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JOTS AND TITLES

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

Redmond Pearl attended the fair at Salem Friday.

R. W. Tripp of Albany was transacting business in Halsey Monday.

B. M. Bond and wife and mother were at the fair in Salem Wednesday.

W. H. Beene took a load of hogs to Salem last week Tuesday for Falk Bros.

There were memorial services for Rev. W. P. Elmore at the Albany Baptist church Sunday.

Miss Ida Mitzner of the Albany public schools was a week-end guest at her home north of Halsey.

Mrs. M. V. Koontz was the guest of Mrs. Lavina Clingman, near Peoria, a few days last week.

J. S. McMahan accompanied by his mother, Mrs. W. H. McMahan, drove to Albany Tuesday morning.

Miss Mary Smith, who was operated on a week ago Sunday, is slowly improving at the hospital in Albany.

Miss Alberta Koontz came home from Willamette University and spent the week end with her parents and brothers.

Mrs. Mildred McMahan returned Tuesday from her trip to Cincinnati and other points east, and was met in Eugene by her husband, J. S. McMahan.

W. H. Beene and family, accompanied by J. T. Beene and

family, attended the State fair Thursday.

There will be a civil service examination for forest rangers at Albany Oct. 23.

The dairy meeting scheduled for Harrisburg was not held because no meeting place had been provided.

The W. F. M. S. will meet Friday at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. H. Vannice. All ladies wishing to go, please be at the church by 1.30 p. m.

It is expected that a mile and a half of the six-mile road project between here and Irish Bend will be completed by the county before the rains.

It will be a blow to rural prosperity of Linn county if the county agent is retired and the county cow-testing association for which he has done so much hard work, fails to materialize.

The end of the world did not come Sept. 25, as Mrs. Welch of Albany predicted, but she revised her prediction and said it must come during a period beginning then and ending yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ayers and Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Burton of Harrisburg attended morning services at the M. E. church Sunday. They were parishiners of Mr. Parker when he had charge of the church at Harrisburg.

Mrs. May Huston is home from Broton Springs for a week's visit. She reports her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Danley, with whom she has been staying at the spring, as considerably improved.

The prune harvest made a bad start. Because mold threatened to ruin the fruit some was picked while insufficiently ripe. Then came last week's rain, followed by lovely weather, and clean, ripe fruit followed. A good many prunes have been lost through mold and rot, but some very, fine fruit has been dried also. This week will about finish the harvest.

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High School Notes

(Agnes Hayes Reporter)

Two new freshmen have been enrolled: Helen Carter and Charley Wright.

The high school is very glad to see so many of the graduates names appearing in college registers. Those at O. A. C. are Delma Wahl, Pearl Pehrsson, Wayne Robertson, Kenneth Cross, William Carcoran, Ercel Sneed and Delos Clark. Cleona Smith and Helen Armstrong are at U. of O. Those in Willamette are Lewis Skirvin, Alberta Koontz, Nora Pehrsson and Geraldine Cook.

Class officers elected by the freshmen to serve for the following year are: William McLaren, president; Currin Miller, vice president; Elsie Reynolds, secretary; Wilbur Norton, treasurer; Kenneth Miner, sergeant-at-arms.

The girls have organized a basket ball team for the year. They intend to practice on the school grounds for the time being. Rena Walker is captain and Agnes Hayes manager.

Saturday evening the sophomores gave a party for the initiation of the frosh. Over ninety people gathered. As customary, green and white crepe paper aided in the attractiveness of the decorations. After the freshies had what was deemed a reasonable amount of acquaintance with the rules of initiation, they were allowed to take up their former positions. Perhaps they were a little more demure and submissive than before. They voiced no opinions. Those failing to attend were fully initiated at school Monday.

A delightful birthday party was given Sunday on the fair grounds in Salem in honor of Mrs. Matilda Hausman of Salem and her brother, R. R. Templeton of Brownsville, whose birthdays occur this week. Members of the Templeton family from all over the valley were present, those from Halsey being Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Templeton, Mrs. Callie Frum and W. R. Kirk and family.

Jess Safley and family were Albany visitors Thursday.

Brownsville Briefs

(By Ralph Lawrence)

BROWNSVILLE

At the present writing Mrs. Ruffi of Crawfordville is resting more quietly at the Portland hospital. The doctors have some hopes for her recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Smoke Dawson of Berlin spent Sunday with Mr. Dawson's sister, Mrs. Clive Harrison.

Bruce and Mable Burson and Marvel Lawrence attended church services at Lebanon Sunday.

A large number of Brownsville folks attended the memorial services held in honor of W. P. Elmore last Sunday at the Baptist church in Albany.

Word has been received here that Rev. M. S. Woodworth would soon be back to fill the Baptist pulpit here. He is doing church organization work in central California.

Mrs. Emma Harrison is expected home this week from Riddle, Ore., where she has been visiting relatives for the past month.

Mrs. Rachel Newland is visiting her sister, Mrs. Nelson Crume.

Miss Blanche Mills, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Mills and sister of Arthur Mills, and John Gednetz of Portland were married Saturday at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. Mr. Cain of the M. E. church officiating. The bride's father and brother own the Brownsville flouring mills. Miss Mills has lived in Portland for a couple of years, and in that city the couple will have their home at the Cumberland apartments.

Brownsville raised \$44 for Japanese earthquake sufferers.

K. Wada, who operates the Stratton raspberry and evergreen blackberry fields, is reported by the Brownsville Times to have gathered 70 tons of evergreens and 15 tons of raspberries.

The W. H. Conway family of seven made close to \$1,000 during the season picking raspberries and evergreens according to a quotation from Mr. Wada. They were classed as the best pickers in the field.

Miss Myrtle Stephens became the bride of Kidd McDowell Saturday at Albany. Upon their return here they were greeted with a charivari Monday evening at the bride's parents' home, north of the city.—Times

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Beene and son Allen drove to Corvallis Thursday evening and visited W. A. Allen, who was in a hospital there.



Halsey Church of Christ

Church Announcements

Church of Christ: Lon Chamlee, minister. Bible school, 10, W. H. Robertson, superintendent. Morning worship, 11, Lord's supper every Lord's day. Christian Endeavor, 6:30. Evening service, 7:30. The church without a bishop, in the country without a king. If you have no church home come and worship with us.

Methodist: Robert Parker, pastor. Sunday School, 10. Preaching, 11. Intermediate League, 6:30. Epworth League, 6:30. Prayer meeting Thursday, 7:30. Preaching, 7:30.

OREGON NEWS BRIEFS

Western Newspaper Union's Gleanings Outside of This County

The 1923-24 budget for the Salem school district aggregates \$269,500.

The La Grande Elks lodge will stage the annual "Days of '49" October 17 to 20.

Miss Marjorie Mulheron will serve as county health nurse in Umatilla county.

Eighteen thousand head of sheep grazed on the Cascade national forest this season.

Unitarians of Salem have started work on the erection of a new church to cost \$15,000.

Work of dragging and scarifying every gravel and macadam road in Lane county was ordered started by the county court.

The state game commission is planning to liberate some 2,000,000 game fish in Clackamas county before the close of the season.

Five hundred Bend school children have donated 700 cans of condensed milk for Near East relief in the countries of Asia Minor.

Charles Benton House of Klamath Falls has been appointed to the United States military academy, West Point, by Representative Sinnott.

Major Luther Felker, retired, now in Boise, Idaho, has been ordered to Portland as professor of military science at Hill Military academy.

Another road between Oregon City and Portland to relieve the already heavily congested traffic along the present roads is being advocated.

Currency totaling \$500 and \$150 in liberty bonds were obtained by robbers who blew open the safe of the store of Erickson & Lund at Warren.

Thomas J. Ferguson, prominent stockman, died at Prineville. He was born in Lane county 61 years ago and had lived in Central Oregon for 36 years.

Oakridge, the present terminus of the Eugene-Klamath Falls branch of the Southern Pacific, is growing so rapidly that the school facilities there are inadequate.

About 8,500,000 salmon eggs have been obtained at the McKenzie river hatchery this year, and it is expected that 10,000,000 will be obtained before the close of the season.

On the apportionment of \$699,600 allowed by congress for the survey and resurvey of the public domain of the United States during the current fiscal year Oregon received \$48,000.

Traffic accidents in Portland since January 1 number 11,900, according to H. P. Coffin, commissioner of public safety. Injuries have totaled 1368 and 24 persons have been killed, he said.

A shotgun which had been in the family for three generations blew out its breech when H. E. Williams of Bend shot at a duck. Williams suffered a fractured skull and lacerated face.

It is reported that several delegations from different sections of the state have held conferences with Governor Pierce in an effort to induce him to become a candidate for United States senator.

Although they will have to run the gauntlet of the county court, the county budget committee and the tax revision commission, the ranchers of Coos county hope to have a county agent for 1924.

Central Oregon will have a new city as the result of construction of the Eugene-Klamath Falls line. Lonroth, 25 miles south of Crescent, is its name. At present the "city" consists of one building.

Sidney Hill, 23, of Bandon lost all the fingers of his left hand, when he went to sleep near the railroad track and unconsciously allowed his hand to lie on the rail until a passing train severed the fingers.

Governor Pierce within the next few days will issue a proclamation urging the citizens of Oregon to observe law enforcement week. Observance of this week in all parts of the United States will be urged by the national prohibition forces.

When C. E. Mooney, truck operator, was fined \$25 and received a suspended 10-day jail sentence from Justice of the Peace Onthank at Hood River, for failure to obtain a permit from the Oregon public service commission to operate his for-hire vehicle and to post the bonds required under the legislative enactment, an association of truckmen in that city announced they would refuse to haul apples this season unless exempt from the law.

Petitions with the required number of signatures were filed with County Clerk Shermaker, calling a special election in Hood River county to vote on a proposed bond issue of \$60,000 for permanent road improvement.

The Marine Products company at Warrenton has started suit at Astoria to restrain the sheriff from interfering with its business. The city of Warrenton had ordered the factory closed because of the odor arising from decayed fish.

Missionary workers of the Baptist church of southern Oregon will meet in Eugene November 2 to arrange for the payment of the first half year's portion of the quota of the national \$12,000,000 campaign recently inaugurated by the Baptists.

Eight thousand firms and institutions in Oregon are invited to membership in the State Chamber of Commerce in a membership campaign which was launched Saturday by the organization under the direction of A. S. Dudley, executive manager.

A protest filed by the Oregon state public service commission with relation to valuations placed on the properties of the Sunpter Valley Railroad company in eastern Oregon has resulted in an investigation by the interstate commerce commission.

As a result of the recent order of the interstate commerce commission, providing for a differential of 60 cents a ton in favor of Wyoming as opposed to Utah coal, new rates on coal shipped to Portland from those districts will go into effect October 16.

There were four deaths due to industrial accidents in Oregon in the week ended September 27. The victims were: R. H. Norman, chief operator, Klamath Falls; Joe Corried, logger, Black Rock; Joe D. Julia, section hand, Knappa; and Jacob Kiefer, laundry worker, Portland.

Hop prices went up another notch last week when a fraction over 30 cents was paid for a 500-bale lot in the Corvallis section. There were numerous offers of 30 cents in other parts of the state, but there were very few sellers among the growers as they are looking for much higher prices.

Sam A. Koser, secretary of state, has mailed to the county clerks of Oregon notice of the special election to be held November 6 on the referendum of the income tax measure approved at the last session of the Oregon legislature. It was said that no other measure will appear on the ballot.

Heavy sales of lambs at the prevailing quotation of 10 cents are one of the reasons for a movement of sheep, now beginning from central Oregon, which will total 48,000 head in the next 20 days. The movement also includes the usual annual transfer of sheep from summer range to the home ranges farther north.

Wasco county, with a score of 1013.5, was declared by the judges to be the winner in the county agricultural exhibit competition at the state fair at Salem. Douglas county, with a score of 1012.5, finished second, with Jackson county third and Linn county fourth. Jackson county scored 995.5 and Linn county 972.

With the fire season apparently over for this year, H. L. Plumb, supervisor of the Deschutes national forest, has given out figures showing that timber losses within his domain are the smallest in at least ten years. Although 36 fires were reported in the course of the season, such a close check was kept on them that only 183 acres of land were burned over.

The Roseburg land office has received an application from the California-Oregon Power company for a temporary permit covering proposed power development on the North Umpqua river. The temporary permit is being obtained so the company may hold its priority rights while investigating the stream for the location of proposed power plants. Its application covers four units.

The Pickwick Stage company, which recently was ordered by the public service commission to cease operations in Oregon, has submitted articles of reorganization to the public service commission. The concern, under the new articles, will be known as the Bolland Stage company, with Mrs. M. S. Bolland of Portland as manager. It is said that a certificate to operate in Oregon probably will be granted Mrs. Bolland.

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