

# HALSEY HAPPENINGS AND COUNTY EVENTS

## Short Stories from Sundry Sources

Eleven bids for building the Harrisburg bridge were received. The state highway commission opened them today. Some figuring is yet to be done on them, but it is thought the Portland Bridge company will get the contract for \$183,200. The commission had estimated the cost at \$200,000.

Cleona Smith will teach at Sweet Home next year.

Mrs. Hazel Wallace has been tending telephone in Mrs. Stafford's absence.

The strawberry shortage is not as great as feared. The fruit is plentiful and cheap.

Mrs. Mary Eliza Lewelling died this morning, aged 63, at Tangent, place where she was born and lived all her life.

Mrs. J. A. Mumm of Portland arrived yesterday to visit her cousin, Mrs. N. C. Smith, and other relatives.

For a few days a supposed stranger was seen hereabouts, but he proved to be Rodney Savage, smooth shaven.

Mrs. G. E. Carey of Medford has been visiting her niece, Mrs. N. C. Smith, and brother, W. J. Farrell, the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Beene and son Allen, accompanied by W. A. Allen, drove to Portland Friday and returned Sunday.

Karl Bramwell did not get sent to jail yesterday, though the postal inspector made his annual investigation of the Halsey postoffice.

Mr. and Mrs. Gillette, nephew and niece of Mrs. D. H. Sturtevant, spent Sunday afternoon at her home. They were returning from a visit in Eugene.

The charges on which Dr. Chris Price was arrested were dropped and a letter to him from the doctor who made them, apologizing for them, was published.

Bert S. Clark and D. Taylor are elected republican committeemen for east and west Halsey precincts and Veva Marks and Henry Zimmerman the democratic.

People smoking in proscribed sections of the Santiam national forest this season will be liable to \$500 fine or a year in jail or both.

Donald Ward, who escaped from jail while charged with stealing an auto from the Kirk-Pollak motor company, was caught in Portland the other day.

Neither of the men arrested for stealing wool from Anders Christensen has confessed, as reported, but Anders has his wool and they are under bonds for a grand jury probe.

Beginning Saturday a series of non-sectarian meetings, under the auspices of the Methodist church and conducted by local people, will be held in a big tent two blocks south of the Halsey garage.

Miss Emma Henry and Harry Bressler were married by Pastor Tucker of the Church of Christ at the county seat yesterday. The way to keep a husband is said to be to "feed the brute," and Emma's restaurant experience will probably enable her to do that successfully. Besides, she wears a "smile that won't come off."

Verily the time approacheth when the lion and the lamb shall lie down together, even with the lamb outside the lion. Likewise the elephant and the donkey shall lie. At Albany W. S. Walker and D. D. Hackleman, democrats, are members of the republican committees of precincts 8 and 9, duly elected at the primaries, and there are other similar cases in the county. Mr. Walker was elected in both primaries, so he is a member of the committees of both parties in his precinct.

The plan to have the government exchange timber land for the timbered exchange timber land for the timbered right of way of the Santiam wagon road grant, so that the county might build a good road there, struck a snag when it was discovered that the law permits the government to swap only for legal subdivisions. A question suggests itself as to what is the actual value of 12,000,000 feet of standing timber strung out along all those miles of right of way, where the probability is that if there ever is a road it will be one over which the hauling of heavy logs will be prohibited. The county W. C. T. U. institute

will be at Harrisburg June 12 this year.

The Albany cannery started up on strawberries yesterday.

The Pine Grove baseball boys came to town Saturday and showed Halsey how to play the game. The score was Pine Grove 8, Halsey 1.

H. B. Sudtoll of Banning, Cal., father of Col. Sudtoll the auctioneer, is in Linn county or about to arrive for a visit of a week or two.

There were about 400 people at the Jersey picnic on the McConnel farm near Shedd, Saturday. Quite a number of Jersey fanciers were present. There was practice judging by calf club members, an address by Chester Murkey, president of the Oregon Jersey club, and a cafeteria style dinner.

We ought to have some good roads. Of the taxes assessed by the county and collected or due this year the budget apportioned \$440,392 for mending our ways, as follows: Roads and bridges \$42,392.96; road districts \$76,000; bridges, lumber, etc., \$52,900; ferries, \$6,100; market roads, \$90,000; sinking fund for county road bonds, \$60,000; interest on county road bonds, \$25,000; two-mill redemption fund, \$58,000. And the Harrisburg bridge bids are to be opened today.

Mrs. Charles Dudley has a new Chevrolet.

University, were at the A. C. Armstrong home Sunday.

Ralph and Ross Eggstaff and Gil Wordling, from the Eugene L. H. Armstrong and family

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Foote drove to Albany Monday afternoon.

Mrs. A. C. Armstrong drove to Eugene Friday afternoon for her daughter Helen and Miss Bernice McKinney came home with them for the week-end.

A. C. Armstrong and family and their week-end guest, Mrs. W. C. Smith, and Harry Commons and family were at the Jersey picnic at the McConnel farm near Shedd.

W. P. Wahl has completed a new sheep barn and is putting up a large chicken house.

George Bayne and wife and two sons, from Shedd, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. George Workinger, Sunday.

Mrs. Hazel Munkers and Donald were visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Straley Friday and also shopping in Halsey.

Miss Mary LaRue took the train for Albany Friday.

Mrs. Hazel Wallace and her uncle, Peter Lewis of Idaho, spent the week end at Newport.

John Bressler was a visitor in Albany Thursday.

The porcupine captured by Milford Muller recently and exhibited at the Arrow Garage, has decided to become a peaceable citizen of Halsey. He now eats clover blossoms from the hands of bystanders; also roses and lettuce. He even permits his quills to be stroked the right way, if you know which way that is.

Miss Enid Veatch spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Veatch, and had as guest Miss Emily Houston of the U. of O. The girls planned to hike from Eugene to Halsey, and made seven miles of the trip, but decided to accept a ride the rest of the way. Miss Houston has been taking a course in journalism and will work for a Marshfield paper this summer.

## Shedd Snapshots

(Enterprise Correspondence)

Mrs. J. B. Cornett is visiting friends at Blodgett and Summit.

Miss Violet Pfister of Canby visited Miss Ellen Speerstrahl last week.

Mrs. Ida Brasfield and Mrs. Mary Porter were Albany shoppers Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Hoffman of Prineville is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lyman Coates.

Mr. J. E. Nilloughby and wife left on Monday for Bend to look for a new location.

Loran Stone of Oregon City visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Stone, Sunday.

Rex Davis and family of Albany were Sunday visitors at the Davis home in Shedd.

Mrs. Harry Sprenger, Mrs. H. S. Pugh and Mrs. Lyman Pennell were Scio visitors Friday.

Miss Rose Nitzel, who has been teaching school near Junction City, is at her home near Shedd.

Merle Farwell returned Wednesday from Hilt, California, where he has been working for several months.

Mrs. Kenneth Robson accompanied her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Abraham, to Eugene Wednesday.

Sweet Home high school baseball team played Shedd high on Monday at Shedd. The score was 8 to 4 in favor of the home team.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Arnold and daughter Lurline visited Mrs. Arnold's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Swatzka, near Tangent Sunday.

Charles Elder, who has been working with a Southern Pacific bridge crew near Roseburg, is spending a few days in Shedd with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Elder.

A surprise birthday party was given Mrs. Vern Arnold Monday. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sprenger, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Albers, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cornett, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sprenger, Mr. and Mrs. O. Shook and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Arnold of Albany.

The Shedd high school baseball team lost to Junction City high, 15 to 4, Friday. The game was played at Junction City. The second town team played the Sand Ridge grangers, winning by 34 to 13.

The senior class play, "Bashful Mr. Bobbs," was given at W. O. W. hall Wednesday evening. A good sized audience was in attendance, which the acting justified. It also was a success financially. About \$80 was taken in.

An aeroplane landed in Brasfield's field last week Tuesday evening to cool the engine. After regaining its normal temperature several local people who had nerve and \$5 each were given a chance to try sailing in the air.

Mrs. Emma Gregory, Mrs. Claire McCormick and Mrs. Charles Barton left for Ohio and way points Thursday. They intend to visit friends and relatives for several weeks. Mrs. Claire is a delegate from the United Presbyterian church to the general assembly at Richmond, Ind.

## Brownsville Briefs

(By Special Correspondent)

Mrs. Anna Gamble is driving a new Ford coupe. So are the C. J. Howes.

Mrs. Emma Harrison is spending the week with J. C. Harrison and family.

Jess Bowers fell from a barn he was building, one day last week, and broke his elbow.

Elaine Woodworth will have a position at mother's in a Tangent, as soon as school closes.

Wedding bells are ringing in Brownsville this week, and from all appearances they will continue to ring for six weeks yet.

Rev. M. S. Woodworth and Marshal Blakely took a deserter from the army to Portland last Tuesday. They made the trip in Harry Wilson's Overland.

The 1924 graduating class has sent out its graduating announcements. The class graduates June 6, the exercises to be held at the Presbyterian church.

The baseball game played by the single men against the married ones turned a score of one in favor of the single lads. The game stood a tie in the ninth inning and they played the tie off.

Old Mr. Yokum, who formerly lived north of town but is now making his home at Riddle, suffered a stroke of paralysis a week ago Sunday, but is slightly better. Mr. Yokum is in his 89th year.

Mrs. W. P. Elmore had a serious attack of heart trouble last Friday and fell in the wood-house, badly lacerating the ligaments in her right foot. She is resting easier. Her granddaughters from Portland are with her.

C. C. Carlson of Ash Swale drove to Riddle last Friday and returned Saturday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Fred Harrison and Mrs. Pearl Merritt of Albany, who went to be at the bedside of their father, Jim Yokum.

Word was received here last week that Jim Anderson, who formerly lived west of town, fell from a scaffold on which he was standing while painting a barn and injured his back, partly paralyzing his lower limbs. While it was a serious fall, Mr. Anderson is recovering nicely. The Andersons live at Palo Alto, California.

The W. C. T. U. held union services at the Christian church last Sunday night and the prize essays on cigarettes were read. Among those who won prizes were Emily Peachy, Irene Taylor, Margaret Thompson, Emma Howe, Rosemary Snyder and a Fox boy. The children did well with their work and their teachers are to be commended for the interest taken in them at this busy season of the school year.

Gladys Wolgamott went to Newport Wednesday.

O. V. Thompson of Brownsville went to Salem Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Craig has been seriously ill this week.

Laura Ione Peachey and Chester Brox were married Tuesday.

Edgar Enger of Brownsville took the train here for Corvallis Friday.

Joseph Shrunk of Brownsville was a passenger to Eugene Friday.

Mrs. J. A. Newman and A. N. Simons spent yesterday at the courthouse city.

Bernice Schildmeyer of Brownsville went to Salem for a visit Thursday.

Guy Elliott of Oregon City has been presented by his wife, formerly Miss Ruth Skillman, with a son.

Mrs. Chas. Enger and daughter Gladys and Mrs. J. J. Boyle, all of Brownsville, took the train for Albany Tuesday.

Mrs. Harold Dossie and children of Chicago arrived Tuesday to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Robinson of Brownsville.

Misses Grace and Vesta Matlock of Brownsville visited Halsey between stages Thursday afternoon and made a pleasant call at the Enterprise office.

Delma Wahl was at home Saturday for a few hours.

## Alford Arrows

(Enterprise Correspondence)

Sylvia Goodman and family of Rowland were Sunday visitors at the Chester Curtis home.

Velda Curtis spent the week end at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Charles Tandy, near Harrisburg.

Lee Ingram and family and Hazel and Kate Green and Ora, Joe and Alvin Kropf spent the last Sunday in the woods.

E. D. Isom and family and George Workinger and family attended the grange picnic in Pence's grove last Saturday.

Mrs. J. F. Isom and two sons left Wednesday last week for West Fir to join their husband and father in their new home.

E. A. Starnes and children, Miss Hattie Dannen, Mrs. Dickson, Ralph Dannen and wife and Jake Dannen and wife visited Mrs. Starnes in the hospital at Eugene Sunday afternoon.

Alford school closed a very successful term last Friday. A picnic, which several of the parents attended, was held in the grove near the schoolhouse. Miss Louise Robnett was the teacher.

## An Octogenarian Passes

Mrs. H. M. Miller, widow of C. D. Miller, and a pioneer, died at her home here Saturday morning.

Mrs. Miller was born August 1st, 1842, in Newmarket, Kentucky, and went with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ashburn, to Kansas City, Mo., in 1875. She was married in October, 1875, to C. D. Miller, and they came to Oregon in that year.

A stepson, B. M. Miller of Harrisburg, and two daughters, Mrs. M. D. Brandon of St. Johns, Wash., and Miss Beulah Miller of Halsey, survive.

Mrs. Miller's husband died in 1892. She had been a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church since early girlhood.

## School Notes

(By an Enterprise Reporter)

Mrs. Cross, teacher in the primary grades, took her pupils on a picnic to the swinging bridge above Brownsville Tuesday. W. H. Beene had about 25 in his truck. Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman, Mr. and Mrs. Beene, Mrs. Sturtevant and Joan and Mrs. M. C. Bond went along.

Miss Bond's class picnicked the same day at the Brownsville park. With ice cream and all kinds of palate-pleasing comestibles and no embargo on noise the youngsters had everything their hearts could wish.

The examinations are over and school is out. Everybody is happy. The high school students are very sorry to see Miss Leitner leave. She has proved herself a good teacher and all her students love her.

Everyone who took the eighth grade examination passed.

A copyrighted dispatch to the Chicago Tribune from Buenos Ayres says that a New Jersey corporation has contracted with that city to build a diagonal avenue through its busiest section and line it with ten-story buildings its entire length without the payment of a cent by the city. The company is to have the rent from the buildings, including hotels, theaters, restaurants, etc., for fifteen years.

## A STRAIGHTY TALK

(Continued from page 3)

The people of Halsey have stood loyally by the Enterprise through all its vicissitudes. With the exception of about three, every business in the town is represented in its advertising columns, a situation that would be hard to find a match for in any town on the coast. Subscribers continue to come in with renewals and kind words year after year. I believe there is ahead a better Halsey, a better Linn county, a better Oregon and a better Enterprise.

WM. H. WHEELER, Publisher.

After making the sale of some furniture to Clarence Williams last week, A. J. Hill and wife drove out to deliver it and were treated to a fine chicken dinner.



Halsey Church of Christ

## Church Announcements

Church of Christ: Lon Chamlee, minister. Bible school, 10, W. H. Robertson, superintendent.

Christian Endeavor, 7. Morning worship, 11. Lord's supper every Lord's day. Evening service, 8.

Last Sunday one of the greatest educators on the Pacific Coast in the Church of Christ was present at the morning hour and spoke on "The Unseen Leader." President Eugene C. Sanderson gave a splendid message. He was pastor of the Halsey church 28 years ago. Eugene Bible University, over which he is head, is the largest Churches of Christ school in point of numbers training for the ministry and mission fields, over 300 being enrolled this year.

In the evening we enjoyed the presence of the graduating class of the high school. Rev. Robert Parker delivered the baccalaureate sermon.

Next Sunday Halsey men are going to Eugene to hear George Taubman as he teaches the class of 1000 men.

The next Sunday, June 8, Halsey men will gather at 10 a. m. in the men's class room to organize a men's class for Halsey. The goal of 25 men has been set. If you are a regular man, you will want to be there. It will be different.

June 15th is children's day in the Bible school. We will raise \$50 to support a native evangelist in Africa for one year. This will be the minister's anniversary day also. The subject of the sermon will be "It's a Great Life if You Don't Weaken."

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, 7. Epworth League, 7. Prayer meeting Thursday, 8. Preaching, 8.

Thirty per cent of the flour mills have quit since 1914, yet production has increased 36 per cent. This is millers' co-operation. The price of flour in the northwest has decreased 33 per cent; wheat has dropped 55 per cent, while bread prices have decreased 2 per cent. This is bakers' co-operation that distances the millers.—Market Agent Spence.

## Paid-for Paragraphs

(50 a line)

Lost—in Halsey, Sunday, an Indian Auto Robe. Finder please return to G. W. MORNINGWEG.

Old papers for sale at 5c a bundle at the Enterprise office.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends who so kindly rendered assistance during the last illness and death of our beloved mother, BEULAH MILLER. Mrs. MARK BRANDON. Mr. and Mrs. B. M. MILLER.

## NOTICE

of annual school meeting: Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of school district No. 41 of Linn county, State of Oregon, that the annual school meeting of said district will be held at the schoolhouse, to begin at the hour of 2:30 o'clock p. m. on the third Monday in June, being the 16th day of June, 1924.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing a director to serve for three years and a clerk to serve for one year and the transaction of business usual at such meeting.

Dated this 27th day of May, 1924. BERT S. CLARK, Chairman Board of Directors. Attest: B. M. BOND, District Clerk.

**Gospel Tent Meeting** HALSEY OREGON  
 Beginning Sunday, June 1,  
 under the auspices of the local Methodist church, but the spirit will be unsectarian  
**Song Service and preaching** each evening at 8  
 Day services Tues., Wed., Thur. and Fri. at 2:30  
**This Meeting will be Conducted by Local Help**  
 Everybody invited to come and take part  
 Come to the big tent, two blocks west of the Halsey garage

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C. A. Waggener and A. D. Willm took the train for Eugene Friday.  
 While at Hood River for the grand lodge, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Frum drove to Arlington, where they visited an uncle, E. B. Frum. They also drove over and took a close-up view of Mount Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ped Templeton went on a fishing trip up the Calapoopia last Thursday.  
 Mrs. Maggie McClelland and little grandson Glenn of San Francisco arrived Monday for a visit at the homes of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Gray, and her sister, Mrs. E. E. Gormley.