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LOCAL NEWS AND PERSONAL MENTION

Ask McCurdy Lumber & Hardware Co. Fat cattle wanted; the latter the better.—See Fred Jorg.

R. Crawford of Garfield was a visitor in town on Monday.

For sale—Eight grade Jersey heifers; a bargain. A. E. HUNT.

Window screens made to order. Hamlin & Darling, planing mill.

Mr. Wilcox was among those who came in from Garfield on Monday.

Mr. Graham of Viola was a visitor in Estacada the first of the week.

Ask McCurdy Lumber & Hardware Co. John Scott of Elwood came in on Monday to purchase supplies for the week.

For sale—Three thoroughbred Shropshire bucks. Apply to John Gilman, Curranville. 1024 374

All kinds of lumber and building material. Planing mill, Hamlin & Darling.

Frank Rhoades came in from Garfield Monday morning to purchase supplies.

Fred Newhiter of Springwater purchased supplies here in the early part of the week.

The many friends of Mrs. O. R. Jacobs will regret to learn that she is on the sick list.

Mrs. J. F. Murphy is suffering from a severe cold contracted in the fore part of the week.

Wanted to rent—Residence of five or six rooms, with modern conveniences. Apply to E. Blockley, 24 1/2

Ask McCurdy Lumber & Hardware Co. Mr. Myers has purchased a lot on Pierce street between Third and Fourth and has begun the erection of a residence.

Buy it now. Now is the time to buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. This remedy has no superior. For sale by all good dealers.

Ask McCurdy Lumber & Hardware Co. Mrs. J. W. Reed, who has been visiting friends in Seattle, returned Tuesday, and hence the broad rays of pleasure that have been illumining the countenance of his honor, the Mayor, for the last couple of days.

Applying the law of cause and effect in an endeavor to explain why trout are so plentiful in the streams hereabouts, it has been suggested that the reason may lie in the fact that Jack Cassidy has not been fishing this year.

The rain in the early part of the week proved a pleasant change after the protracted dry spell, and was of just sufficient volume to lay the dust and give a fresh impetus to the growth of the garden truck, besides helping the pasturage.

Among the guests at the Estacada Hotel on Sunday was Mr. Wilbur E. Conant of Portland, one of the brightest railroad men on the Coast and probably the most popular. Mr. Conant was accompanied by Mrs. Conant and their son and Walter Harmon.

Ask McCurdy Lumber & Hardware Co. Anton Himmelbauer, one of the members of the Ullman Company of Cincinnati, and Pacific Coast representative of the company, visited the city in the early part of the week. His people are the manufacturers of the famous and widely heralded Henderson whiskey.

The River Mill and Springwater baseball teams will meet on the diamond here next Sunday, and a good game is expected. It is understood that Springwater has a strong nine, and if so, the game should be well worth seeing. It will be called at the usual hour.

Miss Decus of Boise City, who was the guest of Miss Kitty Ellen Reagan last week, left for Portland en route home on Friday. She was accompanied as far as Portland by Miss Reagan, and the two young ladies spent the week-end visiting friends there. Miss Reagan returned home on Sunday.

It is reported that the honor of having killed the most game since the season opened has fallen to John Straight of Oregon City, before whose trusty rifle three deer and two bear are said to have fallen. Mr. Straight is understood to be camped in the vicinity of the Colla wash burns, or at Hoadoo Camp.

Ask McCurdy Lumber & Hardware Co. After a pleasurable visit to the beach at Tillamook, Mr. and Mrs. Morrow and children returned on Thursday last to their home here.

Besides Mr. and Mrs. Morrow, the party included Miss Gertrude Morrow, Miss Beyerley, Mrs. Morrow's sister, Mr. J. W. Beyerley, and Benice and Beyerley Morrow.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Estacada will be held in the church next Monday, August 28th, at 2:30 p. m. It is important that all official members should be present and bring their reports. This is the last conference of the year, and important business must be attended to.

Ask McCurdy Lumber & Hardware Co. The fire that got under headway on the opposite side of the river about a month ago is still burning, but is, of course, under control. A trail has been constructed all the way around the tract burned, so that the fire wardens are in a position to hurry to any point at which the encroachments of the fire might demand their presence.

A fire has been reported in the woods near Oak Grove, a short distance from the summit, but it is not expected to be serious owing to the prompt action of the fire wardens' efficient force, which was at the scene soon after the news was received here. A couple of wagon-loads of provisions were dispatched to that point at an early hour Tuesday morning.

Ask McCurdy Lumber & Hardware Co. Work on the construction of the building in which W. Ellison is to establish a packing plant is now under way, and will be rushed to completion as rapidly as possible. The site of the building is a most convenient one for either packing or warehouse purposes, and the Progress predicts for the enterprising owner a large measure of success in his new venture.

Monday forenoon and afternoon thousands of beautiful brown and gold butterflies suddenly made their appearance on the streets, and after a visit of a few hours departed as suddenly as they came. They proved a source of wonderment because of their number, and suggested a fleet of Portuguese men-of-war as they swayed to the breeze while standing upright on the street planking.

Ask McCurdy Lumber & Hardware Co. Mr. F. W. Gartner, assistant at the Estacada Bank, left for a visit to his former home in Nebraska on Tuesday evening. Mr. Gartner has not been East for six years, and consequently looks forward with a great deal of pleasure to the trip. He may go as far as the Windy City before returning. It need scarcely be stated that Mr. Gartner has the best wishes of all who know him for a most enjoyable vacation.

Preparations are being made for the planking of the road leading to the ravine, should it be found necessary when the winter rains set in. Mr. Reagan, with an assistant, has been engaged at the work this week, and the road has been leveled and made ready for the planking. The material, which has been hauled to a point convenient for distribution, has been in use elsewhere, but it is still in a good state of preservation and will prove serviceable for several years to come.

F. W. Heckbert and wife, Daniel Heckbert, F. L. Fuller and wife, Leonard Fuller, Mrs. G. F. Moffatt and Mrs. L. M. Parrish were among the Portlanders who visited at the Estacada in the early part of the week. Mr. Fuller, as is known to many Estacadans, is vice-president of the P. R. L. & P. Co.

Has Joined the Silent Majority

Useful Career of D. C. Shearman of Springwater Closed by Death.

Word has been received from Springwater conveying news of the death there of D. C. Shearman, who quietly passed away on the 18th inst. Deceased was born in Floyd, N. Y., September 28, 1862, and was therefore 48 years and 11 months old at the time of his death.

Mr. Shearman is survived by his widow and three children, besides a brother who resides in Michigan. He came to Oregon four years ago. When eighteen years old Mr. Shearman joined the Baptist Church, and has always been a devoted and consistent Christian, and an important business must be attended to.

Death was due to diabetes, from which he had suffered for seven years. When Mr. Shearman came to this county it was predicted that he would not live for more than six weeks, so serious was his condition. Mr. Shearman was insured in both the Order of Maccabees and Modern Woodmen of America.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Kuhlman, and the body was laid to rest in River View Cemetery, Portland.

The following tribute to the deceased was composed by one of his friends:

Thou hast gone to thy home,
Left us to mourn no more,
But we hope to meet our loved one
On that bright and happy shore.

Lately the home and sad the hours,
Since our loved one has gone,
But oh, a brighter home than ours,
In heaven is now thine own.

The Progress correspondent at Springwater is requested to say in behalf of the family of the deceased that they extend their sincere thanks to their neighbors and friends for their kindness and help in the hour of the great affliction which it has pleased God to put upon them.

Ask McCurdy Lumber & Hardware Co. Mr. Murphy's Good Luck.

On Monday last twin babies, and as fine-looking ones as ever were seen, made their first appearance in Estacada. Already they have developed a tremendous capacity for milk, each consuming a couple of quarts daily, so that they may reasonably be expected to reach great proportions. The babies, it may be interesting to know, were born to Mr. J. S. Murphy's cow. Both are healthy, and the owner is accordingly pleased. The stock is noted for twin births, the calves' great grand-mother having also presented her owner with two at a birth.

CHURCH SERVICES

M. E. Church—Next Sabbath Service next Sunday at 11 a. m. After preaching an election will be held to elect one delegate to the Lay Eleventh Conference at Salem September 22d.

Sabbath School 10 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m.
League 7 p. m.
—W. R. F. BROWN, Pastor

Church of Christ—Next Sabbath Morning and evening services under the direction of State Evangelist Williams.

Bible School 10 a. m.
—W. GIVEN, Pastor

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Editor Womer and Family Enjoying Themselves Thoroughly at Newport.

Rev. W. E. F. Brown, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, is in receipt of a letter from Paul Womer stating that they are all enjoying their outing at Newport and that the place is attractive even beyond their expectation. The scenery is magnificent, Paul states they have had good fishing, and Mr. Womer himself was rapidly becoming an expert in chopping out rock oysters, which is probably the richest and most nutritious of shellfish and the one that yields the largest percentage of brain food. The razor clams were not so very plentiful at first, probably having heard that Editor Womer was coming, but now plenty are to be had. Paul also stated that they had seen several whales sporting in the waves a short distance from shore.

River Mill Again Defeats Estacada

Sunday's ball game at the local grounds resulted in something of a disappointment to the Estacada boys and their friends, defeat being for the second time in succession to the home players—and that, too, at the hands of the River Mill contingent, whom the Estacadans had slated for a walling after the game last week.

The fact that Thompson allowed but three hits, with eight tallies made by the opposing team, shows the class of support given the local pitcher. Three of the regular members of the team were unable to be present, and hence the victory for the visitors. The River Mill battery was Calif and Toodies. The attendance was good.

These people are trained specialists and are well-deserving of a sympathetic hearing from the people of Estacada and vicinity.

Mr. Williams is a plain, earnest speaker and none can hear him without profit while the sweet singing of Miss Roys is a source of delight to all who have had the privilege of hearing her.

A Source of Just Pride.

The fire boys were out for a practice spin last evening, and their lively gait was a source of joy to Messrs. Reed & Sparks and the other insurance men. Equipped with a splendid car, a lot of splendid runners, 1300 feet of first-class hose and a water pressure of 120 pounds, Estacada has every reason to be not alone well satisfied, but justly proud of her volunteer fire department.

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In Favor of the Single Tax Plan

The Progress will be glad at all times to publish the opinions of its correspondents, whatever side of a question may be discussed, but it should be remembered that the publication does not necessarily mean endorsement. The following communication will explain itself.

BARTON, OR., Aug. 22.

To the Progress:

As I have been reading several articles in the Oregon City Courier regarding the single tax law, I will take the opportunity of expressing my opinion of it in the columns of the Progress.

To many people the single tax seems unjust and an unfair proposal to the State, because they think that this tax was proposed in order to cause the speculators to let go of their unimproved land for a small price so as to get rid of paying the tax. This, however, is not the case.

The single tax law will awaken the whole country. It will cause more people to improve their land and clear up their farms. The farmer does not feel like clearing his land making too many improvements when he has to pay more taxes on it.

A good many people will not tell the assessor the exact number of acres of land they have in cultivation. They will make the number as small as possible in order to reduce their taxes.

Therefore, considering these facts, the single tax would be a good thing for the country.

A. SUNDCKER.

At the Christian Church

A series of gospel meetings are being conducted at the Christian Church under the leadership of G. E. Williams, State Evangelist of the Oregon Christian Missionary Society. Mr. Williams has his wife as accompanist and Miss Ella Roy as soloist and song leader associated with him in his work.

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