

CORRESPONDENCE...

ESTACADA

Estacada, July 9.—Raymond A. Wilcox of Garfield and Edna B. Womer of Estacada were married at the home of the bride's parents in Estacada, Wednesday evening, July 3. Mr. Wilcox is a son of William Wilcox, a farmer living six miles east of Estacada. The bride is a daughter of E. C. Womer, the first recorder of the city of Estacada. She has been cashier of the Carey Hardware Co. for about two years. Mrs. Wilcox is a native of Pennsylvania. The groom is a native Oregonian. The couple left for a short wedding journey, returning to Estacada this evening. They will make their home in or near Estacada.

James Palmateer, Earl Palmateer, Earl Wagner and George Krigbaum went from Estacada to Dufur, Wasco county, to celebrate the Fourth.

Lawrence Van Dike, Will Straight and Curtis Wilcox of Estacada spent the Fourth in Oregon City.

Mrs. Minnie Ely, nee Palmateer, a granddaughter of Mrs. Sarah Palmateer, and her husband are visiting friends and relatives at Garfield and Currinville this week.

Prof. J. E. Stubbs and wife visited Mrs. Stubbs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Dale, at Estacada, Friday. They returned to Gresham in the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Stubbs left for Eugene today where he will attend a summer school at the University to prepare himself for his work at Hood River this winter.

Dr. Wm. K. Haviland took the oath of office as mayor of Estacada last Monday evening. E. F. Surface, C. F. Howe, William Dale, W. A. Jones and J. F. Lovelace were sworn in as councilmen the same evening.

Mrs. Jacob Johnson of Portland was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Davis, Sunday.

The Davis telephone line has the poles erected with the cross arms and insulators and is now ready for the wire.

BEAVER CREEK

Beaver Creek, July 9.—The rattling of the mower is heard all around. A few of the farmers have their hay in.

The German Children's day at J. Bohlander's was well attended last Sunday.

W. C. Martin and H. Hanson went to Portland last week and purchased a binder.

J. E. Jones got his mustache scorched during the thunder and lightning storm.

Friends from Rejland called on the Steudeman family last Sunday.

Rev. H. Jones of Kansas delivered a well attended sermon at Welch in the Congregational in the morning and Presbyterian in the evening. There was a large crowd out from Portland who enjoyed their trip greatly. Come again.

Wm. Bohlander and L. Ruconich called on John Bohlander last Sunday.

The Shannon Brothers will start their mill next week.

Wm. Scanlon was out airing himself one day this week.

A. Staben has a crippled horse at present.

Sheriff Beattie's children are improving slowly from the measles.

William Phelps is laid up with a bad cold.

Henry Holman has his barn nearly finished.

John Westberg was seen looking for his hat that he lost on the Fourth.

TIMBER CRUISER BUSY AT CLARKES

Clarkes, July 8.—Every farmer is enjoying this nice weather. Crops are looking fine and haymaking is progressing.

Elmer Lee is planting potatoes. The timber cruiser was in Clarkes recently. He purchased J. J. Jones' and Tom Martin's land and timber. Bat Sullivan sold some timber, but no land.

Otto Elmer is ill, but is slowly improving.

The English M. E. church at Highland will be dedicated July 14.

Rev. A. Hillebrand of Oregon City was in Clarkes and held mass on July 8th.

Charlie Bower has been ill for three months now and is worse again. January Lowell is entertaining his niece from Portland.

Chris Kenzy has a new Osborne mower.

There was a big picnic on the 4th at Colton.

Division 14 has its metallic circuit completed.

Alix Schreuble took a beef cow to town Saturday.

OLD MAN DROPS DEAD AT KESLO

L. G. Carlson suddenly dropped dead of heart failure at his residence near R. E. Jarl's store at Keslo, Clackamas county, Tuesday morning. Mr. Carlson was a man of about 72 years and having no relatives in this part of the country lived all alone. The neighbors were solicitous of his welfare as his health was poor and had prevailed upon him to sell his little place one half mile from the road and move up near the store. Previous to his building the house where he died F. G. Jonsrud had made regular trips through the timber to see that Mr. Carlson was all right every day. Just before his death he had seemed better than for some time and was waving to children of the Jonsrud family from the yard. The funeral will be held some time Thursday.

TO DEDICATE NEW CHURCH ON JULY 14

Highland, July 8—July 14 will no doubt be a day long to be remembered by many of the people of Highland. At 11 a. m., Dr. B. F. Rowland will deliver the dedicatory address of the new Methodist church at this place. The erection of this new house of worship was made possible by the persistent labors of Rev. Patten, the pastor, and Capt. C. O. Branson, the evangelist who held a series of meetings in this vicinity last October.

The services of Captain Branson were so much appreciated that the new church will be dedicated to his memory and known as the "Branson Memorial church of Highland."

We wish through your columns to thank all those who have so generously assisted to erect this much needed house of worship.

M. E. KANDLE,
GEO. W. WALLACE,
Building Committee.

TWILIGHT

Twilight, July 10—Mr. Grim and family have moved to their new home at Clarkes.

Mrs. Fred J. Meindl and son of Moro, Or., are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lazelle.

Miss Eva Smith of Newburg was a welcome caller in our neighborhood this week. The children are all delighted that she will be their teacher the coming year.

PROGRAM OF NEW ERA CAMPMEETING

Program for the New Era camp meeting Sunday, July 14:

- 10:00—Sacred Concert
- 10:15—Dunton's Orchestra
- 10:30—Lecture and tests
- 10:45—Rev. Lode F. Prior
- 11:00—Public Readings
- 11:15—Mrs. Ella Royal Williams
- 1:30—Music... Dunton's Orchestra
- 2:00—Lecture... Prof. Fitch
- 2:30—Tests... Mr. Cobb
- 3:00—Lecture and tests... Mrs. Cobb

STUDENTS AT MONMOUTH.

The Star is in receipt of the "Commencement Courier," the state normal school paper published at Monmouth. Miss Ronna G. Stafford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stafford of Mt. Pleasant, is on the editorial staff, having charge of the department of "Exchanges." She will be graduated in the class of 1908. Miss Maude W. Coole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cook of Seventh street, Oregon City, is in the list of the 1907 graduating class in the advanced course. She gave the valedictory in the commencement program. The paper has a beautiful cover design of cadet gray with a long-stemmed red rose and lettering in red.

HUGE BERRY CONTRACT.

A berry contract has been made by the Puyallup & Summer Fruit Growers' association of Puyallup, Wash., with the Weber-Bossell Canning company, of King county, that state, whereby the association will supply the canning company with 100,000 12-cup crates of red raspberries at 4 cents a pound during 1907-1910, and 20,000 crates of blackberries at 3 1/2

cents a pound, also all of the canning apples that the members of the association may have, the price for the apples to be one-half cent a pound. In addition to this the canning company will take plums at three-fourths to one cent a pound. This is said to be a very substantial contract and encourages the growers of the small fruit, as it establishes their industry there on a safe and sound basis. The canning company is required to furnish the cups and crates for carrying the raspberries, and it is also understood that where the raspberries show signs of having been carelessly picked, soft and matted down in the cups, they are to be paid for at the rate of 3 1/2 cents a pound. Should the blackberries be supplied by the association in carriers furnished by the canning company then the price per pound for the berries is to be 3 cents a pound.—Northwest Pacific Farmer.

FEDERAL PLUM SLATED FOR SCHUEBEL

To succeed W. C. Bristol As United States District Attorney

Portland, July 10 — Christopher Schuebel of Oregon City will in all probability be the next United States district attorney of Oregon. The appointment will be made next December, when congress meets. This is the story that finds general credence here today. The rumor started about two weeks ago and has gained scope and value every day.

It is stated that during Mr. Schuebel's recent trip to the East he was in Washington on June 1 and was in conference with Senator Bourne for several hours.

It was intended to keep the matter secret for awhile but the story leaked out. It is said Senator Bourne told Schuebel there would be no trouble over his appointment provided he got Senator Fulton's endorsement. Whether he has that or not is not known but it is known that last Saturday, in company with Judge Thomas A. McBride, Schuebel went to Astoria and held a conference with Senator Fulton.

It is well known that W. C. Bristol is scheduled to retire. Senator Fulton is uncompromisingly hostile toward him. There has been some talk that Bourne would espouse Bristol's cause, but these late events seem to confute that assumption.

The appointment of Schuebel is one of several political moves that are to be made by the new coalition of Bourne and Fulton. The fat office for Schuebel is a sop to W. S. U'Ren who is Mr. Schuebel's law partner, and who is liable unless placated to make trouble by coming out for United States senator. Next, Congressman Wm. R. Ellis is to be appointed United States district judge for the new district in Eastern Oregon, thus leaving a clear field in the second district for H. M. Cake to be elected to congress. This would pretty well eliminate the rivals of the present senators, who would be re-elected world without end—maybe.

CRUEL TREATMENT CHARGED BY WIFE

HUSBAND ASSAULTED HER AND CALLED HER VILE NAMES—COURT MATTERS.

Louise Jones asks for a divorce from Thomas E. Jones, charging him with cruel and inhuman treatment. They were married April 23, 1903. Prior to 1905, the couple lived in happiness but after that date, he disregarded all of his marriage vows, and began to treat her cruelly and to heap indignities upon her. He contracted the habit of drinking, and during the month of June, 1907, and the same one a year previous, he assaulted her, and called her vile names. At present she is penniless, and prays the court to compel the defendant to pay \$250 into court as a temporary alimony, and \$40 a month while the case is pending in court. After the decree is granted, she asks that he be compelled to pay her \$40 a month as a permanent alimony, and a half interest in property valued at \$1500 in Multnomah county. Mrs. Jones says

that her spouse is a stone mason, earning \$5 and over a day, so he will be able to comply with her terms. Eben H. Grant desires legal separation from Ella Grant on the same old grounds of desertion. They were married in Portland during the month of December, 1904, and March 15, 1906, while they were living at Arleta, she left his bed and board, and has not since returned.

Through his attorneys, Dimick & Dimick, Isaac S. Miller has instituted suit against Oscar and Rosena Mahler for the payment of a note. The note was made March 3, 1902, with a face value of \$192.67 payable after date, bearing eight per cent interest annually, payable every year. Since the time the note was drawn up, only one payment has been made by the plaintiff—on July 18, 1904, when he was given \$16.01. Figuring the attorney's fees at \$50, he desires the payment of \$258.67, principal and interest, and that amount.

Harry Kollogg has been elected janitor of the Barclay school building. Two rooms in that building and four in the Eastham will be renovated with alabaster before the opening of school next fall. Repairs will be made to furnaces at the Eastham. E. E. Kellogg was given a contract for 100 cords of first growth fir wood at \$3.85 a cord.

TIME CARD.

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To Milwaukie only. (Via Lent's Junction, daily except Sunday, leave on Sundays, 4:30 a. m. A. M. figures in Roman; P. M. in black.

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HE SOLD HIS DAUGHTER.

Transferred Her For \$100 to a Man Three Times Her Age.

Bargained away by her father for \$100 to become the wife of a man nearly three times her age is the lot of Mabel Bogosian, a pretty fourteen-year-old Armenian girl of Worcester, Mass., the bride of Isidore Shidnheidan, aged forty.

Friends of the girl reported the story of the wedding to the police, and if their statements are true the girl was sold to the highest bidder. Mabel left home a short time ago on account of a cruel stepmother. A little later Shidnheidan opened negotiations with the girl's father. The money bid was accepted, and the following day Shidnheidan secured a marriage license, giving the girl's age as eighteen and his own as twenty-five. An Armenian priest married them.

The police advised friends of the girl to secure an annulment of the marriage. This, her friends say, they will at once attempt. Dikran Thomajanian, another suitor of Mabel, is at the head of the movement to give her back her freedom.

Arm Cut Off to Save Man.

Suspended in midair, with his arm caught in the cogwheels of a traveling crane at the Baldwin Locomotive works in Philadelphia, John Books, a painter, hung for two hours and twenty-seven minutes. He was caught by the arm as he passed the crane and drawn into midair. The clogged machinery refused to reverse. A scaffold had to be built to him, and on it surgeons of the Haberman hospital worked and amputated the arm to release him. Injections of morphine deadened the pain until the scaffolding was built. He sustained internal injuries also, and it is thought that he will die.

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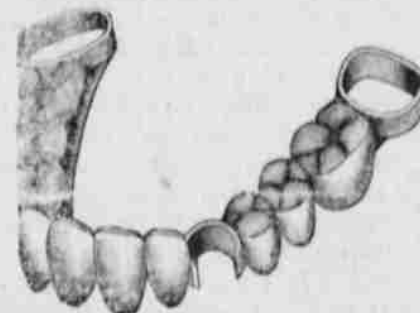


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THE CAT CAME BACK.

Fell Fifteen Stories and Walked Back Upstairs.

This is the story of a cat, the pet of the Midway club of Chicago, that fell fifteen stories in the arway of the First National bank building and is alive and well.

The animal plunged from a window of the millionaires' lunch room on the eighteenth floor in the big loop skyscraper to the skylight of the bank quarters on the third floor. The heavy wire screening above the glass was bent and twisted by the impact, and a few pieces of glass fell to one of the clerks' cages on the floor below, but the cat escaped uninjured. Fifteen minutes after the fall the animal returned to its quarters in the eighteenth floor lunch room.

Choosing probable death down the light shaft in preference to a struggle with a Boston terrier, the animal leaped. As a group of the lunchers reached the window they heard a crash on the heavy glass skylight fifteen floors below.

All believed the cat had been crushed

to death. A quart of an hour later, while the "horrible death" was being discussed at a score of tables, the cat came back. It slunk toward the kitchen and disappeared.

HOIST BY BARNUM'S PETARD.

Famous Old Circus Menter Shoots Boy Into an Apple Tree.

The shade of P. B. Barnum, the once great showman, probably received a shock when his famous old mortar went off unexpectedly while some lads were playing with it at South Norwalk, Conn.

One of them, Henry Remson, was shot fifty feet into the top of an apple tree. Young Remson did not have the art of aerial flight well mastered, nor did he have the selection of a landing place, and it will be a week before he leaves his bed.

George L. Britton, owner of the relic, "did not know the thing was loaded" and is threatened with a suit for damages.

Barnum made a big hit with the cannon in its day. There was a fake explosion and then a powerful spring would shoot a fair maiden up to the top of the canvas.