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NEWPORT

The mass meeting held at the Commercial Club rooms Saturday for the purpose of passing a resolution recalling three of the port commissioners for not taking a more active part in pressing the improvement of the Yaquina Harbor. After counting noses it was found that the dissatisfied party was in the minority and that the three commissioners slated to be recalled were the more careful, competent and conservative members of the board. So the resolution was with drawn and the meeting instead of scrapping and quarrelling as it looked like it would be, was turned into a love feast and the brethren dwelt together in harmony. After a very plain, straightforward statement by Captain Jacobson, chairman of the commission that everything was being done at this time that could be to advance the work and protect the interests of the people. He said the commission will follow the law and co-operate with the Government in doing the work—in short the Government will take the lead in the matter and there will be no losses or mistakes in conducting the work. R. F. Baker, one of the commissioners, handled the resolution and when he saw the other members of the commission were doing the right thing he willingly apologized for his mistake. I think some of the good sisters present must have offered up silent prayers that caused the change of heart. St. Paul had the same expression when in his wrath he started out to persecute good people. The scales fell from his eyes and a great light shown about him and this seems to be a similar case though not on so large a scale. Brother S. G. Irvin acted as chairman of the meeting and Brother Waterbury as secretary. Brother B. F. Jones and Brother C. S. Davis made soothing, mollifying speeches and the meeting adjourned with the very best of feeling. Selah.

The tug Gleaner from Gardiner, Captain Westerdale, came in on Saturday and Sunday towed out the river steamer, Powers over the bar and to Astoria where she will be used on the Columbia as a towing boat. The Powers was brought to Newport last spring and anchored to the City dock where she has stayed to the present time. She could not be taken north in the spring on account of the heavy winds. Mrs. Madge Anderson has sold her 50-acre farm located on the county road joining Andrew Nye's between Newport and Toledo to John Bradbury, who formerly owned the Cy Copeland place on Depoe Slough. Mr. Bradbury will be a useful addition to the community.

Daz Kellaher of Portland—one of the city commissioners—is spending his vacation at Newport, a guest at the Abbey. Mr. K. was never at Newport before but things it is the most beautiful seaside resort in Oregon, and will in time be the most popular one.

A party from Lebanon consisting of W. E. and C. G. McPherson, N. Piper, Joe Rutherford, and J. H. Fish came in a few days ago and went down to Waldport and Yachats on a grand hunting trip and will be in that famed hunting grounds for a number of days. The deer have the best of it now. The brush is so thick you cannot see them and you are not allowed to hunt with dogs so it is hard to get a deer.

ORTON

Clinton Southwell and Tony Porter left for Portland where they expect to take examination for the navy. We are very proud to know the boys are so patriotic. We've bid them a cheerful farewell for "In God we trust."

Mrs. John Isaacson and Marguerite Harney made a flying trip to Bruners Thursday.

Miss Maude Porter has received her new piano, which seems to have fulfilled her expectations.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Isaacson called

at McGuire's Sunday evening. Mrs. Ed. Frye and children called on Mrs. Isaacson Sunday.

Wm. Porter made a trip to Siletz Friday.

Miss Lavina Wilbur has arrived home for a short visit.

Misses Maude and Katie Porter, Marguerite Harney and Mr. Bohle called on the Evans' Sunday, Sept. 31.

Mrs. Geo. Cox called at the Isaacson home Saturday.

Miss Bessie Porter spent Sunday with Marguerite Harney.

Miss Sylvia Lewis, of Carlton, Oregon has opened school at the Upper Farm.

Victor Netmi has hauled his last load of shingle bolts to the mill, for his new residence.

Charlie Blacketer spent Saturday night with Gale Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McGuire and son, James, spent Sabbath at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Carey.

John Potwora makes flying trips to the Upper Farm to care for his stock.

The carpenters are very busy building the new school house in the Rock Creek district.

Mrs. Henry Tinner visited with her sister Mrs. Fraizer Thursday returning home Friday evening. Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Porter, a son.

CHITWOOD

Grant Hiscox traded his ranch to Bert Goodrich for some Lebanon property last week. Grant and family departed for Tacoma Monday where they will live for the present. He will also look after his business interests there. Miss Eva Wilson departed for her home at Cottage last Monday.

Bill Flescher accidentally cut his foot with an axe a few days ago. Well, he doesn't have to work so much now any way.

M. J. Brown, the Lincoln County Capsulist returned from a business trip to Portland a few days ago.

The work on the new Simpson Creek grade has taken a sudden tumble as nearly all the men have quit. But it is nearly completed for the present anyway. We don't hear so much of the Powder Monks now days.

Mr. and Mrs. Otterstedt are here visiting their daughter, Mrs. F. O. Moll.

R. R. Wilson has moved back on his homestead this week. He has been living on the Davis place for the last year.

Miss Lillie Miller departed for Eugene about a week ago where she will attend the State University.

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C. S. Ohmart and C. Bunnell made a business trip to Toledo Wednesday.

John R. Coovert and A. W. Weber went to Newport with Mr. Rhoades Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ohmart and little sons were visitors at the Hill home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Coovert took a trip in the auto stage to Toledo Saturday.

Eight men and three teams put in a good days work on the roads here on Good Roads Day.

S. Parks of Salem is visiting his brother, L. L. Parks. Mr. Parks is here for his health.

Mrs. Hester Coovert and Mrs. Fay Wolfersperger spent the afternoon Friday with Mrs. Ohmart.

Lloyd and Fred Commons made a trip to Newport last Friday.

FIEGLES CREEK

Will and Elizabeth Kessi left for Eugene a week ago Monday. Will intends specializing in chemistry and Elizabeth takes the course in journalism for which the U. of O. is noted. We wish them success.

Maine Briggs visited here last week.

Mr. Sharp of Racks Creek visited here last week.

Messrs. Lindley and Walker went to Corvallis Monday.

F. L. Mulvany and son are at

Racks Creek and Sweet Home on road business.

Delbert Kessi celebrated his birthday the 25th.

REPORT OF COUNTY EXHIBIT AT STATE FAIR

Lincoln County's exhibit at the State Fair opened the eyes of hundreds of visitors and was such as any county might be proud of. While we were third in our district we would easily have been first had our fish and dairy products not failed to arrive. The Toledo Creamery was the only one to furnish butter and that was highly praised by the judge. The expected cheese from Taft and Rose Lodge failed to arrive but we hop next year to secure a fine exhibit from those places.

Our fish industry was also very weak in its representation as the sea fish in solution from the Newport Commercial Club and some oysters sent from Mr. Schirmers was the size of it.

Our fruit and vegetables were fine and attracted a great deal of attention. The threshed grain from Siletz and the sheaf grain and grass from Mr. London and Mr. Ramsdell was of fine quality. We had potatoes from nearly every part of the County and were the best at the Fair. There were other fine exhibits such as vegetables from Mr. Derby, Scoville and others. Fruit from Aldrich, Robbins and W. F. Wakefield. There were many others that contributed fine specimens and I wish to thank all for their help and interest.

The following is the official score:

	Points	Cops	Thil.	Lin.	Clat.
Fish	10	7.0	6.0	5.0	9.0
Dairy	15	11.0	10.0	5.0	5.0
Garden	15	6.5	2.5	8.0	7.5
Field	15	12.0	13.0	11.0	11.0
Fruit	10	6.5	4.45	7.4	5.55
Arrangem't	10	9.0	10.0	9.0	7.5
Quality	25	21.5	21.9	21.8	20.8
Total	100	73.6	67.85	67.2	66.35

C. H. Wakefield.

PUBLIC SPEAKING

Speakers for the great Liberty Loan Drive will be in Toledo next Wednesday, October 17th, and will address an audience here. B. W. Johnson of Corvallis is chairman of the speakers for this district. He will be accompanied by R. J. Sinnott and Daniel Boyd. They will speak at Newport the 18th. Remember the date and turn out and give them a good audience, as these are some good speakers.

REV. FATHER FORGET PLACED AT VANCOUVER

Rev. Father Forget of Newport, has returned to Vancouver, B. C., where he will have charge of a parish. For the past five years has had charge of the mission work of Lincoln County, which includes 14 missions, and for the past two years he also has had charge of the work at Independence. Father Forget has many friends in these districts, and he goes with the good will of the people. He is a French priest, having been born in Normandie, France, and expects to return there in the future.

POSTMASTER WHO GOT MONEY FROM MAILS IS SENT TO PENITENTIARY

William Keady of Waldport is given sentence of thirteen months at McNeils Island.

William Keady, formerly postmaster at Waldport, Or., was sentenced to serve 13 months in the Federal prison on McNeils Island after he pleaded guilty to the charge of stealing \$1840.13 from money-order receipts. He took small sums from time to time over a period of two years to help pay taxes on land he purchased near Waldport, he told Assistant United States Attorney John Beckman. —Portland Daily Journal.

EXPECTS TO OPERATE IN NEAR FUTURE

C. E. Bade of the Bade Lumber Co., was in the city several days this week, arriving down from Portland Tuesday evening. Mr. Bade was accompanied by R. Stevenson, who looked the mill and logging proposition over with a view to going in with Mr. Bade.

We talked with Mr. Bade regarding the probability of starting the mill soon, and he was very optimistic, stating that he expected to have the mill going full blast in a very short time, and the demand for lumber is so good that he is seriously considering the advisability of putting on a night shift.

TOLEDO POSTOFFICE SERVES COUNTY

The Toledo postoffice has been made a central accounting office for all postoffices of Lincoln County. This means all postage stamps, postal cards, stamped envelopes and newspaper wrappers that have previously been ordered direct from Washington will hereafter be ordered from and furnished by the Toledo office, and that the quarterly reports will be made to this office instead of to the Department.

TWENTY-ONE YEARS AGO

H. Lewis and daughter, May, went to Albany last Saturday, returning on Monday.

Judge Hufford was over from Corvallis on legal business Tuesday.

A. O. Condit, a rising young lawyer of Salem, was in Toledo the first of the week on legal business.

The train killed a cow for John Turnidge the other day.

Ed. Wade returned from Salem last night where he has been attending the fair.

George McCluskey closed a very successful term of school on Pool's slough last Friday.

The sessions of the county court last week were marked by some rather stormy scenes. Threats of lickings and fines were made at one time, but nothing serious occurred.

The little six-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Miller of Pioneer, was seriously burned last Saturday. She and her little brother were playing at a fire near the railroad track when her clothes caught fire, burning her considerably about the arms and face.

ELEVEN YEARS AGO

Tom Wilson and son, Grover, of Elk City were in Toledo Tuesday.

J. S. Copeland was down from Big Elk the fore part of the week.

Miss Mamie Wakefield of Eddyville was a Toledo visitor last Friday.

Walter Hall of Siletz went to Portland Tuesday to appear at the Land Office as a witness for Dr. Dabney.

The chicken dinner served by the Relief Corps and other ladies last Saturday to the sidewalk builders was a big success—bigger than the crowd of workmen.

George Hoefflein and Tom Blower returned Tuesday from a hunt in the country between Rock Creek and Steer Creek. They bagged two deer and a big bear.

A. T. Peterson sent a carload of chittim to New York City last week.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our beloved husband, son and brother.

Mrs. Addie Boyle & Family, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Boyle, Mrs. Pearl Lucas, Ed. Boyles, Riley Mills.

SHINGLE MILL BURNS

The shingle mill belonging to Brooks & McMillin, located about two miles south from Waldport, burned to the ground last Sunday. No one was near the mill at the time of the fire except the elder Mr. Buker, and he on account of his advanced age and the lack of water, could do nothing to stop the spread of the fire. The mill was a complete loss, with no insurance. Besides the mill sixty thousand shingles were burned. The loss is estimated at about \$1000. The mill will be rebuilt.

JUNIOR RED CROSS

Toledo, Oreg., Sep. 24, 1917. Editor Lincoln Co. Leader,

For the information of country schools, please publish the address of headquarters for the Junior Red Cross.

The Oregonian published President Wilson's letter to school children, but did not explain what work could be done by the children.

Our school has a Roll of Honor containing the names of all the soldiers of our acquaintance. We read with great interest soldiers' letters published in the Leader. M. L. Hampton, Teacher, Parrish School.

With regard to the foregoing would say that we have taken this matter up with the local Red Cross officials, but they could not give us the desired information. Should any of our readers be able to supply the desired information we would be pleased to publish same.

FOOD CONSERVATION COMMITTEE, LINCOLN COUNTY

The committee met in the County School Superintendent's office and made arrangements for the work to be done in this county. Cards were ordered so there would be one for the front windows of every home in the county and by October 27, 1917, we hope to know that there is not a slacker among us.

The following committees were appointed: Siletz, Mrs. Anna Barzee, Robert DePoe, and W. R. Hall. Waldport: J. H. Glines, Clara Thompson, and Fred Shepman. Elk City: Chas. Allen, Maybel Simpson, and Mrs. J. C. Dixon. Chitwood: Mrs. D. Trapp, Ethel Westover, and N. W. Miller. Eddyville: W. F. Wakefield, Susie Barton, and Mrs. H. Sparks. Nortons: Geo. Wilson, Daisy Slate, and E. H. Bryant. Nashville: Inez Fort, Lillian Meyer, and M. Ryan. Toledo: J. Blough, R. P. Goin, W. E. Ball, and Mrs. Esther Anderson. Newport: S. G. Irvin, E. L. Ortman, G. T. Pratt, and C. A. Bockford.

In each of the other school districts of the county the chairman of the school board, the clerk of the district and the teacher in the school were appointed as committees for their respective districts. The committee on statistics: R. H. Howell and A. G. Schwartz. The Publicity committee: F. N. Hayden, Wm. Matthews, Bert Geer, and H. H. Guild.

It is hoped that each person on each committee will do their bit and so work that Lincoln county can report 100 per cent on the day of the close of the weeks work.

S. G. Irvin, R. P. Goin, Committee.

THANKS

Washtucna, Wn Oct. 7th, 1917.

Mr. Fern Hayden, Editor, Toledo, Oregon.

Dear Sir:—

Enclosed find check for \$1.50 for another year's subscription. Seeing the face of the Leader once a week is like meeting an old friend in a strange land, long may the Leader live for the good of Lincoln Co., and long may Editor Hayden guide and steer her course for the good of the community.

Yours as ever, V. E. Bachman.

Mrs. C. Zevely was up from Yaquina Monday.

Lige Grant was down from Harlan last evening.

Hon. B. F. Jones was up from the Resort City Monday.

A. C. Crawford of lower Siletz was in the city Saturday.

M. M. Davis of Eugene was in the city Monday on business.

Floyd Butler returned Monday evening from a visit to Portland.

Mrs. T. P. Fish returned Monday evening from a trip to Portland.

The Embroidery Clubs met with Mrs. G. R. Schenck this week.

Joe Windred the Siletz merchant was transacting business in Toledo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Stevens and daughter, Mildred, spent Sunday at Newport.

F. W. Hopkins was down from Eddyville Monday evening attending Masonic lodge.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Windred at Siletz, Sunday, September 30th, a six pound girl.

E. C. Paine and family returned Monday from Jefferson, where they spent the summer on their ranch.

Mrs. C. K. Crosno arrived over from Portland Tuesday evening to pack up their household effects.

County Commissioner W. F. Wakefield of Eddyville has been in the city this week attending County Court.

Valentine Thiel of South Beach has been in the city several days this week looking after property interests.

Henry Gohrke of Dallas was a Toledo visitor Sunday. Mr. Gohrke was formerly in the butcher business here.

Mrs. R. C. Merriweather arrived Monday evening for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Clark, and sister, Mrs. G. L. McCaulou.

County School Supt. and Mrs. R. P. Goin, returned Tuesday from a week's visit at Waldport and the schools in the south part of the county.

Terrence Gaither departed for Corvallis Sunday evening where he will enroll as a student at the Oregon Agricultural College. He expects to take a course in commerce.

Warren Hall the Siletz merchant was in Toledo Tuesday with a couple of loads of chittim bark. The Messrs. Hall expect to load a car of chittim the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Foreman of Salem were in the city the first of the week, enroute home from a visit with Mrs. Foreman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Brassfield at Siletz.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Enos have moved down from Elk City and are occupying their house in the north part of town. Mr. Enos recently sold his interest in the Elk City Lumber Co., and says that he is going to take life easy for a while.

Fred Stanton, Jim Derrick and Geo. Hoefflein went on a hunting trip this week. They arrived at the hunting grounds about two in the afternoon and before dark that evening had bagged five fine bucks, one of which dressed better than 200 pounds.

We received a phone message from A. F. Will just as we were going to press that he had concluded a deal for a half interest in Gohrke's market at Dallas, and that he would hold a public sale at his ranch two miles north of Toledo, on Saturday the 20th of this month. Watch posters for details.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Will autoed out to Dallas Wednesday. Mr. Will is on a deal for the purchase of Henry Gohrke's butcher business at that place, and if the deal is put through, Mr. Will expects to hold a public sale at his ranch north of town. We will give you the particulars in the next issue.