

Electric Supplies

Full Stock Now on Hand

Chandeliers Sockets Cords
Mazda Lamps Switches Lamps
Batteries Fuses

Expert Wiring Done

C. C. Miller

Plumbing and Sheet Metal Work.

Notice

We have finally obtained the Eastern Clackamas County agency for the **Portland Flouring Mills** and will handle an extra select line of FEED and FLOUR

Carload Just Received

Estacada Lumber & Produce Co.

(We Sell Lumber, Of Course)

"Sabuco"

Aluminum Ware

Only 25c per Article

Preserving Kettles Pudding Pans

Lipped Sauce Pans Bread Pans

Square Cake Pans Dippers

Heavy Pie Plates Soup Ladles

Coffee Percolators Table Sets 3 piece

Park & Closser

Hunt Bldg.

Estacada

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About two years ago an organization was formed in Estacada, called the Estacada Rod & Gun Club, whose object was to foster the spirit of good, clean sportsmanship in this community, to aid in the enforcement of the game and fish laws and to educate the public generally along the lines of propagation and protection.

This organization was instrumental in the planting of many thousands of brook trout and steel-head salmon fry in the waters of Eastern Clackamas county, besides the liberation of foreign and domestic game birds.

The club, like many other local organizations, has had a precarious existence and most of the work has been done by a few interested members, although in the liberation of the fish, it received the help of many outsiders.

The club has conducted several shooting matches, which have been well attended and have furnished the best of sport not only to its members, but to the general public. The cost of a membership is \$1 per year, with no initiation fee. The organization is trying to enroll new members at this time and it should receive the support of the community. If you are willing to join, notify Fred Jorg of Estacada and send him your dollar.

Which will benefit Clackamas county the more, to have the County Court appropriate a given sum of money for advertising the county at the Panama Pacific Fair, or to appropriate that same amount to one or more of the various fairs which will be held in the county the coming year? In other words, does Clackamas county need more new settlers; or is it wiser to aid the present residents to raise better crops, produce and livestock and make a success of their present holdings?

Much discussion is being aroused at the proposed bill to take the funds of the State Fish and Game Commission and have them turned into the general funds of the state.

Contrary to the general belief, the funds are now being paid out by the State Treasurer and on warrants issued by the Secretary of State.

Each side claims that their disposition of the commission's funds will eliminate all danger of politics dominating that department.

There is certainly no room for politics in the work of the Game and Fish Commission. The men in charge of this work have been, and should be especially qualified, they should not only be sportsmen, but ardent students of nature and lovers of outdoor life.

How long would it take a corrupt, city-bred, steam heated politician to catch a couple of experienced trappers, who might be breaking the game laws, among the mountains or forests of Oregon? Would the average politician know the difference between a cut-throat trout and a dried herring, or a steel-head fry and an ordinary fried egg?

Ex Pres. Roosevelt was instrumental in the appointment of the present head of the commission, Wm. L. Finley, and because they were brother students of nature. Such men as Mr. Finley and Estacada's Deputy Warden, B. S. Patton, who know and enjoy the work, are the kind of men who should carry it on.

Senator Dimick of Clackamas county is being referred to by the Portland press, as "The Towering Fir of Clackamas" and there is no doubt but that he is attracting attention to our county, but our representative, Guy T. Hunt, might be called the "Fir Stump of the Clackamas" and a Clackamas stump, even if sawed off, has to be reckoned with.

It is possible that High School debates would receive more patronage if the subjects, up for debate, were a little closer related to every day life and its problems and not quite so much of the "high brow" variety.

Do You Read the Ads?

In nearly every issue of the Progress, the local merchants have a new advertisement. These advertisements are just as up to date as the reading matter and it is to your advantage to keep posted on what they have to offer, for it will save you money.

In this week's issue, the merchants are calling attention to a new poultry food, some low priced aluminum ware, a new agency, added line of electric supplies, closing out sale on wall paper, special flour prices, the second week of a baking powder sale, and some standing advertisements to let you know they are always at your service. If you are in the market now for anyone of these articles, you lose if you overlook their advertisements.

Assessed Valuation of County Towns

From figures given out by Assessor Jack, the following are the assessed valuations of the several incorporations in the county: - Oregon City \$2,795,337.64; Canby \$330,496.59; Estacada \$196,131.10; Oswego \$295,257.76; Milwaukie \$564,370.43; Sandy \$55,015; Willamette \$94,594.46; Molalla \$140,100.60; and West Linn \$2,435,574.14.

From Oregon City Courier.

Note: Estacada's valuation would be over the million mark, if the corporate limits extended a little to include the nearby hydraulic plants.

AVOID FROZEN ROOTS.

Frost Bitten Vegetables Are Unsafe
Feed For Live Stock.

"Never feed frost bitten potatoes, roots or other vegetables to live stock; the risk is too great."

This is the advice of an experienced stockman who knows of the trouble and even losses which are almost certain to follow feeding frozen food of any kind.

"At this time of the year farmers are often tempted to utilize waste vegetables and roots by feeding them to cows, hoping that no harm will result if the roots have been frozen trouble naturally follows."

"The introduction of heavy, chilled vegetable matter into the stomach of an animal naturally causes a sudden reaction, and it is not unlikely that the food value of the material is much reduced. Stockmen cannot afford to take any chances in feeding frozen vegetables to their herds and flocks." - Wisconsin Experiment Station.

Wanted:-

Hogs - Sheep Cattle

Phone to Mr. Standish in Estacada and he will furnish you the market prices and give further information regarding shipping and buying dates.

Leave word with him if you wish to have me call on you and he will advise you my next calling and shipping dates.

Remember, I pay cash on delivery for all livestock purchased and I will gladly come to your place and buy there, if you prefer.

C. E. LUCKE

Livestock Buyer.