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## STANDARDIZATION HELP TO FARMERS

### Organized Business Is the Method to Adopt

Undoubtedly in large area of one crop sections there is a certain over production but there are many facts tending to show that the undesirable condition of agriculture in the United States today is not due so much to overproduction as it is lack of standardized products and intelligent distribution.

According to figures of the U. S. department of agriculture compiled by Oregon state chamber of commerce, during the year 1926 agricultural imports into this country exceeded agricultural exports by \$21,789,000. A large number of the products that were imported come in direct competition with the Oregon farmer.

As one of the proofs that Oregon might profit largely by organized business methods introduced into the farming industry, this will show how Idaho increased her shipments from 1921 to 1926, during the great agricultural deflation of 1921 and subsequent years, by intelligent standardized production and distribution. Butter shipments 1921 44 cars, 1926 469 cars; cheese 1921 84 cars 1926 471 cars; Eggs 19 1 13 cars 1926 272 cars; mixed cars, 1921 18 cars; 1924 333 or a total of 159 cars in 1921 to 1365 cars in 1926.

This splendid increase was possible because of organization among the farmers and the production of standardized products fed into the channels of distribution at times when the market required these products and a fair price could be asked.

### Funeral Services Held Monday For Mrs. J. E. Southworth

Funeral services for Mrs. J. C. Southworth were held Monday afternoon at two o'clock at the Christian church, with Rev. Lon Chamlee of McMinnville in charge of the services. Burial was in the Alford cemetery.

Ada Elizabeth Smith was born in Ottawa, Ill., September 27, 1872. She was married to Mr. Southworth in Iowa and later they moved to Minnesota, coming to Oregon from that state in 1914, and locating at Dallas. Four years ago Mr. and Mrs. Southworth came to Halsey where they have since made their home. About three weeks ago they went to Woodburn where Mr. Southworth had accepted a position at the state training school but had not yet moved to that city definitely. Mrs. Southworth had been an invalid for a number of years and she passed away at Woodburn last Friday morning at eight o'clock. Mrs. Southworth was a member of the Christian church.

Besides her husband Mrs. Southworth is survived by four daughters. They are Mrs. Marion Rudolph of Deerwood, Minn., Miss Bessie Southworth of Portland, Mrs. John W. Allen of Hoopa, Calif., and Mrs. Eugene Comstock of Seattle, Wash.

Miss Vesta Morris of Eugene spent Sunday, in Halsey at the home of her brother, F. Buford Morris.

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### Going on the Stage



Leonard Wood, Jr., son of the late governor of the Philippine Islands, is planning to star in a vaudeville skit which he wrote himself, according to a report. It is said that his show deals with the trials of two "gold diggers" in their efforts to collect some money from an elderly man.

### Peoria News Items

(Enterprise Correspondent)

Mrs. Alice Dunn has returned from Eugene after a several day's visit with her son, Bernard Finnegan.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Githens and children have returned from a trip of several days to Portland and Pendleton, at the latter place taking in the round-up.

Helen Lamar and Margaret Shaw have started to high school in Corvallis, driving from Peoria with Prof. Roland.

Albert Bayne went hunting Saturday, coming back late in the afternoon with a big deer.

Several from Peoria attended the sale of Grant McNeil near Pine Grove Monday. Mrs. J. W. Lamar and Mrs. J. S. Lamar assisted the ladies serving lunch at noon. The proceeds will go toward helping repair the church at Pine Grove.

Mrs. Alice Barcus returned home Sunday from The Dalles where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. William Apperson.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sheffield of Nebraska, are visiting Mrs. Sheffield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mason, and other relatives.

J. R. Mode and Charles Shaw were Corvallis visitors Saturday.

Cawlyn Ruth who spent her vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brattain, has returned to her home in Portland to enter school.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Knighten of Albany have moved to their farm south of Peoria.

Mrs. Jessie Carothers and children are camping at Mintey's prune orchard and working in the prunes during the season.

The Peoria meat man is having to take a rest on account of an infected hand which has been bothering him for some time.

Carl Nichols passed through Peoria Monday, going to the doctor in Corvallis to have an infected hand treated. After Dr. Anderson lanced the hand Mr. Nichols was resting much easier.

Mrs. George Chandler is also suffering with an infection in one of her hands.

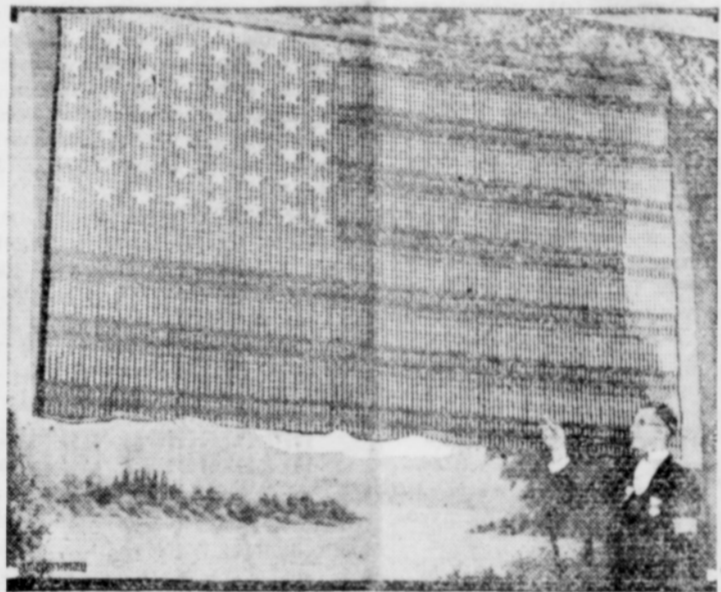
### Parent-Teachers' Hold Reception Next Thursday

The members of the Parent Teachers association will hold a reception at the school house Thursday evening at eight o'clock. The affair is planned in honor of the new teachers and pupils, and will be in the form of a get-acquainted meeting. A short program has been arranged and will be followed by a social hour. The general public is extended a cordial invitation to be present.

### The Fire Bug



### Novel Flag at V. F. W. Convention



This flag, which took four miles of wall paper, 1,800 feet of fish line, 13,874 fire brilliants, and 6,889 hours of labor to make, was on exhibition at the national convention of Veterans of Foreign Wars at Providence, R. I. Edward L. Voder, the maker and owner, is shown pointing at "Old Glory."

### New Job for Allison



Photograph shows Leonard Elaine Allison, director of athletics at the University of South Dakota, who resigned to be assistant line coach and baseball coach at the University of Wisconsin.

### Pine Grove Items

(Enterprise Correspondence)

Pine Grove school began Monday morning with Miss Grace Kirk as teacher. Only ten pupils were present but several more will start as soon as hop picking is finished. Miss Kirk is boarding at the N. E. Chandler home.

The Harmony school began Monday with Miss Grace Pehrsson as teacher. She will drive to and from her school.

Miss Amanda Mitzner preached at Pine Grove Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eagy of Glenwood, Washington, were at L. E. Eagy's Sunday.

The balers are at the McLaren hop house.

Tom Ely and wife and Mrs. J. A. Johnson and daughter visited the Sam Campbell family at Kings valley Sunday.

Silo filling in this vicinity began at the George Chandler farm Monday.

P. A. Pehrsson, Fred Sylvester, Mr. [Fairfield and son, put up a silo for Mr. Fairfield the last of the week.

Carl Nichols has a badly infected hand which is causing him to make frequent trips to a physician in Corvallis.

Fred Sylvester and family, Ray Hover and wife, and Robert Hover and Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Chandler and Agnes, were among those from here attending the county fair.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McLaren and Dorothy and Gertrude Nichols and N. H. Cummings and family were at the fair Friday.

W. G. McNeil and family of Lacombe visited at A. F. Alberson's Friday night and spent Saturday at the farm formerly occupied by them, getting ready for the sale which was held Monday. Prices were fair on most of the stock and equipment.

Miss Pearl Pehrsson went to Corvallis Sunday to attend O. A. C. She is a senior.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Camp and Daucan McLaren, who have been at John McLaren's for some time, returned to Portland last week.

The Six family moved to their new home near Lake Creek Tuesday.

Clarence Simon of Eugene attended the McNeil sale Monday.

George Chandler and family attended the Pugh family reunion Sunday.

Captain Kenneth Bloom, state traffic officer, passed through Halsey this afternoon enroute to Marshfield, where he was called on official business. Captain Bloom's home is in Albany.

## SCHOOLS OPENED, LIGHT ATTENDANCE

### Farm and Prune Orchard Keep Pupils Away

The Halsey schools, grade and high, opened Monday morning with an enrollment of 44 pupils in the high school and 46 in the grades. These figures will be greatly augmented later as a great many children are still at the prune orchards. Of those in high school, 11 are freshmen, 12 are sophomores, 11 juniors and 10 seniors.

Bessie Reynolds will fill the office of librarian.

One new course, higher arithmetic, is proving quite popular.

A class in Bible study has been called for.

Eight have registered in music. Plans for an entertainment for the raising of school funds were part of the first teachers' meeting.

The juniors at their class meeting Monday, selected their rings.

The seniors have selected the following class officers: Charley Wright president, Hope Hussey vice president, Mary Smith secretary-treasurer. Miss Nelson is class adviser.

Miss McCarnack will act as class adviser for the juniors, and the newly elected officers are Ruth Sturtevant president, Francis Norton vice president, and Muriel Lake secretary-treasurer.

Following are the new pupils registered in the grade schools: Vyron Isom, Earl Perry, Rita Bramwell, Houser Miller, Marie Gormley, Kent Smith, Mary Perry, Harold Sickle and Reine Alford.

New pupils in the high school are Earl Elliot, Fleming Smith, Earl Gardner, Russell Norton, Prentice Isom, Harris Hughes, Kenneth Smith, Violet Carver, Beverly Isom and Muriel Lake.

### Mayor Clark and Mrs. Clark In Auto Accident Wednesday

Mayor Clark and Mrs. Clark of Halsey are congratulating themselves upon their narrow escape from serious injuries Wednesday morning, when the car in which they were riding and one driven by C. C. Dickson of Shedd collided.

The accident occurred about two miles north of Halsey in front of the Saffley place, as Mr. and Mrs. Clark were on their way to Corvallis, and Mr. Dickson was southward bound. The Clark car was turned over, the rear wheels were smashed, the left fender torn off and the right one bent, the upper glass of the wind shield broken, the axles bent and the body of the car sprung. The Dickson car, a Buick touring, did not fare so bad. However one wheel was torn off, an axle sprung it is said and the car ditched. The occupants of the two cars escaped apparently with some minor bruises and a severe shaking up.

Mayor Clark returned to Halsey where he secured another car and he and Mrs. Clark went on to Corvallis. The wrecker from the Arrow garage brought the wrecked car to Halsey.

## TUNNEY WINS BOUT BY SUPERIORITY

After one of the bloodiest fistic matches in history Gene Tunney retains the championship belt and all that goes with it.

The first two rounds were about even; the third and fourth went to Dempsey while in fifth Tunney came back. Dempsey retrieved his lagging spirits in the sixth round and had Tunney at the ropes. The end of the eighth round was about even but the count was awarded Dempsey. Tunney by this time got busy and the ninth and tenth rounds were awarded him. 150,000 people witnessed the fight.



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