employed E. H. Bryant to take them and a good load of supplies out into the neighborhood of their claims.

Chitwood Items.

Stock of all kinds is doing fine.

The present prospects for fruit are good and we look for a full crop.

Everyone is very busy when it doesn't rain too hard putting in crops. Nearly everyone is late in getting their garden planted.

Mr. Bussard had the ill luck to lose his fine Scotch collie shepherd dog the other day. Same old story—salmon or trout caused its death.

George T. Smith had the misfortune to chip a prominent point off one of his fingers last week while shearing sheep, which about laid him up for a few days.

Two young Russians have lately come to the neighborhood and are looking for locations for as many families. They say there are several more families that want to locate here if the country suits these two. They seem to be bright and intelligent young men and are Baptists.

Fall Creek Items.

Ralph Oglesby is farming land on Mr. Dickhoff's place this week.

C. E. Carns and family have been to Corvallis visiting his parents and many friends.

Claire Trenholm says he has been peeling chittim. We didn't ask him where.

Messrs. Tom and Trenholm have been losing cattle. Better put up more hay or keep less stock.

Sunday school was organized on lower Fall Creek last Sunday. We hear there was a good attendance.

Mrs. S. J. Oglesby is contemplating moving to Alsea for the purpose of sending her little daughter to school.

Farming here has begun in earnest. People are glad to see the sun once more after the past few cloudy days.

T. J. Carns has moved his family to his homestead in our vicinity. We are glad to welcome him to our neighborhood.

We are told that Glen Mangle and Otto Dickhoff don't like Charley Benner. We wonder why. He seems like a nice fellow.

Mr. Oglesby, our supervisor, is rustling hands out for the purpose of putting our roads in better shape. Jack knows how it is done.

It is said there are now two post-offices on Fall Creek—one bearing the name, the other doing the biz.

The new telephone line is finished as far as Skunk Creek and will soon be through to E. C. Carns' place, which will be the terminus at present.

Chittim Willis and Casara Abraham of Alsea are both in Portland this week negotiating with the railroad company for the chittim on their lands in these parts.

If you don't register before May 16, you can't vote.

Upper Salmon River.

Fine weather on Salmon river at last, it will help the early gardens and berries.

Chas. Harding and Mr. Hobson of Portland came in last week and have gone to Baldta mountain to work in their mine. They had some difficulty in getting through the snow, as it was three inches to six feet in depth.

A social dance and an oyster supper was given at the residence of O. E. McMillan last Wednesday night. A good time was reported by all present.

Alvin Ackerson came very near losing one of his work horses last week with lung fever.

The Smith & Goucher sawmill is running full time now and getting out some nice-looking lumber.

News is scarce on upper Salmon river, as everyone is so busy now.

Sim Burton of Coon lake was visiting with Johnnie and Walter Crowley last week.

Thistle-Stouder.

Mr. Austin Thistle and Miss Margaret Stouder, both highly esteemed young people of Waldport, were united in marriage April 17th by Rev. S. Howell at the home of the bride's parents. They will make their home in Waldport for the present.

Seed Potatoes.

We have a few bushels of Early Rose, Early Vermont and Burpee's Extra Early Seedlings seed potatoes. Speak for them early, as we have only a few bushels of each. STEWART & VANT.

April Weather.

Station: Toledo; Month: Apr., 1904.
Mean temperature, 51.4.
Maximum temperature, 92; date, 11.
Minimum temperature, 33; date, 7.
No. of times maximum temperature 90 or above, 1.
No. times minimum temperature 32 or below, 2.
Total precipitation 5.90 inches.
Prevailing direction of wind, sw.
Number of cloudless days, 5.
Number of partly cloudy days, 12.
Number of cloudy days, 13.
Dates on which hail fell, 00.
Date of light frost, 00.
Date of killing frost, 0.
Dates of auroras, 29.
OTTO O. KROGSTAD, Observer.

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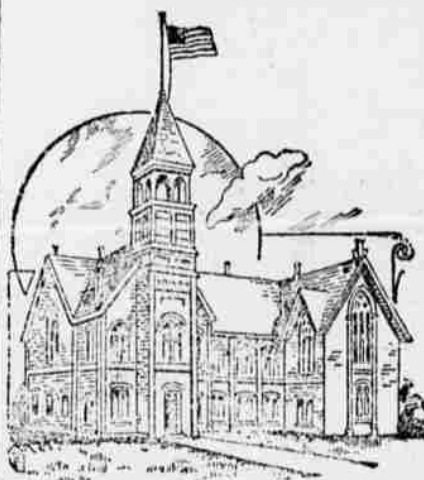
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Isaac B. Everson, H. E. No. 8945 for Lots 4, 5 in section 1 and lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in section 2, township 14 s, range 12 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

W. T. Crocker, Albert Bennett, C. R. Evens and Walter Hordard all of Waldport, Or.

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