

# HALSEY ENTERPRISE

HALSEY, LINN COUNTY, ORE. ON, DEC. 17, 1924

## Halsey Happenings and County Events

### Short Stories from Sundry Sources

Wright's morgue has a new roof. Mrs. Josie Smith returned from a visit to Albany Monday. Mr. and Mrs. E. Abraham and Mr. Warren were dinner guests at Hans Koch's Sunday. F. M. Maxwell and family of Drain spent the week end with friends and relatives in Halsey. "White Christmas" weather came Monday morning and things have been frozen up ever since. This is our first real freeze this fall.

Arthur Wesley's car and one from Cottage Grove came so near mixing on the highway Friday that the Cottage Grove man, acknowledging the corn, paid Arthur \$5 for damage to his running board.

Serje Dougerty was a member of the college deputation team sent to neighboring towns over the week end, says a report coming from Corvallis on the 9th. The meetings were well attended and the teams were invited to return.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Foote and son Walter and little Billy Kirk drove over to the Calapooia river Saturday and came back with a couple of fine Christmas trees.

The Potter sewing club met with Mrs. Lyman Pennel Wednesday. The afternoon was spent in sewing for the hostess. Fourteen club members were present. Invited guests were Mrs. Mack Powers, Mrs. Kenneth Robson and Mrs. Harold Pugh. Lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Harold Pugh, and Mrs. Kenneth Robson.

The Mountain States Power Company spent \$750,000 on ex-

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| Mufflers      | Handkerchiefs |
| Shirts        | Silk Hose     |
| Barretts      | Silk Scarfs   |
| Bells         | Sweaters      |
| Silverware    | Cinaware      |
| Jewel Sets    | Glassware     |
| Pictures      | Stationery    |
| Compacts      | Manicure Sets |
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tensions and improvements last year.

Mrs. Inez Freeland spent the week end in Albany.

Arley Cummings is driving a new Dodge car.

L. A. McKern of Lebanon was in Halsey Saturday.

A. C. and L. H. Armstrong drove to Portland Tuesday.

Mrs. A. C. Armstrong visited at Mrs. Harry Commons' home Friday.

S. T. Scott, roadmaster on the Southern Pacific, was in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Falk took the train for Portland Friday for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Frum and daughters Ruth and Vivian drove to Albany Saturday.

Miss Mary Smith came home from Albany and visited her mother several days last week.

Mrs. John Gormley spent the week end in town with her mother, Mrs. Hannah Cummings.

Mr. C. P. Moody and children went to Harrisburg Saturday for a visit at the C. N. Moody home.

A. C. and L. H. Armstrong have purchased a new engine to run their thrashing machine with the coming year.

Miss Ida Mitzner returned Monday morning to her work in Albany, after having spent the week end at her home.

Miss Cleona Smith was home from Sweet Home for the week end and she and Prof. S. D. Stevens and Miss Harkness of Sweet Home were Eugene visitors Saturday.

A. C. Armstrong left Friday for his ranch in Douglas county to look after his sheep. Coyotes have been very bad in the neighborhood. Twelve of the beasts have been killed this fall. They had killed one sheep on the Armstrong ranch and several for neighbors. Mr. Armstrong returned home Sunday evening, escaping the snow-storm.

In a report to the board of directors of the Linn county chapter of the American Red Cross society, A. C. Heyman, chairman of the roll-call drive this year in the county, set forth that a total of \$2078 had been raised in the county for next year's work.

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## Brownsville Briefs

(Enterprise Correspondence)

Miss Woodworth of Brush Creek spent the week-end in town.

Mrs. Charles Howe is able to sit up a while each day now, but is far from well.

Mrs. Fred Gustafson and daughter Blanche spent the first days of the week in Albany.

Mrs. Will Harrison is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dave Paine of Harmony.

Mrs. H. Tevepaugh, who was operated on at the local hospital last week, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Abraham are the proud parents of an 8½ pound son. Mother and son getting along nicely.

Since Clarence Boggie was so well known in and around Brownsville, no small number of citizens attended his trial.

The churches of the town held a union meeting at the Christian church Sunday night under the auspices of the W. C. T. U.

Mr. and Mrs. "Smoke" Dawson are remodeling their home out by Linn Station and expect to make it a permanent one. The Dawsons formerly lived at Berlin.

Grandma Schick is quite sick at her home in North Brownsville. Grandma is past four-score years, and until this winter has been quite well. Mrs. Thomas is taking care of her.

Mrs. Cecil Harrison ran the sharp point of a crochet hook into her wrist. The hook penetrated about one and one-half inches between the bones of the wrist. The wound is healing nicely.

Rev. M. S. Woodworth spent three days in Albany attending the Boggie trial. He also attended the farewell banquet given to Rev. Mr. Fellman by the Baptist church. Mr. Fellman goes to a pastorate in Pasadena, Cal.

The Ash Swale Hunt Club met at the schoolhouse Saturday night and counted their spoil after another three days hunt. As usual Charlie Bowers won the medal again. This makes the fourth consecutive year he has won the medal. The lo-sing side are to furnish the banquet and oyster supper to be given Jan. 10.

C. D. Estey went to Stayton Thursday.

J. E. Dinwiddie went to Portland Thursday.

Chester Rice was a county seat visitor Saturday.

Miss Joan Blaikie is spending the holidays in Portland.

G. B. Tycer went Monday to Lowell, where he has employment.

Mrs. C. A. Blann and son Archie were Albany visitors Saturday.

E. L. Wood came down from Eugene to fill his appointment at the church of Christ Sunday.

H. A. Walker, manager of the Brownsville Woolen Mill Store at Albany, was in town Monday.

Mrs. J. P. Weber went to Corvallis yesterday to visit her husband, who is convalescing in a hospital.

The post of G. A. R. veterans has dwindled through death until there are more than enough officers to go around. At the recent election Ebenezer Conway was made commander, Hugh Vincent vice-commander, J. F. Verner junior vice-commander, L. D. Vidito quartermaster and adjutant, Hugh Vincent Chaplain, J. F. Verner officer of the day, John Arnold officer of the guard, Hugh Vincent representative to the 1925 encampment, L. D. Vidito alternate representative.

## Alford Arrows

(Enterprise Correspondence)

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wallet of Wells visited at the John Rolfe home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Whitbeck went to Albany one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ingram visited Mrs. Ingram's brother, Austin Alford, and family Sunday.

Chester Curtis and family spent Sunday at the home of Chester's uncle, Jack Curtis, at Peoria.

John Hamer, 48, of Roseburg and a former resident of Linn county, was buried at Alford Tuesday of last week.

Henrietta Starnes spent Saturday night with her friend, Thelma Ingram, and Thelma spent Sunday with Henrietta.

J. H. Rickard and family and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Rickard attended an all-day meeting at the Lake Creek church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Starnes and Miss Hattie Dannen went to Oregon City Monday of last week, called there by the death of their cousin, Matt Lettenmeier. Mr. and Mrs. Starnes returned home Tuesday while Miss Dannen stayed till Thursday for the funeral.

Beverly Isom entertained the King's Builders of the Christian church Saturday afternoon. After the lesson refreshments were served and games played. Those present were Donald, Linden and Roberta Bramwell, Retta Armstrong, Kenneth Smith, Aaron, Hattie and Catherine Starnes, Beverly Isom and Mrs. Bert Clark and Mrs. Carl Bramwell.

## Shedd Shimmerings

Boggie got 15 years and Neilson 10 for the Shedd bank robbery.

Mr. Tait, the barber, has gone to Montana on a visit for several weeks.

Mrs. Dora Davis was agreeably surprised Thursday evening, when coming home from church to find her home occupied by a number of relatives and friends, the occasion being her 70th birthday which they had come to help celebrate. Mrs. Davis was presented with a beautiful Indian blanket. A lunch was provided by the guests. Those honoring Mrs. Davis were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Davis, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Shedd, Mrs. Palmer, Lucille Shedd, Mr. and Mrs. Brasfield, Mr. and Mrs. Will Porter, Mr. and Mrs. John Cornett, Frank Porter, P. H. Freerksen, Mrs. H. Freerksen, Mrs. Agnes Clark and niece, Mrs. Calder, Mrs. Coates and Mrs. Cloy, Mrs. Satchel, Mrs. Hoffman and Parphena White.

## Pine Grove Points

Bert Haynes and family were Eugene visitors Saturday.

L. E. Eagy and family were shopping in Albany Saturday.

Robert Hover visited his grandparents at Harrisburg Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Chandler and small son were Albany visitors Friday.

Carl Nichols is at home convalescing after an operation for appendicitis performed at a hospital in Corvallis.

A number of Pine Grove people have been attending the revival meetings at Lake Creek. Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Chandler and W. G. McNeil and family were among those who attended the Sunday services and were present for the basket dinner.

The Ladies' Missionary society of the Methodist church, south, of Peoria, met at the home of Mrs. L. E. Eagy Thursday afternoon. Ten members were present. Mrs. Hein-

rich and Mrs. Haynes were visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Knighten and Mrs. Inez Smith went to Albany Saturday.

There will be no community club program until after Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nichols and Mrs. Floyd Nichols were Corvallis visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Mae Smith and father, Mr. Ferrell, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hover Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gibson of Corvallis visited their son Frank and family Saturday.

The teacher and school children are busy preparing the Christmas program to be given at the schoolhouse Christmas eve.

## John Standish Caught

A dispatch from Havre, Mont., in Sunday's Albany Democrat said:

Miss Frances Wagar, daughter of one of the most prominent ranchers and stockmen in the Scobie district, and John Standish of Plentywood, who is connected with the Producers' News and Farmers' Publishing company of that city, have arrived in Havre, bringing the first whisp-rings of a romance which may unite the artist and Miss Wagar. The report is they were married Saturday.

Miss Wagar became acquainted with Standish two months ago, while he was stationed at Scobie previous to the election, engaged in campaign work for the farmer-labor party. As soon as the campaign was over Standish was transferred to Plentywood, where he is now permanently located.

## \$50 for a Name

The Portland chamber of commerce offers a prize to the person who sends in the most satisfactory word or words to be used as an over-riding brand for products of Washington and Oregon.

The word or words must be such as would include the products of both states and must typify the north Pacific territory as well as the products.

The word or words should in some way relate to agriculture and horticultural products as well as to the special climatic conditions which produce the quality and quantity of products of the territory, especially fruits, vegetables, nuts and dairy products.

The contest will end Dec. 31, and all suggestions should be mailed to the marketing department, Oregon Bldg., Portland.

A committee of seven has been appointed, consisting of E. E. Faville, editor Western Farmer, Geo. E. Hall, Hall, Emory Advertising Agency; D. M. Botsford, Botsford-Constable Advertising Agency, H. M. Haller, Kelley-Clark Co., brokers; A. H. Smurr, Johnson Lieber Co., brokers; W. L. Taylor, president North Pacific Cooperative Prune Exchange, Portland; D. E. Towle, manager The Berry Growers Packing Co., Gresham, Ore.

Prizes are: First choice of judges, \$50.00; second choice, \$25.00.

If the word chosen by the judges is submitted by more than one person the prize will be divided.

If either of the words chosen is accepted and put into use an additional \$50.00 will be paid the person presenting that word.

Last year organic heart disease killed many more people in Oregon than did tuberculosis and more than half again as many as cancer and pneumonia. A death from heart disease has typically back of it a story of infection in childhood or early adult life. The commonest causes of heart disease are rheumatism and syphilis. Many heart diseases are entirely preventable. Some are wholly curable.

## News Notes From All Over Oregon

### Gleaned by the Western Newspaper Union

Louis Stass, 55, was killed instantly near Coburg, when he was struck by a falling tree.

J. C. Perry, a Salem druggist, was elected King Bing of the Salem Cherrians for the ensuing year.

The Associated Oil company will immediately erect a \$20,000 distribution plant in Eugene it is reported.

Winter's icy grip has forced the shutdown of two of the three pine beetle control camps in Klamath county.

Fire, which officials declare to have been of incendiary origin, caused damage to the city hall at Astoria estimated at \$2500.

A total of 10,920 carloads of lumber were shipped out of Bend by the Brooks-Scanlon and Shevlin-Hixon mills during 1924.

By a vote of 51 to 31 a levy for \$20,000 was voted in road district No. 1, in the Manzanita-Nehalem country, for road construction.

Newton C. Cheney of Medford and Earl Leslie Wilson of Portland have been admitted to practice law permanently in this state.

Sever construction work costing approximately \$200,000 will be completed by the city of Klamath Falls during the coming year.

Thousands of boxes of prunes were mailed and shipped by Portland citizens last week to friends and relatives in pruned states.

Two large male cougars, travelling together, were treed and shot by W. O. Allison not far from Ukiah. The larger weighed more than 200 pounds.

The demand for cross-bred lambs to form the foundation of breeding flocks has grown so keen that the price has been raised to 11 cents a pound.

Noel Eby, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Eby, who reside in West Sutherlin, was kicked to death by a horse when placing feed in the animal's stall.

Frozen fog which descended over Klamath Falls did considerable damage to telephone and power lines, and blanketed the city with a fascinating white frosting.

The Southern Pacific company has awarded a contract to the Utah Construction company for building approximately 22 miles of railroad from Grass Lake to Dietz.

A special school election called at Roseburg to consider the issuance of school bonds in the sum of \$185,000 resulted in the approval of the bonds by a vote of 416 to 210.

Fire, which for a time threatened the entire business district of Malin, was checked by the volunteer fire department after the Malin hotel had sustained damage of approximately \$1000.

Benton county is to have an "economic conference" January 13 and 14. The government has just completed an exhaustive survey of the county, the first to be finished in the Pacific northwest.

Fire losses in Oregon, exclusive of Portland, in November aggregated \$185,450, according to a report prepared by Will Moore, state fire marshal. There were a total of 25 fires reported.

A bill to limit the powers of county judges in their capacity as juvenile judges will be introduced at the next session of the state legislature, according to J. G. Tate, chairman of the state child welfare commission.

Construction of a new hatchery for the state fish commission at Beaver creek, which is about two miles from Hebo on the Tillamook highway, has been started. The hatchery will be one of the largest in the state.

So rapidly are demands for fiction volumes increasing at the Umatilla county library that the board has found it impossible to buy books in sufficient quantities with the money available to satisfy the demand.

Following a check of its own figures with estimates furnished by the county assessors' office, the Multnomah county tax supervision and conservation commission placed the local 1925 tax levy at 33.2 mills, as against 32.3 mills last year.

The value of all taxable property in

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