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### Board Elects Teachers.

The Toledo school board has elected the following teachers for the next term of school beginning September 15th;

Joel W. Wilson, High School; A. H. Webber of Brownsville, Principal, Mrs. R. P. Goin, Misses Addie and Edith Harrison.

With the selection of the above named teachers Toledo is assured of holding her reputation of having good schools.

All of the newly elected teachers, except Prof. Webber, have taught in our schools and have always given satisfaction. Prof. Webber comes highly recommended as an instructor and will be an appreciated addition to the excellent corps of instructors.

### Elk City 18 Philomath 5.

The Philomath baseball team came over on the excursion train Sunday and got "skun" thoroughly and completely by the Elk City team to the tune of 18 to 5. The game was played on the Toledo diamond and was, as has been with all the games here this summer, free from all ragging. The boys all played hard but Elk city had the best team—that's all.

Anderson's launch brought the Elk City team and rooters, about 40, down.

Elk City will tackle Corvallis at Elk City next Sunday.

### Resolutions Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted and endorsed by the W. R. C. convention and G. A. R. encampment at Newport last week:

Believing that the time for Oregon to be recognized in the National Convention has arrived,

BE IT RESOLVED, That this convention endorse the nomination of Cora M. Davis for National President.

JENNIE B. HARDING  
JENNIE HIGGINS  
NETTIE J. UNGERMAN  
SARAH E. MILLER  
ROSE M. SCHENCK.

### Four Trains Daily.

Beginning Monday, June 22 the following train service went into effect on the line of the C. & E. between Albany and Yaquina:

Daily, Except Sunday  
TRAIN No. 16 TRAIN No. 2  
MIXED PASSENGER  
Lv. Albany 7:45 a. m. 12:40 p. m.  
Ar. Yaquina 1:30 p. m. 5:30 p. m.  
TRAIN No. 15 TRAIN No. 1  
PASSENGER MIXED  
Lv. Yaquina 2:15 p. m. 7:00 a. m.  
Ar. Albany 7:00 p. m. 11:55 a. m.

Sunday service as follows:  
Leave Albany, 7:35 a. m.  
Arrive Yaquina, 11:40 a. m.  
Leave Yaquina, 6:00 p. m.  
Arrive Albany, 11:30 p. m.

### For Sale.

One hundred and thirty-four acres of good timber and grazing land, about one mile from deep water. Apply to owner, LEON RANCOURT, Toledo, Or.

Have you town property, dairy or fruit farm for sale? See or write, GEORGE BETHERS, Toledo, Oregon.

We will sell ever-ready batteries at 30 cents each until July 15. NEWTON & NYE.

Merchant Warren Hall was over from Siletz Wednesday evening.

### Prizes to Be Awarded.

Following is a list of the sports with prizes to be awarded at the celebration here tomorrow.

	FIRST	SECOND
Baseball	\$20 00	
75 yard dash	2 50	1 50
Boy race	75	50
Sack race	1 50	1 00
Girl race	75	50
Three legged race	2 00	1 00
Potato race	1 00	50
Boat race	2 50	1 50
Swimming match	1 50	1 00
Tug of war		box cigars

The eagle will scream in Toledo tomorrow. Listen!

J. F. Stewart had business at Newport Wednesday.

Attorney C. E. Hawkins went to Elk City Tuesday afternoon.

Captain Henry Nice of Lutjens was a Toledo visitor Monday.

George R. Schenck made a business trip to Philomath Monday.

A. M. Smith went to Independence on business Wednesday morning.

George Chambers returned to his home near Nortons Wednesday morning.

Henry Howell returned from a trip in the Alsea Bay country last Monday.

C. H. Gardner moved into the George Hall property on Fourth street Wednesday.

Brother Matthews of the Newport News-Reporter made a quick trip to Corvallis and return Monday.

Clyde McMillan, after an absence of several months, is again at home with his grandmother, Mrs. Julia Parker, here.

Little Eva and Gertie Comer went to Monroe Tuesday morning for a visit with their grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Bryan.

Mrs. Fred Jones died at Yaquina last Sunday, June 28, of consumption. Mr. and Mrs. Jones had only been on the Bay a short time.

William Scarth returned Monday evening from Salem, where he had been in attendance at the meeting of the Oregon Bankers' association.

Professor B. J. Hawthorne and wife of Eugene passed through on the noon train Wednesday enroute to their summer cottage at Seal Rock.

Voeth & Hembree of Newport are arranging to put on a large gasoline boat for deep sea fishing off the mouth of the bay. They will fish for cod and halibut.

Ed Altree and little son, Austin, returned Tuesday evening from a few days' visit in Portland. Ed expects to soon move with his family to Portland to make their home.

Married—At the Commercial Hotel, Toledo, Saturday evening, June 27, 1908, Mr. James B. Elliott of Siletz to Miss Carrie Cooper of Portland, Rev. C. R. Ellsworth officiating.

Postmaster Renuis Arnold is installing a 20-horsepower gas engine in Hoeflein's launch, Abigail H. The old 6-horsepower engine did not have power enough to develop satisfactory speed.

The LEADER office has just installed a gas engine to run their presses. This is intended as a hint to our many friends to send us their work as fast as they can write the copy. We can't be worked to death kicking presses now.

Herman Chatfield went to Portland Wednesday.

C. B. Crosno was a Yaquina visitor Wednesday.

Miss Blanche Jeffreys went to Portland Tuesday afternoon.

Mack Parker of Salem is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Julia Parker, here.

G. L. Gray of Newport was doing business at the county seat last Saturday.

Mrs. M. L. Trapp of Chitwood was shopping in Toledo Tuesday afternoon.

Attorney Middlekauff of Yaquina passed through Tuesday afternoon enroute to Portland.

Mrs. Shed Rosebrook came down from Portland yesterday evening for a visit with the home folks.

Mrs. Sada Davis and children came over from Siletz Saturday and visited several days with friends.

Alfred Johnson arrived Wednesday noon from Portland to be at the bedside of his father, J. G. Johnson.

Mrs. N. S. Spinney and daughter left Monday morning for a month or six weeks' visit at their old home in Maine.

Mrs. Frank Newton returned home Tuesday evening from a two weeks' visit at Oregon City and Portland.

Tom Ferr has sold his farm near Winant to F. Mongster. Mr. Ferr has purchased the old Blue place at West Yaquina where he will reside.

Mrs. E. L. Chatfield and son Herman went to Portland yesterday morning where they will make their home. Mr. Chatfield went last week.

J. G. Johnson an old resident of this Bay died at his home on Olalla yesterday, after an illness of several weeks. Mr. Johnson was an honorable man, esteemed by all who knew him.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gray and little daughter, Florence, passed through from Newport Tuesday morning. They will make an extended visit in the East, returning about New Years.

Seth Rowe had the misfortune to break his leg Wednesday morning. He was riding on the reach of his wagon when all at once the reach broke catching his leg in such a manner so as to break it between the knee and the foot.

F. R. Stokes, Manager of the Fir and Spruce Lumber Company, and Senator A. M. Stoddall of Minnesota, President of the Oregon Wisconsin Lumber Company, arrived in Toledo Saturday evening, and have been looking after the interests of their companies here. It is not yet decided just when the sawmill at this place will begin operating, but it is hoped very soon.

T. H. Horning came up from Otter Rock Saturday returning Sunday morning. Tom has had a gang of men making a road to Agate beach to haul lumber to build his hotel at Otter Rock. This hotel will have several rooms for the accommodation of visitors to that place. He expects to be ready for business within a month. Some cottages are being erected and the beautiful little resort is already assuming an air of activity. Everette Jones and family are there. Everette and Frank are clearing land for the erection of cottages.

### At the Encampment.

EDITOR LEADER:—We arrived at Newport at 2 p. m. on Tuesday, June 23, and were escorted to the Abbey House and located in a beautiful room, and after doing justice to a bountiful supper we waited for the arrival of the boat from Yaquina, which was loaded with between 500 and 600 passengers, mostly old comrades and their wives and members of the Womens' Relief Corps to attend the encampment. As there were already several hundred at Newport who had arrived before it made quite a crowd and it kept Dr. Carter and Sam Irvin busy assigning them to their rooms. The Newport band was at the wharf and furnished music for the occasion.

The comrades had with them a drum corps, which were applauded time and again for their excellent rendering of the old Army tunes.

At 8:30 at the opera house a reception was held by Abe Lincoln Relief Corps of Toledo. A short program was given first, followed by refreshments consisting of cake and punch. After which a good social time was had.

On Wednesday the W. R. C. convention was called to order by President Cora M. Davis, and started in for business. We had just decided to have an open meeting when we heard the fife and drums outside waiting for admittance, which was promptly granted. They came in with their music followed by 200 or 300 old comrades and our hall was full to overflowing. They told us they had organized a Civil War drum corps and they thought the nicest thing they could do would be to serenade the ladies of the Relief Corps.

We soon adjourned for dinner and the afternoon was again taken up for business. At 8 o'clock a reception was given by the citizens of Newport at the Casino. It was raining very hard but the hall was well filled. The first number on the program was an address of welcome by Judge B. F. Swope, and responses by Mrs. Cora M. Davis on behalf of the W. R. C., Commander S. F. Blythe on behalf of the G. A. R. and Mrs. Beeson on behalf of the ladies of the G. A. R. Circle. Then followed a song by an old comrade, a recitation by Eleanor Grady of Toledo, who did so well she was presented with a beautiful gold pin. The next was a song by Mr. Walker which was excellent, then the Department W. R. C. presented to the G. A. R. a free-will offering which amounted to \$107.30. Commander Blythe was surprised but managed to express the thanks of the G. A. R. After this the Department W. R. C. presented to the Department G. A. R. a beautiful silk flag, the only request they made being that when the G. A. R. shall have finally "mustered on the other side" and have to surrender their charter that they return this flag to the W. R. C. Department of Oregon. Mrs. Davis saying she believed that before 1925 had passed the old soldiers of the Civil War will have surrendered their charter, which caused a feeling of sadness. Then another song by Mr. Walker, entitled "Yankee Doodle Boy," which was duly appreciated, or in other words, brought down the house.

Thursday morning was devoted to business. In the afternoon was

the grand parade and presentation of the flag at the schoolhouse by the Department W. R. C. The parade was headed by the drum corps, followed by about 600 old soldiers, next in line being the W. R. C. and others. The services at the schoolhouse were nice. A recitation by little Bruce Russell was pronounced by all the best ever heard by one so small.

The presentation speech was made by Department President Mrs. Davis and responded to by Prof. Buchanan. Then the flag was raised by six young ladies, the crowd singing "The Star Spangled Banner." Fastened to the flag was a bundle with a long string, which, when pulled opened up the bundle when dozens of flags of all sizes from one inch to 12 inches long were allowed to float and settle over the heads of the bystanders. And such a scramble for the flags among the old and young. It was quite exciting.

Thursday afternoon was the election of officers of the W. R. C. For the ensuing year the following officers were elected: Department president, Mrs. Jennie Higgins of Eugene; department senior vice president, Mrs. Ella Stewart Toledo; department junior vice president, Mrs. Addie Morgan, Forest Grove; department treasurer, Mrs. Luellen Hall, Eugene; department chaplain, Mrs. Sara A. Kent St. Johns.

Thursday evening was taken up by Abe Lincoln Relief Corps with the exemplification of the ritual, it was secret session.

On Friday morning the G. A. R. and W. R. C. held Joint Installation which was very impressive. Mrs. Stewart was asked to play the piano for these services, which she did. As this concluded most of the business of the convention, the delegates were soon leaving for their homes, all declaring this to be the largest and best encampment held, the only fault they could find being that the distance from Nye Creek to Newport being so great it was a task on the old comrades to walk from one place to the other. Otherwise everything passed off very pleasantly, and to Sam Irvin and Dr. Carter in particular much credit is due for their untiring efforts to please all who came.

A resolution was introduced and adopted by the W. R. C. that we indorse our President, Mrs. Cora M. Davis, for National President. Mrs. Davis is one of the very best Presidents, loved by all, and three rousing cheers were given her.

### Elk City vs Corvallis.

The above baseball teams will compete for the championship at Elk City next Sunday afternoon.

### Bids Wanted.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the County Court of Lincoln county, Oregon, for furnishing Lincoln county twenty-five cords of good heating stove hard wood and five cords of good fir wood, the same to be delivered at the courthouse woodshed. Said bids are to be opened on the first day of the July 1908 term of the County Court. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Toledo, Oregon, May 12, 1908. By order of the Court.

Come to Toledo and help us celebrate the Fourth of July.