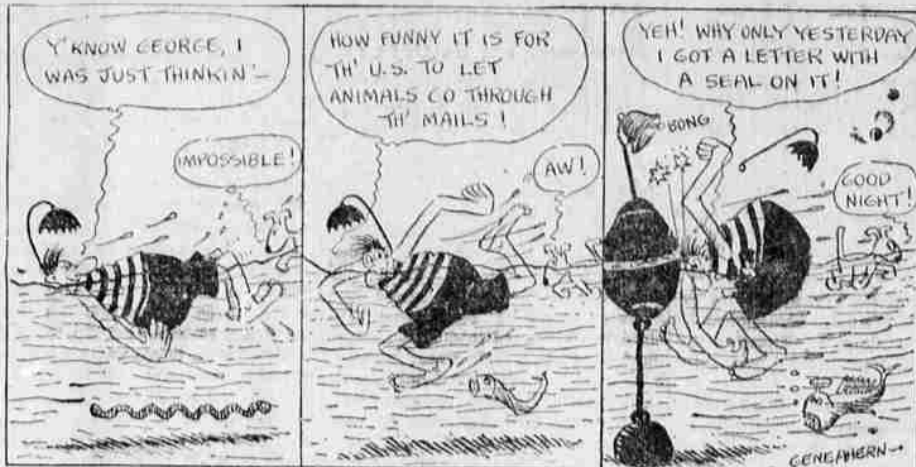


Squirrel Food



CONDUCTS EXPERIMENTS IN PEAR PICKING

C. C. Cate is conducting a series of experiments to determine the proper time to pick the Rogue river valley pears. The tests are made by determining at stated intervals the sugar content of pears. Check is made on pears picked the same date and placed in cold storage. The shriveling is noted and between shriveling and sugar content a check can be made to determine the proper time to pick. The effort is to get a "hard green" that can be picked without danger of shrivel. Mr. Cate also hopes to determine the earliest point at which the pears can be picked most profitably. It is likely, he thinks that if his tests had been known, the pears of this year's crop could have been picked early and most of the loss due to last night's wind storm averted. The results of the experiments will be put into final form and final results made public within two or three weeks in form to guide next year's picking.

On a visit with her sister. They had been to Crater Lake and were on their return trip. They reported the road in good condition and the trip worth taking. J. G. Smith of Portland was doing business with our hardware merchants Saturday and visiting an old friend, Mr. F. M. McPherson. He represents the H. J. Frost Co., of New York, manufacturers of fishing tackle. Port Stowell was also among the business callers Saturday. Mrs. Elizabeth Cox of Phoenix walked into town from the All Vista orchard, where she had been to visit a son, to visit Mrs. J. T. Zimmerly, the hostess of the Farmer's Hotel, last Saturday. She is in her 85th year and seems as spry as many of the women of 30. She lives alone, although she has children that she could live with, but says that she prefers to live alone. She raises a garden, keeps hens and by that means manages to keep busy and consequently, contented. Lee Watkins and his daughter, Mrs. Pearson and daughter and Mrs. Simmons and son, all of Medford, were visiting Mrs. John Watkins last Saturday. On Sunday Mr. D. E. Heney and wife and Mr. George Roberts drove up to the Sunnyside just before 11 o'clock a. m., and held a consultation as to whether they could wait until 12:30 for dinner, for they were on their way to Crater Lake and on being assured that they could go to Silver creek, where they wanted to camp, easily in four or five hours, finally decided to stay, as Mr. Heney said that he had boarded here for four days four years ago, and he knew what was coming. John Tyrrell and wife and Herman Meyer and wife, J. W. Grover, wife and daughter, Miss Vesta, Leslie Abbott, Guy Pruett and Henry Trusty were here Sunday for dinner. Sunday morning the road was lined with autos on their way to Crater Lake and among those who went from here were Dr. Holt and daughter, his mother-in-law, Mrs. Prey, and Frederick Heath, returning Monday forenoon. Monday I met George H. Himes secretary of the Oregon Historical Society, on his way from Crater Lake. He said that he had been about 20 years trying to see the lake and had just succeeded. I see in the Medford Sun that the reporter sets the time of his arrival at 1899 and he has been the Secretary of the Oregon Historical Society for the past 50 years, as he came here in 1863. He is one of the noted men of the Pacific coast. In my rounds Monday I dropped into F. L. Heath's store and there I met Jack Hiltson and a friend living on Rogue river. Mrs. E. L. Rountree and Mrs. David Cinzade Mrs. Cinzade is the woman who was given up to die in the Good Samar-

tian Hospital and was so miraculously cured. She says that she feels as well as ever before and has gained in weight some 20 pounds. Miss Emma Roberts of Ashland is at this writing the guest of Mrs. David Cinzade. Miss Doray Diamond has been visiting Mrs. Charles Cinzade. Mrs. Benjamin Brophy is spending a few days with Mrs. T. B. Higgenbotham on Rogue river near Florence Rock. Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Holt of Ashland were on the P. & E. car Tuesday on their way to Butte Falls, and so was O. Adams. Earl Croft brought in about three and a half dozen chickens this morning for Mr. Newport and took his check for \$10.56 for them, verify there is something to be made in the chicken business. Monday evening there was a surprise party given to Mr. Freeland Newport, our depot agent and Mrs. William Perry at the home of the latter, it being the 36th birthday of Mr. Newport and Mrs. Perry, both the same age, born August 7, 1880. Another incident in connection with their life is that Mr. Newport married Mrs. Perry's sister in San Francisco, before Mrs. P. was ever known to him. A long table was prepared on Mr. Perry's lawn and a sumptuous meal was served. The surprise party was gotten up by the near relatives of the two in whose honor it was arranged. Those present almost all being related, either by blood or marriage. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Grover and daughters, Misses Verta and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Norman McQuoid and daughter Miss Norma, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ashpole, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Ayers, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ayres, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Newport and daughter, Miss Lucille, Mr. and Mrs. William Perry and daughters, Misses Fay and Stella. The lawn was interspersed with Japanese lanterns and after supper was served the evening was spent playing games and in social conversation. At late bedtime the company dispersed, wishing the lady and gentleman many happy returns of their birthdays and a long, happy and useful life. Roy Cobeleigh, who has been writing for Thomas F. Nichols on his ranch on South Little Butte creek, came in to the Sunnyside Monday, spent the night and took the train for his home near Butte Falls Tuesday. Tuesday we had with us for dinner Mr. W. C. Mandall of Portland, representing the Nyal Company's medicines, carried by the Von der Helten Hardware Company. Mr. and Mrs. Owen Grigsby and her two children and her sister-in-law Mrs. E. G. Grigsby and Miss Yena Kershaw and one of the Holman girls, all of Wellen. Mrs. O. D. Wright of Bakerfield, Cal., and son took a room at the Sunnyside Friday. She expects to remain for some time.

ter. Mrs. Price leaves in the near future. Those attending were Mrs. James R. H. Moore, George Iverson, B. E. Adams, Bart A. Adams, S. V. McFarren, E. M. McIntyre, A. E. Kellogg, Lucy Mee, C. N. Shaver, Eva Newton, J. H. Starns, E. T. Simmons, R. L. Darling, F. M. Avery, W. H. Gardner, T. N. West, R. C. Kelsey and Misses Nora and Bessie Newton, Gladys Darling and Ruth Starns. B. E. Adams came in from the Morrill ranch Thursday afternoon. He is contractor for some vast improvements which are being made at that well known ranch. James Burns returned Wednesday from a week spent at Crater Lake. Mrs. O. E. Blackington of Galls Creek was in town Tuesday. Miss Hazel Knotts and Eunice Dungey of Galls Creek were in Gold Hill Thursday. Mrs. R. E. Cook of Rock Point was in Gold Hill Wednesday shopping and visiting friends. Mrs. George Lane (nee Blossom Beeman), formerly of this city, but more recently of Amity, Oregon, came down Thursday afternoon for an indefinite stay with her parents and numerous relatives in this city and vicinity. Professor and Mrs. Bart A. Adams and daughter Enid, who have been spending part of their vacation in their old haunts in and around Gold Hill, returned Thursday morning to their home in Lakeview. The Amethyst Rebecca lodge of Gold Hill initiated two new members Wednesday evening at their regular session. Mrs. Wm. Staewe entertained Thursday evening to compliment her sisters, Miss Claire and Katherine Baker and Miss Margaret Perry, who are visiting her this summer. Martin Bowers, wife and daughter Helen, left Thursday afternoon for a visit. Mrs. S. T. Hodges spent Wednesday with friends in Ashland. Mrs. J. W. Merritt returned Wednesday evening to her home in Central Point. Mrs. Eva Newton after spending a few weeks at the ranch home of her brother, Curtis E. Miller, of Sams Valley returned to this city and is staying at her home in the west part of Gold Hill preparatory to going to Corvallis with her daughter Bessie the next term. Mrs. Paulson and daughter, Harriett, of Sardinia creek went to Medford Friday afternoon to spend a few days. Mrs. Amy H. Baker of Eugene has been spending a few days in Gold Hill and left Friday afternoon for Medford for a short time. Mrs. L. S. Noe and two children returned Thursday morning from California to get established in her home in the west end of town before school.

Notice of Bond Sale. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will receive sealed bids or proposals for the purchase of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars six per cent (6) thirty (30) year (optional after the first year) general obligation bonds at his office in the city hall not later than 5 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, September 5, 1916. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check equal to five (5) per cent of the bid, said check to be made payable to the City of Medford and to be forfeited to the city in case the bid is accepted and the bonds are not purchased in accordance with the said proposition within twenty (20) days after acceptance, but to be returned to the bidder in case his offer is not accepted by the city. The above bonds will be sold for the highest price obtainable, but not for less than par and accrued interest. The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids. ELMER T. FOSS, Recorder of the city of Medford, Oregon.

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EAGLE POINT EAGLETS

By A. C. Howlett Harold Simpson came out last Saturday and went up above Brownboro to visit his father, Frank Simpson. At Mayfield and wife were here the last of the week visiting his brother-in-law, Wm. Knighston. E. D. Hill of Ashland was on the P. & E. car Saturday, en route to visit his son, who has a saw mill near Derby. There was a quantity of sand and crushed rock on the car to be used in remodeling the school house in Butte Falls. Tuesday B. F. Piper and his three employes, with a quantity of cement was on the P. & E. en route to Butte Falls, to work on the construction of the building. Mrs. Alice Booth and son were also on the car on its return trip and so was Guy Bishop and wife and his sister, Miss Alice Bishop. They were met here by John Owens in his Ford and taken to his ranch on Dry creek. W. C. Daley and his son, George W. Daley, Jr., were also here on business Saturday. Since I last wrote for the Mail Tribune, I think it was on Friday, Mrs. F. H. Madden and her sister, Mrs. Frederick P. Lamb, Miss Francis Gurley, Mr. Robert Wilson and Mr. Carter Brandon stopped here for dinner. Mrs. Madden, Miss Francis Gurley and Mrs. Wilson are of Central Point, Mr. Brandon from Medford and Mrs. Lamb is from Chicago, here

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COURT HOUSE NEWS

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GOLD HILL NUGGETS

Although there will be no preaching at the church Sunday a fine program is arranged for Sunday night to which the public is invited. It might very well be called a "Riley" night as some of his well known pieces will be read, also a tribute to the "Poet Laureate of Indiana," written by Ben Hur Lampman will be read. In the absence of a pastor it is the intention of those interested to make every Sunday night so interesting that none can afford to miss them. Wednesday afternoon a crowd of the representative ladies of the town and vicinity called at the home of Mrs. C. H. Price on Fifth avenue to express their regrets at her leaving. Mrs. Price is going to spend the fall and winter months at Corvallis and will be greatly missed by the community. Besides owning and managing the "Home Dining Hall," she has been active in every church activity, also local community enterprises of every description, so that to find one to fill the void will be a difficult mat-

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TAKEN UP

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