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LOCAL NEWS AND PERSONAL MENTION

Dr. Lowe November 27.

Mr. Watson is preparing to build a home on Broadway.

Halloween comes next Tuesday. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilcox and two little daughters were Portland and Oregon City visitors this week.

Willis Yonce lost one of his horses on Sunday night by its being hit by an incoming passenger car. It was necessary to shoot it.

The Firemen's basket social will be held at the Odd Fellow's hall Friday evening. Ladies are requested to bring baskets.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klaetsch has been quite ill for several days and on Tuesday it was taken to Portland.

We have just learned that the P. R. L. & P. Co. has shut down their grade work and the work at the upper dam until further orders.

Mrs. John Page and Veneta went to Gresham Monday evening to hear the lecture by Col. John Sobeski.

Teams have been busy hauling ties into town for several days past, and quite a number are piled along the railroad just west of town.

On the local diamond last Sunday the River Mill and Estacada teams clashed for supremacy. The local boys defeated the River Mill team by a score of 16 to 13.

At the Executive meeting of the Commercial Club held on Monday night, payment of bills for the recent dinner at the Hotel Estacada occupied the attention of those present.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wisner went to Portland on Tuesday in response to word received of the serious illness of Mrs. Wisner's sister, Mrs. Emma Veskey.

R. M. Standish picked several boxes of apples from his 5 year old orchard this week. They are very well formed and colored and prove that this country can grow apples as good as the best.

A fire in the woods at River Mill last week, caused the removal of the men at work on the building of the dam to fighting fire. About 250 men were called to fight the flames. Considerable cord wood was burned.

Do not overlook the Firemen's basket social to-morrow (Friday) evening at the I. O. O. F. Hall. Judge Samson will do the auctioneering. The Firemen hope to make this social both a success from a financial and social standpoint.

M. E. Crane and wife, of Tacoma, and former Michigan friends of Rev. Darling, visited Estacada on Tuesday to renew old acquaintanceship. The Cranes have been West during the past six years. Mrs. Crane has just returned from a four month's visit to Michigan.

A special meeting of the City Council held on Friday evening for the purpose of taking up the matter of a saloon license for G. C. Courtemarsh & Co., of Portland, granted to the applicant the license asked for. The building occupied is on the corner of 2nd and Broadway.

The Commercial Club's business men, who are going over the territory surrounding Estacada and becoming better acquainted with the different communities, made a trip through the George country on Wednesday.

At the school meeting held at the school house on last Tuesday evening for the purpose of voting a tax for the coming year, a 12 mill tax was decided upon. 11 mills will be used for running expenses and 1 mill for a sinking fund. The clerk had estimated the expenses for the year to be \$10,000. It was a special meeting and but few were in attendance.

Dinner Is Much Enjoyed

Popular Speakers Interest All Present; Tickets Were In Demand

At 7:00 o'clock Saturday evening Governor West, with a party of Portland Railway, Light & Power Co. officials and other noted Portland business men in President Joselyn's special car, arrived in Estacada. A committee of business men and members of the Estacada Commercial Club met the party and they were conducted to The Estacada, where an informal reception was held by the Governor, who had expressed a desire to meet all our citizens. As only one hundred plates were provided for the banquet tickets for these were quickly disposed of and many who would willingly have paid for tickets could not be accommodated. This reception gave them a chance to meet him.

The Estacada Commercial Club recently has made renewed efforts to boost our good opportunities and as a means of doing so arranged for some boosters of fame to be here. The boost meeting started with an 8 o'clock dinner at The Estacada. It was served in courses and was up to the standard of this noted hostelry.

Mayor Reed, Pres. of the Commercial Club, presided and also acted as toastmaster. The first speaker was the Governor. He spoke of our favorable conditions here, and that he marked a noted improvement during the past three years. He complimented us of being the only community he knew of that was not finding fault with the railroads and expressed the opinion that a better understanding between the corporations and the people had been obtained. The Governor talked about our soil and its productiveness, our fruit possibilities, and our favorable location so close to Portland, and of this entire North West country being reserved for the best development for man's benefit by a kind providence. He said man in his Westward movements from the Garden of Eden had been seeking the best and our Northwest Pacific slope had been held reservation for him. The Governor then, for about fifteen minutes, launched into a defence of his prison policy which he has established and which he has received much criticism for.

T. B. Wilcox president of the Oregon Development League, B. S. Joselyn president of the P. R. L. & P. Co., F. E. Riley vice president for Oregon of the Pacific Trunk roadway, Harvey Beckwith president of the Portland Commercial Club and W. H. Chapin president of the Oregon Realty Board, each in their order made a speech along the lines of their official relations to the various branches of development work they are interested in. They all had good words to say about our opportunity to develop and our favorable conditions to development.

The midnight hour having arrived President Reed, on behalf of the Club, thanked the speakers for their presence and words of encouragement and said it was time to adjourn.

Would you consider a trade or exchange for any of your land? We have had a number of parties from Portland and elsewhere who have wanted to purchase land in this country, but wish to take out all or part of same in trade for Portland property, houses etc. Notify us at once if you will consider trade for any of your land.—Standish Brothers.

I have left with me, for sale two very desirable lots, in Estacada. A good bargain if taken at once. Inquire at the Progress.

Eagle Creek Organizes Sunday School

A Sunday School has been organized at the school house in district No. 50. Mrs. R. B. Gibson is superintendent, Mrs. Cahill assistant superintendent, Miss Duncan secretary, and treasurer. Mr. Stot of the Hawthorne Ave. Presbyterian Church in Portland, will assist in the Sunday School and preach at the close of the school. Sunday School begins at 10:30 a. m. It is a union school and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mr. Frank Brownrigg moved to Eagle Creek last week from the Sellwood Lumber Co's mill site.

Mr. J. E. Brady and family came from Sherman county recently and have rented Mrs. DerKoni's house, but are camping in the log house on the old Baker place until the first of the month when Mrs. DerKoni expects to go to Los Angeles, Cal. The best wishes of her neighbors here will go with her.

Mr. Brash and family are living on the John Howlett place. After a long period of solitude the Carter place is occupied by a family of Straws.

All are enjoying the beautiful weather. Frosts have made some changes in the general appearance of things and caused us all to realize that the "good old summer time" is past, copious rains have put the soil in excellent condition for the fall crops. Let all give heartfelt thanks for the good gifts of Him who sendeth His rains in due season.

Our schools are making good progress. The Eagle Creek school is somewhat crowded but having Miss Effie Grace at the head the work is sure to be satisfactory. Miss Duncan has room for more pupils in district No. 50, but the fourteen she has are doing good work.

Examination For Naval Academy

The University of Oregon will hold a competitive examination for two appointments to the Naval Academy at Annapolis on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, January 25, 26, and 27 1912. The appointments are the patronage of Senator Chamberlain, who has agreed to appoint as cadets to the Naval Academy in May of 1912 the two candidates in the examinations who pass the best mental and physical tests. The examinations will be wholly competitive, and are open to any young man in the state who is a citizen of the United States.

In addition to an age qualification, and a strict physical test, applicants will be examined in the following subjects: Algebra, Plane Geometry, English Grammar, English Literature, English Composition, Geography and History, the latter including History of the United States, Ancient History, and History of Medieval Europe.

Candidates for the examination should send in their names to the President's Secretary, University of Oregon, Eugene, for registration.

Celebrates 7th Birthday

Fayelle Virginia Scott entertained eleven of her little friends on Thursday evening October 19th from 4 until 6, being in honor of her 7th birthday. The little folks thoroughly enjoyed the evening. Many little tokens of remembrance were received. After refreshments had been served the little folks all left for their homes, and wished Virginia many happy birthdays.

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Notes In And About The School

The school has just received the state traveling library. It consists of 50 different books, and which are of the best. Among this group are books of interest to men, women and children. The school has a library of about 170 volumes, and these may be borrowed by any one residing in the district. The library hour is four o'clock and books may be gotten and returned at this hour. Everybody is cordially invited to use these books.

Guy Graham, of the Jefferson High School of Portland, entered the High School here this week.

At the first fire drill of this year Superintendent James reports the children to all have been out of the building in 30 seconds after the alarm, and without one of the children running or getting off the side walk. These drills will be continued during the weeks to come and will be practiced at least once each week.

The school, in an endeavor to further protect the lives of the students and also the school property, has organized a school fire department. Milton Evans has been elected captain. The boys composing the department are Malcolm Woodie, Carl Douglas, Hurley Fellows, Albert Shankland, Guy Graham, Harold Wooster, Charley Kandle and Milton Evans. As soon as arrangements can be made with the volunteer company of the city, the hose cart on the school grounds will be used in their drills.

Mrs. Altman took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Currin, of Currinsville, Monday.

Mesdames Graham, Altman and Devore, and Prof. H. M. James were in attendance at the local teacher's institute which was held at Currinsville last Saturday. Mrs. Altman and Prof. James gave addresses at the meeting.

The old veteran, S. E. Hamilton of Portland, who lectured at the school house last Friday evening was greeted with a full house and a very interested group of listeners. The net proceeds were \$10.

Rev. T. B. Ford and Rev. W. R. F. Browne were visitors to the school on Wednesday. Rev. Ford

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Meetings Attract Attention

Special meetings began at the Methodist Church on Sunday last, under the leadership of the Rev. T. B. Ford of Portland. Much interest has already been shown in the meetings, a good attendance has been had at all of the services. Dr. Ford has had much experience in conducting evangelistic meetings, and all who attend will be certain of being interested and instructed. Services will be continued every night this week commencing at 7:30 sharp with a short song service. Come early, get a good seat and help in the singing.