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## JOTS AND TITLES

Brief Chronicles of Happenings in Halsey and All Over Linn County.

T. J. Skirvin sent a carload of ryegrass seed to Chicago this week.

Charles Sterling was looking after business in Halsey Wednesday.

T. P. Patton left for Curry and Coos counties on a hunting trip Thursday.

John Salash and wife were passengers to Portland on the 4.28 train Monday.

Mrs. D. H. Sturtevant and daughter Jean returned Thursday from a visit with friends in Portland.

Mr. Thurlow of Portland was a guest at the T. J. Jackson home, southwest of town, over the week end.

Misses Beulah and Signay Munson of Albany have been visiting their brother, Elmer Munson, and sister, Mrs. E. V. Bass, this week.

Mrs. Arthur Foote was quite ill for a few days last week and Arthur was called home from his work at Brownsville. Mrs. Foote is much improved at present and Miss Fleta Livick is staying with her.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Winniford and A. F. Goodbrod went to Harrisburg, where they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stewart and daughter Mabel of Monroe, and they all proceeded to Triangle Lake, where they spent the day.

Prof. Merwin Vannice and wife of Lewiston, Idaho, arrived in Halsey recently and are guests of Mr. Vannice's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vannice, at their home southeast of town. Prof. Vannice is instructor in manual training in the public schools of Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Stalnaker returned to their home at Corvallis Saturday, after a short

vacation spent here and at Cascadia.

W. L. Wells was an Albany visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Tussing drove to Albany Friday.

W. A. Allen was a Corvallis visitor Monday evening.

W. A. Carey was a business caller at Junction City Friday.

J. C. Bramwell was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Ed. Hoover, at Harrisburg Thursday.

Miss Alberta Koontz and brother Martin went to Newport Monday to join their mother and brother Herman.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed of Orlando, Fla., are guests at the Charles Straley home.

Miss Alberta Koontz sang as a solo at the Sunday morning services at the M. E. church, "Be Near Me, Lord."

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Laubner and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Penland returned Thursday from their outing trip to Ranier Park and report having a very pleasant time.

Mrs. Max Hoflich, of Albany with her two daughters, visited her sister, Mrs. Commons, from Wednesday of last week until Sunday. Mr. Hoflich came Saturday evening to return with them Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. T. I. Marks report their son Roland practically recovered from his recent illness. Roland was to be released from the hospital the first of this week and would immediately resume his position in a Tacoma drug store.

Mrs. Nancy Palmer was surprised Tuesday by a visit from her niece, Mrs. Clara Beadle of Los Angeles, Cal. This is the first time Mrs. Palmer has seen her niece since 1868, and she is the first relative she has seen since she came to Oregon from New York.

Mrs. W. A. Muller was quite ill Monday and was taken to the home of her sister, Mrs. Messman, at Albany. Last reports are that she is much improved.

Mrs. Callie Frum and son Glenn went Sunday to Woodburn, where they visited at the home of Mrs. Frum's sister, Mrs. Forsythe.

## Brownsville Briefs

(By Ralph Lawrence)

Rev. Mr. Cle preached in the Baptist church Sunday morning. He is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. Earl Standa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lawrence and little daughter of Lebanon spent Sunday at the Wingo Eggleston home.

Mrs. Vivian Shaffer and little son Edgar of Pacific Grove, Cal., are visiting at the Haskin home this week.

Marvel Lawrence was entertained in the Will Harrison home last Monday evening. She and Gretia Harrison expect to room together at the state normal at Monmouth this year.

George Harrison Sr., is seriously ill at his home in Ash Swale. Dr. Marks is attending him.

The hot days last week made the swimming holes along the Calapoo a popular resorts every evening. Weenie and Marshmallow roasts were much in evidence.

It rained enough Monday night that it stopped the thrashing north of town Tuesday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harrison and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harrison and family, Marvel and Ralph Lawrence and Mrs. Vivian Shaffer and son Edgar had dinner at the Thomas Harrison home Sunday, it being the anniversary of Mrs. Harrison's birth.

H. M. Goulard, who has a splendid herd of Jerseys that average high in production, has sent in his application on the regular blank to enter fifteen cows in the proposed cow testing association. He thinks that definite records will add considerably to the value of his surplus stock. He has a bunch of purebred bull calves that will sell better if he can show the records of their dams.

Mrs. George Drinkard and Mrs. Mildred McMahan gave a happy farewell lawn and lunch party to Mrs. Millie Gross at the Drinkard home Thursday. Mrs. Gross goes to Corvallis, having leased her Brownsville home.

Mrs. William Mills is president of the W. C. T. U. for the next term. Mrs. B. R. Forbes vice president, Miss Haskin secretary and Mrs. East treasurer.

Pete Masterson, 90 years old, is said to be the oldest man in the vicinity. His granddaughter, Daisy Masterson, has been his housekeeper for forty-one years. About three years ago he had a severe case of smallpox and one day it was reported that he was dead and that was the first time he had ever been sick a whole week.

Jesse Hinman has started a newspaper at Hollywood, Cal., says the Pacific Printer.

J. P. Cooley, P. M. whose term expires this month and whose berth is hoped for by everyone of half a dozen people who took the civil service examination held for a successor, is building a comfortable dwelling on his tract of land south of town. He is a widower of long standing, but who can tell what plans he is laying?

The Calapoo a fair at Brownsville may be omitted this year. There's a chance to go to a live fair at Shedd, Sept. 1 and then to the county fair at Albany.

(Condensed from the Times) W. J. Lane and wife went to McCredie Springs last week on their first vacation in the twelve years they have been in business in Brownsville.

The county court is having a new channel cut and the south bank of the Calapoo a raised to protect the Brownsville-Halsey road from such overflows as have occurred in the past.

## Shedd Shots

(By Anna Pennell)

O. B. Connor, with friends, has gone deer hunting near Triangle lake.

Eddie McElvain came up from Sherwood Friday to work with the paving company.

Merle Pugh, Dale LaMarr, Agnes Pugh and Dalton Gibbs went to Cascadia Sunday.

Miss Rose Connor returned last week from Bay City, where she has been visiting friends.

Rev. Mr. Ritchie came home from Portland Saturday. He has been with his daughters there.

Mrs. Marion Coon, who has been visiting relatives in Shedd for some time, left for Portland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Duncan of Noti were in Shedd Sunday visiting Mr. Duncan's mother, Mrs. Dal Duncan.

A large crew of men are here getting ready to pave the two miles north of Shedd. They expect to start in about a week.

## Alford Arrows

(Enterprise Correspondence)

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burton of Albany visited at the D. I. Isom home Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Mrs. Burton is Mrs. Isom's sister. They were on their way home from an outing at Kitson Springs.

Mrs. Lee Ingram and daughter Thelma are camping at Cartwright, & Lowell's hopyard at Harrisburg. Mrs. D. I. Isom and Mrs. E. D. Isom and daughter with Mrs. A. F. Robertson and two daughters of Eugene, are also camped at the same yard.

A. M. Smith of Portland visited his farm at Alford one day last week.

Mrs. Fred Burkhardt, Mrs. J. F. Isom, Mrs. Lee Ingram and Miss Thelma Ingram called on Mrs. A. E. Whitbeck last week.

D. I. Isom lost a good horse last week. It fell off a bridge about thirteen feet high, injuring it so severely that it died.

Any farmer, fruit or vegetable grower who would like to have the Portland daily market report and news service sent to him may have such free service by writing to the state market agent, 723 Courthouse, Portland.



Halsey Church of Christ

## Church Announcements

Church of Christ: Lon Chamies, minister, Bible school, 10, W. H. Robertson, superintendent. Morning worship, 11. Lord's supper every Lord's day, Christian Endeavor, 7. Evening service, 8. The church without a bishop, in the country without a king. If you have no church home come and worship with us.

Pine Grove church: Sunday school, 10. Preaching, 11 and 7:30 Aug. 19. Glenn Barker pastor.

Methodist: Sunday School, 10. Preaching, 11. Junior League, 8. Intermediate League, 7. Epworth League, 7. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8. Preaching in the evening. Rev. C. T. Cook, pastor.

## OREGON NEWS BRIEFS

Western Newspaper Union's Gleanings Outside of This County

Prineville's new \$200,000 hotel opened for business Monday.

The Southern Pacific company has reported a shortage of 208 cars.

Herbert Vanduyn has been chosen mayor of Coburg, to succeed John W. Conoway, resigned.

The cement plant at Gold Hill, which has been closed the past three weeks, will resume this week.

Receipts of the state industrial accident commission during the month of July aggregated \$328,822.33.

Establishments of a beet sugar factory at Prineville at a cost of approximately \$1,000,000 is proposed.

Supervisor W. F. Ramsdell of the Whitman national forest reports receipts of \$160,097.53 for the fiscal year.

A caravan of 50 autos made the annual walnut excursion through Yamhill and Washington counties last week.

A branch of the federal prohibition enforcement office for Oregon has been located in the federal building in Medford.

September 18, 19 and 20 have been set as dates for the annual Clatsop county fair which will be held at the Astoria port terminals.

Mrs. Lillian Hayes, wife of Edward Hayes, homesteader of the Gaylord vicinity in Coos county, committed suicide because of family quarrels.

F. W. Wooley, insurance agent, has been appointed city manager of Warrenton in place of Mrs. R. E. Barrett, who has retired because of ill health.

The state highway commission has announced that the bridge over the Willamette river at Springfield will be closed for repairs for a period of 80 days.

Harvest operations are in full swing at Heppner and wheat is turning out better than most farmers expected. The yield runs from 20 to 35 bushels per acre.

Presbyterian congregations from all the principal towns of Central Oregon united in outdoor services on Tumalo Island in the Deschutes river below Bend Sunday.

The livestock market news service of the United States department of agriculture will be extended to Portland and will begin operations about September 1.

In order to allow the pupils to labor in the fruit harvesting and shipping field, Medford's school board has postponed the opening of the schools until September 24.

The new American bank at Marshfield, incorporated last month with 250 residents of the Coos Bay section as stockholders, will be doing business by November 1.

The Modern Woodmen of America have decided to erect a permanent building on the state fair grounds at Salem. The structure will cost approximately \$5000.

Pieces of ore assaying at more than \$15,000 a ton have been found on the Red, White and Blue mine at Malheur, according to T. S. Glenn, part owner of the mine.

Joseph A. McAllister, since 1917 secretary of the state desert land board, has filed his resignation with Ray Luper, state engineer, to become effective September 1.

More money was collected on the Columbia river interstate bridge last month than during any month since the bridge was built. The income during July was \$26,140.

A temporary school building will be erected at Westfir, seat of the new Western Lumber company's \$1,000,000 sawmill near Oakridge, for the children of company hands.

Eighty-five fires were reported in government national forests of Oregon and Washington for the ten-day period August 1 to 10, according to the forest service fire report.

William M. Pearce of La Grande has been removed as a member of the state board of optometry by Governor Pierce. He will be succeeded by George S. Birney, also of La Grande.

Mrs. S. T. Holopeter of Medford was killed when an auto in which she was riding went into a gulch while trying to back down a grade on a narrow stretch of road between Coquille and Bandon.

Fourteen per cent above normal was the production of mills reporting to the West Coast Lumbermen's association for the week ending August 11, according to a report made public.

During the same period new business was 2 per cent below production, shipments 12 per cent below new business.

Tomato growers of Roseburg have agreed to appoint a committee to fix a minimum price for this year's crop and all will abide by the committee's decision and will refuse to sell under the price fixed.

John Clark, one of the most widely known police officers in the west and ex-chief of police of St. Paul, Minn., and of Portland, died at his home in Portland. Death resulted from a stroke of apoplexy.

Fines collected through the activities of the state prohibition department during the three months ended June 31, totaled \$25,111.44, according to a report filed with the executive department at Salem.

Answer to petitions of the cities of Seattle and Tacoma looking to reopening of the Columbia basin grain rate case was filed with the interstate commerce commission by the Oregon public service commission.

The Oregon Trunk railroad, in a letter received at the office of the public service commission, has served notice that the corporation's track between South Junction and Metolius would be abandoned shortly.

Mrs. J. E. Norton, a young matron of Hood River, well known in Oregon championship tennis circles, swam the Columbia river last week. She was the first woman ever to accomplish the feat in the mid-Columbia.

Remarks dropped by tourists during the past few weeks indicate that the law enacted at the last session of the legislature compelling non-resident automobiles to register in this state is unpopular and has caused travelers much inconvenience.

After spending more than a week in Gold Beach and vicinity investigating proposed sites for the Roosevelt highway bridge across the Rogue river, J. H. Scott and F. A. Keith, engineers of the state highway department of Oregon, have returned to Salem.

There is more mining activity in Baker county this year than there has been for the last decade, it is indicated by the record books of quartz and placer claims in the county clerk's office. To date more than 100 quartz and placer claims have been filed.

The Oregon public service commission has fixed a tentative valuation of \$764,401 on the Great Southern railroad, which operates between The Dalles and Dufur. A tentative valuation of \$607,082 has been placed on the Mount Hood railroad, which operates between Hood River and Dea.

Members of the public service commission have been invited by Franklin Griffith, president of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company, to visit the corporation's properties in the vicinity of Oak Grove. The company is now expending more than \$5,000,000 on a power project at this point.

The soldiers' bonus commission has loaned to veterans in Oregon a total of \$11,000,000 out of a total authorized fund of \$30,000,000, according to a statement issued by A. C. Hopkins, secretary of the commission. Of 4409 loans actually paid, approximately 1600 have been placed in Multnomah county.

Upon the suggestion of G. H. Faxe of Salem, Ben Dey, attorney for the Southern Pacific company, has recommended to the state highway department and to the public service commission that approaches to all railroad crossings be graded up gradually, and thereby assist in the elimination of accidents.

The Eugene chamber of commerce has taken steps to have the name "Metron cut-off," which is the designation of the new railway soon to be built between Oakridge, in Lane county, to Kirk, in Klamath county, changed to "Eugene-Klamath cut-off." The Klamath Falls chamber will be asked to co-operate.

A total of 7904 Chinese and Mongolian pheasants were released in Oregon in 1923 up to August 15, it was reported by Gene M. Stimson, superintendent of the state game farms. Two farms are maintained by the state, one near Eugene and another near Corvallis. Of these 5783 were released at Eugene and 2121 at Corvallis. A total of 23,953 eggs were gathered during the months of April, May, June and July, and from these 13,522 birds were hatched.

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