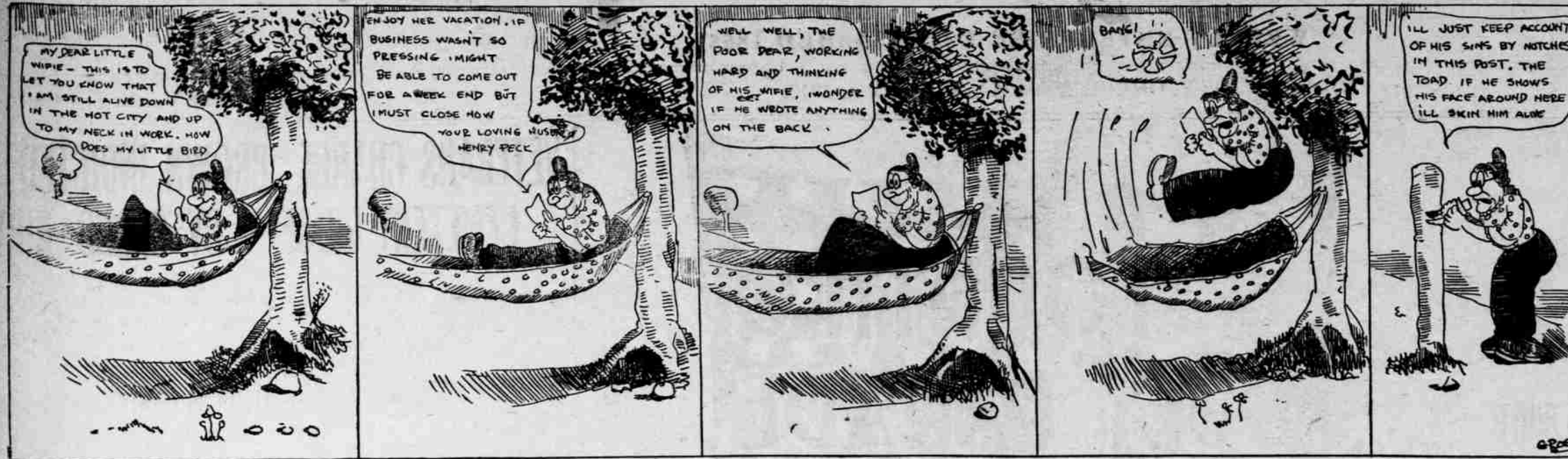


MR. HENRY PECK AND HIS FAMILY AFFAIRS

By Gross

HENRY JR. SAYS



THIS GENTLE READER WAS THE REASON FOR OUR WINDING HEROINE'S SUDDEN DEPARTURE FROM THE BENIGN TO THE CALMNESS, AND WE DON'T DOUBT BUT WHAT YOU'LL AGREE WITH US THAT IT WAS RATHER BAD FOR MR. PECK TO KEEP BOOKS FOR THE BACK OF HIS WIFE'S LETTERS

OH, WELL, MAW WONT BE HOME FER A LONG WHILE YET. HENRY PECK JR

MORNING ENTERPRISE OREGON CITY, OREGON. E. E. Brodie, Editor and Publisher.

Purchase a home for \$200.00 down, the balance on monthly payments. 7-room house with one and three-fourths lots on improved street. Sewer and street improvements paid—\$1500.00. Dillman & Howland

tion, and perhaps we are, in a secondary sort of way. But in our inner souls we are honoring and paying fealty to the Spirit of America that abides in each of us, and that gives us our proud self-sufficiency, and our courage to meet any thing or any problem that may come up.

Intersection with High street, shall be made according to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the city recorder of said Oregon City and approved by resolution adopted June 5th, 1913, which said plans, specifications are referred to and made a part of this ordinance.

be of concrete and placed as follows: On both sides of Seventh street from Division street to Polk street. From Polk to Harrison street.

Automobiles for Hire PHONES: MAIN 77; A 193 Miller-Parker Co. Dated and first published June 13th, 1913. D. F. SKENE, Administrator of the Estate of James S. Arkins, deceased.

July 4 In American History. 1776—Independence of the thirteen colonies which later formed the United States federation proclaimed at Philadelphia.

Contemporary history tells of the modest American physician who went to Germany to study in the great hospitals, and who one day was sitting in a bier-garden when a German officer swaggered in, tossed the American's hat from a peg on the wall, put his own steel helmet thereon, and clanked into a seat at a nearby table.

TO BE SAFE AND SANE WASHINGTON, D. C., July 3.—Band concerts, electrical illuminations, athletic meets, literary exercises and historical parades and pageants will combine to make Washington's celebration of the fourth tomorrow a safe and sane one in the fullest sense.

Washington to Center street, six (6) inches. A sewer shall be placed in Seventh street beginning at J. Q. Adams street 10 feet below the surface of the street and on a line 16 feet south of the north line of Seventh street and shall connect with all catch basins on Seventh street with 6-inch laterals, on J. Q. Adams street to John Adams street the sewer shall be 18 inches in diameter and on John Adams street to Center street 29 inches in diameter and shall be of vitrified terra cotta sewer pipe.

Section 2. The improvement shall be assessed "macadam" and shall be maintained by Oregon City for the full period of ten years from the date of acceptance thereof by the council.

LOST AND FOUND LOST—Black hand satchel, on Molalla road, containing mirror, comb and bar pin with other articles and some silver. Telephone East 5844, Portland. Reward. MISCELLANEOUS WANTED—By man and wife, furnished cottage or flat; must be reasonable. Address, 311 Pearl St., City.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS. Evening star: Mercury. Morning stars: Venus, Saturn, Mars, Jupiter. The brilliant scintillating star near the northern horizon is Capella of constellation Auriga.

THE DAY WE This is the day when CELEBRATE the United States endeavors to honor its own birthday. In former times this used to be done adopting Chinese devil-chasers, otherwise yeelpet fire-crackers, and exploding them in as close juxtaposition to the fingers of the patriotic young as was possible.

Wants, For Sale, Etc. Notices under these classified headings will be inserted at one cent a word, first insertion, and at half cent additional insertions. One inch card, \$2 per month; half inch card, \$1 per month.

Section 3. The recorder is hereby authorized to advertise for and receive proposals for the said improvement, but the council reserves the right to reject any and all bids therefor, and the mayor and recorder shall enter into a contract or contracts with each person, firm or corporation to whom the contract or contracts are let by the city council for the general fund of Oregon City and that as to the balance, each person, firm or corporation to whom said contract or contracts are let, shall look for the payment only to the sum assessed upon the property liable for said improvement and not to the city.

Section 4. Each contract shall contain stipulation to the effect that where the cost of the improvement under the provisions of the contract shall exceed one half the value of the property assessed for the cost of the improvement, that the excess of said cost of the improvement over the said one-half value of the property assessed for the improvement, that the said excess shall be paid to the contractor by Oregon City out of the general fund of Oregon City and that as to the balance, each person, firm or corporation to whom said contract or contracts are let, shall look for the payment only to the sum assessed upon the property liable for said improvement and not to the city.

WOOD AND COAL COAL The famous (King) coal from Utah, free delivery. Telephone your order to 456 or Main 14, Oregon City Ice Works, 12th and Main Streets. OREGON CITY WOOD & FUEL CO.—Wood and coal, 4-foot and 16-inch lengths, delivered to all parts of city; sawing specialty. Phone your orders Pacific 1371, Home 4120. F. M. BLUHM.

However, these are mere superficials. The American people are great on superficials. They couldn't be happy unless they were disguising their true emotions with them. And so they make out of the Fourth either a chaotic din of noise, or a nice lady-like affair with the Honorable Luk McGlue and the little girls of the Hesperian Circle combining in a stun!

And it is this thing that we all do honor to when we go out together to celebrate the Fourth. We may think we are honoring the birth of the nation, and perhaps we are, in a secondary sort of way.

For Sale Or will trade for lot of equal value, a piano as good as new. Dillman & Howland

Section 5. Whenever the condition of said street was and is dangerous to the health and safety of the public and its immediate improvement is necessary for the immediate preservation of the health and safety of the public, in the judgment of the Council of Oregon City an emergency exists; therefor this ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its approval by the mayor.

Section 6. The recorder is hereby authorized to advertise for and receive proposals for the said improvement, but the council reserves the right to reject any and all bids therefor, and the mayor and recorder shall enter into a contract or contracts with each person, firm or corporation to whom the contract or contracts are let by the city council for the general fund of Oregon City and that as to the balance, each person, firm or corporation to whom said contract or contracts are let, shall look for the payment only to the sum assessed upon the property liable for said improvement and not to the city.

HELP WANTED—MALE A COOK and two dishwashers wanted for Chautauqua Restaurant. Telephone Mrs. John R. Newton, Canby, Oregon. HELP WANTED—FEMALE WANTED—A middle-age housekeeper; good wages to right party. Call Main 2213.

Our National Extravagance Is Increasing Dependents By JOSEPH T. TALBERT, Vice President of the National City Bank of New York

ONE of the evils which have been responsible for the money strain both here and abroad is the ever GROWING EXTRAVAGANCE AND WASTEFULNESS of the American people. As an instance of this look at the use of pleasure automobiles by so many thousands of persons who CANNOT AFFORD SUCH LUXURY.

ORDINANCE NO. An Ordinance changing the grade of High street, Oregon City, Oregon from the south side of Third street to the south side of First street. Oregon City does ordain as follows: Section 1. The grade of High street, Oregon City, Oregon, from the south line of Third street to the south line of First street is hereby changed to the following described grade, to-wit:

Section 7. Whenever the condition of said street was and is dangerous to the health and safety of the public and its immediate improvement is necessary for the immediate preservation of the health and safety of the public, in the judgment of the Council of Oregon City an emergency exists; therefor this ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its approval by the mayor.

Section 8. The recorder is hereby authorized to advertise for and receive proposals for the said improvement, but the council reserves the right to reject any and all bids therefor, and the mayor and recorder shall enter into a contract or contracts with each person, firm or corporation to whom the contract or contracts are let by the city council for the general fund of Oregon City and that as to the balance, each person, firm or corporation to whom said contract or contracts are let, shall look for the payment only to the sum assessed upon the property liable for said improvement and not to the city.

FOR SALE—134.74 acres of good land only 12 miles from Oregon City, with the best timber that comes to the city; good saw mill and planer. Price is reduced very low for a quick sale. Will take some property in exchange; good terms. John Brown, Gresham, Ore. FOR SALE OR RENT—9-room house in Gladstone. Will not refuse a reasonable offer. Inquire at this office.

STATISTICS SHOW THAT EIGHTY-EIGHT OUT OF EVERY HUNDRED MEN OVER SIXTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE ARE DEPENDENT ON CHILDREN OR CHARITY. This is convincing proof of NATIONAL PROFLIGACY in this land of plenty where opportunity exists for every man to gain at least a competency. We have INHERITED THIS VICE in the same way and for much the same reasons that we have inherited our characteristic optimism. So persistent and buoyant is this habit of ours of LOOKING ALWAYS ON THE ROSY SIDE that we blind ourselves often to real dangers and decline not only to PROFIT BY LESSONS OF THE PAST, but refuse either to heed these lessons or to remember their bitterness.

ORDINANCE NO. An Ordinance for making an improvement of Seventh street, Oregon City, Oregon, from Division street west to the intersection with High street. Oregon City does ordain as follows: Section 1. The proposed improvement of Seventh street, Oregon City, Oregon, from Division street to the

Section 9. The recorder is hereby authorized to advertise for and receive proposals for the said improvement, but the council reserves the right to reject any and all bids therefor, and the mayor and recorder shall enter into a contract or contracts with each person, firm or corporation to whom the contract or contracts are let by the city council for the general fund of Oregon City and that as to the balance, each person, firm or corporation to whom said contract or contracts are let, shall look for the payment only to the sum assessed upon the property liable for said improvement and not to the city.

Section 10. The recorder is hereby authorized to advertise for and receive proposals for the said improvement, but the council reserves the right to reject any and all bids therefor, and the mayor and recorder shall enter into a contract or contracts with each person, firm or corporation to whom the contract or contracts are let by the city council for the general fund of Oregon City and that as to the balance, each person, firm or corporation to whom said contract or contracts are let, shall look for the payment only to the sum assessed upon the property liable for said improvement and not to the city.

FOR SALE—5-room house and filled lot, \$1800.00, or house and half lot for \$1200.00. Inquire 734 Eighth street, on Jackson. SUB-CONTRACTING, repairing old roofs and shingling a specialty. Strictly first-class work only, reasonable prices. W. M. Price, 118 Seventeenth street, Green Point, Oregon City. Pabst's Okay Specific Does the work. You all know it by reputation. \$3.00 Price. FOR SALE BY JONES DRUG COMPANY

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF OREGON CITY, OREGON CAPITAL \$50,000.00 Transacts a General Banking Business. Open from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.