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Albertson-Wallace

Miss Iona V. Albertson, daughter of A. F. Albertson and wife of Halsey, was united in marriage to Harvey L. Wallace of Monroe Oct. 15 at the home of Rev. W. P. Gillispie of The Dalles, Rev. Clarence Thayer, pastor of the Nazarine church of The Dalles, performing the ceremony. They will make their home at The Dalles, where Mr. Wallace has a position in a warehouse. Miss Albertson was a graduate of the Halsey high school in the class of 1925, and her many friends wish her happiness in her new home.

Rebekahs Hold District Convention

Alpha Rebekah lodge No. 34, Corvallis, entertained the 1926 convention, district No. 6, at Corvallis, October 13, with Hallie Ingle chairman.

The convention opened at 1:30 with Corvallis officials in charge, after which the meeting was turned over to the convention officers. Important business pertaining to Rebekah Odd Fellowship was transacted. The convention was declared a wonderful success, and after a chicken supper at 5:30 the members departed.

Halsey was selected for the 1927 convention and Esther Bond as chairman.

Some of the members in attendance from Halsey were Frank Gansle, E. C. Miller and O. W. Frum and their wives, Mesdames Ruth Holloway, Lena Beene, George Taylor, Emerson True, Esther Bond and W. L. Wells and Miss Genevieve Wells.

Take Your Choice

On November 2 the voters of Halsey will be called upon to decide whom they want to have charge of the city's business for the next two years. Three councilmen are to be elected, and the following men were nominated for that position by a mass meeting of citizens at the city hall some time ago. Look them over and pick out three: C. H. Koontz, T. J. Skirvin, O. W. Frum, Karl Bramwell, C. P. Moody, W. F. White, E. C. Miller and J. W. Drinkard.

William Corcoran, who was here from Oakridge visiting his parents and enjoying a little pheasant hunting for a few days, went to Portland Monday.

High School Notes

(High School Reporter)

At a student body meeting Oct. 13 the constitution of the organization was read for the benefit of freshmen.

The seniors have ordered their announcements and the juniors their class rings.

Pictures were taken last week of the grade rooms and the high school. The seniors also had their class pictures taken.

A program is being prepared for Friday, the 22d—Frances Willard day.

Iris McPherson, a former student of the high school, was in Halsey over the week end.

Ether Seefeld has been absent from school for several weeks on account of illness.

Ernest Dykstra has been absent with typhoid fever.

P. T. A. To Have Speaker

The executive committee of the P. T. A. has asked the Enterprise to announce that they are trying to secure the services of Mr. Calavan, Industrial Field worker from the State Superintendent's office for an address at their next meeting, Nov. 5.

Rural Route No. 1 is Extended

Postmaster Bramwell received information the first of the week from the postmaster general that a petition asking for an extension of route 1 out of Halsey has been granted. The extension adds 5.01 miles to the route and leaves the present line at the J. W. Morgan corner, goes east to the Brown corner, thence north by northwest to the Knighten corner, then back to the old route. The new order goes into effect November 1.

Rally Day Program Big Success

The rally day program at the Christian church was well attended and a good schedule put on. The donations, which were brought and presented to the Bible school girls' dormitory last year, were donated to Clifford Carey and wife this year.

Wesley Holloway and wife have moved from near Brownville to the old T. P. Patton place. Mr. Holloway is employed at the Frum warehouse.

I. O. O. F. to Hold Convention

The district convention of the Odd Fellow lodges will be held at Brownville on Saturday, October 23, afternoon and evening. This district comprises the counties of Benton and Linn, besides the Jefferson lodge. A good program has been arranged by the committee, and it is planned for a good time. The business session will be held at 2:30 Saturday afternoon. Supper will be served by the ladies of the Rebekah lodge at the lodge hall and the program will be held afterwards.

Steve Couldn't Wait Two Days

Stephen Smith, son of Clark Smith, residing on the H. C. Davis farm, northeast of town, was picked up by Deputy game Warden Stellmacher and brought before Justice of the Peace Bert Clark Friday afternoon, charged with unlawful possession of game birds in open season. Smith pleaded guilty to the charge and was given a fine of \$25 and costs.

Another Family Reunion

The home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gormley was the scene of a large family gathering last Sunday, when twenty of their relatives and children gathered there to spend the day. Those present were Eugene Gates and wife of San Jose, Mrs. Walter McClelland of Camp Meeker (Cal), Claron Gormley and wife of Coquille, Bert Loudon and wife of Portland, L. E. Gormley and family of Springfield, George Alford and family of Irving, and Frank Gray and O. R. Bond and their wives of Halsey and the host and hostess.

Mrs. T. M. Bennett and twin grandsons, Clarence and Clare Higbee, came over from Lebanon Sunday with Merle Applegate and wife to attend the rally day exercises at the Christian church.

L. C. Carothers and family of Peoria were guests at J. J. Corcoran's Sunday.

Mrs. Franklyn Stafford took the train Saturday for a visit with friends and relatives in Portland.

Parkers Like New Location

A much-enjoyed letter was lately received by Halsey friends from Mrs. Robert Parker and it tells something of the family's trip and the surroundings at North Bend. The letter stated that their trip over was much enjoyed until they reached Myrtle Point, where it began to rain, and it continued to do so until they arrived at their destination, just at dark. She writes that they are settled in a six-room parsonage overlooking the bay but several miles from the beach. Irene is in school and it is estimated that there are 1000 school children in the town. She said that good crowds were in attendance at church services and there was a good choir. We might add that she said they missed Halsey friends very much.

Will Give a Silver Tea Saturday

Members of the W. M. society of the Christian church have asked us to announce that they will give a silver tea in the aid room of the church on Saturday, October 23, from 2 to 5 p. m. The public are invited.

BONDS! BONDS! BONDS!

Voters are urged to read Section 4 of the Housewives' Council Constitutional Amendment authorizing the State of Oregon to go into irrigation schemes and into the business of manufacturing and selling light and power:

"Bonds of the State of Oregon, not to exceed five per centum of the assessed valuation of the state, may be issued and sold from time to time to carry out the purpose of this Article and the full faith and credit of the State of Oregon is hereby pledged for the payment of the principal of said bonds as the same mature, and the interest accruing thereon as the same falls due.

Every voter should know that the assessed valuation of Oregon is \$1,058,880,736, and that the Housewives' Council "Water and Power" board could issue and sell bonds for \$52,944,000. Your property would be a guarantee for the payment of this huge debt.

Oregon's total bonded debt, including that of all political subdivisions, is now more than \$166,000,000. Its State bonded indebtedness alone per capita, \$47.08, is the highest in the Union.

As fast as this political board might retire bonds, it would have the power to issue more; and as the assessed valuations increased the amount of bonds could also increase.

North Dakota Is Still Paying For Her Failures

VOTE 337 X NO!

Paid Adv. by Oregon Public Utility Committee—Opposed to the Housewives' Council "Water and Power" Bonding Amendment—424 Pacific building, Portland, Oregon

HALLOWEEN

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