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Newport

The Fifield went out over the bar Sunday evening at high tide. She had a cargo of 600,000 feet of lumber and was bound for San Pedro. The Ollie S. towed her out without any trouble, notwithstanding that it is more difficult to handle the Fifield than the Bandon. The Tillamook left Monday evening with 1500 cases of salmon bound for Astoria. The Alwaneda is in Portland after a cargo of freight and will return in a few days. The Mirene came in Monday with a full cargo of freight for Newport, Yaquina, Toledo and Waldport. The water transportation is increasing right along to the great advantage of the people. Since the storm we are having exceptionally good weather. The temperature is about 65. The sun shines, the days are warm, the nights are cool, no frost. The birds are singing and the flowers are blooming as in springtime. Newport is as good a winter resort as a summer resort. We have no dust or northwest winds in winter to make it unpleasant. The travel is good and many invalids and people out of health are coming to spend the winter here. Building and street improvements are going right along. Sixth and Angie streets in the vicinity of the public school building are being graded and put in splendid condition. The property owners are doing the work the city only fixing the squares. This plan works better than it did when the city made the street improvements. Then contracts were let and a large portion of the money squandered. When people do their own work they are very careful and no money is wasted. I think this policy would work as well in the county improvements. The people are tired and sick of high taxes and bonded indebtedness either in city or county. The best roads in the county are being built by the people themselves. The greatest improvement for Newport and Lincoln county is to improve her water ways and deepen the channel on the bar. The Government says in order to do this the people must pay half the cost of the improvements. The Toledo people did a little better than this. The people there put up 60 and the government 40 per cent to pay for the improvements they already have. We here must do our share if we ever expect to get any help from Uncle Sam. We can by petition extend our port district and take in more territory, and then levy a tax sufficient to do our part of the work. We can take in all the watershed that flows to the ocean. That would include the territory lying south of a line running east from the mouth of the Siletz river to the summit of the Coast range of mountains. All streams and creeks on the west of the Coast range run to the sea. It is up to the Commercial Club and the people to have this work done. I have no doubt the timber men will be in favor of this for they are very anxious to get their timber sawed up and shipped. All that vast body of timber on the Siletz has fully matured and is now in the process of decay. The only way they can ship it with profit is by water. It is needless to say that this would benefit Lincoln county.

D. H. Robinson, the Alaska miner and poet, delivered a speech at the midday theatre Tuesday evening to a small audience, on the prohibition amendment from a liberal standpoint. He favored a wet town and regulated saloon. Said if you make Oregon dry you will kill one of the great industries of the state, throw thousands of men out of employment and also deprive the state of \$500,000 annually. Mr. Robinson is a fair speaker and he must have been dry himself because he drank a pitcher of water while delivering his address.

One of the candidates for a county office wrote to an Indian politician on the Siletz to look after his interest there and to help him all he could. The Redman wrote back that he could not work without tools.

Oysterville

Mrs. Geo. King went to Newport Thursday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Case, returning home Monday.

Miss Barbara Buckley of Newport came up Friday morning for a visit with Gladys King.

Frank Barnes of Portland was a caller at the cannery and visited J. Vizars.

Mrs. Branch and daughters, Irene and Josephine, and Mr. and Mrs. Culver of Yaquina called on Mrs. J. Dowling Sunday afternoon.

Clarence Boone, Tracy Hunsucker and Wm. Fey took a hike to the hills to hunt some, while fishing was slow.

Mrs. C. A. Hath called on Mrs. King Tuesday afternoon.

A number attended a candy pull at the Geo. Lewis home Saturday night.

Mrs. Bessie Shermers spent Sunday at West Yaquina.

Eddyville

Those neither absent nor tardy during the first month of school were: Jean Sparks, Loren Mauch, Fred Michael, Leslie Fee.

Miss Gillette teacher at Bear Creek and Miss Marie and Goyle Slocum spent Saturday and Sunday at Eddyville.

Rev. Devenport spent several days visiting at the homes of the members of his Eddyville congregation last week. On Sunday he held services at Eddyville and Little Elk. Mr. Devenport reports a very promising outlook

for the coming year's work.

The regular Grange meeting was held Saturday, October 24th. Altho there was a very small attendance, there was profitable and pleasant discussion on various topics of interest and several important business matters were settled.

The work on the new Spark's residence is progressing rapidly and the family will soon be installed in their new home.

Mrs. Schenck, Democratic candidate for county clerk, talked to a small audience at the schoolhouse, Friday, October 23.

Miss Eleanor Girdler has been ill for the past week but is now fully recovered.

Glen

Mrs. W. R. Moore and Mrs. Birdie Wiley prepared a delightful dinner last Friday in honor of Mr. Moore's 53 birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Birdie Wiley, Mr. J. R. Murphy, Uncle Jack and Henry McCrum, Miss Clara Moore, Lige Grant, Alva Moore, and Rupert Stewart. We all wish him to spend many more such enjoyable birthdays.

Miss Edith Davenport spent Thursday night with Miss Jessie Brown.

Ray Brown spent Saturday at Harlan.

Geo. Devenport went to Toledo last Wednesday.

The dance at Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore's last Friday night was enjoyably spent. A large crowd attended.

Taft

John Hickenback got his leg almost broken and came very near getting his boat smashed up by the rough water at Taft the first of the week.

G. L. Parmele and son, Edgar, who have been visiting at Taft for a couple of weeks, left last week with about 60 head of cattle. They took them to their ranch at Gaston, where they are in hopes of selling them.

We see Mr. Dodson has his woodsaw at work again.

There was so much high water and storm last week the fishermen caught very little fish.

Bay View

Mrs. G. W. Stephens and Mrs. S. R. McWilliams were visitors at Mrs. Frank Hunsucker's Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Prescott went to Waldport Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Prescott was a visitor at Mrs. Walker's Thursday.

Hilda Oakland has been quite ill for a few days, but is getting better now.

Dessa Prescott stayed with Mrs. Twombly Monday night.

Albert Oakland returned from Coos Bay last week.

Lillie Simonson and Andrew Simonson were visitors at Prescott's Sunday.

Mr. Garrat returned to Bay View from Portland last week.

Julia and Lawrence Hendrickson have been sick for about a week and are not going to school.

West Yaquina

(To late for last week)

Mrs. George Ryan returned from a few weeks' visit at Grants Pass Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bent Ryan returned to their home at Beaver Creek Tuesday.

John Covert, G. B. Ryan and Lloyd Commons were over from Oca this week.

Geo. Ryan was in Yaquina Tuesday.

Mrs. William Willis has the mumps.

Otto Elmer of Corvallis spent the week end at the Stout residence.

Acy Lowh is fishing with John Hanlon.

Mrs. General Lyons and daughter, Rose, are visiting relatives at South Beaver.

Mrs. Hattie Seidler of Newport was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ferr of this place Tuesday.

Fiegles Creek

Thunder and lightning! Sunshine and rain.

Geo. Titus and Fred Scheddler have returned.

Chas. Lindley came home from Racks Creek.

Messrs. Rankin and Walker returned to say adieu. F. L. Mulvaney has the caretaking of their places while they are away.

Saturday Messrs. Wm. Koozts, Robin Hathaway, Riley Young and Sam Koozts, all of Spout Creek, passed through enroute to Fall Creek for an outing.

Dr. W. A. Cox left for Albany Monday night, bidding us au revoir.

Messrs. Norton of Summit and Thrasher of Tum Tum vicinity are rusticationing here. Camped on west fork of Fiegles Creek.

Percy Mulvaney celebrated his 8th birthday Monday, the 26th. His sister, Blanch, assisted him to entertain his little neighbor friends at games, etc. Luncheon was served.

News is getting beautifully scarce. A good excuse for a witless pen—or the sixth sense?

Zeb Kessi is ploughing and seeding Fall grain, having garnered his potato crop which yielded fair to middling.

Eskolt Darting arrived with a wagon load of grain from Summit Saturday.

Upper Beaver

G. E. Lewis and T. Hunsucker made a trip to Yaquina Wednesday.

J. M. Bowers and K. D. Martin made a business trip to Toledo Wednesday.

Peter Peterson went to Toledo Wednesday returning home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Fallman and L. N. Hewitt went to Yaquina Saturday.

Fritz Fallman left for Portland Tuesday where he will spend a few days.

Adolph Peterson and son, Peter, made a trip to Yaquina Monday.

G. E. Lewis made a business trip to Waldport Monday.

J. M. Bowers, L. N. Martin and T. Hunsucker attended the road meeting at Oca Monday.

Miss Christina Peterson visited at the Fallman ranch Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Dora Hunsucker and son, Geo. Emerson, of Oyster City, Mrs. Chas. Brown and daughter, Isabel, of Pooler, Slough, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Peterson and children spent Sunday visiting at the Fallman ranch.

J. M. Bowers delivered a beef to Newport Saturday.

Mrs. Dora Hunsucker and son, Geo. Emerson, of Oyster City spent the week end visiting at the Peterson ranch.

Mrs. J. M. Bowers visited at the G. E. Lewis ranch Sunday.

Misses Adelle Lewis and Alma and Cara Boone of Oysterville were in this vicinity Sunday.

Misses Ida and Eveline Fallman and Tracy Fallman visited at the Peterson ranch Saturday.

Ona

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Ohmart and son, Lee, who have been visiting at the Ohmart ranch the past week, left for their home at Salem Monday.

Earl Denny made a trip to Dayview Friday.

Mrs. William Parthmer and son, Joe, of Newport are visiting at the Commons ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Covert made a trip to Bayview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ohmart, Reynolds Ohmart and Misses Neta and Helen Phelps spent Saturday at the beach.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nicholas was buried at the Fern Hill cemetery Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lissy were Newport visitors Tuesday.

Elk City

Albert Kullender of Independence is visiting his parents.

The party given by Miss Beattie Gillet and Mary Slocum at the home of A. B. Slocum was well attended, twenty seven being present. Games, music and comical stunts being the main features of the evening. Light refreshments were served at midnight.

Rev. Devenport has been spending the week with his son, Merrel. He also called on the Lehn and Slocum families.

Mrs. Ellen Brustin and little daughter, Carol, have returned to their home in Corvallis.

Mrs. Silver made a business trip to Portland returning home the latter part of the week.

The new furniture for the Bear Creek school has arrived and makes quite an improvement to the school.

Mrs. Vera Calkins and little daughter, Blanch, have been on the sick list but are slowly recovering.

Winnie and Buel Boyson were the guests of Marie Slocum.

A few of the young folks from Eddyville made a trip up on Mt. Baber Sunday. Those who went were Chester Sparks, Elmer and Carl Lehn, Miss Anna Mauch, Elphlet Follet, Misses Marie, Clara and Gail Slocum.

Miss Beattie Gillet and Henry Stadelman were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Scarth Sunday.

PATRON TEACHERS' MEETING
A business meeting was held at the High School building Friday, September 17th. The weather was stormy but about twenty five were in attendance. This meeting closed the third year of this work in Toledo. Mrs. Hayden gave a piano solo, Prof. Blough gave some suggestions for the year's work, hoping for a closer understanding between parent and teacher, the home and the school. It was recommended that the City Council be asked to extend a sidewalk to the High School grounds. Supt. Goin talked on the subject of sidewalk and on some of the problems of the rural teacher. Prof. Ports presented the needs of a play room fitted with swings, teeter boards and swinging rings.

The officers for the year are: President, Mrs. Goin; Secretary, Mrs. Howell; Treasurer, Miss Gaitther.

TOLEDO HAND LAUNDRY CO.
Laundry called for and delivered. Also cleaning and pressing done. Outside work solicited. Work guaranteed. Phone. L. W. Davis & Co.

Harold Hansen came down from Chitwood last evening.

James McDonald made a trip to Elk City and return yesterday morning.

Have you noticed the big range at H. Lewis' store to be given away?

O. V. Hurt the Republican candidate for County Commissioner was in the city Wednesday. Mr. Hurt came to this county in 1879—35 years ago. He took up a homestead away back in the woods, five miles from any settlement. He improved this homestead, made a home, raised a family, and by hard work and close attention to business has accumulated considerable property. It is reasonable to suppose that a man who can and has made a success of his own business will apply the same business-like methods to the public's business entrusted to him. Mr. Hurt will make a careful conscientious, business-like, County Commissioner. If you vote 2 X Orlando V. Hurt, you will help to elect a good man to the Commissioners' Court.

At the meeting of the City Council next Monday evening the levying of a tax for City purposes for the next year will have to be disposed of. The Council this year has a peculiar situation to contend with. It takes about \$2,000 to run the City for a year, of this amount last year \$1,000 was raised by a four mill levy and \$2,000 was raised by saloon license. The Charter of the City provides that the Council cannot make more than a ten mill levy, and not knowing whether the town will be wet or dry, the Council is what you might term up against it to determine how big a levy to make.

Go to Hagel and get well.

Editor Leader:—Your issue of last week contained an article from an "Observer" criticizing my "card or statement" also my record as Commissioner.

I wonder why he didn't sign his name. I wonder if he was ever County Judge; also if he is not a resident of Toledo instead of Newport.

He can obtain the information he asks for from the records of Lincoln county and upon that record I was appointed County Judge. He can also obtain his own record from the same source.

He asks why I did not make the statement of the county's financial condition, October 1st, 1914, instead of April 1st, 1914. If he will turn to another column of your paper, same date, he will find the information from the State Accountant, from January 1, 1914 to September 30th, 1914. He will find the county debt has been reduced in these nine months \$37,091.87, which makes my statement look modest indeed.

I will say, further, the reason my statement is of the date of April 1st, 1914, is because that was the date of the first official report of the County Clerk after I went into office. It covers the county's business for an entire year and all the figures are official.

John Fogarty.

By request of friends in the Toledo Port District I have become a candidate for Port Commissioner for the above District. Efficiency and Economy being my motto. I pledge myself to be a candidate at the coming election November 3d, 1914.

Yours respectfully,
ALLEN P. HUGHES.

Mrs. T. P. Fish returned Wednesday evening from a visit to the Valley.

Buy your granite ware of H. Lewis and get a ticket on the fine, big range.

Warren Newman has taken up a homestead at the head of Mill Creek and is preparing to move onto same.

TO THE VOTERS AND TAXPAYERS OF LINCOLN CO. Ladies and Gentlemen:—

I am the Democratic nominee for County Judge. I have lived among you for the past thirty-two years. You have my record as Commissioner, which I believe the majority of the people endorse as clean and honest. I may have made mistakes, but I gave you the best I knew how.

I am asking your support on my record as Judge and on the record of the County Court.

Here it is:
Appointed Judge February, 1913
County Warrants at a Discount and not salable, now cash at par.
County Debt April 1st, 1913, \$87,822.68.
County Debt April 1st, 1914, \$52,471.31.
Reduction of County Debt for one year, \$35,351.37, besides paying \$22,062.58 more State Tax this year than the previous year.

The official report rendered October 14, 1914 by E. S. Anderson, State Accountant, who has just expeted the books, gives the reduction of the County's Debt for the nine months last past as \$37,091.87. That means with the same rate of reduction, you will be out of debt in two years and on a cash basis. It also means Lower Taxes.

My policy is to get out of debt and stay out of debt and pay as we go. In the words of the immortal Lincoln:

"Don't swap horses in the middle of the stream."

John Fogarty.
(Paid Advertisement)

COUNTY JUDGE IS TO BE ELECTED

The finding of the law, passed by the people in 1910, increasing the term of office of county judges from four to six years will not affect this county. The fact that Judge Fogarty is holding an appointive office and that the appointment holds only until the next regular election, which is the election next week, makes it necessary to elect a man to fill that position. We hope every voter will remember this and not fail to support their candidate at this election.

WHO IS "ANOTHER FARMER?"

Editor Leader:—Reading the article in the Sentinel, No. 20, which was hatched out in "Another Farmer's" brain, in which he criticizes all county officials and fills up the editor of the Sentinel with syrup.

When you "Another Farmer" speak about facts I would like to ask you why you don't stick to them yourself. You state that when John Peterson, contractor, made the road at Siletz he made the fill with brush, stumps, tops, and, maybe—hay. Your statement is a lie, and I know it is. But your intention is to knock John Fogarty, but you should figure a little. At the time John Peterson contracted the building of this Siletz road none of the present members of the County Court were officials at that time.

And when you state that one of the Commissioners was a silent partner with Ralph Henry on the Luchro Mountain road job, there is another lie. Some time past, you, "Another Farmer," mentioned to me that this county owes you a living, and that is why you knock the County Court, because you can't graft the County as long as John Fogarty is there.

Now, "Another Farmer," if you have the backbone crawl out from under your pseudonym and I will hand you my Electric Bitters recipe which will cure your stomach troubles.

Siletz, Oregon, Oct. 27th, 1914.
Respectfully yours,
John Kenta.

The candidates for all offices are now putting in their best legs among the voters for next Tuesday the race ends. Tuesday will tell whether the people of Oregon are to stand by the old Republican party or have been misled by the hollow promises of the professional politicians. We need men in the office of Governor and in the Senate at heart instead of the selfish interest of the individual. Our Governor's office has been a vaudeville stage long enough, and it is time we had a Governor who will lend the dignity and brains to the office that it should have. For Senator we want a man who is capable and willing to serve the people of the state, one who is not after the office for strictly personal gains. For the county we also want good officers. Good, substantial candidates for all the parties are in the field, and we cannot see why those of one party are so much superior to those of another. We believe as do a great majority of the people of this state and nation, that the Republican party is the best party for all the people. Why not support every one of them and strengthen the Republican party. Put this party where it belongs by your vote next Tuesday.

PIANO VOTES—THE RACKET
For Week Ending 29th

Miss Elizabeth Mackey	30,655
Mrs. McCaulon	10,946
Mrs. Rockey DeTola	9,980
Methodist Church	7,175
Miss Daisy Buel	6,170
Mrs. T. Dowling	5,200
Miss Rosa Van Boone	4,230
Miss Rose Conbar	3,423
Miss Signa Brauti	605
Ladies of Woodcraft	170
Advent Church	116

Total Votes cast to date

Miss Elizabeth Mackey	62,642
Mrs. McCaulon	46,006
Miss Daisy Buel	27,760
Mrs. T. Dowling	26,790
Mrs. Rockey DeTola	24,725
Mrs. R. Hinton	18,925
Methodist Church	15,925
Miss Rose Conbar	15,925
Miss Rosa Van Boone	9,380

A WORD TO VOTERS
To the Legal Voters of Lincoln County: I am a candidate for the office of County Judge and the regular nominee on the Republican ticket. I would appreciate the support of all my friends at the polls November 3.

I am employed as a teacher and as it will be impossible for me to make a personal canvass, I take this means of asking for your support.

I am for good government, good roads, and good schools run on economic plans; equal taxation and a fair representation from all parts of Lincoln county, and if elected I promise to use my best efforts to enforce all laws with prejudice toward none, and devote my time and best attention to the interests of Lincoln county.

R. R. Miller.
(Paid Advertisement)

TO VOTERS
I have been a resident and taxpayer of this county since 1887. Came a poor man, took up a homestead, and by hard work and close attention to my business have, besides raising and schooling my family, accumulated a little property.

In all these years I have done my part in helping to develop the county. I am familiar with every part of it and feel fully confident to judge its needs. If elected I shall endeavor to cut down all useless expenses and aim to get the county out of debt. I have felt the burden of taxes, and my sympathies are with the people, and promise them that my record in that subject will meet their approval.

Oct. 15, 1914.
Ed Stocker,
For County Commissioner.
(Paid Advertisement)

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
The County Court of Lincoln County Oregon, will receive sealed bids for furnishing material and constructing three bridges as follows: One over North Fork of Yachata. One over Yachata near C. S. Hanson's and one over Depece slough at Toledo. All bids to be in accordance with plans and specifications on file in the Clerk's office and must be filed with the County Clerk on or before 5 o'clock, P. M., November 21st, 1914. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check amounting to 5 per cent of the bid submitted.

R. H. Howell, County Clerk.

Jesse Reeder Socialist candidate for County Commissioner was in the city yesterday.

Will take two or three to board, cheap. Also housekeeping rooms to rent. Gannon House, beside the electric plant.

Mrs. Ogden and children departed yesterday morning for Corvallis where Mr. Ogden has been for some time and where they will make their home.

J. H. Glines passed through Wednesday evening enroute from Corvallis to Waldport. Mr. Glines' family is residing at Corvallis this winter, three children attending OAC.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Spooner arrived over from Corvallis the first of the week. Mr. Spooner having been transferred here as depot agent. Mr. Rice will remain in the depot also until another vacancy occurs.

Several voters have asked, "can a voter vote at the coming election who has failed to register?" Yes, any legal voter may vote by swearing in his or her vote with six freeholders signing blank A, which will be furnished all election boards.

The wet and dry amendment is to be voted on next Tuesday, not in 1916, as some seem to think. If the amendment carries the state wide prohibition will not be in force until 1916, which allows those in the liquor business more than a year to close up their business. But the question is to be voted on next Tuesday.

Booth's challenge to West to produce proofs of the charges the Governor has been making and the failure of West to present evidence to back up his statements have helped Booth thousands of votes, for Booth exploded every charge of West with documentary evidence, and incidentally disclosed that West assisted in stacking the jury box in the Burns-Heney case.