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Next Saturday, July 3rd, there will be a July 4th celebration held at George, under the auspices of the George Commercial & Social Club.

Our George neighbors have invited all of us to join them on this day, and on the following Monday they expect to return the call by celebrating with Estacada.

The friendly and closer relations which today exist between the enterprising George district and Estacada and the balance of this part of the county, are typical of the rapid development that is going on in this community. A few years ago, George was an isolated section owing to the condition of the roads and the intervening Eagle Creek canyon. Today, thanks to the enterprise of its people, the cooperation and financial help of the people of Estacada and a generous contribution from the county officials, Eagle Creek and its canyon have been spanned by a connecting bridge, and a finely built road, which is now being graveled, has brought our neighbors close in. Everyone has profited by this development and the buyer and merchant have profited doubly.

Now is an opportunity to further cement those personal and social relations, which really count for more than the purely commercial ties. So let's a big crowd help make the George celebration a hummer next Saturday.

About one year ago the present publisher of the Progress took over the management, and for such growth as the paper may have made during the interim, thanks are due to the hearty support which has been extended to the home paper by the advertisers and subscribers.

The Progress, as the title page states, is devoted to the interests of eastern Clackamas county and will continue to work for the growth, development and success of this favored section of the state.

If the Progress has a tendency to pay too much attention to the City of Estacada at the expense of the surrounding sections, it is unintentional and due to more news originating, where the population is the most congested, but

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We want the readers and the public at large to feel that it is their home paper and to feel free to contribute to its columns not only news but views on such subjects as are of vital importance to the community. The Progress should not only voice the ideas of its editor on important questions, but should prove a forum for the voice of its readers.

With the coming opening of the East Clackamas Supply Co's and Dale's new stores, the city of Estacada will offer as attractive a trading center as many larger sections afford.

Only a few months ago, the farmer was partly correct in his contention that Estacada could not buy his produce at the same time that it sold him goods, but that condition has since been largely done away with and now the farmer can sell, trade or buy nearly any article, from staples to luxuries.

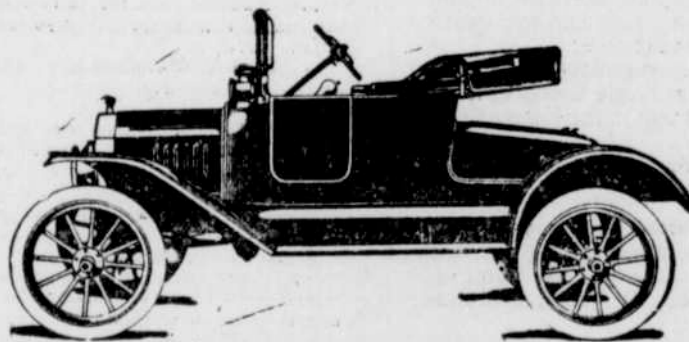
Today, anything from an automobile to a package of taeks may be bought from our own merchants and immediate delivery made.

We are especially pleased to note that the locally earned dollar is today being spent at home and that same dollar is going the rounds of local circulation, in preference to being sent away to distant merchants.

The future continued growth of this country is assured and especially if the present pleasant relations between the farmer and the merchant continue.

Let 'er Buck

Arrangements are being made to have Estacada's premier bronco buster, Virgil Wagner, ride some fractious, bucking horses during the coming July 5th Estacada celebration. Virgil can sure stick on any critter that hasn't a loose hide and if anyone has an outlaw that needs riding, notify Virgil and he promises to do the rest.



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