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HALSEY ENTERPRISE

HALSEY, LINN COUNTY, ORE. ON, NOV. 12, 1924

Halsey Happenings and County Events

Short Stories from Sundry Sources

The Bert Minegley's are living in Miss Spencer's house.

George Maxwell and wife were Albany visitors Saturday.

O. W. Frum took a truck load of hogs to Salem Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Penland drove to the county seat Monday.

Little Alice Curtis had her tonsils removed at Eugene Saturday.

Lynn Norton is assisting A. J. Hill in remodeling his house at Shedd.

Ward Rice and Miss Rea Smith of Eugene were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cross Sunday.

Mrs. L. A. Thom as and daughter arrived yesterday to visit at Lawrence W. Cecil's.

Mr. and Mrs. William Been and son Allen and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Laubner went to see the play "Abraham Lincoln" at Albany Monday night.

The Pine Grove Community club entertainment announced for Nov. 14, has been postponed to the 21st because the former date clashed with a Halsey school party.

John ("Red") Standish has added a new one to his many experiences. While working at the Intertype machine at Scobie, Mont., an explosion threw melted metal from a stereotype machine. He was knocked unconscious and remained in that condition three hours. Besides he was burned about the face and left arm and was taken to a hospital. But, as usual, he is reported as coming around alright, ready for the next experience.

County Clerk Russell advertised in the Enterprise and car-

ried every precinct in the county.

The county's delinquent tax list is \$78,189.

Over a million dollars of 1922 taxes have been collected.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Foote drove to Albany Saturday.

Linn county spent \$96,898 on its market roads in 1894 to Nov. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Chandler were Albany shoppers Saturday.

Mrs. A. E. Foote and Miss Ruby Schroll were Albany visitors Monday.

Judge Kelly was defeated for re-election. He didn't advertise in the Enterprise.

L. E. Eagy and Floyd Nichols have accepted chairmanships in the Red Cross drive.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hill attended the stock show at Portland several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. McWilliams are the possessors of a new Dodge car, purchased Saturday.

As soon as the Portland livestock show ended the thirteenth storm was succeeded by sunshine—and frost.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bierly have a ten-pound boy, born Friday, November the 7th at the hospital in Brownsville.

Two Dannen boys received prizes for calves at the Portland stock show and their father got second grand champion prize for a bull.

Mr. and Mrs. Ped Templeton motored to Portland Saturday and from there went by rail to Eastern Washington to visit friends at different points.

The W. F. M. S. will meet with Mrs. M. E. Gardner this coming Friday. The meeting was postponed a week on account of the bad weather.

Three cars of the north-bound Shasta limited were thrown from the track by a broken rail Friday night, and the train was delayed four hours.

The popularity of Mrs. Wheeler's brother, the murdered sheriff of Delta county, Col., was attested by the fact, reported by the Tribune of that city, that at his funeral in the Methodist church, which seats 200 people, 200 to 300 were unable to enter for want of room.

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Brownsville Briefs

(Enterprise Correspondence)

Miss Belle Burson, who has been working in McMinnville, spent Monday and Tuesday at home, returning Tuesday afternoon.

Bruce Burson and Arvid Nelson drove to Bend last week, returning in time to vote. They reported snow in that section of the country.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harrison drove to Lebanon Sunday afternoon. They visited at the T. F. Fee home Mrs. Fee is a sister-in-law to Mrs. Harrison.

Rev. M. S. Woodworth exchanged pulpits with Rev. Mr. Fellman last Sunday night. Rev. Mr. Fellman is continuing his special meetings during the present week.

The Ash Swale hunt club has been holding its annual hunt. The members hunted three days and turned in a large number of rodents. They expect to hunt about three days in about a month from this time, then turn in their score, choose sides and the loosing side furnish the oyster supper.

K. Boyd went to Portland Monday.

Roy Kizer arrived from Salem Tuesday.

Mrs. J. E. T. rabet went to Eugene today.

Henry Moran, 71, a pioneer of 1862, died Thursday.

Mrs. Roy Wright and daughter left today for San Francisco.

S. J. Tonkin and Ralph Lawrence went to Eugene Tuesday.

Mildred Leach and Talbert Smith were married Wednesday.

Mrs. M. E. Robnett went to Eugene yesterday to visit her daughter.

The settlement of the estate of Mrs. Belts is being contested by John and Charles Belts.

W. W. Brumely was the name given by a fellow who passed bad checks last week and got away in time to escape arrest.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Tycer became the parents of a daughter on the first Sunday in November. She was named Margaret Evelyn. The mother was Miss Janet Boggs of Halsey. They now reside at Oakland, California.

They Pass on, Full of Years

Two funerals of aged people occurred at Brownsville armistice day.

Robert A. Sanders sr. died on Sunday, aged about 77.

Mr. Sanders' father and mother were married at Suster's Fort, Cal., in 1846. They did not stay through the gold excitement there, but, after a tedious and exciting journey on horseback arrived at Brownsville a year or two later with little Robert. The elder Sanders died and the widow married again, but she passed on from Brownsville only a few years ago. Robert passed almost all of his life at the latter place, Robert A. Sanders jr., Richard A. Sanders and Mrs. Pearl Barkman are his children. His funeral was yesterday at 10.

Andrew Smith, uncle of Claude Smith and brother of Peter Smith, died on his farm east of Brownsville, nearly 80 years old, Sunday, funeral at 2 Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Stafford were dinner guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Drinkard, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Laubner and Dr. and Mrs. T. I. Marks, the occasion being their thirteenth wedding anniversary.

Mrs. H. F. English and two children returned Tuesday from Eugene, after a few days' visit with the children's grandmother, Mrs. F. H. English.

Alford Arrows

J. H. Rickard and family spent Sunday at the E. M. Jenks home at Tangent.

Henrietta Starnes spent Sunday with her friend, Doris Dykstra.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Isom and Mrs. D. I. Isom went to Albany one day last week.

Lee Ingram and daughter Thelma visited at the Charles Clover home in Springfield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Landis Filippott of Harrisburg visited at the Chester Curtis home Sunday night.

Henry Moran, an old resident of Brownsville, was buried in the I. O. O. F. cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Keith Hayes of Halsey visited Carl Isom Friday night and Saturday and Carl spent Saturday night with him at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Starnes and daughter Kathryn were afternoon callers at the Jake Dahnen home, near Shedd, Thursday of last week.

(Enterprise Correspondence) Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mercer and A. F. Robnett and family of Eugene visited Mrs. D. I. Isom Saturday night and Sunday.

Alice Curtis had her tonsils removed at a Eugene hospital Saturday. Mrs. Charles Tandy stayed with her grandchildren, the Curtis children, while their parents were in Eugene with Alice Saturday night.

They Put On Cover

(Albany Democrat)

Outside of Multnomah county the measure to repeal Oregon's income tax lost. In Multnomah county it won with a sufficient margin to offset its defeat in the upstate districts. Wherefore the repeal of the income tax will become law.

The repeal of the income tax was brought about by a small group of Portland income taxpayers who employed organizations, newspapers, advertisements, speakers and all the impedimenta for putting over a modern "drive" in their fight to secure repeal of the law. Those who fought to retain the law did so not, like their opponents, for pay, but out of their desire to see the best interests of the majority best administered.

Two days ago an official of the Portland chamber of commerce was in Albany. He chuckled over the repeal of the income tax to an Albany acquaintance. He said:

"Well, we put it over on you that time, old man."

"Yes," admitted the local man, "Portland did that time."

"We went after it, you know," explained the metropolitan visitor. He gave the impression that Portland gets what it goes after. He was vastly pleased that Portland had imposed the will of a few of its wealthy men on all the people of Oregon.

"Linn county voted to keep the law by two to one," the local man said. "Now, to keep good the arguments you used about forty million dollars' in outside capital being kept out by the tax in one year, you'll have to bring in forty million dollars' in new capital next year. We won't forget. You'll have to make good and bring about an era of boundless prosperity, wherein Oregon outstrips California and Washington together. For you'll be coming to the people of Oregon—who make your wealthy Portland men possible—and asking for our support in other things one of these days."

"Well, well!" answered the Portland business leader. "Cheer up. The people will forget. We'll all pull together."

"No. Not in ten years. You have shown your hand. It will take ten years to help that

breach between Portland and the upstate. You will lose far more, because of this breach, than you would have paid as income taxes," said the Albany man.

Thirtieth Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Freerksen were pleasantly surprised at their country home last Sunday by some of their neighbors and friends in honor of their 30th wedding anniversary, the guests coming with well-filled baskets. A bountiful dinner, served cafeteria style was enjoyed.

Those present were: Mrs. H. Freerksen, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Workinger and children Bobbie, Doris, Mae and Howard, Mr. and Mrs. H. Koek, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Muller, Mr. and Mrs. F. Abraham, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Handley, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gerdes, Mr. and Mrs. T. Handley, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Sorenger and son Byard, Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman, Mrs. J. C. Porter, Mrs. Arnes Clark, Mrs. Dora Davis, Misses Meta, Emma and Susie Gerdes, Florence, Georgia, Mae, Neoma and Hazel Handley and Messers Harry Porter, Arnold, Perry and Robert Handley and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Freerksen.

Six of the above guests were present at the wedding thirty years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Freerksen were presented with a community gift consisting of many pieces of beautiful pearl handled silverware, the presentation speech being made by Mrs. Dora Davis of Shedd in a very pleasing manner. Mrs. Freerksen also received a pearl necklace from her husband.

The afternoon was spent in social talks, music and singing.

Misses Florence and Emma Gerdes rendered several piano selections. Violin selections with piano accompaniments were also given by Georgia, Mae and Florence Handley and Robert and Mrs. Tom Handley.

Domesticating Wild Turkey

Turkeys are not naturally shy, and it is thought that it should not be difficult to propagate them under conditions of semi-domestication—protecting them and helping out their food supply, while interfering with their liberty as little as possible.

The readiness of the wild turkey to accept domestication is evidenced by the fact that, notwithstanding its acquired shyness, it is forever mixing itself up in barnyard affairs. Every now and then a gobbler of the woods annexes a flock of tame hens, after knocking out their vigorous leader, and marches off with them.

The farm problem is not a matter of prices, but rather the spread between prices and production costs.

Feeding cows of any breed so that they can exist in one thing, but feeding them to produce milk is entirely another thing.

M. E. Church

Robert Parker pastor, Sunday school, 10. Preaching, 11. Junior League, 3. Intermediate League, 6:30. Epworth league, 6:30. Preaching, 7:30. Prayer-meeting Thursday, 7:30.

Church of Christ

Lon Chamlee Minister.



The stereopticon pictures were enjoyed by a large audience last Sunday. We will have more some time.

The sermon for next Sunday: Morning, "What, Then, is the Law?" Galatians 3:19; Evening, "Should the Christian Attend the Movie?"

News Notes From All Over Oregon

Gleaned by the Western Newspaper Union

The port of Astoria budget for 1925 has been fixed at \$652,544.

The Silverton Gun club will hold its annual turkey shoot at Silverton Sunday.

James W. Fidler, 78, for 60 years a resident of Oregon, died at his home near Jefferson.

There were 81 persons arrested in Astoria during October and fines collected amounted to \$1295.

Cook county cheese won first and second honors at the Pacific International Stock Show in Portland.

The Congregational and Presbyterian churches of Corvallis have decided to make an effort toward federation.

The Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company has started work at Oregon City on estimates that will exceed \$30,000.

Mrs. Laura D. Harlow, wife of Lou A. Harlow of Troutdale, was elected mayor of that city as a result of the recent election.

The postoffice of Tumalo, Deschutes county, has been discontinued and mail to the district served by it will be sent to Bend.

The American Medical association has placed Oregon Agricultural college on its approved list of institutions offering standard pre-medical instruction.

Powdery mildew, a new disease of red clover, has made its appearance in Benton county. It first appeared in Josephine county, where nearly a hundred fields have been ruined.

Reports of a rich gold strike come from Salmon creek, in Baker county. A man named Dickinson exhibited in Baker last week samples of the ore that will assay \$6000 to the ton.

A successor to John S. Coka, United States district attorney, with headquarters in Portland, probably will not be appointed until after January 1, according to Senator McNary.

Roy Sandstrom, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Sandstrom, of Bandon, was killed instantly when he came in contact with an electric wire which was hanging from a pole.

The city of Klamath Falls authorized a \$50,000 bond issue for the building of a public library and public women's rest room by a vote of 1622 to 1141 at the election last week.

Albert Wilton was killed instantly at the Culp creek camp near Cottage Grove of the Anderson & Middleton Lumber company when caught between a log and a stump and crushed.

Changes in the state game laws making open seasons uniform throughout the state, were recommended in a meeting of the Umatilla County Fish and Game Protective association at Pendleton.

Fred Parazon, who recently shot and killed his stepfather, James Sneider, trapper and hunter, residing at Peel, was indicted by the grand jury at Roseburg on a charge of murder in the second degree.

Approximately \$2,275,000 of second half state taxes have been received at the state treasury department. About \$390,000 is outstanding. Out of 36 counties in the state only six have not completed their payments.

In the absence of other employes a robber entered the Multnomah Commercial & Savings bank at Multnomah station, near Portland, forced the teller into the vault and escaped with \$1720.45 in cash and \$9660 in bonds.

Total resources of the Oregon banks at the close of business on October 10 were \$350,742,458.12, as against \$315,991,712.97 on June 30, according to a statement issued at Salem by Frank Bramwell, state superintendent of banks.

Colonel J. J. Harbaugh, 78-year-old Lane county juvenile officer, was seriously injured when a Southern Pacific freight engine struck his automobile at the Spore's crossing on the Mohawk branch 10 miles northeast of Eugene.

J. L. Schnavelly and N. E. Benyon, engineer and fireman on a steam shovel belonging to the J. F. Shea company, are thought to have been killed when the shovel was carried across the road and 50 feet of level ground, down an embankment of 75 feet, and plunged into the Bull Run

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