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FINDS ERROR OF \$1,300

Money of Estacada Schools Gets Into District 105

SHERIFF PROMISES A TRANSFER

Mrs. Bates Astonished When She Hears District Has Only \$432 When It Should Have About \$3,800

In line with the showing of Wm. Whitfield & Co. of Portland experts, who stated that the books of Clackamas county are in need of system and that methods are loose and unbusinesslike, Estacada School district No. 108 has just discovered that \$1,300 belonging to the district had been apportioned to District 105. Sheriff Mass, who collects taxes, admits the error and promised to rectify it.

This condition was revealed at a meeting of the board of education, Monday evening. Mrs. Sarah Bates, the clerk, explained to the board that she had called at the county treasurer's office at Oregon City and was told that the district had \$432.42 on deposit. Astounded by the news, she protested and went to see the sheriff, where the same condition was shown. The sheriff, after learning her name and address, said he would investigate. In a short time he notified her he had found an error had been made.

He Finds One Error.

District 105 had been paid \$1,300 belonging to the Estacada district, he said, but he believed it was still at the bank and he would have it transferred. Later, this was done, he said.

Mrs. Bates was still insistent and the sheriff told her he had collected some not yet turned in and there were some delinquencies. He promised to send her a statement soon.

At the board meeting Member Belfis stated he believed the district was about \$300 short in the special fund a year ago. He figured out the special tax for this year at 12 mills on a valuation of \$989,407 and said there should be, including the \$1,300, about \$3,800, instead of the \$432 originally reported. About \$7,640 has been drawn.

It was decided to await the sheriff's statement and then, if the district has not received credit for what is its' due, Member J. W. Reed said he would make a motion to hire an expert and have the books gone over for two or three years.

Council Levies Tax for Year; to Produce \$875

Taxes for next year were levied by the city council Tuesday evening. Five mills was ordered and it will produce about \$875. The necessity for revenue was explained and it was suggested that the road district hold a meeting to levy a special tax. Mayor Reed was authorized to secure some rock to fix the hill road and Recorder Devore is to have a meeting called if the law allows.

He was also ordered to begin condemnation proceedings across the Stubbe tract for a water right of way. Bills of about \$1,000 were allowed which included balance due on sewer. A warrant will be issued and held by the contractor. The council talked on every subject under the sun, nearly and it was after 10 when it adjourned.

Alderman Jones, Lindsey, Mills and Hawkins were present.

Cougars Attack Hunter Who Wins, After Fight

Two cougars lying in wait for prey attacked a dog belonging to Manny Hill a homesteader, 14 miles back in the mountains and when the fight ended Hill had killed both the big cats. He accomplished the feat after a brisk tussel, during which he narrowly escaped clawing.

Hill was hunting grouse in a thicket when a big cougar shot

out of a tree landing on a dog that Hill had with him. The dog wriggled out of the way and fought back, whereupon the big cat rushed at Hill striking him as he passed. Hill who was armed with only a 22 caliber special rifle fired twice hitting the cougar which finally keeled over and was easily dispatched. Hearing a snarl Hill whirled to see another cougar making off through the woods. The animal ran a short distance and stopped, evidently waiting to see whether its companion would join it. Hill didn't like to chance his small caliber again, so walked to his cabin a mile away where he secured a larger rifle and returned. The cougar was still waiting. Hill bowled him over.

The belief that cougars will not attack a man was not borne out in this case, although many old time hunters assert the animal only attacked the dog and struck Hill incidentally.

Hoygaard-Jeffries.

At the home of the brides parents Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Hoygaard of Cazadero, Sunday the marriage of Miss Stella Hoygaard and Mr. Henry Jeffries of Vancouver Wash. took place. Only relatives of the young people were present. Rev. W. R. F. Browne performed the ceremony. The young couple, who were liberally congratulated, have gone to Vancouver to reside.

Last Local Football Game With Hillsboro

Locally the Estacada High school football team will close the season here, next Saturday, when the Hillsboro high team will be their opponents. The game promises to be a hard fight and the full strength of the Estacadans will be in the field, both Graham and Fellows, who have been out on account of injuries, being now in shape to get in.

The Hillsboro team is said to be a strong aggregation but the locals hope to either beat or hold them to a low score. The work of tying the Deaf Mutes a week ago has given the locals confidence and they will put up a stiff battle with Hillsboro. They will play Hillsboro at Hillsboro a week from next Saturday.

The public ought to turn out strong to the last game Saturday. The boys have worked hard from practically no knowledge of the game until they are now in shape to make the wise element go some. Coach Ford believes the men will be victors in both the forthcoming contests. Practice is going on every evening, rain or shine, and enthusiasm is at full tide.

A Scare With a Kick-Back

When E. W. Bartlett returned from Portland Saturday after witnessing the football game, with his son Kenneth, it occurred to him it would be a fine joke to give Mrs. Bartlett a scare. He arrived home at 8:30 and found Mrs. Bartlett had gone to a picture show, with friends so he turned in early and lay out on the sleeping porch awaiting her return. She came in shortly after 9 o'clock and after putting things to rights in the house and firing up the stove against the hour of Ed's return, she went to the sleeping porch to get a hat she left on the bed. She saw the outline of a figure under the covers and snatching up the hat, she was on the point of backing out of the room and rousing the neighbors when Ed, pecking slyly out of the covers had visions of accused burglary.

"Ha, ha" he squawked, sounding like a man who had slipped down the incline walk. "It's me."

Mrs. Bartlett recognized the voice and she turned the joke.

"I'll get the marshal anyhow."

"No don't!" begged Ed and he landed on all fours on the floor.

"Oh, it's you is it?" smiled Mrs. Bartlett. "What's the joke?"

"There isn't any!" said Ed.

CASCADE CO. IS BEATEN

State Gives About 20,000 Against it.

VOTERS HIT "LOCAL ISSUE"

Then Promptly Vote Down a Bill to Localize Division - Maas and Jacks Only Democrats Elected.

Unofficial and scattered reports from over the state, show Cascade County beaten about 20,000. Clackamas county went 1015 to 4660 against it. Same returns indicate the defeat of 348 the bill to divide counties. This bill was designed to meet the objections of voters who vote against division because it is a "local issue." But many good bills were lost in the avalanche of "noes" due to resentment against so many measures on the ballot. Clackamas county voted against stock running at large, against woman suffrage, against single tax and against practically everything which meant an expenditure of money. It went for Wilson and Lane.

Gill, Schnoerer and Schubel were elected representatives; Mattoon, commissioner; Mulvey, clerk; Jacks assessor; Dedman, recorder; Tufts, treasurer; Gary, superintendent; Wilson, coroner; Meldrum, surveyor.

Estacada precinct went Wilson 136; Roosevelt 94; Taft 78. For Cascade, 276 to 54. For Gill, representative 209 to 129 for Noyer; for commissioner, Hively 160 to 126, Mattoon, and elected W. Givens, justice and A. G. Ames constable.

Black Bear is Trapped by Dibble at Lacey's.

Matt Dibble, a pioneer trapper of Springwater, last Sunday caught a 400 pound black bear which has been devastating E. Lacey's orchard for some time. The animal succumbed to the lure of sweet apples and honey which Mr. Dibble cunningly arranged for him at the trap. Ivan Lacey, a 14 year old boy, dispatched the bear with a 22-caliber rifle.

Mr. Dibble trapped and hunted for years and knew exactly how to get the wily bear, which had successfully dodged all efforts to land him for some time. The bear was fat and evidently getting in shape to lay up for the winter.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the property owners of Sewer District Number 2, as described in ordinance Number 75 of the City of Estacada, Oregon that the undersigned, assessors will hold their meetings for estimating the cost of sewer in said sewer district Number 2, on each and every Monday evening at the hour of 7 o'clock p. m. at the office of the City Recorder, for the City of Estacada. First meeting will be held on Monday the 25th day of November, 1912. Dated this 14th day of November, 1912.

William Kuhrasch,
W. D. Henthorn,
J. V. Barr,

Notice to Creditors.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Clackamas County. In the Matter of the Estate of Josh Coyne, deceased. Notice is hereby given to the creditors of and all persons interested in said estate, that the undersigned has been appointed by the above entitled court administrator of the estate of Josh Coyne, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same, properly verified, to the undersigned at Estacada, Oregon, within six months of first publication of this notice.

W. H. MATTOON,
Administrator of the estate of Josh Coyne, deceased.
CLAUDE W. DEVORE,
Attorney for Administrator.
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