

Mehama School Play Equipment Stays in Freight Depot

SCHOOL MINUS PLAY MATERIAL

Mehama Board Refuses to Pay Twice for Same Supplies

MEHAMA, September 3—Mehama school will open Monday September 8 but without the new playground equipment that was planned for the school, despite the fact that it was ordered in the spring.

The former Mehama school board ordered the equipment from a man who gave his address as Salem. They paid the full price in advance, being told that by doing so they would get the equipment for about half price. The agent claimed that by ordering so early in the season and paying in advance the reduction was made possible. The school clerk is in possession of the paid in full contract.

The equipment came but with it came the bill to the school district for the full amount. Since the school board did not consider the apparatus worth two prices it was not accepted and is still stored at the West Stayton freight depot. In the meantime the board is endeavoring to get in communication with the company selling the playground equipment and the school children will have to do without the things they had hoped to enjoy. The same teachers who were in Mehama last year will return this year. They are Mrs. Poyner in the upper grades and Mrs. Boyington in the lower grades.

GUESTS NUMEROUS IN SIDNEY AREA

SIDNEY-TALBOT, Sept. 3—Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Farr are spending a week at Netarts and Newport.

Miss Cora Starr of Salem spent the weekend and Labor day here with her father and sisters, who are working at Jacobson's hog yard.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Doty of Kelso, Wash., spent the weekend at the home of their mother, Mrs. N. H. Doty. Norris Doty returned home with his parents, after spending the summer here with his grandmother.

Mrs. E. J. Freeman and her mother were Salem visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Freeman and son, will leave Wednesday morning for Cathlamet, Wash., where they will visit relatives until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Blinston and daughter, Olive, visited relatives in Salem Sunday afternoon.

MODERN DIANA AIMS IN OHIO



One of the fair contestants in the women's rifle matches at Camp Perry, Ohio, which are held annually in connection with the National Rifle Matches. She is Mrs. Eleanor Wade, of Toledo, Ohio, shooting in the senior women's matches.



WEST SALEM NEWS

J. M. Fisher who is a night guard at the state penitentiary, is having his annual vacation and he and Mrs. Fisher will go to Newport tomorrow. From there they will travel leisurely up the coast as far as Neskonowich where they will be joined Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Krobb and family of Kingwood Heights who will be with them over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hess and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Richardson have Sunday to Harmony, near Sheridan, where they attended a gathering at the Baptist church. Tea preachers of that denomination were present from different places including Salem and Portland who assisted in the day's program. A bountiful chicken dinner was served in the oak grove surrounding the church.

Mrs. Leonard Bargoyne and baby daughter Leona spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Fox, Sr., of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Smith and family motored to The Dalles one day recently where they are visiting Smith's parents.

Mrs. Frank Hilke has been taken to a Salem hospital for treatment. Mrs. Hilke has been in very poor health all summer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rodgers and children, Claude, Lester and Wanda of Scio are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Rodgers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Burke of the Riverside auto camp ground.

Miss Mabel Porter with Mrs. Carrie Fisher and her son Joe Fisher of Salem drove to Taft Sunday. They returned home the following day by way of Newport. The skeleton sky scraper being erected north of the West Salem box factory is an elevator for loading "hog fuel" (sawdust, shavings and other wood waste) from the factory. The elevator

STRAVENS FUNERAL HELD AT GERVAIS

Relatives Find 74 Year old Woman Dead in bed Tuesday

GERVAIS, Sept. 3—Mrs. J. D. Stravens, 74, was found dead in her bed at the home of her son, John S. Stravens, with whom she had made her home since the death of her husband in 1927, about five o'clock Thursday morning. The deceased was Anna Hagenaier before her marriage about 50 years ago to Mr. Stravens, the wedding taking place in Gervais. She was born in Germany and came to the states when she was about 18 years old. Eight children were born to this union, seven of whom are still living. They are: Joe Stravens and Mrs. Tillie Kahut of Woodburn; Mrs. Mary Krause, Mrs. Annie Spaulding and Mrs. Helen Sutton of Portland; Frank and John Stravens of Gervais. She is also survived by 28 grandchildren, one brother, Peter Hagenaier, of West Woodburn and a sister in California.

The funeral was held Saturday morning from the Gervais Catholic church, in which she was married, although this is the third edifice in the time that has elapsed. Rev. Father H. A. Orth officiating. The pall bearers were Fred Hecker, Frank Nosack, Henry and Fred Eder, Mat Miller and Martin Vaclter. She was laid to rest beside her husband in the Gervais Catholic cemetery.

GOES TO MISSOURI

TURNER, Sept. 3.—Mrs. F. C. Deibel left Sunday afternoon for a visit to her old home in Missouri. She will visit her people in Kansas City and other nearby points. She expects to be from home two months.

HOP PICKING ON

RICKREALL, Sept. 3—Hop picking started at the George Carrol's hop yard Tuesday. He expects to have about 10 days picking. Mr. Carrol has 55 more pickers than last year. Bosses are Ray Brown and Bill Rowell.

MICKEY MOUSE

"Getting a Jump on Mickey"



"POLLY AND HER PALS"

"Men of Their Word"



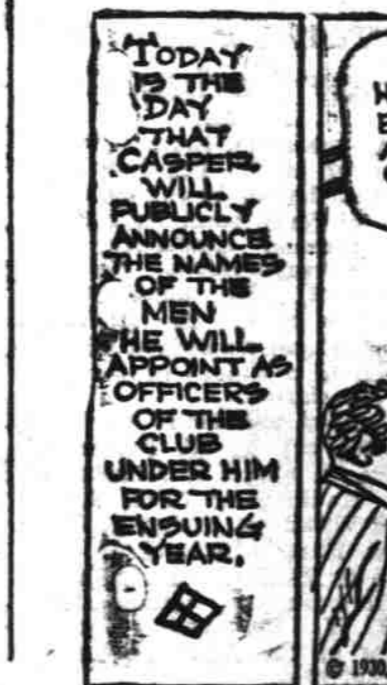
LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY

"She has a 'Hunch'"



TOOTS AND CASPER

"The Colonel Appreciates Good Judgment"



OFFICIAL WELCOME TO "SURPRISE FLYERS"



From a viewpoint of sincerity perhaps this led them all as they jumped on the running board to extend a spontaneous welcome to Captain Wolfgang von Grassat, commander of the "surprise flyers," at the official municipal welcome at City Hall New York.

SILVERTON CANNERY HAS GOOD SEASON

SILVERTON, Sept. 3—The Silvertown Food Products company, the Silvertown co-operative cannery, is finishing up its bean pack this week. The quality this year, according to cannery officials is excellent and the pack contains between six and seven thousand cases. A carload of the beans was shipped Tuesday morning to New York.

Next week the Italian prune pack will begin. The pack of evergreen blackberries is now underway. This will not be as large as last year as many of the bushes in the low lands were frozen out last winter.

The local cannery pack has been moving very swiftly this summer and there is not so very much left in the warehouse.

Cloverdale Farm Being Improved

CLOVERDALE, Sept. 3—Mrs. Earl Hedges and children will leave this week for eastern Oregon, where she will teach this winter.

William Anderson is having a new cottage built on his ranch. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schifferer and two children Mabel and Edith spent a week visiting relatives at Colfax and other cities in Washington.

Olga Hadley and family spent one evening last week here with her brother Ivan, on his way to his home in California.

Mrs. Mary Stanley of Turner spent the past few days here with her mother, Mrs. L. E. Henkle. Ivan Hadley will carry the mail on route 2, while Fred Gunning is away.

Louisiana farmers planted 1,298,000 acres in corn this year, an increase of 10 per cent over 1929.

FORMER RESIDENTS AT BRUSH COLLEGE

BRUSH COLLEGE, Sept. 3—Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Lehman had as their guests over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Earl Irons and son, Gene, of Seattle, and Miss Grace Hendrickson and Miss Helen Hendrickson, both of Astoria. Both Mrs. Irons and Miss Grace Hendrickson were formerly teachers in the Brush College school, Mrs. Irons leaving after school closed last year to make her home in Seattle.

Miss Hendrickson taught here for three years, closing her work here four years ago, and is now a teacher in the Salem schools. Miss Helen Hendrickson is a teacher in the Astoria schools. Miss Helen and Miss Grace Hendrickson accompanied the Irons on their return trip to Seattle Monday morning.

HARVEST NEARLY OVER AT FAIRVIEW

Threshing Finished and Cucumbers Being Picked For Factory

FAIRVIEW, Sept. 3—Threshing has just been completed in this neighborhood.

Delmer Leatherman of Portland spent the weekend at the F. W. Turner home.

H. R. Jones is harvesting the cucumber crop on the Birdal place. He has contracted sixteen tons with a local firm.

Helen Dent is visiting in Spokane, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Caldwell of Portland spent the weekend at the home of Mr. Caldwell's father Harry Caldwell.

Claude Neil has rented the farm owned by Dr. Oleson of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. George Palmer motored to Astoria Sunday evening. While there they called at the Hartley home.

Guests at the Joe Lucia home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Johnston Dallas.

A picnic was enjoyed at Whitman's Bar Sunday. After swimming, a delicious fried chicken luncheon was served to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Caldwell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rowan and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sekon and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jones and children, Mrs. Leona Dent and son Wilbur, F. W. Turner, Eileen Turner, Margaret Turner, Miss Turner and Delmer Leatherman.

Eileen Turner is improving rapidly after her long siege in the hospital where she was treated for a mastoid infection.

Robie Scott of the Provo, Utah, fire department weighs 385 pounds.

By IWERKS

By CLIFF STERRETT

By BEN BATSFORD

By JIMMY MURPHY

Cross-Word Puzzle

By EUGENE SHEFFER

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- HORIZONTAL**
- 1—disorder in intellect
 - 4—Roman god of a particular locality
 - 7—student at a military academy
 - 12—era
 - 13—the self
 - 14—worship
 - 15—short sleep
 - 16—named as a candidate for election
 - 18—incloses
 - 19—minute particle
 - 21—city in Nevada
 - 22—soon
 - 23—made by a cast
 - 26—quantities of medicine
 - 28—city's name
 - 30—authorized representatives
 - 33—African fly causing a disease to animals
 - 35—meaning
 - 34—slender, bristling organs
 - 38—favorite
 - 36—back of the neck
 - 39—stupid person
- VERTICAL**
- 1—holding of a lord
 - 2—love feast of ancient Christians
 - 3—one sustained by
 - 41—land
 - 42—measure in intellect
 - 43—weird
 - 44—beggary
 - 47—eggs
 - 48—pertaining to a plane surface
 - 49—title of respect
 - 50—near
 - 51—suffix
 - 52—plunders
 - 53—observes
 - 54—arid
 - 5—past citizens of Rome
 - 6—one learned in ecclesiastical law
 - 8—the first man
 - 9—small point
 - 10—before
 - 11—spread far
 - 12—drying
 - 13—Japanese statement
 - 19—Mid-day (pl.)
 - 22—brose in Roman antiquity
 - 23—one of countless small solid bodies in the solar system
 - 24—peasier's measure
 - 25—very small
 - 27—shoots of metal perforated to produce a design
 - 28—British naval (1814-1894)
 - 29—venomous snake
 - 31—aura to the right
 - 32—artificial
 - 33—segment of a circle's circumference
 - 35—resident
 - 36—unit with
 - 37—daily
 - 38—journey in street
 - 39—plan
 - 41—supra
 - 42—unit
 - 43—bird

Herewith is the solution to yesterday's puzzle.

MARC	GER	MAR	MA
AREA	OAT	OGEE	
PATRIOT	IRENE		
SB	ENC	CLAN	
CLASS	FOURTE		
LETS	ARTAS	RA	
ALE	STAND	POT	
IS	ATOMS	MUBE	
CARBINE	SON		
HONE	POR	TO	
SPOUT	PATTERN		
PENN	LAC	ALIE	
AGED	OWE	LIER	

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