Confessing Christ.

The following is a copy of a lefter written by W. E. Godsey, now of Hood River, to his former Sunday school class-

mates in Kentucky To the pupils of the Christian Sunday School at Pleasantview, Ky.: As I can not be with you in the Sunday school next Sunday, I will write a few lines on was approved, and the road ordered the subject—the important subject of oper "Confessing Christ," and when to be-

Christ.

What is the meaning of this expression so commonly used now— confessing Christ?" The word confess means ing Christ?" The word confess means a great deal more than most of us think as the Harbison bridge, was accepted, it does. To confess a thing means to

Saul of Tarsus, and a number of others; what noble confessions of Christ they made. It is a beautiful story, I enjoy reading them over and over; you read them and you will enjoy them also. These confessions are good examples for us. To confess Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior and repent of our sins and be forgiven, is a grand thing. When we do this, God promises to forgive our past sins and to grant us help of His Holy Spirit to do right and to prepare for heaven. Jesus said, "whoseever therefore shall confess me before men, him will 1 confess also before my Father which is in heaven."

dered that a levy of 25 mills be made on the assessment roll of 1902, 20 mills for state, county and roads and 5 mills for the public school fund.

The following bills were allowed to residents of Hood River valley at the recent meeting of the county court:

J F Watt, professional services to indigent. \$15.00

A S Blowers & Son, supplies to indigent. \$17.55

O B Hartley, supplies to indigent 6 20-A A Jayno, rebate in overcharge divorce case. 10.00

him will I confess also before my Father which is in heaven."

Somebody asks, "When ought we to confess Christ?" I think we ought to confess Christ as soon as possible; we ought to first understand what we are doing, then go ahead. Most all of you boys and girls know what you ought to do to become Christians. Your Sunday when I teacher has doubtless taught you.

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christ. I had been attending several big meetings, all of different denominations, for a long time, and had got so confused and mixed up in "denominations" that I could not tell just what to do. I had made up my mind to join some church but didn't know which one to join. I would talk with one preacher and he would tell me to do a cortain way, that his church was the certain way, that his church was the right one; another preacher would tell me that they were in the right church, and soon. I wondered why they weren't all together, like the Scriptures say in Eph. iv, 4; v, 23-30; Rom. xii. 5, and John x, 16. I studied about this sincerely for a long time; in the meantime I read the book of "Acts" two or three times and was convinced that the "church" was the church of Christ, and that was good enough for me, so I im-mediately joined the church and have thanked God for the day I did it. I think it's enough to be called a Christian, and a Christian only.

Now, what would our country be like if the church and Sunday schools were blotted out? Just think about this. What would your life be? You who have been raised up in a Christian home probably think because of this you are a Christian. If we confess Christ in our hearts it won't do very much good, we must confess Him before men. Now you can see this is right, and it is your duty to make a start, so why not start now? Begin today, you will never regret the day that you began to serve God. Your conscience tells you to do this and do it at once. Do you know how happy your parents and friends would be to see you go forward and confess Christ and be baptised? Your friends would be happy on earth and the angels would rejoice in heaven.

After joining the church our work has just begun. If we don't intend to do any work for the Lord we might as well to stay out of the church. I have seen church members when called on to lead in prayer beg to be excused, and

in prayer beg to be excused, and they made good leaders at some parties. We all should so live in the church as to set a good example before some of our friends in the world; if we do this and hold out faithful, it will be the means of bringing some of your friends to the Lord. There is an obligation resting upon each of us. If Christ gave

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All you boys and girls in the Sunday school are my friends and a great many of you are my old schoolmates. For this Frank Stanton, John West and Christians. reason you are very dear to me, and my wishes are that you all may confess Christ.

Dethman were appointed viewers of the road petitioned for by F. R. Jackson and others.

own it; to confess a thing means to own him as our Lord and master, and to do whatever he says for us to do. We also confess Christ by coming into His church; it is our duty to do this

Look at the accounts of Cornelius, the Ethiopian eunuch; the Phillippian jailor, Saul of Tarsus, and a number of others; what noble confessions of Christ they the assessment roll of 1909 20 mills for

Reply to "Verdant." 7 Hood River, January 20, 1903—Ed-itor Glacier: In your Issue of January 16, is a communication from some person who, with a view solely to the eternal fitness of things, signs, himself

"Verdant," on the question of water "Verdant," on the question of water supply and fire protection. Like that class of people always do, he favors, municipal ownership, with its natural consequences, loading the municipal corporation down with bonded debt and the people with the burden of in-terest, and continual partisan scramble for control of the water-works and

division of spoils.

It is an easy task to locate "Verdant" and tell where he belongs, as is the case with all agitators who belong to the "Herry" Most-Goldman school of anarchists who are always leaders to create strife between the common can be had.

Louis Baidwin is building a grubbing machine and expects to do some
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na, Elkins and a few others who have devoted their time and sweat and tolled with their labor and capital to develop the coal of the East in the hills and store it away until a time of great troubles, female complaints, nervous resting upon each of us. If Christ gave his life for us, ought we not in return to acknowledge Him and give ourselves unto His service? I am, Your true they may cultivate habits of economy always follow their use. Only 50c, guar-friend, W. E. Godsey.

is as necessary to the development of a

James Wishart and Jay Hess are log-ging for the Mount Hood Mill Co. This is fine weather for logging, and a few are taking advantage of it.

To push us to the tomb." Ziba Dimmick of Walla Walla has

been here visiting his mother, Mrs. Perkins, for the past three weeks. He returned home Saturday. He is farm-ing 300 acres of land in Walla Walla

The Secret of Long Life

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round to encourage either of us.

I suppose I led him along two miles when I came to a deep cut in the road.

courage, etc." You don't know what you can do until you try. When God sees that you are trying with all your might to serve Him. He will help you he waters which now run to waste, and for the county help you up if you trust in Him. We ought to trust more in God than we do. Surely He will not let us fall by the wayside; what is God's great strong arm for if it's not for us to lean upon?

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volley of heels and hardware straight within the power of this association to carry out the objects and purposes above mentioned, and to aid and assist in the settlement of all such lands as may hereafter be reclaimed."

Mt. Hood Notes.

H. C. and Robert McKamey have returned home after visiting friends in the Willamette valley for the past two or three months.

James Wishart and Jay Hess are log-

But when I got this far he went off into a spasm of tall, stiff-legged bucks, throwing me up so high that every time I was coming down I would meet him coming up on another trip. Then a second's reflection and up would go the head, then the tail end, next the Mount Hood is coming to the front and is putting on metropolitan airs. We have two stores, one saw mill, a post office, one saloon, and last but no least; the King's club. Some of our attorneys are talking of incorporating the city and of holding a city election self together and gave one grand irresistable boost, the effect of which was proportional to any through the attorneys are talking of incorporating the city and of holding a city election and then the tail end, next the middle and then all together. Next, two rises before and three behind, and then a rounding of the back and another of the same kind and with the same result. Finally he gathered himself together and gave one grand irresistable boost, the effect of which was proportionally and the head, then the tail end, next the said expression and expression an to send me through the atmosphere A telephone system for Mount Hood into the etherial regions above, where I imagined I was landed on the side-plans are all arranged and will be carried out as soon as wire and material sic of the universe and heard the muricial out as soon as wire and material. sic of the spheres. The boost was so overpowering that the cinch of the sad-

of contract guaranteed by the constitution of the United States, which is the organic law of the land and made never to be changed.

These people, if allowed to go on with their unholy agitation without rebuke, will soon be quoting Blackstone, "that all titles to land vested in man are arbitrary, and only exist in close the results."

Never endure this trouble. Use at once the remedy that stopped it for the critical states of the citizens that I had evaded a few moments before appeared upon the scene. They came to laugh, but when they saw my condition they retired to pray. One man gave it as his opinion that a cyclone did the deadly work; snother that it looked like a railway smashup; and of the citizens that I had evaded a few moments before appeared upon the scene. They came to laugh, but when they saw my condition they retired to pray. One man gave it as his opinion that a cyclone did the deadly work; snother that it looked like a railway smashup; and of the citizens that I had evaded a few moments before appeared upon the scene. They came to laugh, but when they saw my condition they retired to pray. On the Mount Hood road, looked like a railway smashup; and of the citizens that I had evaded a few moments before appeared upon the scene. They came to laugh, but when they saw my condition they retired to pray. On the New I had evaded a few moments before appeared upon the scene. They came to laugh, but when they saw my condition they retired to pray. On the Mount Hood road, looked like a railway smashup; and of the citizens that I had evaded a few moments before appeared upon the scene. They came to laugh, but when they saw my condition they retired to pray. On the Mount Hood road, looked like a railway smashup; and of the citizens that I had evaded a few moments before appeared upon the scene. They came to laugh, but when they saw my condition they retired to pray. On the Mount Hood road, looked like a railway smashup; and of the citizens that I had evaded a few moments before appeared upon the scene. still another said it was the work of a powder explosion. But during all this time the calico-hided broncho was peacefully grazing on an adjoining mound and looked as happy and un-concerned as though he hadn't killed the superintendent of the Leona mine.

Uncle Ebenezer.

bit life for us. ompit went in returns a chrowing files and give ourselves unto His service? I am, Your true Friend, W. E. Goneav. Hood River, Or., Janany 15, 1965.

Heaping Coals.

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Finus Bying from Want of Food.

A scheme to heat a room for one dollar a year is the latest feat in the

The Rural Northwest reports an un-usual large quantity of Hood River apples in the Portland market, and says

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