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## HEYLMAN NAMED POSTMASTER

### Democratic Senators

#### Stand By Local Democrat

While the formal government notification has not as yet been received by W. A. Heylman of Estacada, it has been unofficially announced through the Portland press, that he has received the appointment as postmaster at Estacada.

Mr. Heylman probably will assume his new position about May 1st, and continue for a term of four years.

The question is being asked on all sides, as to where the new postoffice will be located, as it is understood the old location will be abandoned. Mr. Heylman has not decided yet where he will open up shop, but says "I wish to first ascertain the sentiment of the public and will aim to choose a location, which will be satisfactory to as large a proportion of the public as possible, and when established, I will conduct the office with a view to at all times serving the public to the best of my ability."

Several locations are being considered for the office, among them being the former bank building on Main St., the Berry building on Broadway, the rear of the present Estacada State Bank and others.

If the building could be remodeled to facilitate the work, the Berry building would undoubtedly meet with the popular approval, being well located in the business section and convenient to the depot for the handling of the mails.

Again, the merchants prefer a Broadway location, as much business is drawn from the crowds, who daily call and wait at the office for their mail, these merchants also being the senders and recipients of probably the majority of the mail handled through this postoffice.

The News is glad the suspense is over and congratulates Mr. Heylman on his appointment, knowing that he will make a good postmaster and conduct the office to the satisfaction of the public.

Retiring Postmaster Johnson wishes to thank the people of Estacada and surrounding country for the help and good will

## CLEAN UP DAY 26TH

### C. I. C. Probably Will Serve Lunch

At Tuesday evening's monthly meeting of the Estacada City Council, aside from a regular routine of business transacted, it was decided to hold the annual Estacada Clean Up Day on Wednesday, April 26th.

Full announcement of the plans and campaign of the work will appear in next week's issue of the News. In the meantime, it is hoped definite arrangements will have been made with the ladies of the C. I. C. for the serving of a lunch for all workers.

The plan of the work, will probably be similar to last year's successful clean-up, with the city divided into districts, with regular captains appointed.

It is hoped the merchants will agree to close all stores for a few hours that day and that in the meantime all residents will clean up their own inside premises, having all tin cans and refuse in suitable bags or boxes, ready for hauling away in wagons, on Clean Up Day.

### Barton Farmer

#### Shoots Hole In Foot

Last Thursday, W. W. Stone of Barton, while attempting to shoot a hawk, which was bothering his chickens, tripped over a log and in regaining his balance, pulled the trigger of a 38 calibre revolver, which he had in his hand, the firearm being discharged and the bullet passing completely through his right foot, above the toes.

The wound has proven especially painful, and has necessitated regular dressings by Dr. Adix. There is a possibility that part of the sock or shoe leather is still inside of the wound, but otherwise it should not prove other than a painful one, coupled with the inconvenience of being crippled at a time when much work is to be done on the farm.

which has always been extended to him and for the support which was given his candidacy for the reappointment.

At this time, Mr. Johnson has nothing to say as to his future plans, but is sincerely hoped by his many friends that he will remain in Estacada and enter into some line of business.

## TO PLAY BASEBALL

### Meeting To Organize Sunday

The outcome of the desire on the part of the local baseball players and the fans, is the calling of a meeting, next Sunday morning, April 16th, at 11 o'clock at the Estacada Pool Hall, when the matter of forming and maintaining a local team will be considered and consummated.

There is no reason why Estacada should not maintain a first-class baseball team this year, similar to the teams of three or four years ago, that used to cop the big end of the scores from the best of the Portland amateur aggregations.

With the return of prosperity and plenty of work, with its subsequent abundance of the necessary material to buy a grand stand seat, the question of attendance should cause little worry. Estacada and surrounding country has always been good baseball territory, with hundreds of fans and rooters, who were willing to spend more than the admission price, to help the home team win. With the present increase in automobile transportation from the outlying districts, the attendance at a good local ball game this season should be double that of the last two or three years.

All that is now necessary is the getting together and the sticking together of a rattling fast bunch of ball players, and this can be accomplished.

John Lovelace of Estacada, one of the old guard fans, has agreed to act as manager. The money to finance the launching of this season's team is forthcoming, and from then on, the game should be self-supporting.

Whether the boys play under the name of "Estacada," "Eastern Clackamas" or any other title, it will be all the same to the fans, just so long as such old players as "Doc", Ed and Roy Douglass, Art and George Smith of Eagle Creek; Frank Goberg of Barton; Lee and Neal Bronson, Wilbur Simmons, Bob Morton and others of Estacada and some of the Springwater boys are playing for the home reputation.

All players and others interested, from Barton, Eagle Creek, Garfield, Currinsville, Springwater, etc. are urged to attend next Sunday morning's meeting.

## TAXPAYERS' MEETING MONDAY

### County Road Boss And Engineer To Be On Program

At the Barton Hall, at Barton, at one o'clock sharp next Monday afternoon, April 17th, the regular monthly meeting of the Eastern Clackamas Taxpayers' League will occur and every member and taxpayer in this part of the county is invited to be present.

It has been expected that District Attorney, Gilbert C. Hedges would be the principal speaker, but owing to the opening of the Circuit Court session on that day, he has asked to be allowed to address a later meeting.

Pres. John C. Miller has arranged an attractive and instructive program, expecting to have as speakers the newly appointed Road Boss, T. A. Roots and County Engineer, S. A. Cobb. The people should welcome this opportunity to meet and hear these men, who are responsible for a large part of the success of the coming year's road construction.

Walter Givens of Estacada, at the request of a number of members, will give one of his characteristic, optimistic talks, urging that cooperation, which he has always been an exponent of.

At this meeting will also be considered the report of the committee, appointed at the March meeting, which has viewed the different routes suggested by the Boring and Barton people, for the elimination of the Boring Hill road.

The officials of the League later hope to be able to announce that the May meeting, which will occur about the middle of the month, will be held in either Springwater or Garfield and trusts that an invitation will be extended by some resident of one or the other of those sections, for the league to assemble there.

### Prof. Maris To Speak

The regular session of the Garfield Grange will occur April 22nd, to which all members and friends are invited. The afternoon will be given over to a program rendered by the three Garfield schools, namely Tracy, Porter and Garfield.

Prof. N. C. Maris, of the State Superintendent's office will be the principal speaker, talking on his regular subject of industrial and agricultural work among the school pupils.