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## Brownsville Briefs

(Regular correspondence)

Mrs. R. P. Dougherty spent a day or two the first of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Elsie Wigle, who is in the Harrisburg hospital recovering from an operation for appendicitis. Mrs. Wigle expects to leave the hospital in a few days.

About a dozen of the Baptist people went out to Mrs. Kirk's place Saturday and cut wood for firing the church furnace next winter. Another company went out Tuesday.

W. D. Washburn suffered a good deal last week from a slight attack of blood poison on his left arm, the result of infection following a brier scratch. Mr. Washburn is now getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Kizer, near Rowland, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Kizer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Dougherty.

Mrs. A. S. Hamill, mention of whose illness was made in this column last week, passed away Tuesday. Funeral services were held at the home Thursday, conducted by Rev. A. M. McClain, pastor of the Presbyterian church, of which the deceased was a consistent member for several years. Mrs. Hamill was a much beloved and highly respected member of the community.

There is considerable cannery talk being indulged here now and the probability of a plant being built this spring to handle the large amount of fruit expected adjacent to Brownsville is more promising than for some time.

Evangelistic meetings began at the Methodist church Sunday evening and the evangelists came Tuesday evening to take their part in the work. This makes the fourth series of special meetings held in the town this winter. We trust that the last one will prove a success.

E. R. Lawrence of north Brownsville, who has been in poor health for some time, died Tuesday.

At Brownsville creamery two cement rooms are ready for ice machinery, which is already on the grounds and will be placed soon. The creamery people expect to supply the surrounding territory with ice in season.

Mrs. Mary Kirk died in a hospital at Portland Tuesday morning following an operation. She has been in the hospital for several weeks and the operation was the last hope. Her daughter, Mrs. Eula Callaway, was with her at the last. The funeral was today (Thursday).

Mrs. W. C. Cooley went to Portland Monday to be with her daughter, Mrs. Fay Dedman, who went to the hospital Wednesday for an operation.

Just after the funeral at the Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon Dr. Wiltz and Ben Schick got their cars tangled up, but no serious damage resulted. The fenders on both cars were bent up quite a little.

Tom Miller of Brownsville bought a horse for \$12.50 and found that it was balky. For this reason he beat the horse, knocked out one of its eyes and shot it thru the belly, after which he finally killed the animal. Miller was given a fine of \$50 and costs in the justice court this morning and in addition a jail sentence of 10 days.—Albany Herald, April 4.

## Jots and Tittles

### Short Stories of Happenings in Linn County Generally and in Halsey Particularly

The Linn-Benton Oddfellows will have their semi-annual meeting at Harrisburg Saturday.

W. A. Allen returned Monday from Eugene, where he had gone to take medical treatment.

E. B. Penland and wife, with H. C. Davis and Mesdames Neff and Turner in their car, visited the county seat Friday.

Mrs. Jake Ackerman, Mrs. Hilliard Ackerman and Misses Gretia Harrison and Edna Haverland of Brownsville were Halsey visitors Friday.

Mrs. H. M. Miller and daughter Beulah left Halsey Friday for Hay, Wash., where their daughter and sister, Mrs. Mark Brandon, and husband reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin from Sweetwater, Idaho, who recently traded for the Petrick place, with their younger daughters, Ruth and Evelyn, have arrived and taken charge of the farm. Their eldest daughter, Irene, stopped in Portland to attend school.

Washington dispatches announce that "Karl Branwell has been nominated postmaster at Halsey, Oregon by President Harding."

While waiting here Tuesday for the train for Eugene on his way home after addressing the Brownsville schools, Dean Straub of the U. of O. made a call at the Wheeler home.

D. H. Sturtevant has been laid up with the flu this week. He would join the rest of us in welcoming real spring weather. Charles Mornhinweg is nursing him.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Arthur Wesley Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Sneed will lead the lesson. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Many a fellow is afraid to face the girls who would put up a brave fight against a lion or the cannon of the enemy of his country. This week we bid goodbye to Ramsey

Milholland and leave him facing the cannon while a girl over here at home is seeing things in a new light. Next week our story will be "The Rosary."

George Maxwell visited the county seat Monday.

J. C. Walton laid an egg Wednesday morning on the Enterprise office table. A Leghorn hen, a cross between the brown and white, had previously laid it in one of his nests. Its girth is 8x6 1-16 inches. Can you beat it?

Among those from this city who attended the boxing match at Eugene Friday were John Hunter, James Drinkard, Thomas Hover, John Salash and W. A. Ringo. They left the armory before the extent of Tetzle's injuries was known.

It was at Tulsa station, instead of at Verdure, as reported in all the papers, that Mr. Marlar was knocked down and fatally injured when flagging a train. District Attorney Lewelling's advertisement in the Enterprise for the identity of the person who took Marlar from here to Tulsa brot a phone (not "phony") reply from Will Kirk the morning after the paper appeared saying he was the man.

Our advertising columns this week contains an announcement for the good of souls by the Christian church, and for the soles Ed Jewett gives some poetry, Peterson of Albany has a card that has been in the paper longer than we can remember and the White shoe charge of the same place breaks long silence with the biggest announcement for the good of soles that we have had since Columbus came over. And now Hill & Co. have all modern machinery for shoe repairing right here in Halsey.

If a business man has a special attraction for customers he advertises it in the newspapers because advertising pays when the advertiser offers something that people want. Just so a church advertisement pays in dollars and cents when special attractive features are offered. If an advertisement costing a dollar draws twenty people who put an average of a dime each in the contribution box the church doubles its investment besides inducing so many to hear the message.

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### Holstein Breeders' Meeting

The Holstein breeders' meeting held in the community house in Albany March 25 was an immense success. Much reorganization work was done and many new members secured. Various changes were also made in the by-laws. A program of speaking had been prepared and included P. A. (Dad) Prakes, Seapoose; H. W. Cooley, Jefferson; Professor Comich, O. A. C.; Roy C. Jones, O. A. C., and O. L. Dunlap, Junction City. Much credit is due County Club Leader Williamson and County Agent Heyman for their assistance in carrying out this program.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, C. R. Evans, Halsey; vice-president, J. Percy Stearns, Lebanon; secretary-treasurer, George A. McCatt, Harrisburg; directors, A. R. Preston, H. L. Grimes, Harrisburg; Orville E. Gilkey, Scio; A. W. Paine, Lebanon, and J. P. Ashton, Tangent.

A particularly splendid accomplishment was the appropriation of \$25 of the club's money to be offered as special prizes for judging contests in the boys' and girls' Holstein calf clubs.

### Christian Missionary Meetings

The missionary society of the Christian church will hold three special meetings during the week of the evangelistic meetings, Monday, Subject, "What Does Christ Expect of Me?" in "My Home and Community," Leader, Mrs. Arlie Cummings. Wednesday, Subject, "What Does Christ Expect of Me?" in "Home-land," Leader, Mrs. William White. Also regular monthly meeting of the society. Friday, Subject, "What Does Christ Expect of Me?" in "Far-away-land," Leader, Mrs. Lyle Chance. These meetings will be held at the church and all friends are invited.

## NEPOTISM RAMPANT

### A Linn Legislator Among the Accused.

(Oregon Voter)

In a recent issue we referred to the circumstance that a speaker before the Tax Reduction league in Salem had charged that a representative had employed his wife as stenographer while she was in no condition to serve, and that the charge was aimed at Representative Charles Childs at Brownsville, concerning whom the charge has been widely circulated for many months. Following explanation is given by Mrs. Childs in the Brownsville Times:

"I want my friends to know I have done no harm to the state. I acted as stenographer the early part of the session but my name was withdrawn from the payroll immediately that I was incapacitated for duty. Then I returned to it the last of the session, when I was perfectly able. The reason they shot I did not report for work was because I did not appear around the lobby. I arranged for a friend to keep the desk in order and had the typewriter brot to me instead of me walking to the typewriter. It really makes no difference on the tax roll whether a man's wife acts as his stenographer or some other person from the man's home town. The charge was made for political purposes and such I leave it to Mr. Childs to answer later. This brief explanation is just for the benefit of my friends and acquaintances."

In the interest of the good names of Mr. and Mrs. Childs and of the truth, it is to be hoped this matter is run down until all the facts are known. A considerable part of the inefficiency and extravagance in legislative expenses is due to members' employment of their wives as stenographers. Very often those who employ their wives as their stenographers at \$5 a day are the men who are the strongest critics and complainers against alleged inefficiency in state government. Yet they themselves will employ non-professional women to work that is expert and professional in character.

The abuse is by no means confined to the Childs family—it is general among farmer members especially—but it is an abuse. If the Childs matter can be thoroughly aired it may lead to a reform of the abuse.

We doubt whether the abuse was any more flagrant in the Childs case than in many other cases, but the fact that this case has been cited so much as an illustration is the reason that The Voter trusts that all the facts in it may be shown up, so Mr. and Mrs. Childs may be completely exonerated if facts justify, and in any event that the extravagance of employing inexperienced and inefficient help may be brot home to the very kind of people who complain most about it, the farmers.

### Harrisburg Cheese Factory

Last Friday the board of trustees of the Oregon Dairymen's league met at Harrisburg to discuss the sale of the cheese factory at that place. It is proposed to exchange the plant at its book value for the members' interest in the back pool money.

The deal was not completed but it seems certain that it will be shortly. A local board of trustees was elected to manage the affair and they called a meeting of all members having money due them from the league for Friday evening at 8 at the Rialto theater in Harrisburg. It is urgently requested that all members attend this meeting.

### Disguised Advertising

Paragraph 2, Section 443, act of congress of August 24, 1912, reads: All editorial or other reading matter published in any newspaper for the publication of which money or other valuable consideration is paid, accepted or promised shall be plainly marked "advertisement." Any editor or publisher printing editorial or other reading matter for which compensation is paid, accepted or promised, without so marking the same, shall upon conviction in any court having jurisdiction be fined not less than \$50 nor more than \$500.

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Halsey Christian Church

### Church Announcements

Christian:  
10, Bible school.  
11, Lord's supper. Sermon, "Redemption in Church."  
6:30, Christian Endeavor.  
7:30, Evangelistic sermon, "What Church Shall I Join?"  
7:45, Thursday, evangelistic prayer-meeting, W. F. White leader.  
The evangelistic meeting begins Friday, April 7. Everyone in the community is extended a cordial invitation to attend.  
Lester Jones, pastor.

### Methodist

Sunday School, 10.  
Preaching, 11.  
Junior League, 3.  
Intermediate League, 6:30.  
Epworth League, 6:30.  
Prayering, 7:30.  
Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8.  
Rev. C. T. Cook, Pastor.

### Pine Grove Church

Sunday School, 10.  
Preaching, 11, by Bro. Eggy.  
Prayer-meeting, 7.  
Bible Study, Wednesday, 7.

### Sunday School Lesson

By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D.,  
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### LESSON FOR APRIL 9

#### THE LORD PRESERVES JOASH

LESSON TEXT—II Kings 11:1-17.  
GOLDEN TEXT—The Lord preserveth all them that love Him.—Psalm 145:20.  
REFERENCE MATERIAL—II Kings 11:1-2; II Chron. 23:1-21; Matt. 2:13-23.  
PRIMARY TOPIC—God Takes Care of a Boy.  
JUNIOR TOPIC—How a Boy Became King.  
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—A Boy Saved for a Great Career.  
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Secret of Personal and National Safety.

Joash, viewed in the light of his ancestors, was a poor prospect for a king. His grandmother was the wicked Athaliah and his great grandparents were Ahab and Jezebel. There was enough bad blood in his veins to assure his doom. Despite this fact, he brought about some noble reforms and turned the people back to God.

1. Athaliah Usurps the Throne (vv. 1-3).  
Joash attempted to destroy the seed royal (vv. 1). In order to remove any rival claimant to the throne she tried to kill all the royal male children.
2. Joash preserved by Jehoshaphat

(vv. 2, 3). Though Athaliah was keen-eyed she was checkmated by another woman. Her fatal omission was not to get rid of the women too. This woman, the wife of the priest, stole away the child and hid him in the bedchamber for six years. God had promised that through the Davidic line the Messiah should come. In order that this line be unbroken Joash must be preserved. No purpose of God can fail.

II. Joash Crowned King (vv. 4-12).  
1. Jehoiada's preparations (vv. 4-11). The high priest and his wife were intelligent and strong characters. As the high priest, Jehoiada felt that it was his duty to thwart the heathen project of Athaliah. Doubtless his cooperation with his wife made possible the saving of Joash.

(1) Secured the aid of the military leaders (v. 4). He knew somehow that these men were not loyal to Athaliah. (2) Bound them under solemn oath (v. 4). He took an oath of them in the house of the Lord. Honest men will stand by their word. (3) Excited their spirit of patriotism (v. 4). He gave them a sight of the king's son. This, no doubt, was a great surprise. Now having seen the heir to the throne they would risk everything, even their lives, in order to set him on the throne. (4) Co-ordinated all matters (vv. 5-11). The soldiers were divided into companies and arm- were distributed to them. Each group was assigned to specific duties.

2. The coronation (v. 12). (1) The king's son brought forth. This was a great day in Jerusalem. After six years of usurpation, the people all the while supposing that all the heirs to the throne were dead, now to gaze upon the king's son would be a notable event. (2) Put the crown upon him. This was the formal induction into office. (3) Gave him the testimony. This was a copy of the law, showing that the king was to rule according to the law of God. The act of putting the law upon his head showed that the king himself would be under the control of the law. (4) Made him king. This shows that he was made king by the choice of the people. (5) Anointed him. They poured oil upon his head. This was the usual method of consecrating prophets, priests and kings. (6) Clapped their hands. This was a token of joy.

III. Athaliah Slain (vv. 13-17).  
1. The noise of the coronation of Joash brought Athaliah to the temple (v. 15). Up to this time she thought her place on the throne was secure and that her heathen religion had free course.

2. Her dismay (v. 14). Upon her arrival at the temple she saw the king wearing the crown and surrounded by the guards, so that she could do nothing. In her despair she exclaimed: "Treason, treason!" How prone wicked men and women are to cry out as though they had been wronged when their wicked plots and conspiracies are exposed and thwarted!

3. Athaliah executed (vv. 15, 16). The orders were that she should not be killed in the temple. They led her out by the way of the horses' entrance to the king's palace and slew her. What a tragic end for the sin-ner! Sin can only prosper for a time. IV. Worship of the True God (vv. 17, 18).  
Joash was seven years old when he was made king. The high priest made a covenant between the Lord, the king and the people that they would be the Lord's people. In carrying out this covenant they broke down the temple of Baal and slew the priest of Baal.

## Spring Fashions and Fabrics

The colors and styles that suit you best

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