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Born—to Mr. and Mrs. John C. Peterson of Estacada on Sunday, December 30th, a daughter, with both mother and child getting along finely and the father, the happiest man in Eastern Clackamas.

J. W. Reed, Herman Wallace and Clyde Schock of Estacada left last Sunday with saddle and pack horses for a few days trip into the mountains. No one seems to know the object of the trip, but the continued rains guaranteed that the pilgrimage was not one of pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. George Coates of Bull Run were week-end guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Krigbaum of Garfield.

City Marshal John Page of Estacada wishes to herewith issue a warning against any persons tampering with the gratings over the intakes to the city's sewers. Many of these gratings have been removed to allow of a better flow of water, with the result that rubbish and leaves have been carried into the sewer causing a stoppage in the pipes.

Ben S. Patton of Estacada, who for the past six months has been working in the classification of the O & C. lands in the vicinity of Eugene and Albany, returned home Friday, where he contemplates remaining for a while.

The Cascade Garage reports the sale last week of a Chevrolet car to Norman Linn of Currinsville and a used Ford to Frank Irwin of Boring.

Mrs. Ed Allen of Estacada, after a four weeks visit at the home of her brother at Oroville, California, returned Saturday.

Will Hicinbotham and family of Gaston spent Christmas at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Sevier of River Mill. Other guests at the Sevier home were Mr. and Mrs. Herman E. Bode of Saskatchewan, Canada, and Mrs. A. I. Hughes and children of Redland.

C. I. Pearson and daughters of Parma, Idaho are spending a couple of weeks as guests at the Gus Burnett home in Eagle Creek.

Mrs. Henry Trapp of Garfield returned Sunday from Woodburn where she spent Christmas.

**Chickens Yield Nuggets**

Besides laying eggs worth sixty cents a dozen, the hens of this district are now reported to be yielding golden nuggets from their craws.

F. J. Harkenrider of Estacada held the record up to Saturday, when he claimed a nugget the size of a kernel of wheat, taken from a deceased fowl, but J. Sequest of Springwater eclipsed that record with an account of the panning of the contents of a chicken's craw, which would make an Alaskan miner envious.

But with eggs worth more than nuggets these days, we would not advise a wholesale slaughter of poultry but if you do kill the goose that lays the golden egg, don't forget to pan out the wheat and oat kernels, for they're worth money too.

**Springwater News Items**  
Contributed

At the request of many who were unable to attend the amateur dramatic performance given by the Christian Endeavor Society at the Grange Hall December 22nd, this entertainment will probably be repeated in Estacada, including the play "Riverside Farm" and the other specialty numbers. Full announcement will be made later.

Mrs. O. N. Holman is spending the holidays among relatives near Woodburn and Silverton.

Mrs. C. M. Folsom is visiting with her sister Mrs. H. Edmuntson of Dayton, Wash.

Mr. Gerber and Miss Lilly Gerber of Prattum, Oregon are visiting their sister Mrs. Ferd Zurcher.

Mrs. Wiley Howell and children have been visiting Portland relatives during the holidays.

Everett Shibley left Sunday with Frank Ewing for Corvallis, where they are attending the Short Course.

**Red Cross Benefit**

The ladies of the Estacada Red Cross organization are planning a benefit moving-picture performance to be given at the Family Theatre on Monday evening, January 14th, through the courtesy of Mrs. A. E. Sparks, who is donating the theatre.

This organization is carrying on a fine work and badly needs another sewing machine and the proceeds of this entertainment will go towards the purchase of one.

Jack Cassidy, who several years ago was in business in Estacada, later going to Canada, was a visitor here last Monday.

Virgle Yonce of Estacada, after spending the holidays with relatives in Oregon City, returned home Sunday.

**New Year Greeting**

1917 has passed and we can look back on it as a whole year filled with pleasure and profit.

It has been a pleasure to serve our customers to the best of our ability and in so doing we have profited in Friendships won as well as in a monetary way.

We thank you one and all for your support and trust to serve you better than ever next year.

**L. A. Chapman**

Estacada, Oregon

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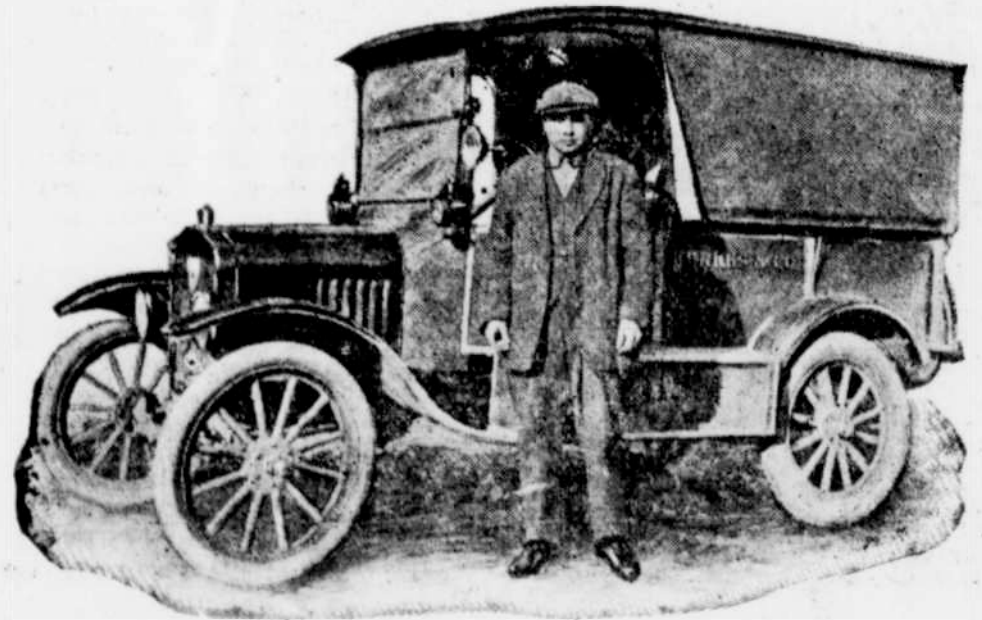
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