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President Roosevelt and others of our nation's prominent lawmakers are realizing the seriousness of the lameness in our immigration laws in permitting so many old country poor people and criminals to come to the United States. The fact is pretty well established that a large per cent. of the country's internal trouble, and the crimes of the country is directly traceable to the foreign element among us. The statistics show that about 1,000,000 foreigners will come to this country this year and a large portion undesirable people. Can this country stand it? It would be a good thing for this country if the immigration laws were such as would put a stop to this wholesale immigration.

The battle of Korean Straits is an exclamation point in the world's history. Poor, deluded Russia; with all her wailings and prayers, her defeats increase in magnitude, and add to her sorrow and humiliation. How the world is being surprised at Japan's wonderful showing, and at Russia's decayed and ignorant manhood! Peace talk has again begun, but there is no probability of peace for some time.

**Officers Sworn, and School Bond Issue Discussed**

A public meeting of several of the people of Estacada took place last Thursday evening. The meeting was for the purpose of swearing in the new city's officers. The administering of the oaths was before Notary R. A. Stratton, and the new officers are: Mayor, John W. Reed; Councilmen, W. K. Haviland, W. F. Cary, C. F. Howe and B. O. Boswell. One ward is without representation, and someone will have to be appointed by the board. Previous to the main purpose of the meeting a general discussion took place on the question of bonding the school district for a new school building. There was no opposition to bond issue and it was voted that the district might bond not to exceed \$6,000. At the close of the meeting the mayor appointed as a committee on ordinances, Councilmen Haviland, Howe and Cary. J. B. Haviland took the oath as recorder, and C. C. Shafford as treasurer.

The News enjoyed a pleasant call Sunday from H. M. Malon, of The Oregon City Enterprise. Mr. Malon took in the sights here and vis-

ited at the home of his wife's people, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilbern at Eagle Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Heylman were at the metropolis, Monday.

The names of the Russian war-vessels alone was enough to sink the whole Russian navy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Shultz are fixing up their new building in an attractive manner, and expect in a short time to start an ice cream, confectionary and restaurant stand. The fixtures and furniture have been ordered. The back part of the building will be used as a living department.

Last Sunday the Royal Italian band came out from Portland and remained all day at the Hotel Estacada dispensing music to the people of the town. This band has been engaged by the O. W. P. Ry. Co. to furnish band music at The Oaks this summer. The Italians are all right in the band music line.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Ryckman leave this week for the fish hatchery thirty five miles up the McKinzie river east of Engene where Mr. Ryckman will be engaged all summer with Mr. Talbert at the hatchery. They will drive through with a light rig. Their residence here will be occupied by Mr. Harrington and family.

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**A Rare, Old Newspaper Relic**

Of all the newspapers published in the United States at the close of the 17th century, the Ulster County Gazette, printed at Kingston, Virginia, was, perhaps, one of the leading publications. And as a memento of The Gazette's career, Dr. C. B. Smith has in his possession one of the most curious and valued relics in the way of a newspaper. It is a four column folio, and is made up of but one face of type. The issue Dr. Smith has is of January 4, 1800, and the principal feature of the number, and which makes it especially valued, is the account it contains of the burial of George Washington who died Dec. 14, 1799 and was buried at Mt. Vernon. It contains the proceedings of Congress on the death of Washington, and much other history-making news of the times. The whole contents of the paper is very curious and interesting reading. The Doctor may have paperframed and placed with the Clackamas county exhibit at the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

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Your attention is directed to the ad. of E. C. Hunt in this issue.

Fred Morris of the railway company spent last Sunday in Estacada.