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Never fail to speak a good word for your town. Grasp every opportunity to give it honest praise by telling its present advantages and its bright future. Always give the impression that you live in the best town on earth, and that you would like to have everyone else to move here and enjoy the good things you do. Be interested in everything that will help your town; give it all the encouragement you can, if nothing more than your good will. And get busy. Have something to do for yourself, if not for others. No one ever got very rich laboring for other people. Remember that each one is a part of the whole, and what benefits one is, to a certain extent a help or benefit to all.

New York City is considering the proposition to expend \$90,000,000 in extending its sewer system. Estacada is just starting to catch up to its old cousin in the East.

A passenger from Portland got off a car here Tuesday. He looked careworn, but after finding his bearings he struck out for the snow line. It is thought that the g. j. is after him.

Japan and Russia, in their bloody conflict, have received more encomiums than all the missionaries, and Christian philanthropists combined. It shows what the world admires most.

A lasting shame on the West, particularly Oregon and California, are the land fraud cases that are involving more and more of the "upper crust," as the Government proceeds with its investigation, relative to the cases, Att'y. Heney says: The extent of the land fraud cases in Oregon is far greater than I imagined, even after I learned the extent of the Hyde-Penson frauds through my connection with the prosecution of that case. Oregon is under the domination of a corrupt political ring, which hesitates at nothing to accomplish its ends. Hundreds of thousands of acres of the finest timber land in the world have been secured from the United States within the last five years by a half dozen individuals, through fraud, perjury and subornation of perjury. The good people of Oregon will be as much astounded when they hear the evidence in the case against Senator Mitchell and Congressman Hermann as they were when they heard the evidence in the case of Puter, McKinley and others that has already been tried, and in which the defendants were convicted. The case against Mitchell and Hermann does not depend in the slightest degree upon the testimony of Puter and McKinley. The evidence is sufficient to warrant and sustain a conviction without placing either of them on the stand.

## A Money Maker

A real nice money maker about six times the size of ordinary money makers of a different name was given the NEWS man last week. It is of a kind that grow and do well about here, producing big crops. The one in question was raised on Mr. John Stormer's farm and weighs 3 3/4 pounds and every ounce of it is good eating.

The ball given by the Estacada Amusement Club on New Year's eve. was well patronized. \$38.50 was the receipts, and after all expenses were paid the club had \$21.50 for its treasury. A very pleasant evening was spent, and the old year was given a happy good-by. The Bronsen orchestra played for occasion. A part of the proceeds will be used in purchasing paraphernalia for the athletic department of the club. Cleve Heiple won the prize for having the most typical hard time costume.

Messrs. Morrow and Boner are progressing well with the work of moving the warehouse building to the site where it is to stand as a novelty wood factory. They moved the building across the railroad track Tuesday night, making 80 feet in one hour and a half. J. W. Shaffor, an experienced lumber and mill man, and who owns a fine property of several acres in the east part of town, has been associated with the townsite company in this enterprise, and will have charge of the factory when it is put in operation.

## DODGE NEWS

There have been so many weddings in our neighborhood lately that serenading has gotten to be the principle amusement among the male population.

Jas. Marr's family have all been having a turn with the grip, but all are improving now.

Mrs. Mabel Jukes is visiting her mother Mrs. Gordon.

Married, in Oregon City, Dec. 22, Wm. Park and Mrs. Emma Boylen.

Jas. Park and Matt Dibble were in Dodge Sunday.

Hal Gordon and wife from Estacada and Mrs. Parker from Clackamas were visitors at Mrs. Gordon's during the holidays.

Mrs. Meyers is quite sick with la grippe.

Married, Wednesday, Dec. 28, 1904 at James, Oregon, Mr. John Keller and Miss Nina Lacy.

Mr. Bowdish's mother is making a visit with him this week.

There will be spelling school at the Dodge school house Friday eve.

—Good grade blotters at NEWS office, 5c a doz.

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CHARLES L. FERRY,

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Optician. . . .

ESTACADA, OREGON

## BORING NEWS

The young people of Boring gave a watch party New Year's Eve. in Root's hall. A large crowd was present, and played games and danced until the small hours of the morning. The Boring hotel has again changed hands, Mr. Wakeley, the hotel man of Sandy, now has the management, having sold his interests at Sandy. Several of the wood camps here have had their tools stolen in the past week. Mr. Kunitake, a Japanese contractor, cutting just North of Boring has had \$66.00 worth stolen from him. The power plant has a new whistle on which the scale is run three times a day. H W Downing of Estacada is now working in the power plant here.

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