

# ESTACADA PROGRESS

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\$1 A YEAR

## Estacada State Bank

Capital, \$25,000

### OFFICERS:

Geo. Estes, President. S. W. Stryker, Vice-President  
L. E. Belfils, Cashier  
E. M. Miller, Real Estate Officer

### DIRECTORS:

Geo. Estes, S. W. Stryker, T. Yocum,  
John Zobrist, Albert D. Schmidt

### TRANSACTS A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS

Writes Fire Insurance in Five of the best "DOLLAR" companies. Handles Real Estate, Town Lots both Business and Residence, and Farm Property near Estacada

### NOTARY PUBLIC ON OUR STAFF

### CORRESPONDENTS

Merchants National Bank of Portland  
National City Bank of New York

## ANNOUNCEMENT

### Clackamas County Taxes

May Now Be Paid at the Offices of

## The Clackamas Title Company

Established 1893 IN PORTLAND Incorporated 1902

At 509-511 Chamber of Commerce Building

Statement of Taxes Will Be Furnished Upon Application in Person or By Mail Call and Examine the Duplicate Tax Roll. Telephones Main 2056 or Home 2056

AT THE

## Estacada FURNITURE Store

A fifteen dollar Brussels Rug Given Away



We keep a Full Line of Goods. All Prices in Plain Figures. New arrivals of Goods right along



We are agents for Boye Needle Chart and Needle Threader Threads a needle in the dark

Picture Framing a Specialty. House Furnishers. Undertakers. A Fine Line of Queens Ware on hand.

Come in and see our stock and be convinced you can get



## A BARGAIN

Goods sold on the Installment Plan

H. Cooper & Co.

### LOCAL NEWS AND PERSONAL MENTION

The Kilgore Bros. are planting fifteen acres of orchard.

FOR SALE—Jersey Bull. Full blooded. 3 years old.—Kilgore Brothers, Springwater, Oregon.

Bonney, the "picture man," and family are home again after a couple of weeks spent with their parents.

Two desirable lots, small house with water on the premises. For sale. Easy terms. E. P. Scott, or inquire of the Progress Office.

Mr. Parker was in town on Wednesday hauling seed potatoes out. They are planting about twenty-five acres of young orchard, also.

Is your farm for sale? If so, write to or call on The Conant Realty Co., Room 5, 250 1/2 Alder St., Portland, Ore.

E. P. Scott is home again from Southern Oregon. He praises the country he visited and says it is destined to have a great future. Mr. Scott invested in some lots down there.

A package containing a pair of baby shoes was found on the road up in Garfield and brought to Dales' Store, where they can be had by the party who lost them.

C. C. Saling is putting out twelve acres of orchard and E. E. Saling is also adding some trees to his orchard. With proper care we will soon be able to convince the skeptics that it does pay to raise fruit in Clackamas Co.

We have several pieces of property left with us to negotiate a sale for. Intending investors in Estacada will do well to consult us as we may have just what you want. Inquire at the PROGRESS office.

The PROGRESS and Human Life for one year. Price of both \$1.50. PROGRESS and Weekly Oregonian one year, \$1.50. PROGRESS and Semi-Weekly Journal for \$1.50 a year.

A. W. Douglass, wife and two children arrived in Estacada on Monday night from Norton, Kan., and will likely make this their future home. Mrs. Douglass is a daughter of Mrs. Clara Henthorn.

That very interesting magazine about people, Human Life, which is publishing the story of Homer Davenport, will advance its subscription price to \$1.00 per year. This makes our offer of Human Life a remarkable bargain. See our ad. "The Oregon Magazine Hit of 1926."

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Boulton of St. Johns, were visiting at Merchant Sparks' and other friends during the week. Perry is still with Barnes & Lindsey making cross arms. He said that the company R. A. Stratton was with had sold out and it was probable Mr. Stratton would go to California. Mr. Boulton paid the PROGRESS Office a call.

On Saturday evening, March 20, the Pacific University Male Quartet and Prof. Orr, Impersonator and Reader, will be at the M. E. Church, Estacada. This is the last number of the course of entertainment by the League. We bespeak for them a good house on this occasion.

W. J. Potwin came in unexpectedly on his sister, Mrs. Kuhlman, and treated her to a genuine surprise on last Friday. Mr. Potwin had been employed at Taft, Mont., for the past two years by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul and just finishing his work he decided to pay his sister a visit. It is quite likely he may remain if he can find something to his liking.

An effort is being made to resurrect and reorganize the Business Men's Club. There is no room for argument as to the merits of such an organization, or the benefits to be derived from a thoroughly wide-awake up-to-date Club of this character. We will have more to say of this matter in our next issue.

### A Reply to The Journals Criticism

On Friday last the Journal gave a highly colored article about how a desperado and outlaw had been run to earth by a Canadian officer and a special car from the Portland Railway Light & Power Co. I presume the reason some newspaper correspondents put up news in this form is that the public are more eager to devour it. It caught the eye of the reader quickly. Had this same reporter known of the anguish of a poor broken hearted mother, who is blind, as well as the anxiety of a sister of the young man, who lives in Portland, as also numerous friends who have known this family for years and have found them all to be good honorable people, except one boy who has been in trouble for his waywardness, and it is said it was to escape testifying against this brother that young Cleve Newman left his home in Newman, Wash. some three weeks ago and finally landed in this vicinity. We repeat had this reporter felt these pangs he would not have tried to paint this young man black in deeds even imputing murder. The facts as we have learned them are, a Washington officer came after the young man because he had disappeared at a time when wanted as a witness against train robbers, and as one of his brothers was implicated in the matter and he not desiring to appear against him, left the state. He had been up at Cazadero and at the Betch ranch for about three weeks. The Betch family having no desire to shield a criminal but were not willing to accept the story as published in the Journal, of people they have known for years, and have always found them to be good people, with the exception of the one young man of the family. "Cleve Newman may be guilty of wrong but I won't believe it until I know it" is the language of one who has known the family well, made to the writer of this article. "We have known him to be a good young man and we still believe he is good. If it should turn out that we have been deceived, it will then be time enough to change our mind." We prefer to give this side of the story to our readers and if it should be wrong, of one thing we are certain, it cannot do the harm the other has already done.

### Mrs. Weaver Talks in M. E. Church

Mrs. C. L. Weaver, National, as well as General Organizer of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. Church addressed a small audience on Sunday evening at the M. E. Church in this place. Those who gave Mrs. Weaver a hearing had nothing to regret for facing a rainstorm, to come out, which we have no doubt prevented many from being present. Mrs. Weaver has an earnest, pleasing manner in presenting the work of the Society, and with her wide experience in it, she soon wins the hearts of her hearers in the noble, self-sacrificing experiences she relates, and they are surely self-sacrificing, for it is much easier for a woman of her ability to set down and take these matters as the great majority do, as being simply unfortunate, than it is to be engaged in an effort to better the conditions as they are found. Mrs. Weaver has recently moved from Chicago, where she was engaged in the work to Portland, her present address being 55 E. 14th St., where matters pertaining to her work will always receive attention. This congregation should have been especially interested in her remarks for it has received needed help from another board of the church work that made the splendid property of the congregation possible. In a like manner we who have been the recipients of others should contribute of our substance for the bettering of others.

## KEEP YOUR EYE

## ON THIS SPACE IN THE FUTURE



## ESTACADA MERCANTILE Company

### An Explanation

The Springwater telephone muddle is a matter we have been asked to explain and we have endeavored to get both sides of the controversy and we will give it as related to us. The contention of the Springwater people is that the order that went into effect recently of compelling subscribers on the line to go through the Redland Exchange is an arbitrary one and is only "red tape." While the local Phone company says it is simply a business proposition, and give as their reasons that the Springwater people with their line went to Redland, which is a mutual service, and after free exchange had been established with Redland, the people who were on the Springwater line who found it was to their interest to use the local exchange free, received this service free for which other surrounding lines paid twenty-five cents per month for. This being the case it is evident that the Estacada Telephone & Telegraph Co. could not hope to secure any subscribers on the South side of the river for by simply getting on the Springwater line they could get the advantages of a service that suited their purpose better, for nothing. By coming to Estacada they could use the phones the same as a subscriber or by phoning could do the same thing. For these privileges, as we before said, others pay twenty-five cents per month, consequently it is not equitable to the Estacada Telephone & Telegraph Company or its patrons either. Now, if the individual members of the Springwater line willing to pay the twenty-five cents per month to have these extra privileges are denied to do so by the Springwater Mutual. We do not see why the Estacada Telephone & Telegraph Co. should be criticized for demanding their business compensation for purely business principles.

### Pie Social a Success

The School Pie Social was quite a success, socially and financially. The booths, arranged and made by the teachers and scholars, looked very pretty and made money. They were presided over by good looking vivacious, inquisitive, girls—young ladies—who inquired if you wished some candy, cake or coffee. The teachers and children played "Drop the Handkerchief" "Pussy Wants a Corner" "Catch as Catch Can" and other modern games to their great enjoyment and the envy of the larger school boys and girls of other days. Dr. Adix proved himself to be a great auctioneer never for once taking the "bear" side of the market, but always giving it a boost until pies went soaring skyward in price. But then no wonder look at the wheat market how it has gone up. Prin. James had the pleasure of seeing the money come in and paying it right out again. That is what money is for. They realized enough to pay the rent of the piano for a whole year and had a few dollars over to be spent elsewhere in the schools. The sum of \$20.26 was clear money after expenses.

On Tuesday night Al Close closed up his establishment. He informs the PROGRESS that it is his intention to leave the city at an early date and go into business elsewhere and that he will not again open his place of business here. There has been much ill feeling engendered by the business being conducted by him, charges and counter charges have been frequent and it was apparent that these conditions were getting worse. Few individuals care to fight for a living when there are so many good ways in which it can be obtained. It is to be hoped it will result in the good to both the community and Mr. Close, that is expected.

### Livery, Feed & Sale

**STABLE**  
W. A. JONES  
PROPRIETOR  
Good rigs and careful drivers always  
**SPECIAL ATTENTION**  
Given Hunting and Fishing Parties  
**WOOD & LUMBER**  
Local and Long Distance Telephone  
**CHURCH SERVICES**

M. E. Church—Next Sabbath  
Sabbath School 10 a. m.  
Preaching at 7 p. m.  
League 6:15 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting on Thursday Evening 7 p. m.

Church of Christ—Next Sabbath  
Bible School 10 a. m.  
Preaching at 11 a. m.  
Young Peoples' Meeting 6:30 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting 7 p. m.  
Friday Evening at 7 p. m.  
—E. W. Sewall, Pastor

The topic for the Young Peoples' study is, "What are our liquor laws and how are they enforced." An interesting programme will be given. Every one welcome at the Old School house.

—Free Methodist Church—  
Sabbath School 2:30 p. m.  
Preaching 7 p. m.  
—Rev. Roper of Gresham

The Miss Burneys who have frequently been at the Estacada have returned again for a stay of some time.