

Local News

Mrs. William Curtis and little son Dale went to Alford Tuesday to visit friends.

R. James, of Junction City, who for several months past has been collecting for the Oregon Power Company, left this week for Milwaukee, Wisconsin, where he has accepted a position. He will be succeeded by one of the of the company's men now at Albany.

W. J. Cary is now working for Mr. Bailey, recently of Portland, who bought the Colwell farm the other week.

Wilkey Lodge No. 65, I. O. O. F., held the regular meeting last Saturday night and initiated some new members, after which a banquet was served. About sixty members were present at the meeting.

A. D. Thomson was a business visitor at the county seat Monday.

Rev. J. D. Cain, pastor of the Methodist Church of this city, was in Albany yesterday where he attended a meeting of the ministers from the cities of the Lower Willamette Valley.

F. B. Landon, father of D. S. Landon and stepfather of A. L. Johnson, of the local warehouse firm of Johnson & Landon, died at the home of his son in East Albany Tuesday.

Mr. Oakes, the auto repair man, spent Sunday at Cottage Grove.

Sheep men in this vicinity are busy at present caring for the arrivals of spring lambs. The high prices prevailing at present is an extra inducement to the sheep men to give the lambing season more than usual attention this year.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Taylor were among Halsey people who went to the county seat last Saturday afternoon.

Rev. J. A. Bennett, pastor of the Christian Church at Junction City, and well known in this city, has resigned his pastorate and accepted a call to Silvertown.

Harold Stevenson and Ruel Bond came over from Corvallis last Friday night to spend the week-end here.

L. S. Kneeland, who has resided east of Halsey for the past two or three years, departed on Monday for Oneonta, New York, where he will visit at the home of his daughter. On his way east he will visit for a few weeks at the home of a brother at Hamilton, Montana.

A decree of final settlement in the case of the estate of the late I. N. Warmoth valued at \$19,756 was recently handed down by Judge McKnight.

A school teacher near Scio, while on her way home from school, was treed by an angry bull and was obliged to remain in the tree for nearly two hours until the animal finally went away.

B. T. Sudtell

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M. E. Church Notes

"Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners." 1 Tim. 1.15.

All members of the Sunday School are kindly requested to bring their Bibles every Sunday for drill work.

There will be choir practice on Friday evening this week followed by a meeting of Board of Stewards.

Bro. Jas. Moore, District Superintendent, will be here and preach the sermon on next Sunday evening and hold the quarterly meeting on next Monday evening.

Church Reporter.

Funeral of Infant Held Monday

The funeral of Donald Alford, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Alford, who died Saturday, February 17, was held from the Methodist Church here Monday. Interment was at Pine Grove.

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Card of Thanks

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Alford

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The following fourth-class postmasters have been appointed in Oregon: Bernice Bockler, Pleasant Valley, vice A. F. Staley, resigned; Evan M. Harris, Rujada, vice L. S. Bisbey, resigned; Bertha M. Cleer, Harriman, vice C. L. Lee, resigned.

The Southern Pacific company has placed armed guards at bridges and tunnels both on the main line and the Coos Bay and Oak Ridge branches out of Eugene to guard against possible interference with traffic in view of the international situation.

Proposed tariffs materially advancing intrastate freight rates on several classes of freight on the Spokane, Portland & Seattle, the Oregon Electric and the Southern Pacific company's lines in Oregon were suspended in three orders issued by the public service commission.

Portland is the official rose city of the northwest. Notice has been received that the American Rose society at its meeting in Philadelphia last week selected Portland, thus ending a three-cornered fight for the honor which has been waged by Portland, Seattle and Tacoma for a year past.

More than 200 persons interested in the grain industry of the northwest, including growers, shippers and millers, attended a hearing conducted in Portland last week by representatives of the department of agriculture. The hearing was called to gather information and seek suggestions to be used later as a basis for establishing uniform grain standards.

Representative Sinnott filled two vacancies in the list of appointees at the West Point military academy, appointing as principals Merrill C. Jasper, of Baker, and Ellis V. Williamson, of La Grande. As alternates he appointed Clinton Inglis, of La Grande; Brynton B. Finch, Lakeview; Asa T. Williams, of Baker, and Virgil R. Brattain, Lakeview.

The few hop sales reported in the past week were at low prices. The outlook for the remainder of the season is unsatisfactory as there is a large surplus on the coast and there is no chance of the export outlet being opened, from present indications. Stocks left in Oregon are estimated at 17,000 bales in growers' hands, while dealers hold about 5000 bales.

That the Hood River valley apple growers will receive at least \$1,250,000 for their apple crop this season now seems certain. The apple crop of the valley, as estimated by the shipping interests, will total approximately 1,250,000 boxes, and it is reported that the fruit will net the growers back, after shipping charges have been paid, approximately \$1 per box average for all grades.

Acting upon instructions from Sheriff George Quine, of Roseburg, the officers at Tacoma, Wash., arrested Carl Scholz on a charge of threatening to kill Attorney-General George M. Brown of Salem, and District Attorney George Neuner of Roseburg. Attorney-General Brown said he would either have Scholz turned over to the federal officials for prosecution or committed to the Oregon hospital for the insane.

A new project for the Coquille river harbor has been outlined by the Port of Bandon and approved by the United States engineers, which will mean the immediate expenditure of \$100,000, and \$10,000 a year for an indefinite period. The aim of the port is to maintain a 15-foot channel from the mouth of the river to Parkersburg and a 12-foot channel from that point to Coquille, making it possible for ocean-going steamers to dock at Coquille.

An irrigation system is scheduled to be installed in the Crane section, the water to be derived from Malheur lake, five miles southwest of Crane. Surveys are now being made for the main ditches and a pumping plant on the shore of the lake, electric power to be developed on the Malheur river above Drewsey. It is learned that sufficient water will be taken from Lake Malheur to irrigate 54,400 acres of land, located between Lawen and Crane, and east and south of the lake.

David C. Eccles, wealthy timberman and railroad owner, of Ogden, Utah, and head of the Oregon Lumber Company, which recently purchased 27,240 acres of choice Oregon timber land from the DuBois Lumber Company, has announced that the \$4,000,000 purchase was made for the purpose of operation and not for speculation. As soon as cruisers have finished their work in the timber a crew of surveyors will be sent out with instructions to rush their work as much as possible that definite plans may be launched for the construction of the logging road.

Oregon jackrabbit furs have been accepted as satisfactory for making hatters' felt by six large eastern manufacturers. Another eastern firm has placed a test order for 1000 skins with R. A. Ward, United States assistant biologist, who has sent several sample bales to eastern hat firms. Mr. Ward, who is conducting an anti-jackrabbit campaign in Klamath county in cooperation with the county agent, reports a standing order for all skins that can be furnished at 5 cents apiece. The fur is satisfactorily taking the place of former Australian and Belgian importations that have been interrupted by the European conflict.



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