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## WASH THE BABY'S FACE AND COMB ITS HAIR

**Old Fashioned Baby Show  
To Be Feature Of Coming Fair**

A busy meeting was held last Monday by the directors of the East Clackamas County Fair in Estacada, at which time many features of the work were arranged for and many committees and individuals selected to help in making the coming fair eclipse all former attempts.

It was decided to feature a regular old fashioned baby show, to be held on Juvenile Day, Friday the 6th at 1 o'clock. Prizes will be awarded the best looking baby boy and baby girl, under one year of age, and similar awards for the best looking children between one and three years of age.

The staging of such a feature by the committee represents a great deal of courage, as such shows have been known in other places, to end in riots among the dissatisfied mothers. But the members of the committee are amply safe-guarding themselves, by allowing the ladies of the Civic Club to select competent and disinterested judges.

How'd you like to be one of the judges? While the rules governing the baby show have not been definitely announced, it is understood that the judges will be brought to Estacada under guard, kept in a cage during the judging and hurried to the county jail for safe keeping, and the awards will not be made known until the judges are safely escorted behind the bars.

The mothers of contestants will not be allowed to carry concealed weapons, such as rolling pins, hat pins or bricks. In fact, this baby show is going to be a hummer, as not less than 100 handsome babies should be exhibited, with not less than 100 adoring mothers accompanying.

Political Day, October 5th, will be a novel attraction, with every political candidate in the county and state, invited to be present. There will be but two leading speakers, one Republican and one Democrat. The committee will not announce the names of these

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## Sunday School Rally In Estacada

Everyone is invited to attend and take part in the coming Sunday School Rally and promotion exercises to be held next Sunday morning, at 10:30 o'clock at the Estacada M. E. Church.

Invitations have been sent to all nearby Sunday Schools and many are expected from the Currinsville, Garfield and Zion churches. The program promises much good music and many good talks by local people.

## CLACKAMAS CLAIMS VICTIM

**Portland Fisherman Drowned  
Near Dog Creek**

Much excitement was created in Estacada last Sunday evening, when a Portland fisherman, named Fred O. Wahlgren, asked for help, both local and from Portland, in an effort to find his companion, Ivan G. Gulovson, who he feared had been drowned in the Clackamas river.

Parties from Estacada and Portland, spent all of Sunday night in the search and soon after noon Monday, Ray Hamilton of Estacada and Lester Hale of Currinsville, discovered Gulovson's body in a deep eddy, about a mile and a half below the River Mill dam.

In the mean time the searchers had been joined by the aged father and other relatives of the missing man, who remained in the vicinity of Estacada until the body was brought in by Tom Rhodes and A. G. Ames.

The unfortunate fisherman, who had fished that part of the Clackamas for a number of years past, had probably attempted to either cross the river, or had waded out into too deep water and been carried away by the rushing current.

The remains were taken to the Chapman undertaking chapel in Estacada and later transported to the family home at 1248 Maryland Av., Portland, for burial services.

The deceased was 24 years old, single and a book-keeper in a Portland department store, and is survived by his parents, and a brother and sister, all of Portland.

Although Coroner Hempstead and Sheriff Wilson of Oregon City came to Estacada, it was decided unnecessary to hold an inquest.

## Road District Changes

**September 15th**

As designated by law, September 15th is the day set by the Clackamas County court to consider all petitions favoring change in the county's road districts.

There are at present about sixty road districts in this county and as Judge Anderson and others, who make a study of road building, favor fewer and larger districts, it is likely that any petitions asking for the uniting of districts will be favorably received.

## CRANK SHAFT SERIOUSLY INJURES DRIVER

**Mike Niedenthal**

**Taken To Hospital**

**With Many Bones Broken**

It is getting to be a common superstition in Estacada that accidents go by threes and last Monday's record was no exception.

Late that evening, Mike Niedenthal of Estacada, who is in the employ of Klaetsch's Mill in Springwater and who operates the big Avery motor truck, used in hauling lumber into Estacada, brought the machine into the Cascade Garage for repairs and while working over the front of the car, became entangled in the extension of the crank shaft, resulting in being violently whirled by the revolving shaft and seriously injured.

The truck's main shaft extends out in front of the car, for use in furnishing outside belted power and being turned by the powerful engines, proved a dangerous instrument. Niedenthal was finally extricated from the shaft and on examination it was found that one leg was broken in three places, possibly necessitating its amputation and the victim also suffered numerous other injuries to head, body and arms.

After Dr. Adix had rendered first aid, the injured man was taken to a Portland hospital, where it is hoped the amputation of the broken leg will not be necessary.

## Garfield Youth

**Dies Saturday**

On Saturday morning, September 9th, Emil Miller, died at the home of his parents, Frank and Annie Miller, following a protracted illness.

The deceased was born at Beaverton, Oregon, January 31, 1896, where the family had lived for twenty years, prior to their removal to the Stokes-Wooster ranch in Garfield last fall.

Besides the parents, two sisters and two brothers mourn his loss; being Mrs. John Bonando and Mrs. Percy Allison of Portland; Edward, of North Plains and John, who resides in Garfield.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon by Rev. Spiess of Estacada, with interment in charge of undertaker Chapman, occurring at Zion Cemetery.

## CURRINSVILLE WOMAN HURT

**Auto Driven By Beginner  
Turns Turtle Off Road**

Monday last, was a day of thrills for Estacada and local people, for following the finding and bringing to Estacada of the body of the fisherman drowned in the Clackamas near River Mill, word was received about five o'clock of an automobile accident, which had occurred on the Currinsville road, in which Mrs. James Linn of that place was injured.

Mrs. Linn and her friend, Mrs. Plus Cahill were proceeding north on the Currinsville road, with Mrs. Cahill, who is a novice with automobiles, driving.

The car ran off the road and turned on its side down the embankment on the hill near the C. R. Lovell property. Both of the occupants were thrown out and Mrs. Linn received serious cuts on her leg, which necessitated the services of a physician, the cuts probably being caused by the broken glass in the windshield.

Aside from the bending of an axle and minor injuries, the Ford car was not seriously damaged.

## School Rates To County Line

Since the News reprinted part of the special school rates traffic schedule of the P. R. L. & P. Co. for students attending the Estacada schools, several parties residing between Barton and the Multnomah-Clackamas county line, have asked relative to rates from their respective stations.

This office took up the matter with the railway people last week and changes are being made in the present schedule, which will allow of the same per mile special rate between all points this side of the Multnomah County line and Estacada.

It is hoped that by a special dispensation, the railway commission will grant this change of schedule without its having to go through the regular routine, thereby allowing same to be effective by the time school opens on the 13th.

## Court Appropriates \$200

**For Boring Hill Road**

As a result of petitions duly presented to the county court last Wednesday, asking for aid in improving the Boring Hill Road and the "Devil's Washboard," the court appropriated \$200, to be expended by Supervisor Myers of Boring on the former road.

It is also promised that the county will begin active work on the latter road, lying between Barton and Eagle Creek, at once.