

Experiment With A Chinese Plant On Kinton Ranch

Kinton, March 29.—A new experiment is being tried out in this part of the valley at the VanHorn ranch on Tila Flat road. They have recently set out some Ginseng, a Chinese plant. The results will be watched with much interest by all those who live in this locality.

Misses Ida and Rosa Bucher of Portland spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bucher.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wright and son, William, spent last Wednesday in Tualatin, guests of Mrs. Wright's sister.

William Wenzel was busy the first of the week grafting some of the walnut trees in the Wenzel walnut nursery on Cooper Mountain.

Mrs. Pearl Tozier spent the week-end with her family in Portland.

At the session of the Bible school Sunday Vice-President Charles Watkins resigned, and the vacancy was filled by Everett Wright, who will serve during the year.

F. C. Robinson and Wilda, Ada, and Alfa Robinson, of Scholls, were guests Sunday at the home of Mrs. Louise VanKleek, Pleasant Valley road.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wenzel of Portland spent the day Sunday with Mr. Wenzel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Wenzel, Cooper Mountain. Albert Solberg and sons, Howard and Gerald, of Portland, spent the day Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Chambers. Mrs. Solberg has been a nurse at the Chambers home during the illness of Mrs. Chambers.

Miss Luella Dallmann, who is employed in Gresham, spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dallmann.

There has been some quite heavy blasting during the past week as C. W. Young and August Wenzel have been getting ready to clear more land of stumps and later will put it into potatoes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. VanHorn were transacting business in Portland Saturday.

Mrs. E. L. Cox attended the meeting of the Scholls Woman's club last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. P. Taylor.

Mrs. Louise VanKleek and children, Mabel, Roy and Clifford, and Harry and Buster Wedeking visited with relatives in Hillsboro Saturday.

Miss Mildred Richards who has employment in a greenhouse near Tigard, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Vandermost of Portland spent the day Sunday at the home of Mr. Vandermost's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Vandermost. They also called on some of their old neighbors and friends.

Mrs. Fred VanKleek has been very poorly at her home on Pleasant Valley road during the past week.

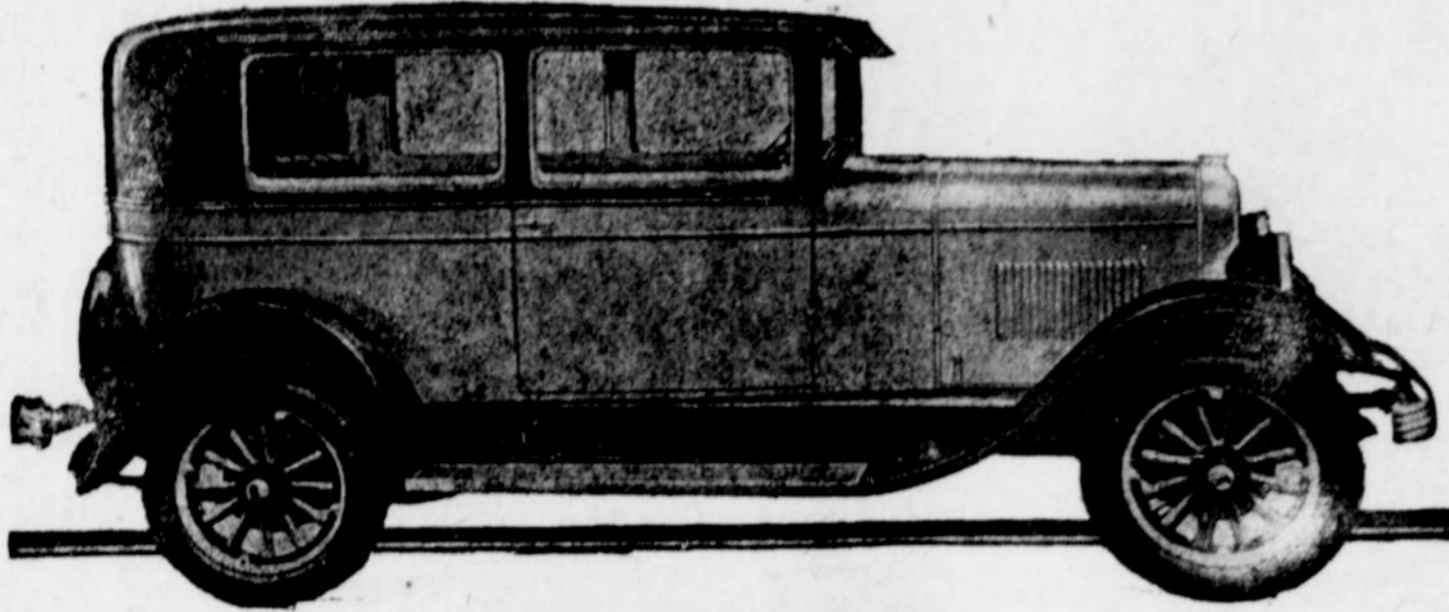
Mrs. E. McKenzie and son, Robert, of Umatilla, spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Harriette Ford.

At the special meeting of the Ladies' Aid society held at the church last Tuesday afternoon numerous samples of wallpaper were shown. A crew of men has put the paper on the walls of the church.

Joseph Wenzel, who is attending normal at Monmouth, visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Wenzel, from Friday to Monday.

The following pupils of the school have received high honors in arithmetic during the past three months:

Triumph of Motor Car Industry Shown Here!



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New Star Two-Door Sedan, the largest closed car for the World's Lowest Price, is shown above. This new car is on display at the showrooms of Otto Erickson & Company.

James Richards, first grade; Lucille VanHorn, second grade; Lois Bierly and Roscoe Bierly, third grade, and Mary Catherine Hall and Carl VanKleek, fourth grade.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williams of Portland were visitors Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. VanHorn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hansen of Baker spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Valentine. Mr. Hansen is a brother of Mrs. Valentine.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Saelens of Portland spent the week-end with Mrs. Saelens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Snider.

Mrs. J. C. Snider and son, Lester, were calling Monday at the home of Mrs. Snider's sister, Mrs. A. J. Larkin, of Scholls.

Frank C. Fluke began painting the interior of the grange hall the first of the week.

The grange will hold another "500" party at the hall on the evening of Saturday, April 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Snider and family of Lake Grove were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. Snider's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Snider.

Vaudeville Show To Be Held Soon At Watts School

Watts, March 29.—The child welfare and entertainment committees of the Watts Woman's club are giving a vaudeville show in the Watts community hall on Gales Creek road Friday, April 6, at 8 p. m.

The following program will be given: Music, saxophone and piano; Mrs. Mike Yunker and Dorothy Ringerson; song, "Among My Souvenirs"; Ernest Schmid; dance, Highland Fling; Marie Busch, Billie Beaton, Agnes Larsen and Mildred Ihrig; music and singing, uke girls; reading, Gertrude Reuter; harmonica, Mrs. H. Wright; reading, Blanche Britton; music, saxophone and piano; comedy, "Mrs. Stubbin's Book Agent," with the following characters: Miss Amelia Marryme, Mrs. Louis Larsen, Sr.; Mr. Pegleg P. Galep, Thoraid Bagley; Deacon Wheezy, Louis Larsen, Jr.; Mr. David Stubbins, N. A. Frost, and Mrs. Abira Stubbins, Mrs. N. A. Frost; "Preacher and the Bear," Mrs. Ernest Schmid and Walter Dilley;

reading, Herbert Deuell; song, "My Blue Heaven," Mrs. Mike Yunker, and music by the uke girls.

The Watts Woman's club will meet at the home of Mrs. Robert Warren on the Gales Creek road Thursday, April 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Miller, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Ledford and son, Robert, motored over to the lower bridge on the Sandy river near Troutdale, and in a short time they caught their supply of smelt.

Carloads of people from Portland motored out to Shamrock Acres on the Gales Creek road to see the beautiful sea of daffodils.

Mildred Ihrig entertained the Camp Fire girls at her home last Saturday afternoon. Miss Ethel Smith, leader, Billie Beaton, Agnes Larsen, Mabel and Nina Wilson and Marie Busch were present. After the business meeting Mrs. J. K. Ihrig served refreshments.

Misses Evangeline Forst and Esther Feneza of Forest Grove attended the Chicago civic grand opera in Portland last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Frost, Jr., their son, Jack, Mrs. Frost's mother, Mrs. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Frost of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Maitland and daughter of Mountaineer visited at the N. A. Frost, Sr., home Sunday afternoon.

Harry Kryder of Seattle spent Sunday visiting his father, C. H. Kryder, and his sisters, Mrs. Harry Farrand, Mrs. Hettie Kapple, and their families.

Harry Farr's new home is completed and they are moving in this week.

Laurel, March 29.—Fire of unknown origin destroyed Don Pearson's barn on Iowa Hill about 9 p. m. March 17. Don, who lives alone, had left home less than half an hour before the fire was discovered by neighbors. It had gained such headway that no effort could be made to extinguish it. Six cows, two horses, about 30 tons of hay, some grain, and all the farm machinery were burned. A small amount of sacked grain and some dynamite

were saved. The house caught fire several times, but was saved. The loss was about \$3,200, half covered by insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Marsh and two daughters, of Vancouver, were week-end visitors at the W. L. Strange home. Mr. Marsh is Mrs. Strange's brother, whom she had not seen for 18 years. He located the Strange family through a letter which Mr. Strange had written on the auto tax question to the Journal. Mrs. Marsh was Emma Minier before her marriage when she lived on the mountain above the Cady place.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Saunders of New York City, Tom Louttit and Miss Mary Saunders of Portland, were dinner guests at the J. Mainland home last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders came to Portland by way of the Panama canal to visit the Louttit family.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Watkins and children motored to Portland Friday to visit Mrs. Watkins' brother, Charles Larson, who is rapidly re-

covering from an appendicitis operation.

Miss Luella Fennell was a week-end visitor at the Wills' home. She was one of the graduates of the Oregon normal school at Monmouth last Thursday.

Will Stevens, Ed. Demmin and Adolph Schmidt went to the Sandy Sunday after smelt, but they were a few hours late, so came back without any.

The Roy Fields and Roy Heineck families and Ade Rutschman went to the Burgett Vose home at Oswego Sunday to help celebrate Burgett's and Frank Menne's birthdays. A bounteous dinner was served. Those present besides the Laurel folk were Mrs. Fanny Messenger, Mrs. Andy Veik, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Menne, Miss Erma Vose and the host and hostess and two sons, Arno and Lowell.

The program given at the community hall Monday night by school district No. 80 was very good. The sale of pies netted about \$21, which

is to be used to purchase playground apparatus.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mulloy went to Tualatin Thursday to visit Mr. Mulloy's brother, Alfred, who is quite ill with pneumonia.

Seek Equalization

Preliminary session with field assessors have been completed by W. F. Boley, county assessor, who every effort be continued toward equalization of assessments. The field assessors started out Monday morning.

NOTICE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Hillsboro, Oregon, did, on March 20th, 1928, pass a resolution declaring its intention to improve Jackson street from the east line of Fifth street easterly to the west line of Sixth street, such improvement to be made in the following manner, to-wit: By bringing the surface of said portion of said street to the proper sub-grade, paving the roadway with macadam pavement of an approximate thickness of six inches, and of a width of 22 feet, laying and constructing concrete curb, concrete cornerstones at driveways, driveways, providing suitable drainage, and by doing such other improvement work as will make a proper and appropriate improvement, said street improvement to be made in accordance with the provisions of the Amended Charter and the ordinances of said city, and at an estimated cost of \$1,100.00, but if the owners of 75 per cent of the property affected by said street improvement, and upon which assessments will be levied to pay for the same, shall, by petition presented to the City Council before the adoption of an ordinance declaring the same,

agree upon a different kind of an improvement, the estimate of the cost thereof, and the specifications of the same, shall be made upon the basis of the character of the improvement so selected, and the City Council reserves the right to designate a different kind of an improvement if the property owners so direct, as above specified.

That written objections and remonstrances to said proposed street improvement may be made and filed with the Recorder of said City at any time before 8:00 o'clock p. m., on April 3, 1928, and the said City Council will thereupon proceed to hear and determine such objections and remonstrances, if any such be filed.

This notice is given by order of the City Council of the City of Hillsboro, Oregon.

HELEN McDANIEL, Recorder of the City of Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon. 4-6

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The Oregon Monument Works, located at Fourth and Main streets, Hillsboro, is one of the largest works of the kind in Oregon. Here a large stock of Granite or Marble, both in the rough and the finished product, is to be found. Some of the massive pieces of granite in the rough measure 10 feet in length, 4 feet in width, and weigh several tons. These are usually made up into large monuments or broken into small jobs for distribution throughout the state.

The company uses "Rock of Ages" granite from Vermont, Oregon granite from Ashland, and also imports considerable stock from Scotland and Sweden.

The Oregon Monument Works was established in Hillsboro about 12 years ago, and at this time is under the management of H. H. Stannard, a Hillsboro resident for five years, and formerly connected with the business under the management of the late M. N. Lewis. Mr. Stannard came from the middle west, where he operated a

large monument works, and has had over 20 years of experience in the monument business, and is an experienced workman and carver of granite and marble, and many of the finest monuments in the various cemeteries testify as to his skill. Some of the memorials recently erected in the local cemetery were for J. M. Goar, Mrs. W. F. Boley, G. W. Gowin, Louis F. Emmott, A. A. Morrill, and others too numerous to mention.

The Oregon Monument Works has a branch stock in Newberg, and does considerable business there and in the surrounding territory. At the present time the company has on their books orders for jobs going to Salem, Portland, Tillamook, Forest Grove, Willamina, and other places throughout the state.

OTTO WEDMAN of New York, a memorial craftsman of many years' experience, has recently been added to the cutting force to take care of the rapidly increasing business.