

SCHOOL CHILDREN TO HAVE EXHIBIT

Linn County Students Will Be Elaborately Represented at Fairs.

RESULT OF CAMPAIGN IS VERY GRATIFYING

Much Interest Has Been Awakened in School Industrial Shows.

Continued from Tuesday, Sep. 9

That the school children of Albany and Linn county will be elaborately represented at the county and state fairs by industrial exhibits composed of work done by them during the last year, is indicated by the county wide campaign being conducted here by various school authorities in the form of personal solicitations and notices posted in conspicuous places appealing to the teachers, parents and students to cooperate in carrying out the plan.

The campaign is the result of alleged lack of interest in such enterprises by the school patrons in instilling the proper spirit into the students. Recently the county board of education met and adopted a resolution insisting on the cooperation of school patrons with the teachers and county authorities to encourage the students, and this was the keynote of the campaign. Since then, County Superintendent W. L. Jackson and county school supervisors have been working up interest in the enterprise. City school superintendents have been enlisted in the work and the result thus far is gratifying. Responses have come from every section of the county and from present indications the prospects are that Linn county will have unprecedented school industrial exhibits at the state and county fairs.

The Linn county fair is to be held at Seio September 24-25 and it is the plan to have the original exhibit here. It will be preserved and probably added to when the whole collection will be sent to the state fair.

Various collecting places have been designated for the shipment of proposed exhibits for the fair, where the county authorities will have it packed and shipped to the destination. The local high school here is one of these places and the material received thus far is an interesting sight, embodying practically everything taught in the industrial departments of the schools.

FOUR EMPLOYEES 9 YEARS AGO, NOW EIGHTY-THREE

Remarkable Advancement Made at Round-house--Busiest Place in Hub.

When Master Mechanic J. W. Taylor began work with the Corvallis & Eastern nine years ago as foreman at the round house, there were four men under him. Now the roll at the shops, as checked up the last time, shows eighty-three employees in this department of the road.

Around the house is one of the busiest places in the Hub. Besides the regular work of the company, considerable is done for the Southern Pacific. An interesting piece of work now being done is the overhauling and redecorating of the chapel, car St. Anthony, making it look like a new coach. This car is seventy-five feet long, and, besides containing the chapel has a sleeping room, dining room and kitchen.

A new turn table is being installed in place of the old wooden structure. This one is of steel, a modern affair, capable of meeting the demands of the heaviest kind of equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank George and Mr. Tupper of Eugene, stopped in the city last evening on their way home after spending the week end in Lebanon.

Lillie Hughes has left for Castle Rock, Washington where she will remain for several months.

LEBANON MAN APPOINTED COUNTY SEALER OF WEIGHTS

Yesterday afternoon the county court appointed George Lovelee, of Lebanon, county sealer of weights and measures, as provided by a new law passed by the last legislature. Mr. Lovelee will take up his duties at once.

There was many applications for the job and the appointment of the new official has been pending for some time.

Mr. Lovelee is one of Lebanon's prominent citizens and is well known throughout the county. He is an influential and highly respected citizen and his appointment will undoubtedly be regarded with favor.

DUCK SEASON WILL OPEN ON NOVEMBER 1ST

State Game Warden Says New Federal Act Is Not Mandatory; Sportsmen Pleased.

The following statement given out to the press by State Game Warden Finley will be of interest to local sportsmen:

Contrary to the belief of several prominent sportsmen, including J. H. Westcott, of Gaston, there is no federal open or closed season for ducks in Oregon, and as yet the rights of the Oregon hunters have not been encroached on, according to William L. Finley, state game warden.

"A careful perusal of the pamphlets issued by the government will show the reader that the season, described as September 15 to December 15, is merely proposed," said Mr. Finley. "When the state legislature last met," he said, "it established September 15 to December 31 in Multnomah, Clatsop, Tillamook and Coos counties. In the other valley counties and in the western part of the state November 1 to February 15 was named as the time for bagging ducks.

"Last March congress passed the law prescribing closed seasons by zones and the national authorities went to work at once.

"The biological survey appointed committees in various districts to make recommendations for the men who are to do the prescribing.

"The commission then designated seasons for the zones and gave Oregon September 16 to December 16. However, that was merely a recommendation from the districts. The object was merely to cause comment and to give the men from the districts something on which to argue. "It seems that this is what the dissatisfied men of the state have taken as the established season.

"California and Washington on each side of us have October 1 to January 15 as the season, which is after all the logical time for ducks in this state, as breeding begins immediately after that and there are no ducks to speak of before October 1.

"When W. H. Henshaw, chief of the biological survey, came through Portland collecting the reports of these committees, I took up with him the discrepancy of the recommendation and he assured me that the defect would be remedied.

NOTES ABOUT PEOPLE OF SHEDD AND VICINITY

Shedd, Or., Sep. 10.—(Special to Democrat).—Mr. C. A. Pugh had business calling him to Albany last Friday.

Miss Goldie Wells of Halsey was a Shedd shopper Tuesday.

Mr. F. S. Belmont of Portland had business in Shedd Monday.

Messrs. E. Davis and E. B. Penland of Halsey had business in Shedd Monday.

Mr. A. D. Elder went to Independence Monday to see his wife who is there picking hops.

Mr. G. A. Layton of Halsey passed through Shedd Tuesday on his way to the Boston Roller Mills.

Rev. Richard Hockings of the M. E. church, with his wife, did some shopping in Albany Monday.

Miss Katherine Sutherland of Albany spent Sunday with her parents in Shedd.

Mr. R. S. Simons of Brownsville was in Shedd Monday on business.

Mr. R. M. Grove of Corvallis came over Saturday to see his ranch he recently purchased near Shedd.

The stork, accompanied by Dr. H. J. Kavanaugh of Albany paid a visit to the home of R. S. Acheson last Thursday night and left a 11 1-2 pound boy.

Mrs. P. Conner was an Albany shopper last Monday.

CITY NEWS

Passed Worthless Check.—Chief of Police King has been sending out word to police authorities in various towns this afternoon for them to be on the lookout and arrest a young man giving the name of Smith, driving a White steamer automobile. This morning about 10 o'clock the young fellow who has been here since yesterday entered the Blain Clothing Co's store and purchased a suit of clothes for which he tendered a check. Later it was found that the check was worthless. Investigation proved that the fellow had left the city. Chief King has been busy with the wires, trying to locate him and is confident that he will be intercepted soon.

Funeral Held.—The funeral of the late Chester Skeels was held this afternoon. The services were held in the North Albany school house and the remains were interred in the Palestine cemetery.

Arrested for Letting Dog Loose.—Arrested this morning by Chief of Police King upon a complaint sworn out by the officer, Peter Anderson was arraigned this afternoon before Police Judge Van Tassel on a charge of permitting his dog to run at large in violation of the "dog ordinance." Anderson entered a plea of "not guilty" and the case was set for trial Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

State Fair being Advertised.—Impending posters are being distributed advertising the fifty-second annual Oregon state fair, which will be held at Salem September 29 to October 4, inclusive. The posters depict a forest scene with a snowcapped peak in the background. In the foreground a half clad Indian is standing erect. To one side a beaver is gnawing at the trunk of a fir tree. Reduced rates on all railroad will be in vogue during the fair.

REGISTRATION IS UNUSUALLY SLOW

Only 88 Have Thus Far Registered As Voters in Linn County.

MAJORITY ARE WOMEN; SHELburn IN THE LEAD

Local Women Have Apparently Shown But Little Interest in Politics.

Only 88 have thus far registered as voters in Linn county for the general election in the fall. Registration is unusually slow. There is only about a month more before the registration books close. By the fact that registering has been slow and that there is only a short time before the books close, it is expected that there will be a rush towards the last. Those who go to the registering places now may avoid a rush later on.

Thus far the majority of those who have registered are women, but this is natural, as those who registered at the last election, providing they have not changed residence, are not required to register for the coming election. It was during the last general election that the women of Oregon were enfranchised.

The women of Albany have thus far shown but little interest in politics and towards registering as voters, if the fact that but few of them have so far registered, can be regarded as indicative of this. From the number that have so far registered, and with the short time in which to do so, hundreds will not have an opportunity to cast their vote in the coming election, unless they hurry to the registration precincts.

According to records in County Clerk Mark's office, the number of registrations up to the present time in the various precincts, all over the county, shows that Shelburn still leads with a majority, with South Lebanon, Halsey and Santiam in order.

By precincts, the record is as follows: Shelburn, 22; South Lebanon, 15; Halsey, 8; Santiam, 7; Albany, 6; West Albany, 5; North Seio, 5; Debanon, 4; East Albany, 3; Tangent, 3; Crawfordville, 2; Knox Butte, 2; North Brownsville, 1; Calapooia, 1; Orleans, 1; Rock Creek, 1; Sweet Home, 1, and Syracuse, 1.

PEORIA IS BUSY WITH THRESHING AND HOP PICKING

Big Warehouse and Two Feed Mills Are Kept Busy; Picking Progressing.

Peoria, Or., Sep. 9.—(Special to Democrat).—Peoria presents a busy appearance these days to the stranger with its gates. Threshing of spring grain has been resumed with no less than four machines with hearing distance. Several clover hullers are keeping busy when the weather is favorable, and Fishers' warehouse handles about 5000 bushels of grain daily. Two feed mills are kept busy. Leabo Bros. sawmill is running and Lamar and Lamar's general merchandise store is always busy.

Hoppicking has been under way in the Grant Brattain yard since the first of the month and will be finished by the last of this week. The McClaren yard, 3 miles south of Peoria, is being picked off as rapidly as pickers can be obtained. Mr. McClaren will take over the Brattain pickers after this week to help finish his crop.

NEWS NOTES AND PERSONAL MENTION FROM PEORIA

Peoria, Or., Sep. 9.—(Special to Democrat).—Eldridge Woodbridge was over from Alpine, Benton county a couple of days last week looking after his young peach orchard about two miles above Peoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Terrell of near Brownsville spent Sunday in Peoria with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Barena. Mrs. Terrell, who is a cousin of Mr. Barena, was formerly Miss Irene Anderson, a well known music teacher of Eugene.

Edwin Horning, the nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Horning of this place, is the proud possessor of a Shetland pony which he won last week in a newspaper contest.

Mrs. Lelia Clark and family moved from this place to Tangent on Saturday and expects to make the latter place her home.

M. C. Brown of Tangent came over on Saturday to see his cousin, Mrs. Spencer before her departure for Kentucky.

News Beginning With This Head Is From the Daily Issue of WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 10.

ALBANY WATER SUPPLY IS PURE SAYS EXPERT

Backwith Says Sample Stands Tests; Milk Specimen Submitted Shows Germs.

That the Albany water supply has stood the tests applied at the Oregon Agricultural College and pronounced pure was the substance of a letter received today by City Health Officer Davis. A sample of milk submitted by Dr. Davis was found to be pure. Both samples for domestic use.

The letter is as follows: My Dear Sir: This department has examined certain samples submitted by you on August 26th, and we beg to report as follows: Both samples of water were found to be pure and potable. The sample of milk showing high dirt content of manure germs and was unfit for human consumption.

Very truly yours,
T. D. BECKWITH,
Department of Bacteriology,
O. A. C.

CATHOLIC ACADEMY BEGINS NEW SCHOOL YEAR MONDAY

The Albany of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, one of the old and tried institutions of Albany will begin the new school year next Monday, Sep. 15th. The register includes children from all parts of the valley and others from the counties on the Coast. A lately edited prospectus indicating courses of study, terms, etc., may be obtained upon application.

VIREECK RETURNS FROM 2 MONTHS EASTERN TRIP

Claiming that he never had a better time in his life, L. Viereck who last night returned from a two months trip to his old home in the state of Pennsylvania, gave a Democrat representative an interesting account of his trip. Mr. Viereck visited his old home in Philadelphia and met relatives and friends whom he has not seen in years. He also visited Milton and other points in the east. He was a delegate from Albany to the Woodmen of the World convention at Colorado Springs and says that the convention was one of the most successful ever held in the history of the lodge.

He was met at Seattle by Mrs. Viereck and his son Edward, both of whom returned with him to Albany last night.

The Big Why?

The reason I am dating so many sales is that Auctioneering is my specialty and not a side line. The following dates are taken, which date shall I reserve for you?

Sep. 15, Walter Smith, 2 miles north of Coburg Junc. Farm sale.

Sep. 16, E. L. Hanerland, 1 mile west, 2 miles north of Shedd, 4 head of horses, 19 head high grade Jersey cows, farm implements, household goods, etc.

Sep. 17, W. A. Barber, 3 miles north of Junction City, 19 high grade Jersey cows, 7 2-year old heifers; 7 2-year old steers; 15 calves; 11 stock hogs, wt. 140 lbs. Farm imp., household goods, etc.

Sep. 18th John Edwards, on the Harry Bateman place 4 1-2 les N. W. of Brownsville on the main Brownsville-Shedd road, 4 head of horses, 12 head high-grade Jersey cows, sheep, hogs, farm implements, household goods, etc.

Sep. 19, R. H. Marks, 5 miles north of Harrisburg, general farm sale.

Sep. 20, Belle Steele 1-2 miles north of Jefferson, 9 head of horses, farm imp., household goods, etc.

Sep. 22, T. J. McClure 2-12 miles south of Albany on the Tangent Road, general farm sale.

Sep. 23, J. W. Coleman, 1-2 mile east of Harrisburg.

Sep. 24th John A. McBride estate 3 miles west of Shedd, 15 head high-grade draft horses including 2 registered Clyde mares, 10 head high-grade Jersey cows, some hogs and general farm machinery.

Sep. 25, Cunningham Bros., 2 miles south of Harrisburg, 20 head of horses, 23 head of cattle 160 sheep, hogs, farm imp. etc.

Sep. 26th John W. Pugh estate, 2 miles south of Shedd, 18 head of high grade draft horses, 20 high grade Jersey cows, 1 complete threshing outfit, sheep, hogs, farm machinery, and household goods.

Sep. 27, Chris Widmier, 1-12 miles east of Harrisburg. Free lunch at noon. These are all big sales. Remember the dates and come early.

BEN T. STUDELL, Auctioneer, Halsey, Ore.

\$350,000 MORTGAGE FILED IN LINN COUNTY

SIX THRESHING MACHINES WORKING NEAR TANGENT

A mortgage for \$375,000 covering the lands of the C. A. Smith timber interests in three states was filed for record in the county recorder's office here this evening. It is signed by the C. A. Smith Timber company, an Oregon corporation; the C. A. Smith Lumber and Manufacturing company, a Minnesota corporation and Charles A. Smith, formerly of Minneapolis, Minnesota, and now of Berkeley, California.

Honolulu Man is Guest.—Mr. Albert Lucas, a young man from Honolulu is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Pirtle, the latter having made the acquaintance of Mr. Lucas during a trip they made to Honolulu some three years ago.

Returning this morning from a trip in the vicinity of Tangent, J. A. Howard informed a Democrat representative that six threshing machines and eight clover hullers are at work within a radius of four miles of that place and that the threshing will be completed during the present week if the weather conditions are favorable. In other sections of the county the work is not as far along and it may take a few days longer to harvest the crops. L. B. Luper of Tangent finished his grain today and will start at once on his clover.

W. O. Nisley, of Portland, is registered at the St. Francis.

SURVEYING?

See PENLAND & EATON

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CABINET SUITS

From the famous makers "Max Schwartz" and "Louis Barnett" will be shown in our windows or placed on display. They are the best money can buy, all exclusive styles and materials not shown by any other store between Portland and San Francisco—You may see them for the asking.

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ALBANY'S LEADING CLOAK and SUIT STORE

Elks' Temple, First and Lyon Streets, Albany, Oregon