Clear Creek Fish Have Change Of Diet

A party of Portland people c a m e through Estacada last week, inquiring for a suitable location for a few days camping and outing. Fred Jorg of Estacada, with whom they were acquainted, directed them to the shaded banks of Clear Creek, near the Bittner mill.

The campers selected a pretty spot on the creek's banks, a little above the mill and proceeded to stake out the tents, unloaded the grub supply and carefully cached it in the tents and while unloading the bedding and blankets from the automobile, heard a rush and a roar and turned in time to see their tents, food supplies and other camp utensils, floating down stream on the crest of a mighty wave.

Come to find out, the Bittner Plug & Shingle Company had opened up one of their dams, as they do occasionally to float down the cedar bolts, and the artifical freshet floated everything else in sight.

Aside from the loss of the food supply, which it is understood Mr. Bittner replaced, the campers succeeded in rescuing their tents, and re-established camp a little higher on the creek's banks, where they enjoyed a few days outing.

Several similar accidents have occured on the stream from the same cause, among them being sleeping fishermen suddenly waking in the midst of a torrent. But no harm has been done, and as the creek is posted with warning signs, no one is to blame except the unobserving anglers.

Returns

After Eleven Year Absence Daniel Palmateer of Lodi, California and his wife are now visiting among relatives in Garfield. Mr. and Mrs. Palmateer were surprised to note the decided improvements and growth of the Garfield country, since their last visit in 1905, when the Garfield orchards were not in existence.

Mr. Palmateer and Jehu Davis last week made a trip to the Cary Hot Springs and hope to make other mountain excursions before the summer is over. Mr. Palmateer is a brother of

Mr. Palmateer is a brother of R. G. (Doc) Palmateer and Mrs. Eunice Horner of Garfield, both of whom are greatly enjoying this reunion. Among the other guests at the R. G. Palmateer home, is Mrs. Mary Burlingame of Fairview, Or.

Alspaugh 'Appenings Contributed

Miss Ethel Tracy and Ruth and Blanche Thomas of Garfield spent several days at the home of Edgar Hieple.

Frank Dowty of Portland spent Sunday with his parents.

Alta Sarver of Currinsville returned home from Kelso, Wash., where she has been visiting friends.

Mrs. Harry Frank's father of Castle Rock, Wash. is spending several days with her.

Mrs. Roy Alspaugh and son Alton, who have been visiting her parents in Southern Oregon, returned home last week.



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At The Christian Church

There will be preaching services both morning and evening, next Lord's day. Bro. Givens will speak in the morning. His subject will be, "Echoes from the convention." This will be very interesting so don't miss it. Bible school at the usual hour, 10 A. M.

The subject for the evening service will be, "The history of a fool." There will be special music at all services. The public is most cordially invited to attend all of these services.

Endeavor-League will meet at the M. E. church at 7 P. M. Dance Saturday Night There will be an all night dance next Saturday evening, July 22d, at Cogswell's Hall in Eagle Creek, with everyone invited, Good music, a good lunch and a good time are promised.

J. P. Steinman of Currinsville last week sold to Fred Jorg of Estacada, a Durham Cow, which Jorg states, was the finest fatted animal he had ever purchased locally. This animal dressed 662th of good beef and allowing for the fact that it had been fed only on such food as it could graze on the nearby hillsides, was a remarkably fine critter.

State Warden To Show Pictures Free

On Friday evening, July 28th, State Game Warden, Carl D. Shoemaker of Roseburg, will give a free moving picture show and lecture at the Estacada Family Theatre, displaying six reels of animal, bird and fish life, taken of these denizens of the wild, under the direction of the State Fish & Game Commission.

One of these reels shows the only remaining band of antelope in Oregon; another shows the raising of Chinese pheasants on the state game farm; while others deal with elk and other animals and with fishing as an industry and sport.

These pictures should be of equal interest to grown-ups and children and to sportsmen and others.

Cogs Buys A Ford

All is quiet again in the Eagle Creek vicinity and the residents have again settled back into the even tenor of their ways, as Cogswell, the genial storekeeper, has finally selected and bought an automobile.

Cogs has been contemplating investing in a benzine-burner for some time, but believed in thoroughly investigating the merits of the various makes of automobiles before purchasing. For a time it looked as though he would be driving a Pierce Arrow; then the Cadillac was in the limelight; with frequent visits from representatives of the Overland, Dodge, Oakland, Saxon, Chevrolet, Metz, Harley-Davidson and the Heywood perambulators; but it remained for J. W. Reed of the Estacada Garage to finally take away some of the profits of the Eagle Creek store, leaving a fine Ford touring car in exchange.

Temporarily, it is reported that the Eagle Creek dance hall is being fitted up for a 40 lap speed course for rainy days, but within a short time, Cogs and his many friends should be making daily trips to Estacada and other parts of the county.

Board Gets \$200. Warrant At a meeting of the directors of the East Clackamas County Fair, held in Estacada, Tuesday morning, announcement was made of the receipt of \$200. from the county court, as per the budget recommendations for the year. This sum will be expended in premiums for the coming Octo-

ber fair. The board has been especially fortunate in obtaining several valuable premiums this year for special awards, a list of which will appear in a latter issue of the News, along with the boundaries designated for the various East Clackamas communities.

The work of getting out the premium lists is now underway and the booklets should be ready for distribution within a few weeks.

Last Saturday, the employees of the P. R. L. & P. Co's, light and power departments held their annual picnic in Estacada Park, but owing to a steady drizzle, the affair was a quiet one, with all picnicers forced to spend the day within the pavilion, where dancing and a good time was had.