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## SILETZ

Mr. Fred Fraiser an attorney from Oakland, California, who was visiting with Clyde Morris on the Lower Siletz, was drowned Sunday afternoon in the Siletz River near Mowery's Landing. At the coroner's inquest it was found that he was getting out of his boat, when he was stricken with heart failure or apoplexy, and fell in the river and drowned. He was a young man, aged 34. No one was present at the time the drowning occurred so it is not possible to tell exactly how it happened.

The Near East program was given in the Government School building on Wednesday evening, June first to a crowded house. Fifty persons were turned away. The reason of this big audience—it was a kind of co-operative affair. The Community Club, Grange and Good Roads people had unexpectedly met together at the same place and at the same time. But this was a happy surprise for the good roads people would not have had such a large audience had it not been for the Club meeting. Opening selection by the Siletz Orchestra; Address by Ralph Hamar, Master of the Valley Grange; vocal solo, Miss Gabell Larsen; vocal solo, Jess Daniels; sixty minutes given to the Siletz Minstrel troupe; address by Supt. Edwin L. Chalcraft, representing the Community Club. The minstrel show was up to date, very fine and greatly enjoyed by the audience. This performance was highly complemented by one of the speakers—Mr. Dennis. He thought it was as good as many minstrel shows he had seen in much larger cities. Newport and Toledo came over with large delegations. From Toledo we noticed a number of good roads boosters: Mr. and Mrs. McCluskey, Mr. and Mrs. Renus Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick, Mrs. Warren Hall, Mr. and Mrs. William Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Fern Hayden, and his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson. From Newport came other boosters, Ed Abbey, Dr. Berry, Lester Martin, Dr. Bak, General McAlexander, Chauncey Hawkins and Mr. Dickinson. These folks enjoyed the play very much evinced by their applause. Edwin L. Chalcraft acted as chairman and introduced the following speakers, first, Lieutenant Patterson, who made a rousing good roads talk, then came General McAlexander of World War fame who told us of the splendid roads Europe had and without good roads the war could not have been carried to a successful termination. The General looks every inch a warrior. The receipts of the evening were \$42.55 which will be placed to the credit of the Near East fund when some expenses are taken out. The whole amount from this place will be about \$50.00. Judge Fogarty was also with Toledo's crowd.

On Friday the public school gave a picnic dinner in the Wilbur Grove about one mile above the Agency on the banks of the Siletz River. A most beautiful place. About 150 persons attended with all the school children and teachers. Cars were run free from the Agency to the picnic grounds. An excellent dinner was served and after dinner games of ball, swinging and other sports were engaged in till a late hour. The community seemed to vie with each other in trying to make everybody happy. Siletz is becoming noted for their public spirit and wholesome hospitality. She feels that her favored and beautiful location nesting among the hills of the Coast Range is a shrine that is being more recognized and the green witchery that borders the rippling, splashing waterfalls of Siletz is being appreciated more than ever by all lovers of nature. When the Lincoln County macadam road is completed to Newport connecting up with the Pacific Highway and when our Market Road is completed we will have cars coming here every day in the year. John Emerson is up from Newport which has so many nice places for fishing as the Siletz River and its tributaries.

The new gymnasium room was filled almost to capacity on the evening of June 3, to witness the commencement exercises of the Siletz High School. Invocation by Rev. Walter Ross; selection by the Siletz Orchestra; diplomas were presented by A. C. Crawford, chairman of the board of trustees, to Miss Alma Ojala and Miss Mary Harney. Prof. J. F. Page of the Extension Service of the O. A. C. delivered the graduating address which was very good and much appreciated.

Miss Henry has already been engaged to teach the Lower Farm School for the ensuing year. Born Friday, June 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Bryant, a ten pound boy. Congratulations are now in order.

## HARLAN

A large crowd from Big Elk went to the ball game Sunday at Burnt Woods. It was a close game and some good ball played by both sides. Eddyville won a score 5 to 4. The return game will be played next Sunday, June 12. We all plan on going again to see the best side win.

Mrs. Leonard Grant is improving slowly.

I. R. Payne traded his stock ranch at Harlan for a dairy ranch near Ona. We are sorry to lose Mr. Payne and family as they are splendid neighbors. Mr. Payne took an active part in the welfare of the community. Mrs. Payne was a church worker and will be greatly missed in that circle. However we wish them every success in their new venture.

Mrs. Dick Grant and daughter are visiting her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Grant.

George Ridenour moved his steam engine in from the Valley Sunday. He will soon be sawing lots of lumber.

Blanche Mulvaney of Newport is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Frank Davis. Sheep shearing has started in our neighborhood although it seems hardly worth while to shear for the price offered for wool.

Deputy Sheriff McElwain brought the poll books up to Laura Young last Saturday.

Lester January had the misfortune to turn his car over last Sunday. He was coming up the Spout Creek Mt. and hit a bad rock that threw his car over the bank bottom side up—it was damaged very little. They righted the car and drove on in.

## GLEN

Little old Glen is still here, but apparently very much deserted.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Davenport and little son, Edwin, of Elk City, have been visiting relatives here. We understand that Mr. Davenport has sold his place at Elk City and will leave soon for Eastern Oregon.

W. E. Watkins went to Toledo last Friday.

Alva Moore went to the Valley last week to work.

J. K. Wheeler returned to his work at Albany last week after spending a couple of weeks at home.

George Lang, Dorcy Rochester and Charley Myers of Elk City spent the first of the week in this vicinity, making their headquarters at Nate Watkins.

Mrs. J. W. Davenport and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Davenport and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Davenport, Mrs. Washburn and children, of Salado, and Roy Eaton of Salado, spent last Sunday on Table Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Moore spent a couple of days the first of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Davenport and family at the Bay.

Mrs. T. L. Bohannon spent Tuesday evening at W. R. Moore's.

Mrs. W. R. Moore and grandson, Everett, and Mrs. J. K. Wheeler went to Toledo Wednesday.

Messrs. Dorcy Rochester, Geo. Lang, Charley Myers and Nathan Watkins spent Sunday evening at W. R. Moore's.

## FRUIT VALE

Mr. Kelso is moving his furniture from Toledo out to his farm and expects to commence farming at once.

Chas. Baker has his truck repaired—looks like new and acts that way.

Mrs. R. P. Baker of Newport is visiting at her son's, Chas. Baker's, also T. Burnett, of Portland.

Andrew Nye's family and brother, John Nye and wife, made a trip to the Siletz Sunday where Mr. J. has a farm.

Our school will be out this week and then won't the fish suffer with the little fishermen all after them.

The crops in this section look exceptionally fine.

Chas. Baker, Mr. Burnett and L. T. Stephenson made a trip to the Siletz fishing Sunday.

## WINANT

Everyone has had colds here.

Mrs. Peter Shermer went to Newport Saturday to visit her son, John.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Shermer and children went to Philomath to visit Mrs. Shermer's sister, Eva, and family.

Mrs. L. D. Emerson returned from Philomath where she visited her daughter, Eva, for a few days.

Elmon Shermer and L. D. Emerson are repairing their launches.

John Emerson is up from Newport visiting his mother and brothers.

Mrs. and Mrs. T. Huntsacker made a spin to Toledo Saturday in their new launch.

## DEVILS LAKE

With the past two weeks' of good weather puts the roads in fine shape and now and then we notice a car about the Lake.

Chas. Norwick left for McMinnville Sunday where he will look after his business interests.

A. R. Ford of Grand Ronde was in the vicinity of the Lake last week looking after his cattle.

Mrs. G. D. Bowers writes informing us that she will be among us in a short time again.

John Olson of Kernville was visiting about the Lake the week end.

Joseph Dowd, Jr., of Siletz passed through with some cattle Friday enroute to Grand Ronde where he will meet his folks.

Frank Nash who was employed in Washington, all winter, is here again and is glad to be back once more.

Joe Kangieser of Rose Lodge drove down to the Lake in their car to visit with Frank Mann.

Geo. and Winnifred Thompson are back from Oregon City where they have been employed.

Joseph Dowd and family of Siletz are visiting at Logan's. Joe recently sold his place and is moving to Grand Ronde.

It seems to be getting a bad these days about the Lake to hire married women as house keepers.

On Sunday, June 5th, the Mountaineers and Prairie Dogs crossed bats in a real interesting baseball game.

After a hard struggle of 14 innings the Prairie Dogs came out on top of a close score of 1 to 0. The big feature of the day was the pitchers battle between Reed and Felix. These two teams will probably clash at Taft on July 3rd.

## ROCK CREEK

E. M. Pettycrew attended the graduation exercises at Siletz last Friday. Leonard and Kenneth States made a business trip to Elk City Thursday.

E. M. Pettycrew is working for Charles Blosser.

Mrs. Reeder, Mrs. Spear and Mrs. Donckel visited at the H. L. States home Tuesday.

The Watkins man was here from Dallas Wednesday.

John Blosser made a business trip to the Valley last week.

A. L. Crawford, Jas. Roberts, and Guy Keller were over from Summit Wednesday and returned Thursday.

Miss Inez Reeder has returned home from Ashland where she has been attending high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Matthews of Newport were up this week Sunday.

Mrs. Gertrude Chamberlin visited at Reeder's Thursday.

Harriet Southwell is home from Siletz where she has been teaching a term of school.

Amos Chapman helped John Blosser shear sheep Sunday.

Miss Helen Reeder is visiting Al-trees at Toledo this week.

## HARLAN

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Davis visited friends in Blodgett Monday and also Tuesday.

Big Elk was well represented at the Tum Tum-Eddyville ball game of Sunday.

The Commons family are settled in their home on the Payne place. Mrs. Commons who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Darwin Nash, of Nashville is also at home.

Ray Rich and family of Portland are moving to Harlan where Mrs. Rich will assist in the P. O.

Mrs. Sam Grant is not as well as she has been. Mr. Grant will take her to Corvallis as soon as she is able to stand the trip.

Geo. Ridenour has brought in a steam engine to run the saw mill recently purchased of R. L. Hathaway.

School closed in the Black District, June 1st. A picnic was held which was well patronized and in the afternoon the pupils rendered an excellent program. Mrs. Frank Allison has been reemployed as teacher for the coming school year.

Mrs. T. McGinnis is home from Salem. She is much improved in health. Mr. McGinnis had the misfortune to run into a car while in Albany and had to pay a fine along with his other troubles.

Mr. Lake of Peak and Chas. Lillard were looking over the Spout Creek road with the intention of putting in a bid.

R. L. Hathaway and crew have done a good piece of work on the Hard Scabble grade. We can now see the sun through the timber.

Mr. Osborne of Salem has returned to his home after a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Allison.

Frank Davis has bought the stock of goods from Payne and is now the Harlan merchant.

Frank Allison who suffered a fractured leg is now able to hobble around on crutches.

## NASHVILLE

The S. P. Bridge Crew which has been here for some time, moved to Albany Thursday.

Mr. Robinson of Wren, has been here the past week shearing sheep for W. H. Martin. Mr. Robinson also sheared Mr. Millem's sheep.

L. L. Leavitt, former S. P. Agent here, was in from the Nash ranch Tuesday.

W. J. Brugman of Waldport purchased the Nashville Creamery Assn. buildings and equipment, which were sold last week. Mr. Brugman has sold the buildings to W. L. Stanton and is moving the machinery to Waldport.

Prof. Crowley and family from near McMinnville are here to spend the summer with the Charles Hinshaws.

Don Gillette left for Eugene the 6th to spend the summer.

A crowd of Nashville voters motored to Norton's Tuesday evening, but had a little trouble getting started so were a few minutes to late to cast their vote.

Received another shipment of Ladies Brown Kid Oxfords, and they are beauties. See them. The Bootery.

## SOUTH BEACH

Warren Ashworth went to Portland Wednesday and returned Friday.

Mrs. Peterson of Astoria is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hoffman.

Margaret Ewing went to Church with her Uncle and Aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ewing, Sunday morning at Yaquina.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ewing, Will Ewing and Mercens Felton went out for a little outing Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Omild, Mr. and Mrs. Hill and Walter Hill spent Sunday on the beach.

Mrs. Peterson returned to her home in Astoria Monday.

## LOCAL PLATOON WILL LEAVE TUESDAY

The Toledo Platoon, 3rd Co., C. A. C., have received orders from the Adjutant General as to troop movements to the annual encampment at Fort Stevens, and in part are here quoted:

The Toledo Platoon will entrain on the S. P. local leaving Toledo at 12:55 P. M., Tuesday, June 14th, and will stop over at Albany and board sleepers spotted thereat on afternoon of June 14, leave Albany at 4:10 A. M. June 15, on S. P. train, thru sleepers to Fort Stevens.

Lieut. Rice has been given orders that full field equipment will be taken by each officer and enlisted man. Each man will take in his pack, one extra suit of underwear, two extra pairs of socks, two towels, bar of soap, comb, brush, tooth brush and shaving outfit. No officer or enlisted man will be permitted to carry any hand grip or personal luggage of any character.

The encampment will terminate June 20 and the men will return to their home station July 1.

The U. S. Property Officer has shipped to Toledo equipment for the complete outfitting of the men who are to go to camp, and on Sunday this equipment will be issued and instructions given as to pack rolling. All men are requested to bring their equipment as previously issued for exchange for more sizes or replacement as well as inspection before leaving for camp, on Sunday morning.

The following men have been promoted: Corporal Hayden to Sergeant, Privates Campbell and Derrick to Corporals.

Thirty men will leave Toledo on Tuesday the 14th.

## CHARTER AMENDMENT CARRIES

The new amendments to the City Charter carried at the special city election Tuesday, by the vote of 90 for and 28 against.

## NEW STAGE LINE

T. J. Casey of Newport, accompanied by P. Gilmore, was in the city Monday making arrangements for the establishing of an auto bus line between Newport and Albany.

Mr. Casey, who is recently from Butte, Mont., where he was manager for the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co., has a Studebaker Big-Six which he will put on the run. The car has a capacity of eight passengers and will leave Newport daily at 8:30 a. m., Toledo, 9:00, Corvallis 12:00, and arrive at Albany at 12:30. Returning he will leave Albany at 1:30, Corvallis, 2:00, Toledo 5:00 arriving at Newport at 5:30.

## SEVERAL PAY FINES

Justice of the Peace Parrish was in executive session Wednesday afternoon with three cases on the docket: Joel Washington, Indian, pleaded guilty to the charge of assault and battery committed upon Louisa Smith. He was fined \$25.

Sadie Cook, Indian, was charged with drunkenness, and was fined \$10.

Isaac Washington, Indian, had also consumed too much moonshine and as the Judge was playing no favorites he assessed Ike in the sum of \$15.

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

June the 12th, Sunday at Siletz: Sunday School at 9:30 o'clock; Mass and Sermon at 10 o'clock. At Toledo Monday, June the 13, Mass and Sermon at 9:30 o'clock.

Father Vollebregt.

## FOR SALE

(19)—For sale at 50 cents on the dollar. My beautiful 9-room bungalow and 1/2 acre of ground at Siletz. Large woodshed and garage. All kinds of bearing fruit trees and berries. Hundreds of dahlias, roses and all kinds of shrubs and shade trees, etc. This was built for a permanent home, and each and every foot of lumber used was carefully selected by myself and consisted of No. 1 clear yellow fir without a knot or knothole in the entire building. The building is insured for \$2,500.00 and is valued at \$5,000. The ground is worth \$2,000.00 at least. If sold within the next 30 days I will let it all go for only a few dollars more than the place is insured for, and give some terms. No trades. See my agent, Ira Wade, at Toledo, or call on the owner at Siletz, Ore. M. S. Collins.

## Farmers' Week

and Homemakers Conference

A Week of College Life at O. A. C.

COOPERATIVE CONVENTIONS

EXCURSIONS—LET'S GO

Corvallis, Or. June 13-18

## ENTERTAINMENT AND DANCE SUCCESSFUL

The entertainment and dance given at the Club House Tuesday evening by the Toledo Chamber of Commerce was very successful socially, and financially proved most wonderful, the receipts of the evening amounting to \$225.00.

Some 200 people were present and enjoyed the unique program that had been arranged. The dances put on by Miss Addie Graham's dancing class of little girls were splendid, as was also a solo dance by Jewel Patterson, and a sword dance by Miss Graham herself.

Miss Peterson's Primary children staged a unique little play. Mrs. L. C. Smith of Newport sang splendidly, her singing ever being a treat to music lovers. Sherman Peterson and E. M. Plant played a mandolin duet, and Mr. Plant a mandolin solo.

Miss Edith Young, accompanied by Miss Thelma Fowler on the piano, put on a couple of musical readings which brought down the house. The Calkins brothers of Siletz did some clog dancing which was fine. The program was concluded with a couple of song selections by those always popular singers, Miss Verne Ross and Bert Geer.

The election returns, which proved a landslide for the road bonds, and which were received every few minutes, kept everyone in a good humor and made them doubly enjoy the occasion.

After the program the floor was cleared and the dance was on and which lasted until two A. M. A supper of sandwiches, coffee, and cake was served at midnight to which all did ample justice.

Many were present from Newport, Yaquina, Winant, Elk City, Eddyville and Siletz.

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## GOOD ROADS WIN, ALSO SOLDIERS' BONUS

At the election held here last Tuesday the "Good Roads" question was the paramount issue, and as a result a large vote was polled in all parts of the county. Those favoring good roads won a sweeping victory the returns to date being five to one in favor of bonding for permanent roads.

The County High School measure did not fare so well, indications are that it will win by about two to one, which is not so bad after all.

On the state ballot the Legislative Regulation and Compensation Amendment came first, and it looks as though it would lose out in this county by from 200 to 300 votes.

The World War Veterans Bonus Bill is running ahead in this county and will probably carry by a two to one vote.

The Emergency Clause Veto Amendment is running neck and neck in this county, with the indications that the bill will win out by a small majority.

The Hygienic Marriage Examination and License Bill will be defeated in this county by about 350 votes.

The Women Jurors and Revised Jury Law amendment will carry in this county, according to early returns available, by about 400 votes.

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