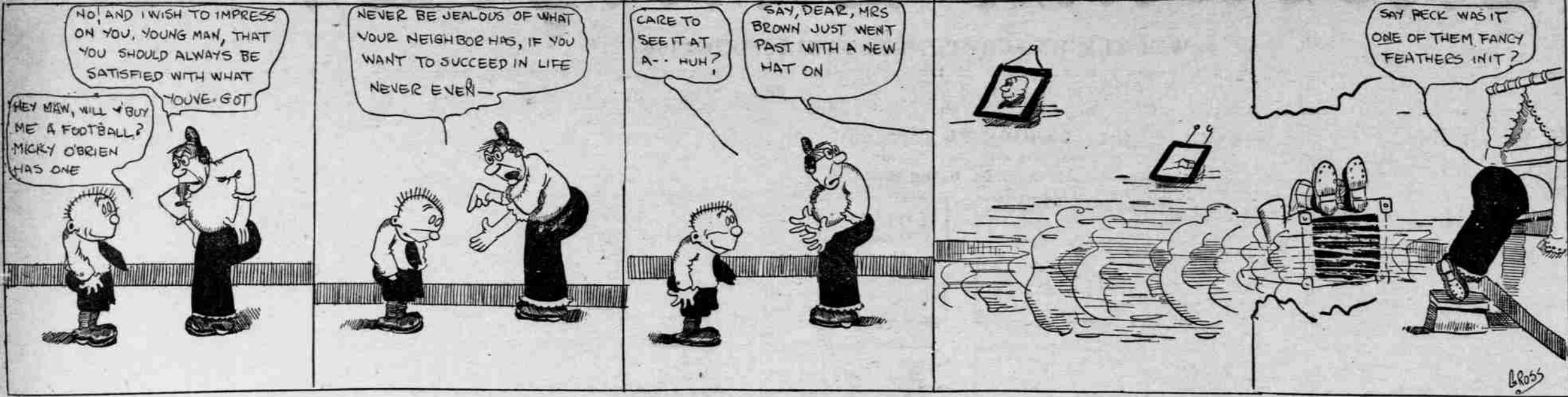


MR. HENRY PECK AND HIS FAMILY AFFAIRS

By Gross

HENRY JR. SAYS



THOU SHALT NOT COVET THY BROTHER'S GOODS—ONLY THY SISTER'S. HENRY PECK

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CITY OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER.

PRACTICAL THINGS in education are the favorites nowadays in all educational circles. The address of Frank Welles of the office of the state superintendent before the teachers of Clackamas county last week emphasized this feature of the work of the country schools.

Professor J. E. Calavan, county superintendent, has also that positive idea in the administration of the public school system of the county. He thinks that the schools of the county should be used to train the child for after life—not to stuff his head full of things for which he will never have the slightest use.

Under the old system of education, the faculties of the schools filled their courses with things and studies that the average child never had the slightest use for in his after life and that merely served to crowd out of his mind some of the other things that might have proved of real benefit to him.

The leaders of education have come to the point where they now realize all of this and the past few years have worked a tremendous revolution along this line. Now all of the county superintendents who are keeping pace with the trend of the times are inducing their various boards to cut out all of the useless work and teach those practical courses that give to the child some vital facts that will beneficially prepare him for his after career.

The school is the training camp for the young player on the diamond of life. The boy with the mechanical turn of mind should be given those opportunities that will give him the fundamentals of his chosen work. From the schools often come some of the country's greatest inventors or mechanicians.

Early in his school life, the trend of the child's mind is shown by the studies in which he excels. He should then be given a specialized course in those elements of that study that will be of benefit to him when he becomes a man and that will prove useful when he goes into the business or professional world.

The problem of making the courses of study practical has grown finer even than this. The county superintendent, for instance, believes, in cutting from those practical courses in the schools all that is useless and trivial and teaching to the students only those parts of the studies that will be of real value later after they have finished their education and the training that they have received in school being to be used.

Mathematics, for an example, is an essential in education. But there are features of the courses in that study for which the child has not the slightest use in later life and that merely take his time and crowd his mind when he ought to be devoting his energies in other ways. What good does the knowledge of cube root do a child who may become a lawyer? What benefit does he gain from one-third of the matter that is nowadays crowded into the text books or that was thrown in there only a few years ago? The essential thing in mathematics is the knowledge of addition and subtraction. From that basis, all of the problems of the average man or woman are worked. A thorough knowledge of that subject is an essential in all courses that are devised for schools because upon it hinges most of the business dealings in later

Much of the Blindness In the World Can and Should Be Ended Forever

By HELEN KELLER, Remarkable Blind and Deaf Mute

I WAS blind; now I see. I was deaf; now I hear. I was dumb; now I speak. The hands of others wrought this miracle in me.

I am glad to think of what the blind can do, because their brave accomplishments prove, absolutely prove, what people with five senses can do.

They show what good servants the brain and the senses can be when they WORK TOGETHER. You who see raise your eyes and behold the sun and moon, the earth, the ocean and the faces of men.

Those who are blind know how to be blind. They MUST ALSO LEARN HOW TO WORK TOGETHER WITH THE SEEING SO THAT EVERY BLIND CHILD MAY BE TAUGHT, EVERY BLIND MAN AND WOMAN HELPED. WE CAN. WE MUST UNITE SO THAT MUCH OF THE BLINDNESS IN THE WORLD SHALL BE ENDED FOREVER.

life. And yet, it is a fact that a large proportion of those students who pass through the educational mill have not a working knowledge of the subject and cannot figure for themselves any of the daily problems with which they are confronted in the ordinary course of business.

The same principle applies to English. No man is an educator today in the true sense of the word whose works are filled with words that stretch across half a line of type. Simplicity of words, concentration of thought in the shortest possible space and sentences, is now the keynote of a true education.

This is the principle of the reform in educational circles all over the country and particularly in Clackamas county. It is the keynote to Superintendent Calavan's administration. Practical things in education mean a useful education that trains the boy or girl for later life.

The Bank of Oregon City OLDEST BANK IN CLACKAMAS COUNTY. A bank account establishes your credit. Good credit opens the door of fortune.

CATTLE PRICES HOLD STEADY FOR WEEK

Receipts for the week at Portland stock yards have been: Cattle 757, calves 18, hogs 4330, sheep 5144, horses 103.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Real estate transfers filed with the county recorder, Monday are as follows: W. E. Simpson to Ida E. Simpson, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in block 4, Mountain View addition to Oregon City; \$1.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS

The following is a list of unclaimed letters at the Oregon City postoffice for the week ending November 28, 1913: Women's list—Cox, Miss Wilda; Kremer, Mrs. John; Mitchell, Maudie; Palmer, E. H.; Stoller, Edith; Taggard, Mrs. Ida; Throves, Grace.

CITY STATISTICS

LARSEN—Born, Sunday, November 30, to the wife of L. M. H. Larsen, 905 John Adams street, a daughter.

Livestock, Meats BEEF—(Live weight)—steers 7c; cows 6c; bulls 4 to 6c. MUTTON—Sheep 3 to 4c; lambs, 5 to 6c. POULTRY—(buying)—Hens 12c; old roosters 9c; broilers 11c. SAUSAGE 15c lb. PORK—10 to 10 1/2c. VEAL—Calves 12 to 13c dressed, according to grade. DUCKS—(Live)—13c; geese, 12c; APPLES—5c and \$1. DRIED FRUITS—(Buying)—Prunes on basis 4 for 35 to 40c. ONIONS—\$1 per sack. POTATOES—75 and 85c. BUTTER—(Buying)—Ordinary country butter 23c to 25c. EGGS—Oregon ranch, 45c. Prevailing Oregon City prices are as follows: HIDES—buying—Green salted, 10c. OATS—(buying)—\$23.50 and \$24.50 wheat 77c and 78c; oil meal selling \$38; Shady Brook feed \$1.30. CORN—Whole corn 36c; cracked \$37. SHEEP PELTS—75c to \$1.50 each. FLOUR—\$4.30 to \$5. HAY—(buying)—Clover at \$8 and \$9; timothy \$12 and \$14; oat hay best \$10 and \$11; mixed \$9 to \$12; Idaho and eastern Oregon timothy selling \$20; valley timothy \$15 to \$16. FEED—(selling)—Shorts \$24.50; bran \$22.50; feed barley \$30 to \$31.

GRANDMOTHER USED SAGE TEA TO DARKEN HER FADED OR GRAY HAIR. Mixed With Sulphur It Makes Hair Soft, Beautiful. Cures Dandruff. The use of Sage and Sulphur for restoring faded, gray hair to its natural color dates back to grandmother's time.

TRADE 17 1/2 acres of fine beaver dam land, 1 1/2 miles from McMinnville, all improved. Price \$4000.00; will exchange for equal value in Oregon City property or acreage near this city.

Heart to Heart Talks. "BOARDED UP." In the hot weather in the city, when the houses cast no refreshing shadows such as lie under the trees and along the fence rows in the country, there are two melancholy sights.

WE REPAIR ANYTHING AND EVERYTHING MILLER-PARKER COMPANY Next Door to Bank of Oregon City

CUT FLOWERS AND POTTED PLANTS Also all kinds of Fruit Trees, Roses and Shrubbery for sale at the new green houses at Third and Center Streets.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTED—Work by the day by a woman that will hustle. Call 1508 16th street. WANTED—Work of any kind by educated man of middle age. Address "S." care Enterprise.

Wants, For Sale, Etc

FOR SALE—Five or six acres on car line, four miles from Oregon City; easy cleared and level. Price \$200 an acre. Enquire Enterprise office. FOR SALE—Two light wagons; good as new. Inquire C. J. Hood, telephone Main 142.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Gold mesh watch fob, near skating rink at West Linn. Finder return to Grace Wilson, Gladstone; reward. L. AUSTIN, the tailor, for men and women. Suits made to your measure, alterations and refitting. Prices reasonable, Room 9, Barclay Bldg.

WOOD AND COAL 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 A120. F. M. BLUHM

NOTICE OF ELECTION Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the City of West Linn, in Clackamas county, Oregon, on the 31st day of December, 1913.

NOTICE In the matter of the estate of John C. Jaeger, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account as administrator de bonis non in the above named estate, and the above named court has set the 12th day of December, 1913, at the hour of 1:00 p. m., of said day at the court house of said county as the time and place for hearing any and all objections to the allowance and approval of said final account, and any person desiring to file objections thereto is required to file the same with the said court prior to said date.

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