

HAZEL GREEN CHURCH HEARS GOOD REPORT

Choose Delegates for Conference at The Dalles Recently

HAZEL GREEN, Aug. 7.—The last quarter conference of the church year was held Tuesday afternoon. Superintendent Rev. P. W. Ponting of Vancouver, Wash., gave a very encouraging report of the work of the past year. People are more loyal, spiritual condition is better. The financial status in this time of depression. Rev. Ponting is superintendent of the Oregon Conference of the United Methodist church, this district composed of Oregon and Washington. Delegates to the annual meeting to be held in The Dalles in September 10 to 14, are for conference G. G. Looney, C. A. Van Cleave, alternate. Mr. Looney will also be representative of the adult department. Miss Ruby Woodward and Mrs. C. A. Van Cleave to the Children's department. The Christian Endeavor to elect their delegate later. The Women's Missionary are allowed three delegates.

Dr. Russell Shewers of Dayton, Ohio, Miss Luetia Fox, the general secretary of the Children's work, also of Dayton, Ohio, and Dr. N. Huffman of San Domingo, will conduct conferences on various phases of the work. Dr. Huffman and Mrs. Huffman were among the very first missionaries to Porto Rico when it was open for work. For some years they have represented the United Brethren's church in the union work in San Domingo. We are fortunate to have so well qualified instructors for the mission department, as the book chosen for mission study this year by the council of women for home missions, is "Between the Americas."

RESUME SERVICES AT LABISH CENTER

LABISH CENTER, August 7.—Regular church services will be resumed again Sunday at the Labish Center school house following a two weeks dismissal due to the camp meeting at Jennings Lodge. Sunday school at 10:00 o'clock will be followed by preaching by the pastor, Rev. H. R. Scheuerman, at 11 o'clock. During the Christian Endeavor meeting at 7 p. m. a special feature.

two "Laying the Ghost" will be presented by the lookout committee.

Ernest Garbarino, Fred McClaughy, and Edward McClaughy, of the place and Samuel Ramp of Brooks, motored to Portland Wednesday to attend the Silverton-Portland American Legion junior baseball championship game.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. DeGross and son Bob, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Weinman and daughter Constantine, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weisman, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Starker, Mrs. W. R. Daugherty, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Garbarino, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Klampe, and Mr. and Mrs. O. G. McClaughy motored to Tigard Wednesday to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Caroline S. Weinman, mother of Mrs. DeGross and daughter of Mr. Weinman, who died suddenly Monday morning. Death was due to a blood clot over the heart.

Miss Gertrude Hornsuech of Liberal, Oregon, is a guest at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hornsuech. Mr. E. H. Rhodes left Wednesday for Hillsboro where he will remain for several days.

Mrs. McAdoo At Perrydale

By MADELINE CALLIN
Newspapers are a part of the every day life of Mrs. I. M. McAdoo, Statesman correspondent from Gervais.

Mr. and Mrs. McAdoo own and publish the Gervais Star and in addition to writing much of the news for this, Mrs. McAdoo is official correspondent for the Oregonian and The Statesman. Mr. McAdoo attends to the mechanical part of the paper and Mrs. McAdoo to the news work. She believes in "going out after" the news and as soon as she hears of a possible story she hops into her car and goes after it. She is thoroughly familiar not only with the town of Gervais but with the farming country around the town and has written several excellent stories of farm conditions.

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FARMERS PROFIT FROM EXPERIMENTS

Visit to State College Proves Valuable to Polk County Farmers

DALLAS, Aug. 7.—Experiment all work on the state college farms at Corvallis is continuously developing things of economic importance to the farmers of western Oregon. A recent visit to the experimental fields showed that there are several things of particular importance to Polk county farmers right at this time.

Clover growers like to use rape with their clover. After they seed the clover they pasture the growing rape. In recent years quite a bit of rape seed has been brought in from Japan and China. Upon experimental trials at the state college this seed has proven to be inferior. The difference in price is only slight so it behooves the livestock man to insist that he gets the genuine Dwarf Essex rape from England or adjoining European countries. It is the best yielder and produces the most forage.

Another interesting crop being developed at the state college is a spring-seeded field pea that is shelling out approximately one ton of seed per acre. This spring-seeded pea is not yet available for distribution but County Agent J. R. Beck states that he has a small supply of the seed from the field where it had been growing and hopes to get it started on some farm here in the county next spring. Because of its heavy yield it offers an opportunity for the production of a high protein feed for dairy cattle.

Hannehen barley, long a favorite of Polk county farmers, is apt to give way to an improved strain from Sweden. This new barley is about as fine a looking crop as one could ask for and is a heavy yielder of high plump grains. It has been developed by the same people in Sweden that developed Hannehen barley. Mr. Beck states that he is trying to arrange for some of this seed to be grown on one of the larger barley pro-

ducing farms here in Polk county.

Another barley that is of interest is a selection from the strain known as OAC No. 7 which is a high yielding, sometimes winter killing as it did last year. This selection from OAC No. 7 is extremely hardy and so far growing side by side has not winter killed but it does not yield so well, although over a period of five years it has harvested higher than OAC No. 7.

New methods for treating oats and barley to prevent smut are proving easier and more efficient than the old formaldehyde and blue vitriol treatments. Oats and smut are the trade names for two new preparations that have proven almost one hundred per cent perfect. Besides ease of handling, the grains can be treated in advance and seeded when ready without injury to their germination. Oats has been tried in Polk county this year with good results on the G. O. Rempel farm at Perrydale and the R. F. Lee farm south of Rickreall.

On the adjoining farm of S. H. Robinson irrigation is used for the production of root crops. In the Perrydale community J. A. Campbell is pumping water with an electric motor onto a good sized field that is seeded to grass, alfalfa and Ladino clover. Mr. Campbell is using this for pasture for his large dairy herd. In the same district J. D. Van Well has prepared a small field and just seeded it to Ladino clover and grass for pasture. Mr. Van Well has his field laid off in terraces so that the water is more easily and quickly put on.

The last two stops are in the Mill creek district where C. W. Brandstetter and John Vincent are just completing preparations of fields for seeding to Ladino clover and grass for pasture. These men secure their water by gravity from a diversion ditch from Mill creek.

On some of the farms the water is taken by ditches, on others by canals. The various places offer a mighty good cross-section of the different means that are utilized for getting water onto land here in the valley. Every owner of the county that has any water tributary to his land will do well to join this tour which is to be held Monday.

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GERVAIS BOARD BUYS SCHOOL BUS

GERVAIS, Aug. 7.—An adjourned meeting of the board of Union high school district No. 1 was held Tuesday evening and the question of a new school bus was settled. The board decided on a Ford chassis and engine with a Wayne built body having a carrying capacity of 22 pupils with room for eight more seats down the center aisle if needed. This will be an entirely new outfit and is the same type bus as is being used by most of the districts.

The teaching staff was also completed at this meeting by the signing of Miss Rachel Wilson of McMinnville for the Domestic Art and coaching. The staff is composed of James D. Brehaut, principal and mathematics and geometry; Mrs. Helena Estudillo, history and dramatics; Harold Tamm, science and coaching; Miss Marie Ann Schaefer, English; and Miss Wilson, Professor Brehaut and Mrs. Estudillo are entering on their fourth year at Gervais, and the others are new this year.

TOUR POLK FARMS NEXT MONDAY

Irrigation Farming to Be Studied by Party Led by County Agent

DALLAS, Ore., Aug. 7.—The first Polk county irrigation tour is scheduled for next Monday, starting at 9 o'clock at Rickreall. Visits will be made to six farms where irrigation, largely for pasture purposes, is in various stages of development.

The first stop will be at W. O. Morrow's farm where Mr. Morrow is using water from the LeCrore on his alfalfa mainly for producing a third cutting of hay and in irrigating alfalfa for hog pastures. On the adjoining farm of S. H. Robinson irrigation is used for the production of root crops. In the Perrydale community J. A. Campbell is pumping water with an electric motor onto a good sized field that is seeded to grass, alfalfa and Ladino clover. Mr. Campbell is using this for pasture for his large dairy herd. In the same district J. D. Van Well has prepared a small field and just seeded it to Ladino clover and grass for pasture. These men secure their water by gravity from a diversion ditch from Mill creek.

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present to tell of the successful returns they have secured from pasturing their dairy herd on irrigated Ladino and grass pastures.

Mill City

MILL CITY, August 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Raines and daughter, Patricia, arrived home Sunday evening from Newport where they have been for the past month on a vacation trip. Mr. Raines has returned to work at Camp 17. Miss Gwendolyn Dike who was a guest of the Raines family while they were at Newport returned to Mill City with them Sunday. Monday, Miss Dike will spend the remainder of the summer up to Detroit where she will spend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Dike. Mr. Dike is Southern Pacific agent at Detroit.

Virgil Averill, editor of the Brownsville Times and Miss Taylor, former editor of the Times were visitors in Mill City Monday at the Logue office. Paul Hendricks editor of the Aurora Observer was another visitor in Mill City Saturday and also called at the Logue office. Hendricks is in company with a party of friends was here on a fishing trip.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Holmes of Independence were saddened to hear of the death of the latter in Salem Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Holmes were residents of Mill City for several years and while here Mr. Holmes was in the general merchandise business. Mrs. Holmes was a member of Marilynn chapter, Order of Eastern Star of this city. Among Mill City residents who attended the funeral services in Salem Wednesday afternoon were Mrs. T. W. Allen, Mrs. C. M. Cline, Mrs. A. Scott, Mrs. W. Chestnut, Mrs. A. A. Holthouse, and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Adams.

MILL CITY, August 6.—Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Rada spent the greater part of the week in Portland where Mr. Rada attended a meeting of Atwater-Kent dealers. Mr. and Mrs. Silas S. Brown and six children of Wichita, Kansas, spent part of the past week in Mill City on a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Newman. Mr. Brown is an attorney. Ed L. Johnson, president of the state board of barber examiners, was in Mill City Tuesday

on official business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hendrickson and son Alvin of San Francisco, arrived in Mill City Wednesday evening from Heppner where they had been on a brief visit to Mrs. Hendrickson's parents and as well to get Alvin who had been visiting there. While in Mill City they will be guests of Mr. Hendrickson's mother and sister, Mrs. Ellis Hendrickson and Miss Daley Hendrickson.

Mrs. E. J. Richards of Mill City is in Gates on an indefinite visit at the home of her son, E. J. Richards, Jr., Mrs. Richards is in rather poor health.

Miss Dorothy McMarsters and sister, Miss Marian of Eugene, spent Tuesday in Gates. Miss Dorothy has accepted the position of head of the English department in the Gates schools for the coming year.

F. W. Jones and daughter Myrtice of Gates are spending several days in Philomath with Mr. Jones' mother, Mr. Jones' father died recently.

A. J. Sals of the Jordan valley neighborhood had the misfortune to lose one of his valuable work horses last week.

Knights of Columbus and their families enjoyed a picnic at the Wilson park in Jordan Sunday with about 250 present for the day.

Raymond Goodwin of Gates sprained one of his ankles Wednesday morning while working at the Charles Sullivan Logging camp near Mill City. Etelle Myers is working in Goodwin's place.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Horner of Gates and Mrs. Nina Wadsworth Kahler of Mill City drove to Soledad Sunday to participate in the annual reunion of the alumni of the old Mineral Springs college.

Mrs. T. Pauly, Norman Pauly and Mrs. L. Mongrie who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Joost of Gates for the past several weeks left for Portland Tuesday and from that city will leave in the near future for their home in Chicago. Mrs. Pauly and Mrs. Mongrie are sisters of Mrs. Joost.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Foust of Salem are spending a week or two in Mill City while the former is assisting at the Hammond company store. While here they are also looking after the Robert Quinn home while Mr. and Mrs.

Quinn are visiting at the home of their son, Dan Quinn, in Astoria. Mrs. Foust is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Quinn.

Guests at the E. Dunivan home in Mill City Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lehotka and daughters Nell and Betty, and Miss Anne Evert of Portland, and Mrs. Dorothy Hanie and Mrs. Marvin Roth of Salem. Additional dinner guests were Mrs. Fern Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dunivan of Mill City.

Mrs. Paul Brown and baby son, Charles Arlington, who recently moved to Camp 17 of the Hammond Lumber company from Portland, spent Monday in Mill City. The Browns are former residents of Gates but have lived in Los Angeles for sometime previous to last spring when they went to Portland.

Bits For Breakfast

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mediately beneath our feet are stretched the rich prairies, enlivened by three beautiful streams, which conduct the eye to small lakes at the foot of the hills.

"We stopped to enjoy the romantic view from this place, which was designated by the name of Clark's Point of View (it is now called Tillamook Head), and then followed our guide down the mountain. The descent was steep and dangerous: in many places the hill sides, which are formed principally of yellow clay, has been washed by the late rains, and is now slipping into the sea, in large masses of 50 and 100 acres. In other parts, the path crosses the rugged perpendicular rocks which overhang the sea, into which a false step would have precipitated us. The mountains are covered with a very thick timber, chiefly pine and fir; some of which, near Clark's Point of View, perfectly sound and solid, rise to the height of 210 feet, and are from eight to 12 in diameter. Intermixed is the white cedar, or arbor vitae, and a small quantity of black alder, two or three feet thick, and 60 or 70 in height."

(This will be continued tomorrow.)

By IWERKS

MICKY MOUSE



"POLLY AND HER PALS"



"A Drop In 'One'"



"A Corking Good Shot"

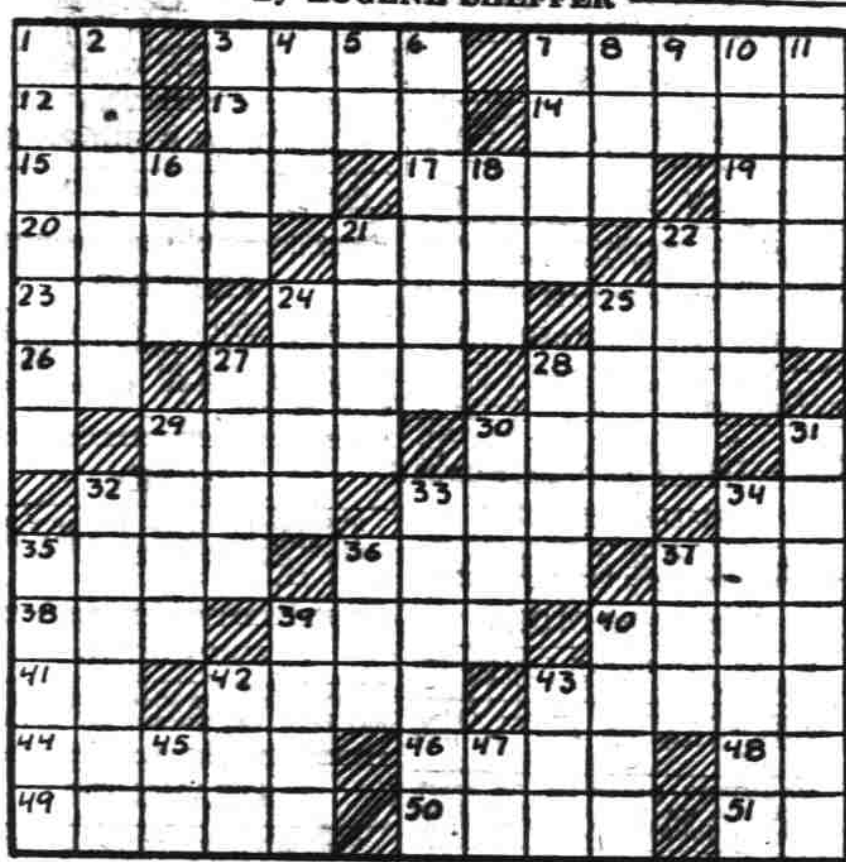


By CLIFF STERRETT



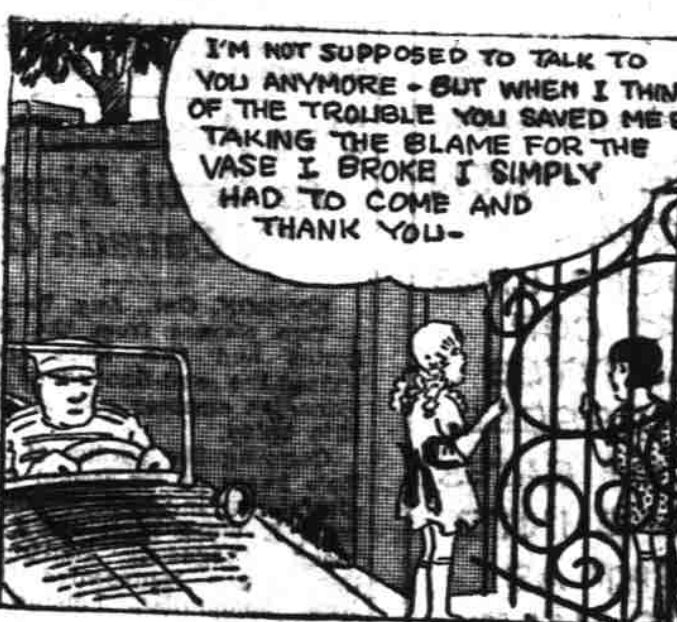
Cross-Word Puzzle

By EUGENE SHEFFER



- HORIZONTAL**
- Of what State (abbr.) is Atlanta the capital?
 - According to Heywood "a cat may look on" what?
 - Hurry.
 - Common Latin conjunction.
 - Plains surface.
 - What bright constellation on the equator is named for a hunter slain by Artemis?
 - On the banks of what river are Geneva and Lyons?
 - Small salamander.
 - French definite article.
 - Flesh used as food.
 - Look at distance.
 - Prevalent stone.
 - Smile.
 - Stall.
 - What is the correlative of love?
 - Symbol for sodium.
 - Raised platform.
 - What famous statesman was called "The Censor"?
 - Coverings for the head.
 - Decline.
 - Mentally sound.
 - Concern.
 - Parrot.
 - Leap.
 - Less than the whole.
 - Existed.
 - Exposure to moisture.
 - Receptacle for holy water.
 - Barn.
 - Part of the verb "to be."
 - Melody.
 - Region in ancient Scotia.
 - Make amends.
 - Who discovered laughing gas?
 - Symbol for lithium.
 - What is the missing name: The second wife of Napoleon I was— Louise?
 - Beverage.
 - Army coin (abbr.).
- VERTICAL**
- Of what country was William II, the last emperor?
 - When did the Romans identify with Minerva?
 - Of what German philosopher was it said that the climate set their clock by him because he took his walk at the same minute each day?
 - Anger.
 - Symbol for neon.
 - Which of the sacred crops of India flows into the Himalayas and flows into the Bay of Bengal?
 - Who wrote "The Battle Hymn of the Republic"?
 - Skill in performance.
 - Note of the scale.
 - What Spanish city on the River Tago is famous for its sword blades?
 - Fox.
 - Seed of cereal grain.
 - Tree.
 - Who made the motion leading to the convening of the Stamp Act Congress in 1765?
 - Opening for passageway.
 - Sail.
 - Who was Secretary of the Interior in the U. S. from 1913 to 1920?
 - Native of Denmark.
 - Two-wheeled vehicle.
 - Deer.
 - Tumor on the skin.
 - City in New Jersey.
 - Mid-day nap.
 - What famous did Jacques Cartier explore in 1534?
 - Capitulation Bay in the Philippines celebrates the surrender of what city?
 - What was the last king of Troy?
 - Hawaiian food.
 - Pain.
 - Laborer.
 - Black bird of the cuckoo family.
 - Hall.
 - Either.
 - Shortened form of Alfred.

LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY



"The Eavesdropper"



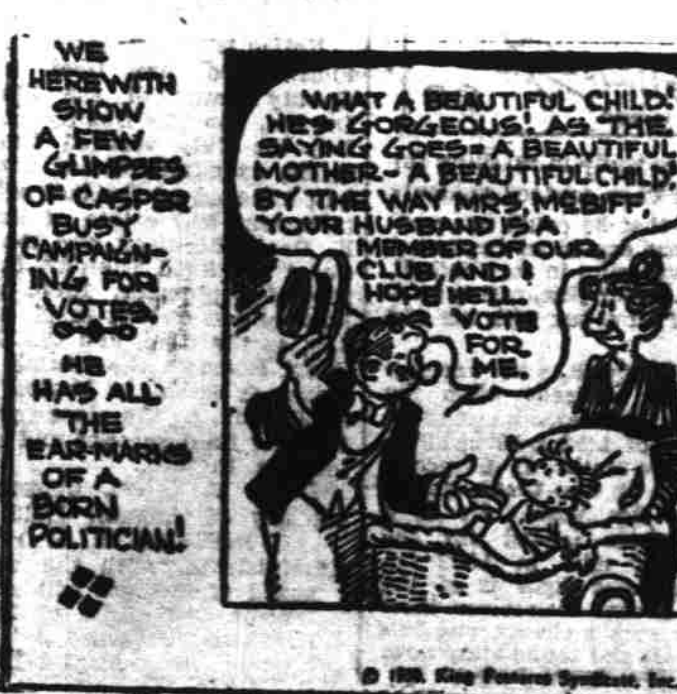
"A Born Politician"



By BEN BATSFORD



TOOTS AND CASPER



"A Born Politician"



"A Born Politician"



By JIMMY MURPHY

