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HALSEY ENTERPRISE

HALSEY, LINN COUNTY, OREGON, Oct. 8, 1924

Halsey Happenings and County Events

Short Stories from Sundry Sources

Miss Alberta Koontz came home from Salem and spent the week end with home folks.

Mrs. F. M. Gray's birthday surprise is mentioned elsewhere, and Frank had a birthday this week. He is 75, and bangs heavy boxes around as if he didn't know it.

Albany schools have more than 137 pupils enrolled in band and orchestra work this year.

Corvallis and Albany are planning a joint celebration to commemorate the opening of the new Corvallis-Albany highway which will be open for traffic October 17.

In this week's installment of "Pay Gravel" our friend Scissors takes all the wind out of the Indian medicine man's sails.

Frank Gray's faithful old dray horse has gone lame with a stiff knee and is out at pasture.

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other horse is doing Frank's hauling.

Mrs. O. W. Frum and daughter Ruth drove to Albany Friday.

Miss Cleona Smith, who is teaching at Sweet Home, spent the week end with her father, W. L. Smith.

Mrs. Gordon Munkers and little son Donald spent Thursday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Straley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Penland, H. C. Davis and Mrs. Laubner accompanied G. W. Laubner on his trip to the Coos Bay country last week. They visited Marshfield and North Bend.

The owner has decided not to let the Dad's and Mam's restaurant building until it is repainted and papers, therefore the Church of Christ ladies will give their election-day dinner in the basement of the church.

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Sidney Smith Friday with 17 members present. Mrs. George Starr had the lesson and Mrs. M. E. Gardner had charge of the devotions. Refreshments were served and a social time spent after the meeting.

Mrs. Frank Gray had a birthday last Thursday and was surprised when several of her relatives dropped in, but when they continued to arrive she tumbled to the fact that they had come to help celebrate and brought lunch. A very pleasant day was spent, Mrs. Gray entertaining the guests in the afternoon by exhibiting ten nice quilts of her own making. Mrs. Gray doesn't mind telling her age either. She is 76 years young. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Bond and E. E. Gormley, Mrs. J. T. McNeil, Clarice Gormley, Elta Morgan, Ruth and Ralph McNeil and Mr. and Mrs. Howard of Sodaville.

The J. T. Curry sale was well attended Wednesday. The Cur-

rys expect to move to Marcola soon.

T. J. Skirvin made a trip to Eugene Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Carey drove to Eugene Friday.

Mrs. A. E. Foote and Ruby Schroll were in Albany, Wednesday and called at the D. S. McWilliams home.

Elliott McWilliams of Albany spends his spare time after school and Saturdays clerking at Hamilton's store.

T. P. Patton returned last week from a two-weeks hunting and outing trip into Coos and Curry counties.

Harold Stevenson was over from Brownsville Thursday and wired Harry Bressler's residence for electric lights.

Harry Stewart and family of Mabel, Ore. is visiting Harry's father, R. K. Stewart and sister, Mrs. Ernest Hover of Pine Grove.

William Corcoran, Wayne Robertson, Delos Clark, Kenneth Cross and Carl Hill were back in Halsey to spend the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stevenson returned the first of the week from a three-weeks visit with their son Glenn and family at Beaverton.

Mrs. David Foote and daughters, Mrs. A. E. and A. W. Foote and Miss Ruby Schroll drove to Brownsville Thursday and spent the afternoon.

Mrs. P. J. True was brought home from Corvallis Thursday and has been staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. True since. Her condition remains about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bateman and Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards were over from Brownsville Thursday and called at the H. W. Chance home. Mr. Chance is a brother of the ladies.

Charles Straley drove to Corvallis Thursday evening and brought back his mother-in-law, Mrs. Esther Rike, for a visit with her son Harvey and family, just arrived from Florida. She returned to Corvallis Friday.

J. H. Rike and family, accompanied by Mrs. Rike's sister, Miss Nellie Berryhill, arrived Thursday from Orlando, Fla., and were guests at the Charles Straley home, Mr. Rike and Mrs. Straley being brother and sister. Mr. Rike resided on a farm near Halsey for several years and will probably again locate in the valley.

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M. E. Church

Robert Parker pastor.
 Sunday school, 10.
 Preaching, 11.
 Intermediate League, 7.
 Epworth league, 7.
 Preaching, 8.
 Prayer-meeting Tuesday, 8

Church of Christ



Lon Charles Minister.
 Next Sunday is rally day. Mr. Robertson announces a very interesting program of songs, instrumental music and speeches. It will be centered around Columbus. The ladies will have the church decorated in beautiful colors.
 At 11 a. m. the pastor will speak on "Sail On," the watchword of Columbus. The church aims for the year will be placed before the congregation.
 At 7:30 the pastor will speak on "Why I am not a Christian Scientist."

Brownsville Briefs

(Enterprise Correspondence)
 Miss Elaine Woodworth, who teaches at Brush Creek, spent the week end in Brownsville.

Burl Callaway departed last week to attend the Behnke-Walker business college in Portland.

The Baptist Sunday school plans a party in the church basement for a week from Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cochran have moved to the Filkins place, north of town, which is rented by Charles Sterling.

The ladies north of town met with Mrs. Earl Harrison Wednesday for a social afternoon. Luncheon was served at five o'clock.

J. C. Harrison and Rev. M. L. Woodworth attended the Baptist committee meeting in the Baptist church at Lebanon Wednesday.

Mrs. May Dickenson is very ill at the local hospital with an abscess on the brain. She was operated on at a hospital in Portland, but unsuccessfully. Little hope is held for her recovery.

Mrs. J. Hulst and Mrs. Ruffli went to Albany Saturday.

Mrs. Grace Goodall came from Eugene Saturday.

Manuel Enos, Portuguese, has become a United States citizen.

Mrs. Joseph Roscoe of Spokane went home Saturday, after a visit with Mrs. Robert Sayre.

Thursday at Albany occurred the marriage of Andrew Kirk and Iris Dinwiddie, a former teacher here. — Times.

W. D. Oliver shot and killed a coyote that was after calves on the Mack Sawyer place a couple of weeks ago.

Mrs. E. McLeod of Olympia went home Saturday, after a month at the home of her son, Delbert Sloan, at Crawfordsville.

C. R. Brown of Corvallis came over Saturday to visit; at Ed Loudon's, Crawfordsville. He was met at the train at Halsey by an auto in charge of a lady chauffeur clad in pants and sweater and the meeting was cordial.

Mrs. Silas White killed a bear with a single shot through the heart Saturday morning. She and Mr. White were hunting, and his pack of five hounds treed Bruin. Bears are more numerous in the apple orchards back of Brownsville than for many years. They

are said to come down from the Cascades every even-numbered year and to range to the east in the years between, so this is our bear year.

The woolen mills are expected to run tomorrow and soon to run 24 hours a day.

Alford Arrows

(Enterprise Correspondence)

B. E. Cogswell of Portland is visiting his ranch for awhile.

Miss Thelma Ingram called on Miss Lillie Rickard Sunday afternoon.

Miss Vadura Kizer spent the week end with her friend, Miss Ethel Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burkhart of Salem spent several days at their farm last week.

Lee Ingram and family were Sunday evening callers at the A. E. Whitbeck home.

Ellsworth Curtis and family are moving to the place just vacated by John Burnett.

Rev. Robert Parker of Halsey was a Sunday afternoon caller at the J. H. Rickard home.

Miss Hattie Danner of Shedd visited her sister, Mrs. E. A. Starnes, one day last week.

The Greene family went to Harrisburg to see "The Covered Wagon" Monday night of last week.

Mrs. Alonzo Leach of Crawfordsville was buried in the Alford cemetery last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tandy and son Elmer of Harrisburg visited at the Chester Curtis home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mercer and Miss Minnie Sawyer of Eugene were Sunday evening callers at the home of Mrs. D. I. Isom.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Whitbeck, Miss Lillie Rickard, Miss Thelma Ingram and Miss Henrietta Statnes saw "The Covered Wagon" at Harrisburg Tuesday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burton of Portland visited Mrs. Burton's sister, Mrs. D. I. Isom, Sunday. Mr. Burton went to Albany in the evening but Mrs. Burton remained for a longer visit.

The Greene home was the scene of a pretty wedding Sunday when their daughter Ethel was united in marriage to Beryl Kizer of Rowland. The young couple will make their home near Rowland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wills and son and Mrs. Louie Wallot and children of Wells and Gail Pryther and Miss Etta Godwin and George Godwin and family of Buena Vista were Sunday visitors at the John Rolfe home.

News Notes From All Over Oregon

Gleaned by the Western Newspaper Union

Damage estimated at \$9500 was done by a fire which started in the repair shop of the Kaleva Auto company, in Astoria.

The Salem lodge of Elks has taken out a permit to erect in the city of Salem a new temple to cost approximately \$175,000.

Cash prizes aggregating \$1200 will be awarded at the Hermiston Dairy and Hog show this year, to be held Wednesday and Thursday.

The receipts at the Eugene post-office for September this year show a gain of 15 per cent over the corresponding period last year.

Timber land in Lane county will be assessed this year 5 per cent higher than last year, according to action of the county board of equalization.

Instruction in a flying school at Oregon agricultural college will start in October under personal supervision of Lieutenant A. R. French of Portland.

A record for September shipments of fruits was made at Hood River this year. Up to October 1 329 carloads of pears and apples had rolled for market.

The attorney-general has asked for an appropriation of \$62,280 for the next two years as against actual expenses for the present biennium of \$45,413.

Building activities in Salem during the first nine months of the year 1924 have exceeded the figures for the entire 12 months of the year 1923 by \$184,448.

Approval of the state income tax and indorsement of the anti-oleomargarine bill were voted at the convention at Eugene of the State Federation of Labor.

It will require approximately \$100,000 to repair the Summer lake irrigation district dam in Lake county, according to estimates made by the state engineer.

The number of full time students in the University of Oregon this college year will approximate 2350 or 2900, a record attendance in the life of the institution.

The state tax on sales of gasoline and distillate in Oregon in August returned to the state \$298,025.53, according to a report issued by Sam A. Koser, secretary of state.

The Astoria chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution Monday unveiled a bronze tablet, set in a granite marker, commemorative of the first settlement of Astoria.

Work will be started on a new high tension transmission line from the Eugene power plant on the McKenzie river, two miles west of Waltherville, to the substation in Eugene.

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