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GOOD HOMES,  
BEST CHEESE

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## COUNTY FAIR NOTES

County Fair Set for Last Four  
Days of August, the 28th,  
29th, 30th and 31st.

Chas. H. Lilly Seed Co., of Portland and Seattle, are offering a prize of \$10 in cash this year to be paid the person given the highest award for best exhibit of farm and garden produce at our fair, according to specifications on page four of their catalog.

One hundred dollars in prizes are offered in the poultry department this year. Get a hatching of pure bred stock of some common standard variety and get in on this. Chicks from eggs set any time between now and April 5th will be old enough to exhibit.

The secretary of the Fair Board hereby calls for bids on candy, ice cream and soft drink concessions at the fair this year. Five per cent of the bid to accompany bid in the form of a check or cash. Bids to be in the hands of the secretary by Friday, March 30th. Right reserved to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board.

Erwin Harrison, Secretary.

## DROWNS SELF IN SILETZ RIVER

John Rydzeski Goes Insane and  
Rushes to His Death  
During Night.

John Rydzeski, of Taft, aged 21, committed suicide late last Sunday night by drowning himself while in a demented condition. He had been at work for Joe Kosydar on the lower Siletz. During the night Mrs. Kosydar heard someone falling down the stairs and, arising to investigate, she found Rydzeski in a wildly insane condition. He ordered her to open the door and let him out and, before she could comply, he knocked her down, tore open the door and ran screaming across the fields in the darkness.

D. N. Byerlee, formerly of the Times at Willamina, is now publisher of the Oswego, Ore., Times. For a time he published a newspaper at Linnton, Ore. Mr. Byerlee puts out a lively paper for the growing town of Oswego.

## LINCOLN WANTS GOOD ROADS

Bond Issue is Favored at Meeting—Discussion Shows  
People are United.

The Oregonian correspondent at Toledo, Oregon, in writing to that paper says: "The greatest meeting in point of attendance and genuine enthusiasm ever held in the county was before the County Court last Wednesday at the Court House. The meeting was intended to be largely given over to the consideration of the court's intention to dispose of the county rock crusher, but the new \$5,000,000 road bond issue interjected itself into the discussion.

While a number came with doubts in their minds as to the advisability of endorsing the big road bond issue, it developed as the discussion proceeded that the persons present, representing all parts of the county, were gradually getting together as a unit on wanting better roads.

The court room was packed to the doors during morning and afternoon sessions and the enthusiasm was at a high pitch.

Perhaps as interesting a speaker as took the floor was William F. Woodward, of Portland. Mr. Woodward had just arrived in Newport from a tramp over the county road from Tillamook, and hearing of the meeting made a special trip to Toledo in behalf of the state highways proposed under the new bond issue. Mr. Woodward urged the appointment of a committee to go to Salem to confer with the commission in regard to including Lincoln county in the project."

## WOODS ITEMS.

The Montgomery-Northrup band will be at Hebo Sunday evening. Special songs and interesting subjects will be handled. All are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Bays, of Portland, have been visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bays, of Woods.

Evangelist Northrup is somewhat of a fisherman these days by the clams he has been digging. Perhaps following Apostle Peter. We hope the not with any idea of backsliding as did the great Apostle. He sang well at the mission Sunday night so I think he is still on the safe side.

Woods and Pacific City are both very dry towns considering the rainy weather. The water supply of both places seem to be falling about the same time. However, we are assured that the proper remedy will be applied soon and no one need go dry for sparkling mountain water will again be found in abundance.

Several unsightly buildings at Pacific City have been removed and we are told that some new and more modern ones will take their places.

From the unusual roar of the ocean in the vicinity of Cape Kiwanda the other night we thought the Germans had begun their submarine warfare on poor defenseless Pacific City or Woods. Why not have a modern fort and a dozen destroyers here? We ought to have a share of the preparedness plum.

The gospel cars are on the move and no one seems to know their destination.

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