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Thursday, April 18, 1912

Great interest is being taken in the county division question. It even overshadows the presidential problem in Clackamas county.

Ben Selling, candidate for U. S. Senator, is profiting by the recent expose of the treatment of workmen in the cotton mills of Massachusetts, in which Senator Bourne is a stockholder.

A baseball club is an excellent advertisement for a town and the one Estacada has will do it credit. Little has been asked in the way of contributions, this year, and the public should patronize the games liberally.

C. A. Schuble, who is campaigning on the proposition of "soaking the corporations" takes about five columns of the county seat newspapers to explain his position. He does not mention single tax, which is a subject he doesn't care to discuss, he says. He is especially anxious to tax water power, thus adding to the taxation of those who are striving to develop industries in Oregon.

Estacada's recent experience with water pollution, argues for prompt action in the matter of avoiding farther danger from that source. No matter what it costs, the city should see to it that it has a supply of pure water. The city council is considering ways and means and it is the expectation that, before summer comes, the intake will be located probably a mile above its present site and that tiling will be used in taking the water through the district. The lesson learned from the recent experience should, and doubtless will, result in assuring Estacadians of immunity from water contamination.

SPRINGWATER

The basketball team had its picture taken Sunday. After this serious business was over the basketball boys trimmed the baseball bunch on the Springwater diamond. A passing auto was blocked and burst a tire at the sight of a baseball team in such suits.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Tucker have been receiving the congratulations of their friends on the arrival of a baby boy last week.

Mrs. R. A. Wilcox who has been quite ill for two weeks, is improving rapidly and hopes to be up and about soon.

EAGLE CREEK

The Eagle Creek baseball team won an easy victory over Barton 5 to 1, Sunday. Rivers, who pitched for Eagle Creek allowed but one hit.

An April Fools party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cahill. Five hundred was the chief amusement of the evening.

Road work will begin in this precinct next Monday. A new grade will be built up the hill back of Schultz.

Miss Schuback of Portland is visiting her parents on the farm.

Don't forget the dance April 27.

GARFIELD

P. F. Standish has contracted the rear 11 acres of his ranch to be cleared.

Mrs. E. S. Wilcox and Mrs. Harry Stokes were Portland visitors over Sunday.

A small acreage of walnuts with strawberries between the rows is being planted by J. S. Palmater.

Miss Lulu Tracy visited her grandparents Sunday last.

Sydney Fisher, who recently returned from Virginia, states his family will return this fall.

An enthusiastic crowd turned out for baseball practice last Sunday.

F. Orrison has made a short trip to Seattle on business.

R. C. Deming was a guest of Miles Standish of Portland last Sunday.

I guarantee all work done.—LaHatt.

For Sale—Indian Runner duck eggs; 50 cents a setting.
R. S. Ludlow, Estacada. 11-3-21

Fat cattle wanted; the fatter the better.—See Fred Jorg.

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I can fix anything that is wrong with your watch.—LaHatt.

For Sale—Seed potatoes, American Wonder and Burbanks. Inquire at The Progress office.

I have a scholarship in Behnk-Walker Business college I will sell for \$50, or will trade for hay, hogs, cow, wood or anything I can use on farm. Boy or girl can probably work way through school. Phone or see A. M. Stephens, Garfield district. 4-11-12

CITY NEWS BRIEFS

LaHatt sells spectacles and eye glasses.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. John Page April 24th.

W. D. Henthorne is seriously ill of rheumatic fever at his home.

Dr. Lowe's glasses are death to headaches. Ask your neighbors.

George Reid, 30 years a resident of Springwater, will leave soon to visit relatives in Canada.

J. C. O'Connor, residing near Morrow has employed J. R. Hughes to paint the O'Connor residence.

If you are troubled with "Brain fog," "Mental haze," "Nerves," and periodical headaches, have Dr. Lowe test your eyes.

Wm. Gellendonk, Jr., has returned from a trip to Hood River and Underwood, where he visited friends several days.

When the difference in cost between Dr. Lowe's superior glasses and the inferior kinds usually sold is so small the wonder is the inferior kind is sold at all.

L. E. Belfils returned from Hood River where he went to examine the county records to secure figures regarding cost of county division. The data was all in its favor.

Paul Womer returned from Oregon City, accompanied by his sister Mrs. Stella Woodard, who has been ailing for some time, with a threatened attack of typhoid fever. She is recovering rapidly.

Ed Douglass, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at a Portland hospital, returned to his home at Eagle Creek, Sunday. He was able to walk unassisted and will be well shortly.

The Columbus club, probably the fastest amateur ball club, at Portland, will meet the Estacadians at the local park, Sunday. This game ought to be a hot one. Turn out and root!

Owing to lack of space, detailed account of the Oregon City commercial club banquet at the Hotel Estacada, last evening, is deferred one week. The club is to report to Estacada, its decision on county division, within ten days.

The saloon heretofore conducted by G. G. Courtemarsh has been sold to Parker & Wilkinson of Portland, who have taken possession. Mr. Courtemarsh and wife will leave soon for New York, after a trip to San Francisco.

A. E. Sparks went to Portland, Monday, and purchased a Carter "40," an automobile of standard make. I. A. Bonney accompanied him to examine the inner workings of the machine. The two made the return trip in the car, coming by way of Oregon City.

B. Q. Boswell, Edwin Bates and G. E. LaFollette, were among those who went to Portland, Tuesday, to hear Senator LaFollette at Gypsy Smith's tabernacle. An immense crowd heard the candidate for the presidency and there was much enthusiasm.

You and your children are safe if you wear Dr. Lowe's superior glasses—eye safe and price safe—They cost you no more than the inferior kinds usually sold and you have the benefit of his skill and more than 20 years experience. Consult him next Tuesday, April 23, in Dr. Adix's office.

Mrs. A. J. Mills, wife of Alderman-elect Mills, arrived with her two children from Friendship, Mich., Monday, and will make her home in Estacada. It has been a year and a half since Mr. Miller came to the coast, during which time he has not seen his family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Metcalf, of New Portland, Me., are visiting their niece, Mrs. C. F. Howe, after spending the winter in Southern California. Mrs. Howe met them at the Union depot in Portland, Tuesday afternoon. They had not met for 25 years but recognized each other at first sight.

Call at Dr. Adix's office, Tuesday, April 23, and have Dr. Lowe show you the new seamless glasses with which you can see all distances. No lines or seams in the glass to catch dirt and strain the eyes. They make you feel young without making you look old. Free demonstrations. Remember the day and date.

Miss Belle English arrived home Wednesday afternoon from a six weeks visit in Portland, bringing two of her girl friends with her, Miss Nellie Cahill and Miss Hazel Lynch. They attended the Pomona grange and dance at Eagle Creek. The girls will spend several weeks at the J. I. English ranch.

The cases against Meister and Venke and G. E. Courtemarsh, accused of violating the local option law, will be called in circuit court at Oregon City, Monday.

Mary Stubbs, was found guilty by a jury, yesterday, before Justice Given, on the charge of polluting the waters of Wade creek. The trial attracted a big crowd.

The P. R. L. & P. Co. have opened a waiting room at Morrow. The building was put up this week. The increase in business at this point resulted in the petition of the patrons having effect.

Social Functions.

Miss Gertrude Sagner of Estacada and Irvin Wiesner, senior member of the firm of Weisner, architects of Portland, were united in marriage at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. Steiner, last Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Mrs. Steiner is the mother of the bride. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Krauser of the German Lutheran church of Portland, in the presence of members of the family and a few friends, among them several from Portland. Miss Elfrida Sagner was bridesmaid and Adolph Heidler of Portland, best man.

After congratulations had been offered, the wedding party went to the Hotel Estacada, where a dinner was served to about 30 at 7 o'clock. Following this came an informal reception and dance, thoroughly enjoyed by all. The couple received many beautiful presents, among them a solid silver water set from the groom's fellow workers in the office. A number of congratulatory telegrams were also received from Portland friends.

The bride came to Estacada from Germany five years ago and has made her home here since then. She is well and favorably known. The groom is head of the firm of Wiesner & Co., architects and builders of Portland and employs over 40 people. The couple left Sunday for Portland, where Mr. Wiesner had prepared a home for their occupancy.

Perpetrating a complete surprise upon Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCurdy last Friday evening, about a dozen of their friends called upon them at their home in the hill district. A jolly evening resulted. Whist was played, four tables engaging in the pastime, after which refreshments which the party brought along with them, were served. Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames, Reed, Adix, Sparks, Belfils, Standish, Lindsey and James.

The Springwater baseball club were hosts to a big crowd of friends at Dodge hall, last Friday evening. The Horner Brothers furnished fine music for the dance and an oyster supper was served. Frank Bittner and Howard Smith were floor managers. The proceeds of the affair went to the treasury of the ball club. The club opens the season Sunday, against the Keystone Woolen Mill team of Portland.

Moving Pictures of The Estacada Plant

Accompanied by W. T. Buchanan, publicity manager of the P. R. L. & P. Co., Ralph R. Earle, representative of Pathe's Earle, arrived in the city Saturday and took motion pictures of the dam at River Mill and the \$2,000,000 plant of the company. The trip was made in Al Drill's launch.

Afterward pictures were taken of the Casadero plant. They will be exhibited all over the country as the "Estacada" plant.

Mr. Earle came clear across the continent to get pictures of Senator LaFollette at Portland. He has taken motion pictures of President Taft, Ex-President Roosevelt, Woodrow Wilson and other notables and tells interesting stories of them. Taft is always willing to pose for the picture men; so is Roosevelt. Wilson is averse to it, but submits if caught on the fly.

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Judge Hayes Talks for The Taxpayers League

Judge Hayes, an attorney of Oregon City, addressed a big crowd at Grange hall in Garfield, last Saturday evening, on behalf of the taxpayers league. He took strong grounds against single tax, urging that if put into effect in Oregon it would exempt fully 40 per cent of the present taxable property. He showed that it would work the greatest hardship on the poor man, whose land would be taxed heavily as against the man who had thousands of dollars of improvements.

He criticized the proposed taxation of water power, showing that single tax taxes nothing under ground like the power plants and making it plain that much taxes would be lost to the state if the plant were exempted. Judge Hayes, who is an excellent speaker, was frequently applauded.

E. W. Bartlett on invitation addressed the voters briefly on political issues, taking occasion also to discuss county division. Judge Hayes voluntarily said he believed East Clackamas is entitled to division.

Grand Jury Sustains Prosecutor E. B. Tongue

The grand jury which investigated the Hill murder case have filed a report showing why no action was taken in that case. The report reads:

"We have indicted in all cases where, in our estimation, the evidence introduced before us was such as in our judgment would, if unexplained and uncontradicted, warrant a conviction by the trial jury. That we have left no person unindicted where in our judgment we would have been warranted in returning an indictment.

Our conclusions and actions have in all instances been governed entirely by the evidence introduced before us."

This shows why no arrests were made in this case. The grand jury have themselves spoken and gone on record, telling you the exact reason. They further say in their report:

"On account of the many, various and conflicting reports in the newspapers concerning the investigation of the murder of the Hill family, we take this opportunity to commend District Attorney Tongue and Deputy Stipp, in their best, careful, cautious and unbiased method pursued in conducting a thorough investigation of the testimony of all witnesses, not only in the Hill case but in all other matters coming before us during our deliberative session."

This report now on record, filed in the county clerk's office signed by every member of the grand jury including a democrat, the only people who know what the evidence was.

Should be and is a complete answer to all the campaign falsehoods circulated against me in this matter. The grand jury by their action saved you perhaps \$10,000. Do you condemn or approve of this?

Who should know me better than Judge J. U. Campbell and Judge J. A. Felt in our circuit judges. Read what they say in the official pamphlet about my work, do not be misled by campaign lies.

Out of 700 circuit and supreme court cases only 18 have been lost. The county has not paid out a single dollar for legal assistance. Thousands of dollars have been saved by the manner in which criminal business has been handled. The county has not lost a single dollar by wrong legal advice.

That is our record. If you approve it vote to continue it.

I dislike to say anything about my opponent's record but since he accused me of unfairness in last week's Courier, I feel compelled to answer it or people might say I admitted it by being silent, so I make this statement.

He has not won a criminal case in the circuit court during the two and one-half years residence in Oregon. He has not won a criminal case in justice court without the help of Mr. Fulton, and then only one. On March 24, 1912 a case was tried at Astoria when the city and the A. & C. R. C. Co., the city paid Mr. Fulton \$600 to try this case. Every case that has been tried by him, the records show he has been assisted in every case by from one to four lawyers.

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Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, Serial 03265, U. S. Land Office at Portland, Oregon, March 18, 1912.
Notice is hereby given that William H. Sullivan whose postoffice address is 230 1/2 First Street, Portland, Oregon, did, on the 27th day of October, 1911, file in this office Sworn Statement and Application, No. 03265, to purchase the SW 1/4, Section 12, Township 11 South, Range 4 East, Willamette Meridian, and the timber thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 3, 1878, and acts amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law," at such value as might be fixed by appraisal, and that, pursuant to such application, the land and timber thereon have been accepted, the timber estimated 140,000 board feet at \$50 per M. and the land \$40.00; that said application will offer final proof in support of his application and sworn statement on the 10th day of June, 1912, before the Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Portland, Oregon.
Any person is at liberty to protest this purchase before entry, or initiate suit at any time before entry, by filing a protest or suit in this office, alleging facts which would defeat the entry, H. F. HIGBY, Register.



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