

# 'Miss Santiam' Contest is Due to Close Saturday Night

## STAYTON LIONS SEEK BEAUTY

### Feminine Beauty From All Nearby Towns to Be Assembled

STAYTON, July 9.—At no time in the history of Stayton has there been assembled the beauty of face and form that will be present at the big jamboree and dance that is being put on by the Stayton Lions club on Saturday night, July 12.

This is the night when "Miss Santiam" is to be chosen from girls who are present at the dance. Already Lyons, Mill City and Scio have chosen the girls who are to represent their respective town in this contest. Other girls will be present from Shaw, Turner, Amityville and Stayton.

Florence Turner is the selection from Mill City. Lois Frank from Lyons and Scio has entered Alma Phillip and Ardythe Shelton. Arlene Riches and Bernice Riches are Turner entries. Mattie Higberger and Louise Higberger are the girls representing Amityville. Fernie Amor and Annort and Genevieve Kell are from Shaw. Monica Blad and Theresa Starr are the Sublimity entries and Stayton enters Gloria Weddle, Georgia Hunt, Alice Champ and Doris Champ. Any other girls who care to enter, if they are residents of the Santiam valley, may attend the dance and enter on that night. They do not need to dance, however to be eligible.

From the above named, said to be Santiam valley's most beautiful girls, one girl is to be chosen who will go to Portland on July 17 as "Miss Santiam." Here girls from all over the state will be assembled at the Lions trolle and one girl from this group will be sent to Galveston, Texas, there to compete with girls from all over the United States. The expenses of the winners trip to Portland will be met by the Stayton Lions club. The expenses of the winner selected to go to Texas will also be taken care of by the Lions club of Oregon.

This big final selection and dance will be held in the open dance pavilion, excellent music has been secured for the occasion, the tickets are the usual price for dancing and all who attend will undoubtedly have a big evening. Judges from out of town who are not partial, but who really know what points will count in a contest of this kind have been engaged. Come and see the Santiam valley's most beautiful girls.

### MOTOR TRIP ENJOYED

HAZEL GREEN, July 9.—Mrs. W. C. Davis returned Sunday from a vacation spent with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Slater of Coquille. They took Mrs. Davis on a motor trip down the coast by Bandon returning by the Redwood Highway to Grants Pass, then to Crater Lake returning to Seaside, where Mrs. Davis took the stage for home.

## Veteran of Civil War Who Resides at Jefferson Recalls Former Encampments

By ANNA KLAMPE

JEFFERSON, July 9.—The only veteran of the Civil War now residing in the vicinity of Jefferson is Eli Mills. He has recently returned from the 49th annual G. A. R. encampment at Eugene and reports that he was next to the youngest soldier present, his age being 82.

Mills tells a story of attending the national encampment at Minneapolis, Minn., in 1888, at which a prize of a twenty dollar gold piece was to be given to the youngest soldier enlisting during the civil war; and as he was the youngest soldier, was the lucky winner of the gold piece.

Mills volunteered for service February 21, 1864, being just a boy not quite 15 years old, joining the 122nd Ohio Volunteer Infantry. On April 9, after his enlistment, he became ill with typhoid fever and had to remain in the hospital in Philadelphia for 14 weeks.

After his recovery, he was back in the regiment again. He fought in the battles of the Wilderness and Culps Hill, under General Meade. He received his honorable discharge June 1865.

He also had two brothers who served during the civil war: Clark who was with the seventh Iowa, and Christopher, who was with the 96th Ohio.

Mr. Mills is a native of Ohio, his father died when he was seven years old. Soon after he left home, making his way working in a saw mill, and on a ranch, until his enlistment.

He traveled around a great deal during his early life, finally coming to Oregon in 1885, locating at Tillamook.

In 1913 he moved to Jefferson, where he and his wife reside on a small tract, near the north city limits.

A prized relic in the Mills home is an old fashioned clock, which was brought from England. It was owned by his wife's great grandmother.

The clock is about 14 inches high, an doppel of the clock, is a cupola made of solid copper; and hanging within the cupola is a brass bell about five inches tall, which strikes the hours.

## KOCHER RITES TO BE HELD TODAY

HUBBARD, July 9.—Funeral services for Earl Kocher will be held in the Hubbard city hall Thursday morning at 10 o'clock with Rev. S. E. Long of Salem officiating. Interment will follow in the Hubbard cemetery where Knights of Pythias rites by members of Arion lodge will be held.

Mr. Kocher's death at his home Tuesday morning was caused by a cancer of the head. Mr. Kocher, the son of Christian and Laura Kocher, was born at Aurora November 8, 1891. In



Mr. and Mrs. E. Mills of Jefferson. Mr. Mills is the only veteran of the civil war residing in the Jefferson community.

1914 Mr. Kocher and Miss Winifred Will, daughter of Augustus Will of Hubbard, were united in marriage. Mr. Kocher is survived by his wife and children, Leola and Vera, his mother of Aurora, two sisters, Mrs. Dan Heppler and Mrs. Ray Fish, both of Aurora, and two brothers, Elden Kocher of Aurora and Ralph Kocher of Woodburn.

### THIS IS CAUSING TROUBLE

AUMSVILLE, July 9.—Chas. F. Hien has Henry Fennel busy with a tract this week working a large field which Mr. Hien is summer fallowing this summer to kill some Canadian thistles which had gotten quite a start.

## MICKEY MOUSE



## 'POLLY AND HER PALS'



## LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY



## TOOTS AND CASPER



## NEW FAMILY AT SWEIGLE

### Electric Service Being Extended to Farm Homes Around Here

SWEIGLE, July 9.—Another new family has moved into our district, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gordon. They bought the Brees ranch. Sunday morning at eight o'clock Miss Clara Hoffman and Mr. Carl Soos were married at the home of the bride. They left for Orange, California, where they will spend two weeks seeing the state.

The P. E. P. company have extended their service to two more families. Mr. Myers and Mr. Silvers are having the lights put in the house. Struts has been quite ill for the past week but is beginning to improve.

Mr. and Mrs. LaBahian and C. F. LaBahian are leaving today for their home in Orange, Cal., after visiting Mr. Hoffman and friends for the past three weeks.

## Mehama Couple Married Recently

MEHAMA, July 9.—Miss Ruby Titze and Roy Downing were married last week. Mr. Downing is employed by Hamilton Co. at Camp 26 where the young couple expect to make their home.

Miss Titze has made her home all her life a few miles west of Mehama. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ledgerwood are having a two weeks vacation at Gold Beach and California points. Joe Stodola, brother of Mrs. Ledgerwood accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Timberlake of

## Woodburn Has New Fire Engine

WOODBURN, July 9.—Much excitement was caused in Woodburn today when the new 500-gallon pumper, ordered by the city for additional fire protection, was parked on Front street. The pumper was given a thorough test and a minor defect made it necessary to take it back to Portland for repairs. Delivery is expected in a few days.

The new pumper will fill a long felt need in Woodburn's city service department. It is said that the old truck, which has been in use for about 15 years will be retained for emergency use.

Portland and Mrs. Highby and baby of Milwaukee, Wisconsin are guests at Mr. and Mrs. Bohannon's home. Mr. Timberlake is a brother of Mrs. Bohannon's.

## LABISH STRAWBERRY IS CROP BELOW PAR

LABISH CENTER, July 9.—Strawberry harvest in this vicinity is being completed this week. In comparison with other localities the crop here in most cases is not up to par, although the Bibby, Daugherty and Mahler fields made good averages.

"How to Spend the Quiet Hours" was the title of a very beautiful and impressive skit which was presented as a special feature at Christian Endeavor Sunday evening this month.

MOTOR TO SOUTH

WOODBURN, July 9.—Gus Block and his two sons have motored to California where they plan to spend two weeks with relatives.

## ROBERTS CLUB ENJOYS PICNIC

### Community Group Makes Merry at Riverdale Park

ROBERTS, July 9.—The annual community club picnic held Sunday at Riverdale park on the W. C. Pettyjohn farm was an enjoyable event. Besides those in this community many old time residents were present and enjoyed the bounteous basket dinner and sports and contests which followed. Winners of the contests were as follows:

Swimming race, June Edwards; tug of war, Roy Rice, Henry Shuebel, Raphael Bettincourt, J. P. Blankenship and W. C. Pettyjohn won against Irwin Selby, Claude Selby, D. Pettyjohn, Ed Tyler and Joe Ringwald. Small boy's race, Leroy Edwards; sack race, Roy Rice; little girl's race, Marie Stutesman; three-legged race, Wesley Goodrich; sack race, Roy Rice; little girl's race, Frances Blankenship, first and Naomi Crouser, second; Humpty Dumpty race, Marie Stutesman and Maxine Pettyjohn, young married woman's race, Rebs Edwards.

## Amity Firemen Respond Soon To Early Alarm

AMITY, July 9.—Early Friday morning the town was aroused by the blowing of the fire siren to which all the local firemen responded in a very short time.

The source of the call was at the home of Le Loser. With the aid of chemicals and water the firemen were able to extinguish the flames before much damage was done.

## OLD PHAETON IS SEEN

### Rickey Recalls Travel Mode of Other Days

#### OWNER IS NOT KNOWN

RICKEY, July 9.—Early one morning recently the Rickey people were treated to an unusual sight which recalled the olden days, when an old fashioned phaeton drawn by two horses passed through the community.

Occasionally a buggy or hack is seen but it has been years since a vehicle of this type has been seen here.

About 35 years ago a double phaeton was owned by J. M. Munkers who then owned the A. J. Hager farm. At that time this was considered a classy way of

traveling. This time Rev. P. S. Knight of Salem, for whom the Knight Memorial Congregational church of Salem was named, owned a one seated phaeton in which he used to travel from Salem to Macleay when he conducted services two Sundays of the month. To whom the vehicle seen here belonged and what was the destination was not learned as the reporter was awakened by the sound of the horses' feet on the pavement only in time to sit up in bed and watch it pass by.

## AURORA FAMILIES ENTERTAIN GUESTS

AURORA, July 9.—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McAllister accompanied by their son Donald, visited at the home of their son Frank McAllister here last week. They were returning from a trip to Alameda, Cal., and before going to their home in Spokane, Wash., will visit John McAllister, another son who was a one time student of Woodburn high school. He is now located at Seattle.

Karl Schwab has been visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harper of Gervais, and assisting with the crops.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hill and her three young sons, Richard, Delbert, and Louis, together with Joe King, has gone to Bellingham, Wash., to visit an uncle, John King, who is leaving soon for the east to make his home with his daughter, "Uncle John" as he is

called by many, has lived in Aurora a number of years and is well known. Mr. and Mrs. M. S. McCoy and daughter Virginia of Lexington, Va., who are making a six weeks tour of the west, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lebler.

## OKLAHOMA GROUP TO PICNIC JULY 20

HAZEL GREEN, July 9.—Come all ye Oklahomans folk and have a good time at the all day picnic given by the Oklahoma association at the Hazel Green park July 20.

W. A. Dalsell will give the principal address. Other numbers will be arranged. P. H. Penny of Salem, president; Ezra Hart of Jefferson, secretary; T. H. Clark of Salem, Mrs. W. G. Davis of Hazel Green, Byron Brown of West Salem are the committee on arrangements.

By IWERKS

## Cross-Word Puzzle

By EUGENE SHEPHERD

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- HORIZONTAL**
- 1—establish
  - 2—group of students
  - 3—move up and down
  - 4—prefix like
  - 5—name of a river
  - 6—exists
  - 7—plural of
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Answers to puzzle are: 1. school, 2. class, 3. elevator, 4. pre-, 5. Nile, 6. exist, 7. classes, 8. down, 9. down, 10. down, 11. down, 12. down, 13. down, 14. down, 15. down, 16. down, 17. down, 18. down, 19. down, 20. down, 21. down, 22. down, 23. down, 24. down, 25. down, 26. down, 27. down, 28. down, 29. down, 30. down, 31. down, 32. down, 33. down, 34. down, 35. down, 36. down, 37. down, 38. down, 39. down, 40. down, 41. down, 42. down, 43. down, 44. down, 45. down, 46. down, 47. down, 48. down, 49. down, 50. down, 51. down, 52. down, 53. down, 54. down, 55. down, 56. down.