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## HALSEY HAPPENINGS AND COUNTY EVENTS

### Short Stories from Sundry Sources

Miss Grace Kirk is attending the normal school.

Some water pipes froze up here last week, but few burst.

Cecile Mayberry was here for a week-end visit with her friends.

Bert Minkley hauled a truckload of hogs to Albany last week for O. W. Frum.

Mrs. G. Mitzner is in poor health and Miss Amanda is home from the normal school helping.

Andrew Dougherty's farm is being run by his two younger brothers Serle and Charles, this year.

A delegation from Brownsville, Mountain Home, Sodaville and Lebanon asked the county court Friday to improve the Mountain Home road and were promised an investigation when weather conditions are better.

The Linn and Benton Pomona grange recommends an export duty on all lumber leaving the United States. Governor Pierce recommends a state tax on all timber cut.

Reports from other towns indicate that Halsey had less snow, a higher minimum temperature and less damage to water pipes during the freeze last week than any of the others.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stevenson, who were in San Francisco for some weeks, have gone to Long Beach.

Time was when people could economize by using canned meats instead of buying fresh in the local markets. Perhaps "them days is gone forever." At any rate, choice cuts cost less in the Halsey market than canned goods.

The second annual gathering of the Rartcher & Rohrbough furniture company staff was held in the private dining room of the Hotel Albany last night, when twelve members gathered for dinner and a social time followed.

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lowed by a theater party.—Friday's Herald

The teachers' institute at Lebanon will probably be Jan. 19.

D. O. Woodworth of the Woodworth Drug company has received a silver medal from the American Jersey Cattle club for the performance of one of his Jersey heifers which produced 577 pounds of butter fat in a year. The average yield of butter fat per cow in this country is 165 pounds. Can you guess why pure Jerseys bring so much more money when sold than scrubs?

The Oregon State Teachers' association, membership in the county is to be divided into five sections, centering at Brownsville, Shedd, Albany, Lebanon and Seio.

Thursday F. M. French, the veteran weather observer of Albany, predicted clear and colder weather for Friday. The Portland weather bureau predicted "rains and warmer." Mr. French's forecast was realized, and Friday the Portland man swung into line.

Helen Robinson is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. A. E. Foote.

Will Kirk was a passenger to Eugene Tuesday.

The supreme court denies Heckert's appeal. He may yet try the federal court.

Mrs. D. F. Dea of Bandon arrived Tuesday evening for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. C. P. Stafford, and husband of this city.

L. C. Merriam received word Wednesday night of the death of his mother at Bandon and left the following day for that place.

Word has been received from the R. A. Templeton family at Coburg that they are all sick with scarlet fever except R. A. himself.

Mrs. G. W. Mornhinweg was on the sick list the first of the week.

Miss Alberta Koontz returned to her studies at Willamette University Sunday, after spending the holidays at her home.

The King's Herald class will meet at the M. E. church Saturday afternoon for a social and business meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Bond and son Wellington visited all the surrounding school districts Monday, leaving at each schoolhouse a large calendar for their use during the year 1924 with compliments of the Halsey State Bank.

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## Effort to Save Starving German Children Has Strong Indorsement

There has never been a campaign in Oregon more generally and more heartily indorsed than that which is now under way to raise \$100,000 for starving German children, who are left without anywhere near adequate food because of conditions over which they and those near and dear to them have no control.

In co-operation with the American Friends (Quakers), the American Committee for Relief of German Children, with headquarters in 715 Corbett building, Portland, and with many committees in various sections of the state, is striving speedily to alleviate the suffering of these innocents.

President Coolidge and Herbert Hoover are backing the campaign to the fullest extent. Major-General Henry T. Allen, who commanded American troops on German soil, is director-general. Governor Pierce is a committee member. Robert H. Strong of Strong & MacNaughton, Portland, and who directed the Hoover food relief campaign in Oregon in 1921 for European sufferers, is state chairman. All lines of business are represented on the state committee. Indorsements have come from labor unions, churches, various business units and numerous individuals in all walks of life, for they realize that little children should not be left to starve for any reason, and are measuring up to the high standard Americans have always set when relief is needed.

## Only American Help Can Save Starvation is Confronting German Children

The very latest official word from headquarters of the American Committee for Relief of German Children, of which Major-General Allen, commander of the American troops on the Rhine during occupational days, is national director, is that conditions in Germany beggar description. Millions of children, under-nourished because of food scarcity and frightfully pitiable conditions resulting from the war, absolutely face starvation; American charity alone will save them. It is declared officially in dispatches from General Allen and Herbert Hoover, on President Coolidge's authority.

Economic breakdown, valueless money and other things combine to make of this situation one of the most appalling in the world's history. Babies as innocent of wrongdoing as any ever born are going to die for lack of food unless America saves them. Other ways have been tried, without results.

"Oregon will do its share, which has been placed at \$100,000," said Robert H. Strong, of the firm of Strong & MacNaughton, Portland, who was state director for the Hoover food relief campaign for Europe here in 1921, and who is state chairman for this campaign. "Word is reaching our headquarters, 715 Corbett building, that the whole state is aroused; that our people everywhere are deeply affected by the sad conditions with which German children are faced, and that they are ready to respond with their money to alleviate this terrible suffering. All possible speed should be made in this work and we are organizing in every section of Oregon to that end. I appeal on behalf of the innocent ones for hearty co-operation, for prompt and liberal response in money to the cry for aid that has gone up."

Secretary Wallace of the department of agriculture says: The year 1924 comes with the promise of continual improvement in the material prosperity of the farmer, and the farmer continues to be the material and spiritual backbone of the nation.



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, 8:30.  
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.

## Shedd Snapshots

By Anna Pennell

Mrs. Roy Duncan and family of Noti spent the holidays with relatives in Shedd.

Cuthbert Cooper of Brownsville was a Shedd visitor Thursday.

Mr. Winegar spent a few days with his family. He has been stationed at Gaston.

Mrs. Fred Sprenger spent last week at the home of her folks, Mr. and Mrs. J. Porter, near Halsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Abraham and son Lester left Sunday for Long Beach, California, where they expect to spend the rest of the winter.

A. Elder is home for a few months' vacation, after a steady run with the S. P. bridge crew.

On account of weather conditions school was closed in Shedd last week.

Carl Robnett spent the week end in Shedd, coming from near Myrtle Point, where he is working.

Miss Kathleen McCarthy of Corvallis visited relatives in Shedd over Sunday.

Mrs. F. B. Sprenger is reported quite sick again.

Several water systems, pipes, engines and automobiles froze up during the cold spell, but otherwise no great amount of damage was done.

## Alford Arrows

(Enterprise Correspondence)  
Alford school started Monday, after two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Starnes came home Sunday from the Harry Common's home, where she has been staying the last two weeks.

Clay Fousman, from near Harrisburg, was an afternoon caller at the Chester Curtis home Saturday.

Lee Ingram called on D. I. Isom Sunday afternoon. Mr. Isom is on the sick list.

B. E. Cogswell of Portland is staying at his ranch, looking after his sheep during the cold weather.

C. E. Mercer and wife of Eugene visited Mrs. Mercer's parents Monday.

## Rebekah Installation

At the regular meeting of Parity Rebekah lodge last night the following officers were installed by District Deputy President Agnes Brown and District Deputy Grand Marshal Esther Bond: P. N. G., Minnie Cross; N. G., Laura Bramwell; V. G., Addie Moody; secretary, Charity Clark; treasurer, Lena Beene; R. S. N. G., Agnes Brown; L. S. N. G., Mae Miller; R. S. V. G., Lou Taylor; L. S. V. G., Vida Bramwell; chaplain, Esther Bond; inside guardian, Nellie Frum; outside guardian, Mrs. E. True; musician, Donna Robertson; captain, Esther Bond; trustees, Effie Moore, Mrs. Koontz and Mrs. Laubner.

Finance committee, Adda Ringo, Minnie Cross and Effie Moore.  
Floral committee, Nellie Frum, Charity Clark and Belle Gormley.  
Charter draping committee, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Leeper, Mrs. Taylor.  
Memorial committee, Mrs. Bond, Mrs. Bramwell and Mrs. Cross.  
Refreshments were served.

## Brownsville Briefs

(By Special Correspondent)

Belle Burson, who had been home for the past two weeks returned to her work in Lebanon last week Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sylvester returned to their home in Marshfield after having spent the holidays with Mrs. Sylvester's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carlson.

Little Edna Harrison scalded her leg quite seriously the forepart of the week. Dr. Waltz is directing the care of the wound by phone.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Harrison spent a few days at Berlin last week, the guests of Mrs. Harrison's brother, Lawrence Dawson.

School at Ash Swale closed after one day's session last week on account of the deep snow. Many of the smaller children lived quite a distance from the schoolhouse and could not attend now, on account of the severe cold weather there is to be no school this week, either.

Mrs. Emma Harrison spent the first of the week with her sick brother, Will Rodgers, at Albany.

There is to be an all-day meeting at the Baptist church next Sunday. Drs. Milliken and Wright are to preach.

If enough men will boost the Mountain Home road we are going to get a road through that way. It will help Brownsville merchants, too. But if you can't boost, don't knock.

Frank Newland, who has been in Washington all fall, returned to his home in Ash Swale last Saturday.

Marvel Lawrence spent Sunday with her friend, Josie Carlson, in Ash Swale neighborhood.

About twenty of the young folks in and north of town enjoyed coasting one evening last week on the Starnard hill. They expect to go again some evening this week if the snow stays on.

Fred Harrison lost three of his fine geese and a turkey recently. Evidently someone wanted them as badly as Fred did.

Harry Park visited Halsey yesterday.

J. S. Banick went to Harrisburg Tuesday.

Frank Walker will run the old farm again. He has leased it from William Phillips, who bought it last year, and bought much of Phillips' personal property. The latter goes on a farm near Crowfoot, which he has leased.

The Albany Herald's Brownsville news says "the Templetons" are moving to Los Angeles. There are something like a hundred Templetons at Brownsville. If they all migrate there will be quite a vacancy in the population. The fact is that the Clarence Templeton family goes. It will be missed, too, for it was highly esteemed.

Brownsville's 1923 taxes, due next March, are \$7,597.50.

North Brownsville is to have over \$250 worth of new sewers.

L. D. Vidito was last October appointed aide-de-camp to the commander of the Oregon Grand Army and now comes his appointment as aide-de-camp to the national commander-in-chief. Vidito sometimes writes poetry.

Having recovered title to his well-known fruit farm, Oren Stratton, with his family, has returned to it from Salem to reside.

W. C. Templeton, ex-assemblyman and family are moving to Los Angeles.

Of Peter Bither's estate, valued at \$6058.52, the widow gets the real estate, estimated worth \$1002.20, and a nephew in Los Angeles and a niece in Portland share the balance.

Eleven-year-old Edward Dolzal of Seio walked out of an upstairs window of his home in his sleep Tuesday night and in his fall got a gash in his leg which a surgeon sewed up.

Blank applications for state motor licenses can be had at this office.

## OREGON OCCURRENCES RECITED FOR READERS

### Epitome of Events in the Beaver State

The estimated loss to property in Eugene by fire during 1923 was \$13,291.

Sales of fishing and hunting licenses at Hood River this season established a record for 1923.

Receipts from hunters' and anglers licenses in Marion county for the year 1923 aggregated \$9963.

Salem postal receipts for the year 1923 aggregated \$168,455.24 as against \$145,013.49 for the year 1922.

A meeting of the state executive committee of the American Legion will be held in Portland Saturday.

Oregon pensions have been granted as follows: John B. Bell, Eugene, \$12; Charles Pennington, Butte Falls, \$15.

Receipts of hemp at Portland for 1923 were 42,864 bales, according to compilations by the Merchants' Exchange.

Dr. E. H. Smith is dead at his home in Lakeview. Dr. Smith had been county judge of Lake county for the last nine years.

An aggregate of 1015 arrests were made in Multnomah county by the criminal department of Sheriff Hurlburt's office in 1923.

Automotive transportation fees in the amount of \$24,928.25 were turned over to the state treasurer by the public service commission during 1923.

Twenty journeymen plumbers went on strike at Salem because their employers had refused to increase their wage scale from \$7.50 to \$8.50 a day.

A campaign by means of which it is hoped to recruit all national guard units stationed at Portland up to full strength is to be inaugurated immediately.

Motor vehicle license fees for December, based on the 1923 registrations, aggregated \$13,068.53, according to a report prepared by Sam A. Koser, secretary of state.

Receipts at the Eugene postoffice lacked less than \$1500 of reaching the \$100,000 mark during 1923. This is a gain of 11 per cent over the receipts of the previous year.

An ice jam in the Columbia river at Crates Point, near The Dalles, and complete suspension of all ferry service along the mid-Columbia were features of the cold snap last week.

Purchase of 100,000,000 feet of timber on 1100 acres in Clatsop and Tillamook counties, involving a consideration of \$1,750,000, was announced by the Yerrek Logging company of Kerry.

Through the efforts of people of Lake county and William L. Finley of Portland a bill will be introduced in congress to set aside an area in Lake county as a federal antelope reservation.

There was one fatality in Oregon due to industrial accidents during the week ending January 8, according to a report prepared by the state industrial accident commission. A total of 380 accidents was reported.

Robert C. Paulus, general manager of the Oregon Growers' Co-operative association and the Oregon Growers' Packing corporation since their organization, has submitted his resignation to the board of directors and will retire soon after April 1.

Wells Bennett of Portland was winner of the annual endurance run of the Eugene Motorcycle association from Eugene to Seattle and morning, which finished Wednesday morning, he riders having started the run at midnight, December 31.

Jimmy Wells, who was arrested in Portland when the police there took into custody Tom Murray and Eddie Walker, Florence bank robbers, was released from the county jail at Eugene. Wells when arrested had in his possession some of the money stolen from the bank by Murray, Walker and the third bandit, according to the police. No charge was filed against him.

Approximately 14,000,000 feet of standing timber in the Deschutes national forest was offered for sale through the office of the district forest service in Portland. The timber is western yellow fir and is in scattered tracts west of the Deschutes river. Bids will be received for about six weeks and it is announced that \$3.55 per 1000 board feet is the lowest price that will be considered.

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