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The vote on the question of issuing bonds for a new school house last Saturday turned out very successfully for a new school. There were thirty eight votes cast and all were in favor of the bond issue. Clerk Lovelace has already taken further steps toward issuing the bonds which will be for \$4,000 and to run twenty years. An effort will be made to sell them to the state school board, but it is thought a lower rate of interest can be secured from other sources. The state asks 6 per cent. and private money lenders offer to buy at 5 per cent.

The idea seems to prevail with some that the O. W. P. & Ry. Co. some time ago had purchased the O. W. P. Townsite Co's interest in Estacada. It was not so reported in The News, and we have not seen any printed report that said the railway company had bought the townsite company. W. H. Hurlburt purchased an interest in the company, and that is all that has been reported. The O. W. P. Townsite Co. continued as before with a change or so in officers.

There is business taking place at the Estacada wood working factory. Superintendent Kuhn has the machinery all placed and in fine running shape. On Monday the company had eleven carloads of cross-arms to fill, and under favorable conditions a carload of eight foot arms can be made in a day. Part of the crew put in extra time loading cars after supper.

Mrs. Nettie Grable, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Cooper, has made arrangements and has bought the goods for a rackit store in Estacada. She will have part of the building South of the furniture store. Mrs. Grable has for several years been manager of the dry goods department in a large store at Grass Valley.

David Martin, of Anatone, while rounding some stock in the Grand Ronde country, last week, crme across a den of rattlesnakes located under a rocky hillside. He immediately drew his revolver and began shooting. He had only 24 cartridges with him, and after firing all of these he kept up the fight with rocks. When the smoke of battle had cleared away Martin counted his victims, the total reaching 56. Some of the snakes were about six feet long, the largest one having 28 rattles.

Preaching services Sunday in the Reed hall at 7:30 p. m.

The family of B. W. Read have moved into the house at Fifth and Currin streets.

Miss Gertrude Morrow left yesterday for a two weeks' stay in the city visiting the fair.

Merchant Eyman has put up a large tent on his residence, lot and they will move into it to live.

R. W. Cary and his mother, Mrs. F. R. Cary went to Portland yesterday and will spend a few days at the Fair.

Prof. Frank Irwin, and little son, who have been visiting his parents and relatives, started for their home at Oakley, Kan., Wednesday.

Mrs. Jarvis arrived here from the East last week and is stopping at the Portland restaurant. Mr. Jarvis is running an engine at Cazadero

Three additional pieces of machinery—a self-feed rip saw, a turning lathe and a post borer, are soon to be installed at the wood working factory.

H. Cooper and wife are enjoying a visit from Mr. Cooper's sister, Mrs. B. L. Bates and husband, and their daughter, Mrs. Sadie White, of Iowa.

The corner saloon closed its doors to business Wednesday morning on notice from the city recorder for failure to comply with the city's saloon regulations.

R. A. Stratton had his new bank safe put in place Monday, and carpenters are at work fixing up the bank room which occupies a space in the rear end of the Reed and Barr store.

There were 64 applicants for certificates to teach at the teachers' examination last week. The papers will be given out today. Six of the candidates are applying for state certificates.

Mrs. Dr. Haviland attended the Lewis Day exercises at the Exposition. Mrs. Nellie Cavender and son, Richard, of Mason, Mich., returned home with her for a short visit with the family.

There were huckleberries in town Monday at 50 cents a gallon. A posse of Clackamas squaws and other members of the family brought them in, and it was a caution how everyone wanted their acquaintance.

Doctor and Mrs. Hill are preparing to go to Philadelphia where Mr. Hill will take up special work in the medical department of the University of Pennsylvania. Read the announcement on first page of the sale of their house goods.

Two new ordinances were passed by the city council Tuesday evening, one to prohibit vagrancy and the other to stop the use of profane language on the streets and public. Both measures were introduced by Councilman Haviland. The marshal was instructed to collect the road tax within the city.

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T. J. Mathews made his usual trip to Portland Sunday to see his wife who is at their son John's.