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These are not his very words, for this advertisement would have to be printed on asbestos if they were, but anyway, we got an awful call-down and tongue-lashing one day this week from one of our good customers, who went up in the air before he realized exactly what he was talking about.

The trouble was, he could not comprehend the absolute fairness of our newly established 2% cash discount system, supposing that it was a scheme primarily aimed to benefit a few and not all customers.

He finally cooled off sufficiently to listen to our explanation of of this  
**2 % CASH DISCOUNT SYSTEM**  
 and now realizes that every cash purchase is subject to this 2% discount and the tickets are merely used to facilitate the handling of the accounts, where the amounts involved are two small individually to allow of paying the 2% at time of purchase. But we explained that we will gladly give the 2% cash discount at the time of purchase, if preferred, provided the order amounts to a dollar or more.

Compare our prices first and dont get the idea that you are getting anything but a real 2% cash discount on all goods that you buy here.

## HEADQUARTERS FOR Groceries, Flour, Feed, Poultry Supplies

"A Satisfied Customer is the Best Advertisement"

**WALTER GIVEN'S** Estacada, Oregon.

### Attendance At Country Club Picnic Light

Owing to the general rush among the farmers to get their hay under cover, the attendance at the annual picnic of the Garfield Country Club on last Saturday, was below the usual average.

An enjoyable day and evening was spent by those who were fortunate to be present, with games and sports entertaining all. An impromptu program was given in the pavilion, among the speakers being, Walter Givens of Estacada; H. C. Stephens of George; Edwin Shearer of Garfield; and the News' editor; the latter believing in the motto, "Blessed is he who hath nothing to say and cant be persuaded to say it."

### The Mayor's Dog Is Lost

"Hiram" the pure white bull terrier dog, belonging to Mayor Irwin D. Wright of Estacada is missing.

The last seen of the animal was early Sunday morning when he started to follow the automobile from Estacada towards Portland via Boring.

The dog has probably taken up with some kindly farmer along the route, as he is of a sociable disposition and willing to accept the hospitality and food of strangers.

Information as to the whereabouts of "Hiram" will be greatly appreciated by the owner.

During the absence of Theo. Ahlberg, on a vacation trip of ten days in Washington, the Estacada station is in charge of C. E. Lamb of the 1st and Alder station in Portland.

### An Invitation

## To Women Readers

### of the Eastern Clackamas News

You are cordially welcome to attend the free Electrical Cooking School Lessons and Lectures given by our expert Mrs. M. E. Hawley. Every Tuesday afternoon, 2 to 5, Electric Kitchen, Electric Bldg. Electric Ranges used exclusively. Light refreshments served.

An Excellent Way to  
Spend an Afternoon  
When in Portland



**Portland Railway, Light & Power Co.**

**M. J. Kerkes**  
 BUYER FOR THE  
**Montavilla Livestock Company**  
 WILL SHIP FROM  
**EAGLE CREEK**  
**LIVESTOCK**  
**OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS**

If you have any for sale, phone Henry Githens, Currinsville.

### Elwood Items

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Mrs. Freeman is getting along nicely from her recent fall by which her shoulder was seriously injured.

Mrs. Mary Alexander, of Manor Wash. visited her aunt Mrs. M. E. Vallen for a few days.

Miss Montie Cox who spent two weeks in Estacada, looking after the interests of her aunt, Mrs. Neals' home, has returned home.

Josie Cadonau, has returned to Portland after spending several weeks with her sister Mrs. Lily Park.

Mrs. Roy Sidor and baby of Oregon City are visiting at the home of Mrs. Bogden.

### China Pheasants For Liberation

Deputy County Game Warden Ben S. Patton of Estacada is this week in receipt of a communication from State Warden Shoemaker, stating that the commission has about 3,000 Chinese pheasants for liberation in the state.

As this county is admirably adapted for these birds, which multiply rapidly, a share of them should be turned loose here. Advise the News' office if you want to liberate a few on your land, providing you will see that they are protected during the regular closed season.

J. C. Davis of Logan is the latest purchaser of a Ford touring car, through the agency of the Estacada Garage.

Mrs. R. W. Calkins of Gresham is a visitor at the T. H. Dodge home in Estacada.