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SILETZ

Sarah Mattie Adams, youngest daughter and youngest child of John and Martha Adams, was born in Siletz October 7, 1904. She was united with the Methodist Episcopal church when a small girl under the pastorate of Rev. William T. Pearce. She was active in church work, was a pianist for the Epworth League, when at home or on her vacation from the Chemawa training school last year. She was a favorite, not only among her classmates, but with the superintendent and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hall. She departed this life April 27, 1920, age 15 years 6 months and 20 days. The funeral in honor of the girl was the largest that has occurred at Siletz for many years, and because she had two brothers in the World War, the flag was placed at half-mast. The public school was dismissed that the pupils might attend the funeral. She leaves to mourn her departure, father, mother, two brothers, John V. (Dick) and Russell Adams, two sisters, May and Adelaide, and three half sisters, Mrs. Lena Tronson, Mrs. Ines Larson and Mrs. Cecil Townner, other relatives and many friends. The young ladies Sunday school class, of which she was a member when at Siletz, attended the funeral in a body. This class is now being taught by Mrs. Walter Ross. The emblems of the class are an anchor, heart and cross. The heart was a most artistic and beautiful piece of work and was designed and made by a member of the class. These designs were made with the most beautiful flowers found in spring time, to be placed upon the grave as a token of love and sympathy for the departed. All the floral offerings were unusually beautiful. The funeral services were very impressive, conducted by Rev. Walter Ross, pastor of the M. E. church at Siletz.

The Ladies Aid Society gave a supper Friday evening at the government school building, under the cafeteria plan. A good crowd was present. The supper was unusually good and every one enjoyed it. This is one way and a very good one, to develop the life and social qualities of a community. You can calm the feeling, steady the nerves and allay the grouchy feelings of people thru the stomach better than any other way. The net proceeds were \$44.62 to be used for the pay of the minister and the building up of the moral and social influences of the community.

D. W. Cowgill, field agent of the Albany Pure Milk and Cheese Company, while spending a few days among the dairy farmers of Siletz Valley, which he says is about as large as the famous Alsea Valley but more picturesquely situated, has in his opinion the making of one of the richest dairy sections in the state, not excepting the big Eastern Oregon and the broad Willamette valley, with its alfalfa, clover and timothy fields. He expects to return to Toledo Saturday or Sunday.

Mr. Kearn, of the firm of Williams and Kearn, will in a short time move to Siletz and will occupy the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hall. They visited Siletz Sunday and looked over their logan berry field. Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Kearn accompanied their husbands.

The hammer and the anvil can be heard every day in the week except Sunday. A number of cars have come to Siletz in the last few days. Several of them from Toledo and Newport. The road is in fair condition but will be alright after it is worked. Forman and Schaffer took the tractor up to the Schaffer shingle mill Monday, on Spencer Creek, and got it set up ready for work.

Shingles are in great demand and bring top prices. Several persons have been in here recently trying to get hold of cedar timber in sufficient quantities to justify putting up a shingle mill. So far they have not succeeded in getting the timber.

BURNED WOODS

Miss Clara Downing returned home Friday after spending the winter in Hillsboro and Portland.

The surveyors are setting the stakes for the last stages of the work on the Highway at this end of the county, and will soon have a few miles ready to rock.

The road from Blodgett to Eddyville is now in fine shape and a good many cars are taking advantage of it.

The smallpox appears to be over. Mr. Harmon's children are now ready to return to school.

Ed Johnston was badly injured by a limb striking him in the eye while working at Skagg's mill, near Blodgett. It is not known at this writing whether the eye can be saved or not but we hope so.

John Abbey, the Corvallis stock buyer, was calling on farmers in this vicinity last week, and bought 30 head of cattle.

H. F. Erbes made a business trip to Corvallis last week. Mr. Erbes has disposed of his property in Oakland, Calif., and will invest in Lincoln Co., Calif., and will invest in Lincoln Co.

SOUTH BEACH

Dr. Belt passed thru a few days ago with a Mr. Lang of Tidewater, who, it seems, had the misfortune to be near an explosion in blasting and had his face about his eyes very badly burned. We haven't learned if his sight was destroyed.

Mrs. Hazel Witt of Portland is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hoffman.

A committee of men from this place went to Toledo last Wednesday to

meet the commissioners in the interest of our ferry.

Mr. Plowman went to Grand Ronde last week to look for a location.

School closed last Friday, a nice little program was given and every body pleased. Miss Duncan left for her home on the noon boat Sunday.

Timber cruisers have been busy in these parts lately, who want to buy our timber and take it out, but what we want is a sawmill in here to manufacture our timber into lumber here. Then ship what cannot be utilized here.

Charly Whitton, who has been here looking after his timber land, returned to Portland Wednesday.

NEWPORT

With unusually low tides, sunny days and absence of wind, the past few days have been perfect on the beach, and many are taking advantage of the fact to be out at all times.

Messrs. Weber, Phelps, Huyett, Gray, Woods and Mr. Zach's Egg carrier were in with Mr. Rhoades from the Beaver Creek country Saturday. If every equal area of good land in Lincoln county produced the cream that the Beaver Creek country does, we would be ahead of Tillamook in dairying.

Since Mr. Burpee took over the management of the Jetty work, the quarry has produced a much larger supply of rock and the South Jetty is in a fair way to be completed. A good depth of water is reported along close to the South Jetty and with the completion of the North Jetty by the government, money for which is already appropriated and which is to begin with the completion of the South Jetty, Lincoln County will have a harbor capable of exporting one and a half million feet of lumber at a load. This will enable mills to bid in all markets, a great advantage, and one that will make Lincoln County timber available.

B. F. Jones returned over Sunday from his whirlwind campaign for Secretary of State. Mr. Jones' prospects seem very fair, and judging from his talks in Salem, Corvallis and other points, he is giving Lincoln county several thousand dollars worth of advertising, and his talk seems to consist of explanations of the resources and advantages of this country almost entirely.

Monday evening the Odd Fellows gave a big anniversary dinner at their Banquet Hall and Wednesday evening the Rebekas gave their regular Fifth Thursday entertainment and feed, at which over one hundred and fifty were present.

Tuesday evening the Hoover club had their weekly meeting and were cheered by the announcement that the Oregonian, a Wood organ, concedes Oregon and Washington to be in the Hoover column with California evenly divided between Hoover and Johnson.

A committee of the State Chamber of Commerce was appointed at Newport this week, with George Dickinson of the Western State Bank, chairman. Warren Dougherty has given up the prospect of immediate action on the purchase of the Spruce railroad and has bought a mill at Cottage Grove. The purchase of the road and surety of getting logs to the bay would have saved this industry to Lincoln county.

Some halibut and cod are being brought in by the Empire and other boats, but in no considerable quantities as yet.

EDDYVILLE

Mrs. Hexon has closed a very successful term of school and after a trip to the Valley to visit with her parents who are moving to California soon, she will return to Elk City. On the last day of school, the school children and their mothers enjoyed a picnic. An elaborate lunch was served in the shade of the school house, and at the close Mrs. Hexon was presented with a tablecloth. Patrons and friends unite in wishing for Mrs. Hexon the best things in life in her new home.

On Saturday evening a merry crowd of young people gathered at the Granite Hall for a May-Day party. A jolly evening was spent playing games and at the close refreshments were served. Supper partners were obtained by matching May baskets and this novel feature furnished no small measure of enjoyment.

Mrs. Lloyd Peterson has been entertaining her mother from Portland. S. T. Loudon took the examination for postmaster, which was held in Newport, April 24.

Mr. McGee, for many years a resident of Little Elk, spent several days visiting with old friends in the community. He was accompanied by Mrs. McGee, who visited her sister, Mrs. S. T. Loudon and niece, Mrs. C. H. Wakefield.

Mr. Tompkins of Corvallis is visiting his cousin, Mrs. Hershey. The Misses Helen and Jean Sparks of Portland recently spent a two weeks vacation visiting their mother.

The Misses Eleanor and Joy Mauch spent a week-end with their sister, Mrs. Elmer Lehn, at Pioneer.

Mrs. Charles Eagleson and sons returned Sunday from a two weeks visit at Woodburn.

Walter Cline, Glynn Aldrich and Frank Swanner have been busy scraping the roads the past few days.

Mr. Schmidt has returned from a several month's sojourn in California and has taken up residence on the Girdler place.

CHITWOOD

G. T. Smith and Leland Abbercrombie made a trip to Toledo and back Monday.

Guy Wilson left for Salem Tuesday after making a short visit with some

ELECTION, MAY 21

STATE ROADS

Vote 302 X Yes

For 4% State Road Bond Limit

BALLOT TITLE IS AS FOLLOWS:
302 X Yes
303 - No
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT—Referred to the people by the Legislative Assembly.
LIMITATION OF FOUR PER CENT STATE INDEBTEDNESS
Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Oregon, as amended, shall be amended to read: "The amount of all indebtedness of the State of Oregon, except of two percent as now provided by law."

NO PROPERTY TAX—NO DIRECT TAX
NO INCREASE IN AUTO LICENSE FEES
NO INCREASE OF GASOLINE TAX

Keep these three facts in mind. The present auto license fees and gasoline tax will pay both the principal and interest on all the bonds under this amendment, and will yield an annual surplus besides for other state highway work. No additional taxation of any kind.

FEDERAL FUNDS MUST BE MATCHED

Oregon must have sufficient Highway Funds to match Federal apportionments or Oregon cannot get the benefit of Federal money for Oregon Roads. Increasing this constitutional limit is a necessity. Unless limit is increased, either state roads cannot be completed for many, many years, or must be financed by direct property taxation. This measure averts direct property tax for state highways and makes early completion possible. Let's get the roads built now.

Income from Present Sources Sufficient to Pay Principal and Interest.

The fact that revenues from auto license fees and gasoline tax, without increase of present rates, will be ample to pay both principal and interest on these bonds, is clearly set forth by official figures in the State Pamphlet, mailed to every registered voter. Refer to State Pamphlet for verification. Examine the table carefully. It proves that no property tax is required and that present rates for auto license fees and gas tax will return principal and interest and yield a surplus besides.

For Interest Tables, Pamphlets or further information, write to OREGON ROADS AND DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION, 311 West 1st St., Portland, Oreg. Campaign Headquarters, 311 Worcester Building, Portland, Oreg.

VOTE 302 X YES—For 4% State Road Bond Limit

of his friends and relatives here.

School closed here Wednesday for the season, it being the last day of the term.

Miss Emma Wilson made a trip to Pioneer and back Saturday.

Alvin Cook came in from Cottage Grove Friday.

NASHVILLE

Mrs. L. L. Leavitt and son Lester, Mrs. R. N. Nash and daughter Mary Lou, Mrs. W. H. Martin and Miss Ruth Butler were passengers for Portland Tuesday to enjoy the short Opera Season by the New Orleans Organization.

E. S. Lister returned from a hurried visit to Portland Tuesday.

L. D. Nash is in Portland.

M. A. Felton has returned from South Beach and resumed his work at the Bigelow-Doane Mill.

Delbert Ewing is in Nashville again. Mike Ryan, the best dairyman in Lincoln county, was a business visitor to Corvallis the first of the week.

Mrs. C. R. Gillette's sister who has been visiting here the last month, returned home Monday.

Clinton Southwell brought his Maxwell here Wednesday.

Otis Hamar is home.

J. L. and Mrs. Ray have returned from their visit to the Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Durdall were in Salem this week. Goofe stayed home.

PAY ELECTRIC BILLS

For the convenience of patrons the Yaquina Electric Co. has opened up an office in the Akin building in this city, in the room just south of the postoffice, where electric bills may be paid from the 3rd to the 10th of each month, the office being open from one to five p. m. Bills are due on the 1st and if not paid by the 10th the lights will be cut off. A connection charge of \$1 will be charged for turning them on again.

SALVATION ARMY RESCUE

WEEK MAY 1 TO MAY 10

Following the meeting of the advisory board representatives in convention in Portland March 17, John L. Etheridge, appointed to the post of state president of the financial phase of the Home Service program of 1920, started to form his committees under county presidents throughout the state.

The dates of May 1 to May 10 were picked for the financial campaign to meet the budget of \$284,000 approved by the convention, at which were representatives of nearly every county. The period was designed as Rescue Week because all of the funds raised during the period will be devoted to the work of rescuing the poor from their poverty, the unfortunate and downfallen from their slough of despair and the girl mothers from their betrayal.

The work is carried on among people in all walks of life, among children, among young men and young women who have fallen behind in the race of life, among old men and old women whose years are drawing to a close.

The work of the army is always constructive. Throughout forty years of work in the slums of larger cities, the organization has developed lines of service that no other organization would or could enter upon.

EDDYVILLE OVER TOP

Eddyville claims the honor of being the first over the top in the Salvation Army drive being held in this county, having gone over the top with flying colors.

GRADING CONTRACT LET

Thos. Young, a Portland contractor, was the successful bidder for the contract of the grading of 5.3 miles of road between Toledo and Newport at the price of \$61,500.

The road is to be graded 24 feet wide and work will commence in about two weeks. Mr. Young expects to employ about twenty teams and forty men and will rush the work thru to completion as fast as possible.

The cost per mile is approximately \$10,000, and at this rate the county will not have money enough to complete the project, as outlined, to the Benton County line.

The grading of the roads is going to seriously interfere with the summer travel to Newport, still, roads in all parts of the state are being graded, so the tourist will find turn up roads which ever way he turns, and as the Court expects to keep detours open, we will probably get our usual amount of travel to the beaches.

AT THE MOVIES

Friday and Saturday, Marie Doro in "12:10," a Mystery Play. 30c, 15c.

Sunday, Monday, a 5 reel drama, "The Girl Who Wouldn't Quit." Also Ford Weekly. 25c, 10c.

Wednesday, 17th Episode of "The Lure of the Circus." Comedy, "Penny Ante." 2 reel Western Drama, "The Lone Hand." 25c, 10c.

STREETS DRAGGED

J. A. Peterson and Elmer Hornum turned out last week with the former's Fordson tractor and a road drag and dragged several of the streets of our little city. The tractor did the work formerly requiring two good teams, and put the streets in fine shape.

We believe one of these tractors could be used to advantage by the county on the county roads.

Suits cleaned and pressed at Colvins.

R. A. Miller of Winant was a passenger for Portland this noon.

M. S. Collins of Siletz was in the city today enroute home from a few days spent at Newport.

"Dink" Crumson and Frank Wade were passengers for Portland Wednesday. We understand they will drive back with a car.

Leslie Perkins came near severing his left thumb while splitting wood at the court house Monday evening. Dr. Burgess dressed the injured member.

W. A. Cooper of the Peterson Garage was out to the Brant place on the Siletz road this week doing some plowing with the Fordson tractor.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hendry accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Tuttle, motored up from Newport last Friday evening to the supper served by the St. John's Guild.

Will the party who wants their address changed from Portland to Philomath please send us their name? We are in receipt of an unsigned card asking that this change be made.

Newt Guillema of Beaver Creek was a county seat visitor Wednesday. He was seen up around the court house, and it is rumored that he was looking for the much talked of court house ring.

Messrs. Cline and Downing were down from the Little Elk the first of the week with the county tractor and grader. They had some necessary repairs made to the machinery while here.

Leader subscriptions received this week are: Ole Mikkelsen, Boring, Or.; H. L. Hathaway, Harlan, Or.; L. H. Payne, Newport, Or.; B. E. Swape, Independence, Or.; Chas. Hyde, Orion, Or.; Ben Duerden, Toledo, Or.; Fred Sanders, Toledo, Or.; Guy B. Butler, Ltd., New York City; B. D. Leathers, Bremerton, Wash.

The Leader office is a busy place these days getting out ballots for the coming election. Besides the regular sets of Republican and Democratic ballots there are two sets of special election ballots; one being for the state amendments, referred by the Legislature, and one for the Yaquina bridge, which was referred to the people by the County Court.

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H. E. PETERSON RECEIVES NEW STOCK

H. E. Peterson, the jeweler and watchmaker, has just received a nice new stock of ladies wrist watches, diamond, diamond pendants, men's watchbands, chains, agate rings and pendants, etc., etc. A most complete assortment of up to date jewelry, and the largest line ever shown in this city.

HIS SERMON ON LIARS

Announcing that next Sunday he would preach on the subject of "Liars" a Texas minister advised his hearers to read in advance the 17th chapter of Mark. The following Sunday he rose in the pulpit and announced, "Before I begin my sermon on liars, I should like to know how many have read the chapter I suggested." A hundred members of the congregation held up their hands. "Now," said the preacher, "you are the very persons I want to talk to. There isn't any 17th chapter of Mark."

CALL FOR SCHOOL WARRANTS

Notice is hereby given that all warrants drawn on School District No. 2, Toledo, Oregon, and endorsed not paid for want of funds, up to and including warrant No. 675, dated Nov. 14, 1919, are hereby called and interest stopped this date.

Dated May 7th, 1920.

Mrs. Sarah Booth, Clerk.

BUTTERFIELD-JACKSY

Guy D. Butterfield and Miss Sophie Jackey were united in marriage at the home of M. Ransom, 1236 Grand Concourse, New York City, Monday, April 19th, 1920, the Rev. Novensky, of the Lutheran church, officiating.

Mr. Butterfield was formerly a resident of this city, having enlisted in Uncle Sam's service early in the war, and was stationed near New York City. Miss Jackey is a resident of New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Butterfield were the recipients of many beautiful presents. They will make their home at 1236 Grand Concourse, New York City.

Guy has many friends in Toledo and Lincoln County who will wish himself and bride much happiness.

TEACHERS ELECTED FOR ENSUING YEAR

The School Board of Dist. No. 2, Toledo, Or., has elected the following teachers for the term of 1920-21.

Prof. W. A. Cox, Principal of High school; Miss Mary Harrison, Asst. High school teacher; one high school teacher yet to be elected; Miss Ava Bullard, of Minneapolis, Principal of Grammar school; Miss Arden Clark, who is now teaching at Yaquina, fifth and sixth grades; Miss Susie Barton, third and fourth grades; Mrs. W. A. Cox, second grade; Mrs. Barzee, who is now teaching at Siletz, primary.

MAY DAY PICNIC

"Didn't we have a picnic?" was the cry of the classes as they marched home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Hart and Miss Iler, of the Methodist church went with their classes on a picnic Saturday morning. Twenty three Sunday school pupils and their friends were present. They left the church about ten o'clock with their lunch baskets. After crossing Olalla slough they climbed the mountain until they came to a nice grove where they ate their lunch, which every one enjoyed very much. The children picked flowers and erected a throne where the May Queen was crowned. Virginia Flagg was chosen for May Queen and Betty Jane Wade as attendant. Games were played until time to go home.

WANTS ROAD FIXED

Siletz, Or., April 24, 1920

Lincoln County Leader.

Dear Editor—

I wish to write to you an open letter concerning road matters in the Lower Siletz.

We have been notified by the mail carrier that there will be no more Parcel Post and no more cream hauled out of this section until the road between Mowery's Landing and the Siletz Agency is made passable.

I do not blame the mail carrier. It is a wonder to me that he did not balk on the job long ago. But I do blame the County Court for their inaction. Perhaps the Honorable Court is too old to lead the flocks of Nebo much longer. And again perhaps it would be better for the public if the old time Road District System was re-established.

They say, "Where there is a will, there is a way." Let us hear from the Court.

Yours truly,

Sandra Romtvedt.

SEES FIRST BALL GAME; GETS FIRST RIDE IN CAR

(Evening Telegram, Portland)

When Lawrence H. Brown saw the Portland-San Francisco baseball game this afternoon, it was the first time in his life that he had seen an exhibition of the national pastime.

In the Upper Drift Creek settlement ten miles south of Toledo, Or., where Lawrence has spent his 11 years, there are only two other boys near his age, hardly enough to form a baseball team.

So when Lawrence came to Portland this morning to testify for the government in the arrangement of L. A. Hurst, who is charged with stealing government property from a forest reserve, he asked his guardian, Martin Durbin, a forest ranger, to take him to the ball game.

Lawrence saw a street car this morning for the first time and when he rode to the ball park it was his first trolley ride. Tonight he is going to see his first moving picture show.

"This is some burg," Lawrence declared when he arrived here this morning. Toledo and Monroe are the only towns he has ever before visited.

LADY DANCERS MUST PAY WAR TAX

U. S. Revenue Collector Davis of Eugene was a Toledo visitor the first of the week, checking up on the amusement houses in this section. Mr. Davis stated that some of the dances given in this county had unwittingly violated the revenue law—for instance—when a dance is advertised as costs \$1.00 ladies free, it is necessary that the management collect ten cents war tax from each gent and also a ten cent war tax from each lady dancer attending. Or if the dance is \$1.00 per couple then the couple pays 10 cents war tax, and each untaxed lady pays 10 cents war tax, etc. If it is 50 cents per couple then they would pay 5 cents war tax, and each untaxed lady would be required to pay the same.

NOTICE

To patrons of Electric Light Co., at Toledo.

All payments for Electric service should be paid either to Francis Altrev collector at Toledo, or mailed to undesignated at Newport. No other payments will be recognized.

Geo. Blanchard, Supt.