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## Family Reunion

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robertson was the scene of a family reunion Sunday. The family assembling to celebrate the birthday of T. M. Bennett, a former resident of Halsey, now residing on a ranch near Lebanon.

Dinner was served at 2 o'clock. Seven daughters and their families were present: Mr. and Mrs. Merle Appelgate and little son of Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Griffith of Albany, Mrs. Opal Higbee and twin sons of Lebanon, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Gardner, two sons and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Miller and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, son Wayne, and daughter and son Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cross, and Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Bennett of Lebanon. Miss Helen Armstrong also was a guest at dinner.

## Ministers to Hold Picnic

The ministers of Linn county and their wives will hold a picnic on the first day of June, at Cascadia.

The ministerial association of Albany will furnish the games, horse shoes, base ball and other games. Bring your own lunch basket. All ministers of the county and their wives are invited.

## Baccalaureate at Church of Christ

Baccalaureate services will be held at the Church of Christ, Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

Rev. Robert Parker, pastor of Halsey Methodist church will deliver the address.

## Halsey Hi Boys Win One Lose One

Halsey high school boys went to Tangent Friday afternoon and defeated the Tangent team in what is said to have been one of the best games seen there in years. At the end of the ninth inning the score stood 3 to 3, but in the 10th Halsey was able to slip over a score and win by one point.

Saturday afternoon the Philomath high school boys came over from that little city of brotherly love and carried away the long end of a topheavy score in the total of 13 to 4. The disastrous result of this game can be charged to the superb pitching that Philomath received from her star pitcher, Albert Brown.

The Halsey girls also played the Philomath girls here Saturday and were slightly defeated.

## Public School Notes

(Enterprise Correspondence)

Miss Mearle Straley, whose term of school has expired at the Powell school, visited in the fourth, fifth and sixth also the seventh and eighth grade rooms Tuesday.

Ione Miller missed a week of school while struggling with the whooping cough.

Mrs. Bradford Moss was a visitor in the primary room Tuesday.

Since State tests are over, review work has been the order of the day in the fourth, fifth and sixth grade rooms.

Two more weeks of school! And we haven't seen any of the students grieving about it.

Miss Enid and Wanda Veatch were pleasant callers in Mrs. Kizer's room Wednesday.

All students in the sixth, seventh and eighth grades passed the state tests and some very fine grades were made. Pupils graduating from the eighth grade are: Ernestine Coleman, Bessie Reynolds, Gertrude Robins, Herman Koontz, Ellsworth Gardner and John Miller.

The seniors are taking their final exams preparatory to graduating. The graduating class will consist of the following students: Agnes Hayes, Roberta Vannice, Velva Hadley, Eunice Sylvester, Ruth Quimby, Helen Williams, Thomas Miller, Thomas Palmer, Ralph McNeil, Leroy Straley and Frank Koontz. This is the largest graduating class there has been for several years. Commencement exercises will be held Friday evening at the M. E. church. The Baccalaureate sermon will be preached at the Christian church by Rev. Parker Sunday night and June 3rd has been decided upon for class night.

Mrs. LaFollette of Corvallis was the guest of her son, Eldon Cross and wife last week.

## Teachers' Examinations

Notice is hereby given that the County Superintendent of Linn County, Oregon, will hold the regular examination of applicants for the State Certificates at Albany, Oregon as follows: Commencing Wednesday, June 9, at 9:00 o'clock a. m. and continuing until Saturday, June 12, 1926, at 4:00 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday Forenoon  
U. S. History, Writing (Penmanship), Music Drawing.

Wednesday Afternoon  
Physiology, Reading, Manual Training, Composition, Domestic Science, Methods in Reading, Course of Study for Drawing, Methods in Arithmetic.

Thursday Forenoon  
Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods in Geography, Mechanical Drawing Domestic Art, Course of Study for Domestic Art.

Thursday Afternoon  
Grammar, Geography, Stenography, American Literature, Physics, Typewriting, Methods in Language, Thesis for Primary Certificates.

Friday Forenoon  
Theory and Practice, Orthography (Spelling), Physical Geography, English Literature, Chemistry.

Friday Afternoon  
School Law, Geology, Algebra, Civil Government.

Saturday Forenoon  
Geometry, Botany.

Saturday Afternoon  
General History, Bookkeeping.

Edna Geer,  
County Supt. Schools.

## - Local and Personal Mention -

Miss Helen Armstrong, who has been teaching at Cresswell the past winter, spent the week end with her friend, Mrs. J. O. Cross.

Miss Violet Carver took dinner with her friend Ernestine Coleman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Waggner have been visiting relatives near Marion. Ped Simons has been attending to their ranch while they were away.

Mrs. Bert Clark, who has been confined to her home with illness for so long is at last able to be out and visited her brother, Chester Curtis one day last week.

The Franklin piano used by Mrs. Cross at her recital by courtesy of the Seth Laraway Music Co. at Eugene, was purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Isom and not returned to Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Sickels and two little sons of Albany visited Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Sickels.

Traveling freight and passenger agent L. L. Graham was in town this week looking after Southern Pacific interests.

Miss Marjorie Walker, a former Halsey girl but now of Reedsport, is here visiting Halsey friends.

Curria Miller was missed from this community Sunday and it was discovered that he went to Rickreall. Must be some strong attraction to take a young man so far from home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wade of Peoria were visitors of the latter's sister, Mrs. Nora Coleman, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Casebeer of Sweet Home were Sunday afternoon visitors at Chaney Sickel's.

Two cars hay and a car of bulk wheat moved this week from the warehouses operated by O. W. Frum and the M. V. Koontz Co.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Miller and daughter Gardie, and Beulah Miller were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wells received a letter from their daughter Goldie, missionary to Mondobe, Africa, recently, stating that the weather is intensely hot and that she has been suffering from malarial fever but is recovering. She also reported that other missionaries unused to the climate of the jungle had contracted it.

A great number of Halsey people are expecting to attend the military tournament at Corvallis Saturday. The Southern Pacific are making a special rate of .94 cts for the round trip. The usual one way fare being \$1.05.

The students of the North Pacific Evangelical institute held their week end convention at Harrisburg Saturday and Sunday. A number from Halsey attended the meeting.

Mrs. Irma Shotwell spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fanning of Salem.

Mrs. C. N. Moody of Harrisburg has been visiting at the home of her son C. P. Moody the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bressler and daughter Agnes, and Harry Bressler and family visited Perry Bressler of near Lyons Sunday and feasted on some very fine strawberries raised in the Santiam valley.

H. C. Davis and his sister, Mrs. Shedd, are leaving tonight for an extended visit at Milwaukee and other eastern points.

Mrs. C. P. Stafford is expected home today from Oregon City and Portland, where she has been spending the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Casebeer and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Irvin of Portland were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chaney Sickels.

Bessie Reynolds who has been convalescing from an appendicitis operation three weeks ago was suddenly stricken again today with severe pains and at the time of going to press is in a serious condition. Dr. Clark of Harrisburg was called.

Rev. Robert Parker drove to Pine Grove Thursday and called at the P. A. Pherson home and also at other homes of the community. Mrs. Eliza Brandon accompanied him.

Mrs. J. J. Corcoran spent Sunday with her daughter Willmina at the state tuberculosis hospital at Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donaca of Sweet Home were at the train recently to meet Mrs. Mabelle Jones, the latter's sister, who has been teaching at Swiss Home and took her home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Finley of Portland visited Mr. Finley's sister, Mrs. Eliza Brandon a short time Friday, enroute to their ranch at Crawfordsville.

Little Charles Willis, whose arm was so badly broken several weeks ago, will be taken to Albany, this week to have the splints removed and an examination made of the broken bone. If it has not healed, a silver plate may be used to fasten the bones together.

Mrs. Herman Steinke and daughter Blanche were in Harrisburg Tuesday morning where the latter had an appointment with the dentist.

The chicken dinner served by the ladies of the Christian church on election day was well patronized and the proceeds amounted to \$30. This will be used to paper and paint the ladies' aid room at the church.

Mrs. P. H. Willis, who underwent a minor operation at the Albany general hospital Sunday, was brought home Wednesday and though unable to be up and around yet, is convalescing nicely.

## Church of Christ



Sunday School 10.

Preaching 11.

Christian Endeavor 7.

Preaching 8.

Bro. Robert Parker will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon at the evening service.

Clifford L. Carey, Pastor.

## M. E. Church

Robert Parker pastor.

Sunday school, 10.

Preaching, 11.

Junior League, 2:30.

Epworth League, 7.

Preaching, 8.

Prayer-meeting, Thursday, 8.

Bible Study Tuesday, 2.

## Endeavorers Meet

The Senior Endeavor society held its regular monthly business meeting at the Christian church Thursday evening. About forty young people were present, including several visitors from Shedd and others outside the society. A social hour was also spent and refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, cake and lemonade served.

## Orchestra Given Lawn Party

The orchestra of the Christian church was treated to a lawn party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Robertson Tuesday evening. Al Savaze, who raises some very fine strawberries promised the orchestra a feed of berries if someone would furnish the place for the party. Mr. and Mrs. Robertson then furnished it.

The orchestra consists of nine pieces and as all brought their instruments with them, good music was furnished for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Zimmerman are the possessors of a new Willys Knight sedan.

School closed at Pine Grove Wednesday. Miss Undine Dannan who has been teaching there, picniced with her pupils at Smith's grove at Peoria. Miss Dannan does not expect to teach this coming year but will attend school at Monmouth.

Miss Ruby Schroll was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Miller Friday and Saturday.

Miss Vera Bond of Albany visited her sister, Mrs. Elbert Isom Saturday and attended the recital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Corcoran visited at the home of Jack Curtis near Peoria Saturday and Messrs. Corcoran and Curtis continued on to Albany where they purchased a tomb stone for the grave of the late Mrs. Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gormley and Mrs. Maggie McClelland went to Irving Saturday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Alford. From here the ladies continued on to Springfield to visit at the home of L. E. Gormley. E. E. Gormley returned home Sunday.

## Recital Enjoyed by Large Audience

The large audience who assembled Saturday evening in the Christian church to hear the recital presented by the pupils of Mrs. Jess Cross were in no wise disappointed in the entertainment, finding it quite up to the high standard set and maintained by previous classes of Mrs. Cross.

The program was unusually good, so much so that it would be hard to mention any one number as outstanding. The parts by the younger ones were well presented and showed considerable care and time had been expended to bring them to so high a standard. The selections rendered by the older ones of high school age showed careful teaching and technique and considerable ability on the part of both pupils and teacher.

Miss Beulah Miller is leaving Friday morning for a trip to San Francisco on the steamer Rose City which starts from Portland, Friday afternoon. From San Francisco she will go to Los Angeles and start on a motor trip with relatives back through the middle western states to points in Missouri.

She expects to be away six weeks.

J. O. Cross drove a truck load of sheep to Portland Tuesday. Martin Koontz and Wilber Norton got up early and made the trip with him.

## Official Notice

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with chapter 265 of the General Laws of Oregon for the year 1923, section 2, the area within the present boundary lines of school district No. 72 in Linn County, Oregon, has been, by order of the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, declared to be a weed control district for the year 1926, for the destruction and preventing from producing seed of the noxious weed known as Canada thistle.

Dated this 26th day of May, 1926.

B. M. Payne, County Judge  
J. D. Isom, County Com.  
Jos. Hume, County Com.

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