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Will Attend Fair.

Following is a letter to Wallis Nash, chairman of the Executive Committee of the Lincoln County Fair and Festival, from Dr. James Withycombe of the Oregon Agricultural College:

Corvallis, Or., April 19, '09.
Hon. Wallis Nash, Nashville, Or.

My Dear Mr. Nash:—Have your interesting letter also circular and note what is said regarding the Fair at Toledo. If possible shall arrange to attend at least one day. Do not know as I can arrange to act as judge, but will try to have some member of the Station staff assist in the judging of the livestock and the pavilion exhibits.

It certainly is a splendid movement and worthy of all the encouragement possible. Nothing will do more toward calling attention to the possibilities of your section than a well conducted agricultural fair.

Sincerely yours,
JAMES WITHYCOMBE.

Secretary Crosno of the Executive Committee, received in reply to an invitation to Congressman Hawley to attend the Fair, the following:

Washington, D. C., April 15.
Hon. C. B. Crosno,
Toledo, Oregon.

My Dear Sir:—I wish to thank you for the invitation to the Lincoln County Fair, and will endeavor to so arrange my work that I may avail myself of your courtesy.

Truly yours,
W. C. HAWLEY.

Waldport Schools.

The following are the names of the pupils who were on the Roll of Honor for the past month:

Della Brown, Esther Wann, Ellis Brown, Frank Chapin, Carl Brown and Olive Hoover.

EFFIE WILLIAMSON, Teacher.

Report of Oyster City School.

For the month ending April 15. No. enrolled 8, days attendance 157½, none tardy.

Roll of Honor: Grace and Marie Knudson, Violet King and Daniel Boone.

Visitors: John Vigars, Mr. and Mrs. George King and Mrs. Walter Bailey.

On St. Patrick's Day, John Vigars accompanied by the clerk, George King, visited the school and brought a royal treat of nuts, candy and oranges for the school, in honor of the chairman's patron saint.

On Arbor Day the school had an appropriate program. Since then the brush which shut out the magnificent view of the bay has been cut down.

M. L. HAMPTON, Teacher.

Grant King was up from Newport Monday.

New Stock of Wall paper, just arrived at Toledo Drug Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyles of Newport were visiting in Toledo last Saturday.

W. C. Fischer of Siletz was a county seat visitor the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. George McBride were in the city the first of the week.

Newton & Nye have a complete line of fishing tackle and base ball goods.

William Arnold and August Habermann of Yaquina were county seat visitors Saturday.

Elk City Hotel at \$1850, see Dalaba.

Miss Tillie Crosno visited at Elk City last Saturday.

Its Hazelwood Ice Cream,
Fresh garden seeds at Toledo Drug Co.

George King of Winant was in the city Monday.

Titus Kurtichanof of Chitwood was in Toledo Saturday.

Cliff Crosno and Charley Hyde were Waldport visitors the first of the week.

Frank Saltus of Newport passed through to the Valley Tuesday morning.

R. D. Burgess sold this week to J. M. Bowers of Beaver Creek a 4 h. p. Ferro engine.

Chester Dixon of the Elk City Lumber Company was in the city last Saturday.

Sheriff J. H. Ross and daughter, Miss Ethel, were Newport visitors last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harding and children returned Monday evening from a short visit at Nortons.

A large number of Toledo and Elk City Odd Fellows attended lodge at Yaquina last Saturday evening.

The Best on the Coast.

The three months old child of Mrs. Thoreson, living on the farm recently purchased of A. M. Smith, died Wednesday and was buried yesterday.

Regular meeting of Development League next Tuesday evening. Everyone are asked to come as matters of great importance will come before the League.

Renus Arnold, Warren Hall, Bob Warnock and Claus Christiansen returned home from Redding, California, last Friday evening. Each having secured a timber claim.

Dennis Cusack was a passenger for Alday yesterday morning. His daughters, Christina and Edna, accompanied him as far as Summit for a visit with their grandmother.

Tuesday the gasoline boat Condor while enroute from Newport to Waldport, broke her shaft while opposite Seal Rocks. She was sighted from shore and the launch Rose went her rescue and towed her up to the mouth of Yaquina Bay where she remained over night. The Rose went out Wednesday morning and towed her in.

Last Monday evening Abe Logan and Harold Anderson, both of Siletz, were arrested by City Marshal Bradeson, for creating a disturbance. They were taken before City Recorder Hayden for trial. Abe Logan was found guilty of assault and battery and fined ten dollars, he was also fined ten dollars more for contempt of court, making a total of twenty dollars which he paid.

That's all.

A. Brauti and family of five arrived Wednesday evening. Mr. Brauti has purchased the Robb place at Mill 4 and will take possession immediately. Mr. Robb and family leave Monday for Arizona where Mr. Robb has an interest in a mine which he intends to develop. Mr. Robb expects to return to Oregon in a year or so. We are sorry to see them leave and will be ready to welcome them back.

DOIN'S OF THE CITY DADS.

City Council Lays Plans For Many New Improvements.

At the meeting of the Council last Monday evening the following improvements were discussed:

The laying of a new sidewalk on the west side of Hill street from Schenck's property to intersection of Second street; the planking of Hill street from Fifth to Seventh streets; the corduroying of Seventh street from Hill street to end of present planking on Seventh street; the establishing of a grade on A street from Graham to Enderley street, thence south to street between Nash and Vincent's add, thence east to street between blocks 3 and 4, thence south to Williams street, thence east to county road.

In regard to the sidewalk on Hill street, the Council decided to meet on the ground of the proposed improvement Tuesday afternoon afternoon and see what had best be done. In regard to the proposed improvement on Hill and Seventh streets, Recorder was instructed to advertise intention of said improvement, said advertisement appears in this issue. The Council also instructed Recorder to have Z. M. Derrick, surveyor, establish a grade on afore named streets.

The Marshal was instructed to go over the principal dirt streets with a crowder.

Bill of Fir and Spruce Lumber Company in the sum of \$16.50 presented and ordered paid.

Baseball Sunday.

There will be a warm game of baseball on the Toledo grounds next Sunday afternoon. It will be between a team from the sawmill and logging camp and a bunch of town boys. Two good teams have been picked and a good game is assured.

The local baseball grounds have been put in fine shape and it is much better than ever before, in fact it is now the best grounds in the county.

Don't fail to attend this opening game Sunday.

For Sale Cheap.

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.

Work Ox Wanted.

Wanted a good ox 7 or 8 years old, weighing between 1700 and 1800 lbs. Address,

TITUS KURTICHANOF,
Chitwood, Oregon.

Burbank Potatoes.

I have a few sacks of good Burbank potatoes which I will sell for \$1.00 per bushel on the river bank 1 ½ mile below Elk City. Mutual Phone.

F. C. HOFFMAN.

A large number of Rebeckahs from this city attended a joint meeting of the Toledo and Elk City lodges at Elk City last Friday evening. The launch Oregon took a crowd of twenty. Five were initiated and other work performed after which a general good time was had, with plenty of delicious viands as a side issue. The crowd returned home at 6:20 the next morning but are now ready for another trip.

Ed Altree returned home from Portland last Thursday evening.

Chick food, Ground Bone, Grit, Poultry food, at Toledo Drug Co.

The barge for the dyking dredger, Chetco, was launched at the shipyard this morning. The decking and derricks will now be put on, then the barge will be ready for the machinery.

Johnny Jacobson was tried before U. S. Commissioner Gardner last evening and bound over to the Federal grand jury, for the robbery of the Elk City post office. He was taken to Portland this morning.

At The Old Stand Again.

Again taking charge of my blacksmith shop in Toledo next Monday. I desire to meet my old customers and many new ones, and I will endeavor to give them the same satisfactory work as in years past.

F. W. CARSON.

The Teacher's Annual Institute.

The annual institute for the teachers of Lincoln county will be held at Toledo, May 26, 27, and 28, 1909. There are forty-three teachers teaching at present in the county, and twenty or twenty-five others, some of whom are waiting for their summer term to begin. With this number of teachers in the county, we can have one of the best institutes that the county has ever had. Of course it will not be for the teachers alone, for all will be welcome to come and listen to the many good things that will be said. The State Superintendent will be with us part of the time, and he will tell us some of the many interesting things that he knows. There will be other of our leading educators, here, to help with it. (Watch this paper and you will see their names later.)

In connection with the institute there will be the graduating exercises of the Toledo High School. This is the first class to graduate from the 12th grade from this school. They are preparing something that will please you, so you can't afford to miss it. Prof. Willson deserves credit for what he has done for this school. Come and see for yourself.

The program will be sent out soon.

R. P. GOIN.

Meadow Creek.

Every body is very busy planting garden.

The Easter picnic was a grand success, every body enjoyed a good time.

Mr. J. T. Calkins and daughter, Leota, went to Toledo on business Monday.

Nathan Watkins was on the creek the past week visiting friends.

Miss Rebecca Wilson visited Geo. Davenport's folks Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Darnley visited the Meadow Creek school Monday.

Morgan Allen visited Wm. Darnley and family Sunday and Monday.

Ray Calkins is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Calkins.

C. C. Brown went to Toledo on business Wednesday.

Mr. Amos Baxter has bought part of George Davenport's place. Mr. Baxter intends to live in here. We are glad to get more neighbors and hope he will have a landlady soon.

Don't forget the dance at George Davenport's Friday night, the 23, every body invited.

BASEBALL SEASON OPENS

The First Game of the Season was Pulled Off at Newport Sunday.

Four launch loads of baseball enthusiasts from Toledo and a hundred or more from Siletz and other parts of the country went to Newport last Sunday to witness the opening game of ball, played by the Newport and Siletz teams. Besides the visitors Newport's people turned out in crowds. The day was cold and windy, which greatly handicapped the players and made it extremely disagreeable for the spectators, and was responsible for the large number of tallies scored.

The game was called promptly at 2 o'clock, with Siletz at the bat. The first five men up went around the bases on a gallop and all scored, which made it look bad for Newport, but the locals pulled themselves together and shut them out till the 5th, when by a bunch of wild throws by the locals and a string of good hits by the Indians, the visitors ran in three more scores. Then in the last inning Harlow of Siletz made the ninth tally. Bradshaw made the first score for the locals in the 3rd inning, and was followed closely by Smith and Covert, then in the last half of the 5th Stoltz and Covert ran in two more, which completed Newport's score.

The two teams were evenly matched and played good ball, considering the disagreeable day. Newport's showed a lack of practice and team work. Their little pitcher is there with the goods and showed good head work throughout the game. Catcher Stoltz is a good man behind the bat, but he needs practice, which is the case with all the players.

Siletz' battery was Casey, pitcher, and Lane, catcher, who showed their practice and team work.

The game was a nice, clean exhibition, free from serious ragging. The spectators were treated to several side plays by enthusiastic fans from Siletz, who insisted on demonstrating their ability to get drunk and quarrel and fight. During the 1st half of the 5th inning the game was stopped by a little gun play between Tom McDonald and Andrew Smith. Sheriff Ross quickly put a quietus on the would-be murderers and the game was resumed. We wish right here to compliment the Siletz ball players in the manner in which they conducted themselves during the day. A better behaved bunch of boys never got together. They not only kept themselves but they did everything to keep their own people quiet and sober.

The score stood, Siletz 9; Newport, 5.

The lineup is as follows:

SILETZ		NEWPORT
Casey	p	Smith
Lane	c	Stoltz
Felix	ss	Covert
Arden	1b	Peck
Bensell	2b	Brown
Harlow	3b	Sparks
Butterfield	rf	Bradshaw
Fairchild	cf	Davis
Larsen	lf	Chambers
F. W. Carson of Toledo, and Joe Briggs of Newport, umpires.		