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ESTACADA, OREGON, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1905.

\$1 A YEAR

A Merry Christmas

To all our Friends and Patrons

We wish to thank the people for their patronage of the past year, and assure them of a continuance of our courteous and liberal treatment

J. W. Reed.

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Christmas Presents

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The only real Holiday stock of goods in the city. You can get presents from 5c up to any price. Come in and see what we have in Furniture Line that make the best of presents

H. Cooper & Co.

1,000
Cords of good fir wood for sale at the right price—The Bank of Estacada.

100,000
A. 1 Shingles, the best made—See The Bank of Estacada.

CITY OFFICIAL DIRECTORY	
Mayor	J. W. Reed
Aldermen	W. K. Hurlbut Sr. C. F. Howe E. F. Surface W. F. Gray R. A. Stratton
Recorder	John B. Haviland
Treasurer	John T. Finn
Marshal	John F. Lovelace

The News wishes you a Merry Christmas.

J. W. Shafford and friend were out from town Sunday.

The village schools will close Friday for a week's vacation.

Mrs. G. Lichtorn has been in the doctor's care the past few days

John Page and family will spend their Christmas with W. W. Porter near Garfield.

Ed Hogan of Sellwood has accepted a position as clerk in J. W. Reed's store.

A. E. Barr says they will perhaps, move to Portland the latter part of this week.

If you can not have a merry Christmas, then try to enjoy seeing others have one.

While in Southern California, L. W. VanDyke visited his parents who reside at Los Angeles.

The new warehouse of the Cary Cash Hardware is 25 by 50 feet covered sides and roof, with iron.

We want two houses and lots, must be cheap. We have the customers.—The Bank of Estacada.

On Monday A. E. Barr sold his interest in the general merchandise firm of Reed & Barr to J. W. Reed.

Found—Near the I. O. O. F. hall a pair of gold-bowed spectacles. Owner can find same at The News office.

In looking at the store displays in Estacada one can see some very appropriate and handsome Holiday presents.

Judge Bowlby, of Astoria, spent last Sunday here the guest of his sister, Mrs. L. O. MacMahon of the Estacada.

George Stratton has been assisting with the work in the Reed & Barr Store since the change of proprietors.

The News home has received an appreciated gift of a fine pumpkin and some russet apples from Orchard Home.

The city council, at its meeting Tuesday evening, decided to plank the road from the high bridge to the railroad track.

On Christmas night the young ladies of the village of Barton will give a Christmas tree entertainment in the Burghardt Hall.

Mrs. Grabel goes to Portland today to meet her husband, Willard Grabel, from Eastern Oregon, who will spend his Christmas here.

It has been decided that the entertainment to be given by the Sunday School Saturday evening shall begin at seven o'clock in the evening.

Miss Edna Womer has taken a position as book-keeper and stenographer with the Cary Cash Hardware. She began her duties Monday.

The Estacada Wood Manufacturing Company shipped a car load of cross-arms to Burlington. The car loaded was one of the Big Four, and Peoria Eastern.

M. E. church services will be conducted in the school house at the usual forenoon hour, by Rev. A. Sleeth who has been given charge of the work in this community.

A petition is being circulated asking for contributions towards building the plank road from the high bridge west to connect with the road already built from Springwater.

J. W. Barksdale and family will go to Wash. as they expected at first, but will make their home at Pleasant Home. Mr. Barksdale will haul ties from the Sandy country to Troutdale.

There will be a Hard Time ball

Estacada School District Bonds

The sale of the Estacada school district bonds, \$5,000, will be offered for sale by County Treasurer, Enos Cahill, at his office in the county court house, Oregon City, at 2 o'clock, p. m., December 25. Sealed bids are to be received for these bonds which are to be sold in denominations of not less than \$500. In conversation with Treasurer Ca-

hill last week he stated to the News editor that he believed the bonds would be sold at good advantage to the district. The district is new and will soon be one of the wealthiest school districts in Clackamas county. These bonds will be gilt-edge investments, and if you want to buy any of them see that your bid gets in soon enough.

in the Estacada Pavilion on Monday, Xmas evening December 25. Put on your old worn out clothes for there is to be a prize given to the "raggedy raggedest" couple.

The new church of the Gospel Workers at the corner of Main and Sixth streets will soon be in condition so that services may be held there instead of at the school house.

Prominent people who were guests at the hotel Estacada last Sunday—P. F. Gifford of Gifford & Keer, Portland; E. G. Guthrie, of G. I. & Co. Portland; Dr. Rocky, of Portland.

Charles Shutter, arrived here last week from Randell, Minn. Mrs. Shutter, a daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Stubbs, came out last summer. They are well pleased with the country and will remain here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. DeMoy are going to live on their claim near the Linn lumber mill the rest of the winter. Their household goods were taken out Monday. Before going to the farm Mrs. DeMoy will spend a short time with her people living near Viola.

Last week the Estacada State Bank negotiated the sale of the A. Dupray property, three lots and a house, to C. Seymour who will make it a home. The bank also sold lot 10 block 11, Zobrist addition to Mr. Dupray who will build a small house on it.

At their meeting two weeks ago, the local order of Oddfellows elected the following officers:—W. H. Holder, N. G.; J. K. Ely, V. G.; J. F. Lovelace, Clerk and George Ely Treasurer. These new officers will be installed at the first meeting in January.

Manager Smith of the E. B. & T. Co. has one of the two large dry kilns nearly completed. These sheds will hold 100,000 brick each. The completion of these sheds has been delayed as it was found that the ground where they stand was filled with fir roots. These are all being taken out and it is no small job.

Dr. E. W. Burnes of Eastern Oregon arrived here a few days ago, and is stopping at the Portland restaurant, where he has an office, and will practice medicine. Dr. Burnes lived in Clackamas county forty years ago, but has since been in different parts of the state, mostly in the eastern part. He has been compelled to seek a milder and warmer climate on account of failing eyesight.

Special Sale of City Lots

We are authorized by the president of the O. W. P. Townsite Co. to say that, for 30 days from this date business lots on Main Street will be sold at \$300.00 each. Provided however that the purchaser erect a suitable building on such lot so purchased. Now is your chance to get in at a price that will not be quoted you again.

THE ESTACADA STATE BANK. Local Agents.

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to VETSCH & SONS, BORING, ORE

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR BUTTER FAT

BUTTER, CREAM, & MILK BOUGHT AND SOLD WRITE US FOR PRICES AND QUOTATIONS

THE COUNTY TAX Going Down

The County Equalization Board May Reduce It

Clackamas Co., in Oregon Daily Journal

The county is thinking of making a reduction in its tax at the January term of court of 3 1/2 mills. Last year the tax levy was 20 1/2 mills. The state tax this year was 4 1/2 mills, which will probably be reduced. The roads and bridges received 5 mills, which will not be cut down for the reason that the roads in this county are hard to build and the farmers who use the roads do not favor a reduction in this item. A levy of one mill was made this year to pay interest on outstanding warrants and a levy of two mills was made for payment of the county indebtedness, which is

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not as large as a year ago. For general county purposes a levy of 2 1/2 mills was made, and for school taxes 5 1/2 mills.

If you cannot have a sleigh ride Christmas, you can, at least, help with the mince pie.

Ladies' sewing done to order by Miss Gertrude Morrow, at her home corner Shafford and Fifth.

A Peculiar Example of Human Frailty, And an Unfortunate Death Accident

Another sudden death, the second in the past three months, occurred at the Linderman Bros' saw-mill on Deep creek, a mile above Barton, last week Monday. Sunday, the day previous, three men arrived at the mill and hired out as mill and logging hands. One of them, a Mr. Nickelson, from Silverton, who claimed to be an all-round logger, was sent to work Monday morning on the pond. After he had been at work awhile others of the mill crew appeared at the pond but could see nothing of Nickelson and a search was made. The lost man's hat was found floating on the water and his log pole projected from the deeper part of the pond. It was evident that the lost man had been drowned. The dam gates were opened and the water let out of the pond, and the dead body of Nickelson was found lying on the bed of the pond. A telephone message was sent to the dead man's foster father at Silverton and he arrived at the mill next day. And here is where another strange part in the affair takes place. It was reported to The News that the old man took the blankets, clothing of the young man, the shoes off the corpse, and left for home saying he could do nothing towards the burial. The county coroner was informed of the circumstances, but he thought it of no use to make an investigation. The men at the mill gave the remains a respectable burial in the Forestry cemetery. Mr. Nickelson was 24 years of age.

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Ladies, and Misses' Red Jersey and Driving Gloves

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Towle's Maple Syrup Crystal White Towle Cane Syrup
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Fancy Cream Rolled Wheat Tillamook Cream Cheese
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Laundry Soaps Three Heart Naptha Golden Star Lenox

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C. F. HOWE

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...W. J. Lewellen... Springwater Oregon