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It isn't always the big things in this life that count for the most or give the most joy, as in the instance of the donation this week by the women of the Currinsville Priscilla Club of five dollars, towards the support of the Estacada library.

The spirit which actuated this gift, is composed of the real, boiled down essence of public spiritedness, coupled with neighborliness and a desire to help along a good work.

In this instance the editor knows that the joy of giving was equal to the joy of receiving, as parties interested on both sides have called attention to the donation and had a few kind words to add.

The Estacada library is an institution which will prosper, for it is catering to the wants of this entire community, with its books now scattered in homes covering a radius of five and six miles in all directions.

The Civic Improvement Club, while the instigators and mothers of this movement, do not want it felt that it is a town affair, but want the cooperation of all people in this part of the county and wish to have all feel free to avail themselves of its offerings.

It seemed odd to some of the teachers, directors and others, who are in close touch with the workings of the Estacada Schools, that a demand for the privileges of a Union High School, have not already been made by the taxpayers of nearby districts.

This can only be accounted for by the fact, few taxpayers stop to consider the big advantages to be gained, with the right to have a hand in the school's management, without costing a cent more tax and at a saving for some taxpayers, now having children in attendance.

It is not likely, when the Union High School propaganda is again launched, that much opposition will be found.

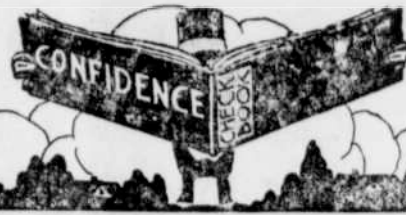
Are the taxpayers of Eastern Clackamas County going to let the Eastern Clackamas Taxpayers' League drift into oblivion? Despite the efforts of its officers and a few staunch supporters, the league will lose its value in protecting the taxpayer in this part of the county, unless enthusiasm is kept up. This enthusiasm only results from a good attendance of interested

members. It costs nothing to join, except that display of public spirit and interest in one's own welfare, necessitating the taxpayers taking off a few hours each month to attend the meetings.

There are some advantages gained by this community even in the defeat of its candidates at the primaries. These men will remain in our midst and with the larger and broader acquaintance with men and vital questions, they will be better able to help Eastern Clackamas in its future work.

In order to show the proper Clackamas County spirit, a big delegation of people from this part of the county, should attend the Booster Day, Stock Show and Rose Festival, in Oregon City, on Saturday, May 27th. An entertaining program has been arranged with band concerts, ball games, dances, a water-carnival and other sports for the visitors.

Before you read the article on the back page of this paper and hear the wail of the publisher, with his little lingo of advancing prices, etc., just stop and ask yourself if the Eastern Clackamas News isn't worth a little more to you and your family, than the \$1. per year subscription price?



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Financial conditions, over which we have no control, necessitate a radical change in our business methods and demand that we get down to a CASH BASIS; OUR BILLS are due AND MUST BE PAID every 30 days and if we fail to collect our accounts within that time we are unable to settle with our creditors and it would be only a matter of time until a firm, with a limited amount of capital, would be forced out of business.

After June 1st the following rules will be in effect;

ALL ACCOUNTS owing the firm on June 1st are due and must be PAID IN FULL by the 15th of the month; (Bankable notes payable 60 days, will be accepted in cases where it is not possible to pay cash). On accounts NOT PAID by the 15th, credit will be discontinued and the account closed until such time as settlement is made. All accounts NOT paid by this time will be placed for collection after a reasonable time has expired.

CHARGE ACCOUNTS will be carried until the 15th of the month following the purchase, but NO LONGER and within this time will be treated the same as cash. No deviation will be made from this rule.

Statements will be rendered after the 1st of each month showing your account to that time.

It will be our aim to make our prices such that you will readily see the benefit derived from paying cash and see that we are not trying to work any hardship upon you but rather making it a matter of saving. Prices will be so adjusted that we are confident you will be more than pleased; Come in; bring your \$ and see what it will buy from us; try out our new policy and see just what it means to you in dollars and cents and if you are not convinced that it is the best way, the old system is always open for you to go back to.

This is a CIRCULAR LETTER and is being sent to all our patrons and we trust that none will take offense as we are compelled to place our business upon a solid basis and by your co-operation we feel sure that we can build up a business that will be of mutual and lasting benefit and a credit to the community.

Yours for a better and sounder business,

L. A. CHAPMAN

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