

Church Survey May Get Results

The religious survey planned by the Mid-Columbia Council of Churches for Sunday may have a far-reaching effect on the Tri-City community.

The survey will include the questioning of every family in the area as far as possible. Such information as church membership, or preference if not a member of any church, and the relationship of the children to the church life of the community, will be asked.

While less has been said about the aim of the survey than about how it is to be conducted, it is obvious that the ultimate aim is to bring more people in the three cities into the fellowship of the churches.

This survey, of course, is not denominational. If it were, it might defeat the biggest possibilities of the project.

Ever since the Hanford works project was established, there has been great stress on the business, industrial and social sides of the community. It has been very necessary to expand the housing facilities of the area. The industrial development that is being sought is a worthy aim for it is to provide more sustaining jobs for the people of the area, and efforts to provide entertainment and things of this a balanced community.

But although small groups of people have been working faithfully to make this a community of church goers, church attendance still is much too low, as indicated by the many empty pews in the churches of Kennewick, Pasco, and Richland.

The survey will give ministers and their co-workers detailed information on which to plan their goals for greater church membership. It should not be difficult to increase the total church membership in the area by several thousands this winter. Such an increase would be the best of guarantee against a lowering of the moral and religious standards in the three cities many years ahead.

A local minister, commenting on the survey, said the churches have in mind carrying to the people the point that everybody is always welcome in any of the churches. He added that many people are not against going to church but that they need some special reminder to bring them in.

One Half Of Kennewick Hospital Fund Pledges Show Over \$47,000

With approximately one half of the pledge cards returned, the total of pledges and cash received to date in Kennewick's drive for a hospital is \$47,659.55, Mrs. W. W. Goode, drive director, announced Thursday.

Much time and effort has been spent on the drive by the various workers, although there has been a temporary halt in solicitation of some of the areas. However, all arrangements have been made for another "all-out drive," Mrs. Goode declared.

Field workers who have not contacted the drive office were asked to do so at their earliest convenience.

Mrs. Goode further asked that all pledge payments be made to the Kennewick Hospital Association office, so that accurate records may be kept. No provision has been made to take care of these payments at the bank.

Time Now To Prepare For New Berry Patches

September is the time for another step in putting out new strawberry plants next spring and it is also a good time to clean up the old patches. It's time to put on finishing touches for next spring's new strawberry plantings because

soil that needs organic matter or fertility should be built up well before planting. Production in fertile land with plenty of organic matter is likely to be high and if the soil is poor no more than average.

Good barnyard manure is excellent material to use in preparing for new strawberry plantings, but if it cannot be obtained planting a green manure crop in September and turning it under next spring is a good substitute as one step.

COVERS 18 MONTHS
The preparation program usually covers about 18 months, so either the barnyard manure or green manure application this fall should be one of several steps to add organic matter and fertility. If green manure is grown a good practice is to grow three successive crops of green manure before setting out the strawberry plants.

The soil should have a cover crop on it during the winter to check leaching, and unlike soluble fertilizers either kind of manure won't wash away when the plants need it. The plants cannot gorge themselves on it. There is no clear-cut evidence to show that one green manure crop is better than others. The ones that seem to produce the most organic matter and put some extra nitrogen in the soil include hairy vetch, Austrian winter peas, sweet clover, and Ladino clover. How good the green manure crop will be depends upon how much it grows. Fertilizing while seeding the green manure crop compounds the investment and gives the field full advantage of fall rain.

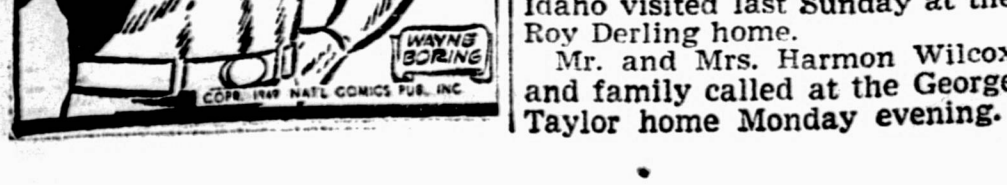
FINLEY NEWS
FINLEY, Sept. 23—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Finley were dinner guests at the J. W. Nunn home last Saturday and also enjoyed an evening of pinocle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Thompson, accompanied by Misses Geraldine Erickson of Finley, Eva Rose Nunn of Hoover, Donna Jean Hummel of Richland, and Vivian Keller and Carmella Neville of Kennewick drove to Twin Lakes on a fishing trip. They also stopped at Grand Coulee dam and Dry Falls on their way home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Derling and family of Couer d'Alene, Idaho visited last Sunday at the Roy Derling home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Wilcox and family called at the George Taylor home Monday evening.

PUT MORE OPPORTUNITY IN YOUR FUTURE! BUYING SAVINGS BONDS WHERE YOU WORK IS A SUPER WAY TO SAVE!



Homemakers Briefs

By PAT ARMELING
Associate Extension Agent

Pickling Time
Cucumber time is pickling time. Here's a recipe that's sure to please.

Crystal Cukes
3 days in salt water that would float an egg.
3 days in fresh water—change each day.
7th day—slice, measure and soak 2 days in:
1/2 vinegar) to cover
1/2 water)
with one teaspoon powdered alum to each quart. Stir each day. Ninth day—make syrup—to each pint vinegar add:
3 cups sugar

Boil each 5 minutes. Add cukes and boil 15 minutes and seal.

WHOLE TOMATOES
If you want to pack whole tomatoes that can be used in salads or as a side dish, try using calcium chloride as the commercial people do. It has no effect on the keeping quality or flavor but it keeps the tomatoes firm.

Proceed as for ordinary canning and add the solution of calcium chloride at the same time as the salt is added. Anhydrous calcium chloride is difficult to keep as it takes up moisture from the air. Ask your druggist to prepare a solution of 2 1/2 ounces of anhydrous calcium chloride, U.S.P., in one pint distilled water. Use one teaspoon of salt water for each quart of tomatoes and process as usual.

VISIT CLUB
I pick up new ideas whenever I attend club meetings in the county. This last week it was a "galloping tea." As a means of getting acquainted and spreading friendship it's tops. The Rio Vista club of the Kennewick-Highlands have been having fun and earning a little money this way. Mrs. Vance Barrd and Mrs. Frances Myers reported. It seems that anyone can start the "gallop." She goes next door, picks up a friend "just as she is," and one to the next until there are from four to six neighbors.

At the last house they sit down and are to be served tea, coffee, or whatever is on hand.

One of their rules is that the hostess can not go next door to borrow or buy, but has to use what she has even if it's bread and water. One of the women commented getting caught the first time in her nightgown she always dresses as soon as she gets up. The guests pay the hostess ten cents for refreshments, and it's turned into the treasury of the club.

This is an excellent way of getting acquainted with new neighbors. Many lasting friends are made over a cup of coffee. Another interesting thing at this club was that each member answers roll with a quotation.

Mrs. M. H. Gower Sr. said, "That which passes out of one mouth passes into a thousand ears." The value of much of our Extension club programs is the exchange of ideas.

LEADER COUNCIL ELECTIONS
All of the clubs carrying Extension programs during the year have a county-wide council to plan their work. Two representatives of each club—usually the officers—form this council. They met last week in Kennewick, electing their officers for the coming year: president, Jettie Wilcox of Hoover's Home Benefit club; vice-president, Rayta Crosby of the Rattlesnake Homemakers Club; and secretary-treasurer, Jeannette Klotz of Prosser's Vesta Club. The committee for Achievement Day in October gave their reports.

Club and council officers are installed as part of this Achievement program. The clubs each take part in the program and display. Here again there is an exchange of ideas to be used by others.

Profest Dike
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up the matter with his superiors and the decision would be made as soon as possible.

The problem of putting sewer and water service into the area through the barriers has been put forth as one reason why it would not be feasible to try to save the land.

"Someone would have to make an underpass for us to get in and out of the area," one owner said.

SUIT THREATENED
A few have threatened to sue the government for damages if the dikes are put up. It was also pointed out that the pocket would be a liability to the county of Kennewick as the value of property, and hence taxes, would go down.

The section of land has had bad luck before. It was flooded by the river in the spring of 1948.

The highway fill to the east of the section will become a reality if the state highway department's plans for a new Columbia river bridge become a reality.

The group meets the first Tuesday of every month at G. A. R. hall at 7:30 p.m. standard time.

RATE TO LEAVE
Even though the owners would rather sell their land to the government, than be boxed by dikes, a hill and a highway fill, they hate the thought of leaving.

"The section is the coolest place in the county in the summer," one said. "And it's the only dust-free spot I've found."

The officers are Lee Eager, president; A. R. Burke, vice president; C. C. Christian, secretary; and C. C. Wilhite, treasurer.

The advisory committee consists of Kenneth G. Clark, chairman, N. Hickman and C. C. Wilhite. Mrs. Wilhite is chairman of the membership committee. Mrs. Leonard Johnson is in charge of publicity.

The combined strength of the Armed Forces on June 30, 1949, was 1,613,400.

Bride-To-Be Is Honored At Showers

Miss Marjorie Garner, whose marriage is to be early in October, has been the incentive for bridal showers given recently. On September 9 Mrs. Ed Scovell and Mrs. Carl Russell were co-hostesses at a surprise affair when the guest of honor was greeted with a wedding march as she entered the room. The gifts were arranged on a table centered by a large doll dressed as a bride and a smaller doll as a flower girl, with floral centerpieces and roses for floral centerpieces. The guests were former school mates of the bride-elect. On Tuesday evening of this week Miss Garner was again complimented when Mrs. F. N. Ludlow with assisting hostess, Mrs. James May, entertained with a bridal shower at the Ludlow home. The gifts were presented by little Ileta Garner and Kenneth Azzel, dressed as bride and bridegroom as a wedding march was played by Mrs. Merle Wright.

Eastern Star Chapter Plans Friend Night

Tuesday evening Alma Chapter 100, Order of Eastern Star, made arrangements for Friendship Night at the next regular meeting Oct. 4. Members of nearby invited Chapters will join in this annual event.

It was voted to serve dinner for the Rainbow Girls Oct. 3 when their Grand Officers make their official visit to the local assembly.

Linn Tinsman, worthy patron, gave an educational talk on the History of the Eastern Star.

Visitors were Norma Wornell of Washington Chapter 16 of Colfax and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McCredie of Sellwood Chapter 92 of Portland, Oregon.

Alma Circle, to which all Stars are invited, was announced for a one o'clock dessert luncheon Monday at the home of Bea McDonald.

The Chapter meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 8 p.m. in the Masonic Hall on Washington Street. Visiting members are especially invited to all the meetings.

Pre School Group Hears Speaker
Madison Brewer, assistant professor of education and principal of the elementary school at the University of Washington, was the featured speaker when the Kennewick Preschool PTA met for its first regular meeting of the year, Thursday evening in the Episcopal parish hall.

His topic was "How to Prepare Your Child for School," and among the suggestions he gave were: to provide a background of rich experience, to help them to work a little independently, to read to them, to have fun with them, and to remember that children develop slowly and not all at the same rate. These things will help develop them in physical, intellectual, and personal readiness for the new experience of school.

Mrs. Gillis, business president, presided during the business meeting. Mrs. Clare Shaw, outgoing president, was presented with a past president's pin, and expressed her thanks to the group for its fine cooperation during her term of office.

Mrs. Gillis introduced her corps of committee chairmen and commended Mrs. R. J. Alexander and her committee for the float prepared for the fair parade, which took a first place.

The group voted to pledge \$100 each year for three years to the Kennewick Hospital Fund.

Mrs. Cecil Edwards was chairman for the social hour following the meeting and was assisted by Mrs. George Dewing, Mrs. Jack Martin, Mrs. Dean Vedica, Mrs. Armand Peterson and Mrs. Richard Clute. Mrs. Gillis and Mrs. Shaw poured at a tea table centered with a lovely arrangement of fall flowers flanked by green tapers.

Mrs. Allen Deffanbaugh, program chairman, announced that a film "Families First" would be presented for the October meeting. This film compares two types of family units.

The preschool groups meet regularly on the third Thursday of the month at the Episcopal parish hall and anyone interested is urged to attend.

Hover News

HOVER, Sept. 23—This week finds a few families moving from the Hoover vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. Hans Pederson and family have moved to Richland where Mr. Pederson is employed. Mr. and Mrs. Merle Bowers and family left Sunday to make their home in Colville. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Arnold are locating near Spokane. Several other families are busy in the process of locating a suitable place.

Ronald and Wallace Nelson are harvesting at the Lester Blair ranch.

J. R. Ayers will be home Sunday to spend the first week in October at his ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Powell of Kennewick visited at the M. H. Pate home Monday evening.

Mrs. Jack Powell and Mrs. M. H. Pate went fishing in the Yakima river Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wadsworth Tate and children accompanied by Mrs. Tate's grandmother, Mrs. Swartz from Oklahoma, spent a few days last week in Portland and visited friends and relatives on the way home.

Delphia Evans and Chuckie called at the home of Mrs. J. W. Nunn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dertling and daughters of Couer d'Alene visited from Wednesday until Sunday at the Orval Butterfield and the Harmon Wilcox homes. Mrs. Dertling is a sister of Mrs. Wilcox.

The Willing Workers and Busy Stitches 4-H clubs met at the home of Patricia Tate. She demonstrated mixing bread for the girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Evans and Chuckie were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Gilmore Sunday.

County... Agent...

BY C. F. WEBSTER
Benton County Agent

An important question has come up this week relative to the seeding of mixed grasses and legumes for pastures. Drs. Jacobs and Stanberry of the Irrigation and Station, have been carrying on work of this nature for several years. They have used alfalfa and Ladino clover in combination with Kentucky bluegrass, Alta fescue, perennial ryegrass, orchard grass, and tall meadow oatgrass.

These grasses when mixed with alfalfa show that tall meadow oatgrass with alfalfa gave the greatest yield the first year, with the other grasses following in this order: orchard grass, ryegrass, fescue and bluegrass. The next year orchard grass and alfalfa placed at the top of the list with fescue second, tall meadow oatgrass had dropped to third, Kentucky bluegrass came in fourth, with the ryegrass last.

OATGRASS FIRST
When Ladino clover was used instead of alfalfa, the first year showed that tall meadow oatgrass was first, perennial ryegrass second, fescue third, orchard grass fourth and bluegrass fifth. The next year, orchard grass had moved from fourth to first with fescue coming in second and tall meadow oatgrass third.

It is interesting to note that the yields of either of these legumes mixed with the grass yielded from 15 to 25 percent more dry matter each year.

It would seem then that the best grass to seed, with either alfalfa or Ladino as a mixture would be first, orchard grass; second, Alta fescue, and third, tall meadow oatgrass.

In the pasture management phase of seeding these mixtures, it should be remembered that if orchard grass becomes tall and rank, it becomes woody, the result is that animals do not pasture it closely.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PRELIMINARY BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 1950.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on the 8th day of September, 1949, the County Commissioners of Benton County, Washington, have completed and placed on file for the fiscal year of 1950, a copy of which budget will be furnished any citizen who will call at the office of the County Commissioners for it.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that said Board of County Commissioners of Benton County will meet at their usual meeting place at the Courthouse at Prosser, Washington, on the 10th day of October, 1949, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of fixing the final budget for the year 1950, at which meeting any taxpayer may appear and be heard for or against any part of said budget.

Dated at Prosser, Washington, this 8th day of September, 1949.

WALTER J. JACOBS
J. T. BETTINGER
County Commissioners of Benton County, Washington.

Attest:
R. E. WISE, County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board. K-49 9-16-23.

NOTICE
Sealed bids will be received by the Board of County Commissioners, Benton County, at the Courthouse, Prosser, Washington, until 11:00 A. M., Monday, September 26, 1949, for the purpose of furnishing the County with one diesel tractor, a power control unit and bull dozer.

One tractor, Model 1937, 1937 equipped with one 48K hydraulic dozer will be traded in on the above purchase. The above tractor and dozer are to be used in the building of the County Jail.

Specifications and proposal forms may be obtained at the office of the County Road Engineer, Prosser, Washington. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any formalities in the bidding.

Dated at Prosser, Washington, September 23, 1949.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BENTON

NOTICE OF HEARING ON ACCOUNT AND PETITION FOR DISCHARGE IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF

SHIP
NORA E. LITVIN, a competent person, is hereby given notice that CLARICE L. McLAUGHLIN, Guardian of the above named ship, has filed her Account and Petition for Discharge in the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Benton County, Washington, and asks the Court to settle said account and to discharge the Guardian.

Said Account and Petition for Discharge will be heard by the Court at the Courthouse in Prosser, Benton County, Washington, on the 30th day of October, 1949, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon.

CLARICE L. McLAUGHLIN, GUARDIAN BY MOULTON, POWELL & GESS, Her Attorneys K-49 9-16-23-30.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BENTON

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CLARA CAULE GRAY, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Clara Caule Gray, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 18th day of August, 1949, by the said Superior Court.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to serve them with the necessary vouchers upon me at the office of Moulton, Powell and Gess, Kennewick, Washington, within six months after the 9th day of September, 1949, and file the same with the Clerk of the above entitled Court together with proof of such service or they shall be forever barred.

Dated at Kennewick, Washington, this 3rd day of September, 1949.

ALICE M. GRAY, Administratrix BY MOULTON, POWELL & GESS Her Attorneys K-49 9-16-23-30.

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Tonight & Saturday

COUNTRY STORE TONIGHT!!!

Robins Hood Of The Rangel
Duncan Reminds as the
Clase Kid in
—In—
"Valiant Hombre"
—and—
Leah LaRue in
"Frontier Revenge"

with Fuzzy St. John
—PLUS—
Last Chapter "Sea Hound"

Sunday Only

Blazing Drama!
"Guadalcanal Diary"

with Lloyd Nolan, Preston Foster
Co-Hit
Dana Andrews in
—In—
"The Purple Heart"

with Richard Conte

Legal Notices

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BENTON

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
PARKER W. HOGUE, Plaintiff,
vs.
HELEN BERNICE HOGUE, Defendant.

STATE OF WASHINGTON
To Helen Bernice Hogue, the Defendant: You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit: within sixty days from the 2nd day of September, 1949, and defend the above entitled action in the Superior Court of the State of Washington aforesaid, and answer the Complaint of the plaintiff and serve a copy of your answer or other pleading on the undersigned attorney for plaintiff at his office below stated, and in the case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the Complaint, which has been filed with the Clerk of the Court. The object of this action is to obtain a decree of divorce in favor of the plaintiff and against the defendant, upon the grounds of abandonment of plaintiff by defendant and upon the grounds of desertion of plaintiff by defendant, as his sole and separate property, certain real property situate in Benton County, State of Washington, as prayed for in the said Complaint, to-wit: Lot 17 in Block 42, Town of Plymouth, situated in the Bude tract, recorded in Volume 1 of Plats, page 33, records of said County.

KENNETH E. SERIER
Attorney for Plaintiff
P.O. ADDRESS:
R. O. Box 10, Kennewick, Washington
OFFICE ADDRESS:
16 Kennewick Avenue East, Kennewick, Washington K-49 9-16-20-7

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J. T. BETTINGER
County Commissioners of Benton County, Washington.

Attest:
R. E. WISE, County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board. K-49 9-16-23.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR DISCHARGE IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MALCOLM F. HALL

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the order of court entered in the above entitled case, the undersigned administrator will, on or after the 30th day of October, 1949, sell Lot 3 in Block 2, of the 1st 1/2 section of Township 36 N., Range 12 E., of the 6th P.M., of Benton County, Washington, the furnishings in the house located thereon, and the contents of the same, to-wit: 30.15 feet of Highland Plat. M. Lot 7, Vol. 3 of Plats, Page 1, Records of Benton County, Washington, at public sale at Room 12, Baitman Building, Kennewick, Benton County, Washington. All bids for said property must be in writing and addressed to the undersigned Administrator and delivered to him or his attorney at the above address on or before noon of the 3rd day of October, 1949; the bids shall be for the entire property offered on a lump basis, for cash, and none will be considered where the offer is less than \$25,000.

Dated at Kennewick, Washington, September 23, 1949.

CHARLES W. BATEMAN, Administrator
Hugh B. Horton, Attorney for the Estate
Room 12, Baitman Building, Kennewick, Washington. K-50 9-16-23

NOTICE OF HEARING ON BUDGET
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, on October 3, 1949, at the office of the Kennewick Public Hospital District, Richmond Building, Kennewick, Washington, a hearing will be had upon the proposed budget upon which taxes will be levied for the year 1950. The hearing will be at 10 o'clock A. M. All persons interested in said budget are notified to appear.

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1949. KENNEDY PUBLIC HOSPITAL DISTRICT BY G. N. Felton, President. K-47 9-16-23.

The original forest area of the United States is estimated at 820,000,000 acres in addition to 100,000,000 acres of non-commercial forest. The present area of forest is estimated at 461,044,000 acres.

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LAST TIME TONITE
Bing Crosby
Barry Fitzgerald
—In—
"Top O' The Morning"

Saturday Only
Bullets And Bad Money!
Bill Boyd as
Hopalong Cassidy
—In—
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A Teen-Age Tomboy
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Your Heart Will Race Every Pace of the Win with
—In—
"The Great Dan Patch"

Starring
Dennis O'Keefe - Gail Russell
—PLUS—
Variety Shorts

Monday & Tuesday
Racy Riot Of Romance!
Jack Cason in
"John Loves Mary"

with Ronald Reagan, Edward Arnold
—O-HIT—
Men and Guns!
Virginia Mayo
Zachary Scott in
"Flaxy Martin"

Wednesday
The Biggest Pick-Up In Entertainment History!
Cary Grant, Ann Sheridan in
"I Was A Male War Bride"

Thursday - Friday
The Biggest Pick-Up In Entertainment History!
Cary Grant, Ann Sheridan in
"I Was A Male War Bride"

Monday - Tuesday - Wednesday
MONDAY NIGHT BUCK NITE!

Frontier Adventure!
Loretta Young - Robert Mitchum
—In—
"Rachel And The Stranger"

with William Holden
CO-FEATURE
William Bendix in
"Brooklyn Orchids"