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## ESTACADA SCHOOL MEETING POSTPONED

### Annual Gathering Not Legally Called And Taxpayers Disappointed

Just because the confounded, red-headed editor of the Eastern Clackamas News modestly objected to the legality of the calling of the annual school meeting in Estacada district No. 108 on Monday evening last, said meeting did not occur and a goodly sized crowd of taxpayers were forced to forego the pleasures of that annual occasion.

The School Laws of 1917 emphatically and plainly prescribe the manner in which such annual school meetings shall be called, together with the proper advertising of same in the local newspaper.

The omission of these formalities was not intentional on the part of the school board or clerk, none of whom had consulted the laws in sufficient time prior to allow of proper advertising.

The News' publisher had however reminded the board members of the matter a week or so ago, but too late then to have been advertised correctly and still have been called on the "Third Monday In June", as further stipulated by law.

As it was, a big crowd of local taxpayers gathered Monday night, at the school auditorium, all anxiously looking ahead to the election of directors and clerk and the discussion of other school matters, in which interest is always keen. This assemblage was greatly disappointed when Chairman J. W. Reed explained the reason for the indefinite postponement of the meeting.

The present status of the annual gathering is now a quandry and may only be settled by some special dispensation from the County School Superintendent and an opinion or two from the District Attorney, although the business can probably be ultimately conducted by specially-called meetings.

In the meantime the question arises as to whether the local school district will be without a director and clerk after June 30th, when the terms of the present incumbents expire?

If a later meeting is called, it is safe to assume that the proper advertising of same in the home-newspaper will be done and for

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## Many Enlist For Nurses Training

The First Aid Red Cross Unit now being formed in Estacada will not lack for members, as already over the maximum number of applications has been made to Mrs. H. V. Adix, who is in charge of the organization.

Within a few days, Dr. H. V. Adix of Estacada, who is to give the instructions, will announce the date of the first lesson, as the course of instructions and materials for the work are expected to arrive shortly from the Portland headquarters.

## Popular Estacada Man Marries Portland Girl

Miss Lois Richmond of Portland and Bert Moore of Estacada were married Saturday evening, June 15th, at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. Powell of Portland officiating.

The wedding was very informal, only the immediate families attending. The young people left the following day for a two week's honeymoon trip up the Clackamas River, making their headquarters at the Cary Hot Springs, and on their return expect to make their home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore of Estacada.

## Estacada Man Foreman Penitentiary Flax Plant

Ray Eschleman of Estacada is now the foreman of the flax plant, which is owned by the state and operated by convict labor at the state penitentiary.

Mr. Eschleman took charge of the work about two weeks ago, having had several years experience in the handling and manufacture of flax in the East.

Mr. Eschleman writes that among his workers he has one or two famous criminals who are serving life terms.

## Fine Garfield Fruit Ranch Purchased By A Neighbor

Through the agency of S. E. Wooster, Estacada's real estate agent, the 50 acre improved Garfield fruit ranch, known as the Wonacott place and lately owned by E. B. Mc Naughton of Portland, was sold last week to Milton Mattoon of Garfield.

Mr. Mattoon some time ago purchased the Epperson farm in Garfield, which place he hopes to dispose of and is planning to make his home on his newly acquired farm.

## Latest Draftees To Report June 23rd.

The eighty-three Class 1 men, who were called into the service on the last draft from this county, are notified to be ready for departure for Ft. Mc Dowell by June 24th and ordered to report in Oregon City on Sunday, June 23rd.

Of the boys from this community, this draft includes Henry Boyer, Milton Evans, Theodore Ahlberg and A. F. Benson of Estacada; John Closner and Archie Howell of Springwater; L. W. Hoffmeister, H. C. Hoffmeister and L. Rivers of Eagle Creek; C. A. Clester of Molalla, formerly of Eagle Creek and Frank Marshall of Garfield.

Among the alternates named under this list appears the name of Ernest Amacher of Garfield.

## New Owners Move Onto Currinsville Places

Mr. and Mrs. S. Amann of Portland, who recently traded their Portland property for the improved acreage piece of Frank Yunker near Currinsville, have lately moved onto the property, where they will make their home.

An adjoining five acre piece, known as the Burrough's place, was purchased a short time ago by Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Munson of Oregon City, who are now occupying and improving the place.

## W. S. S. Per Capita In Local Postal District \$10.

According to the statistics available a few days ago, the per capita sales of War Savings Securities for Oregon were about \$2.50 and the state's quota about \$22.

To date, according to postmaster Heylman of Estacada, the per capita sales in this postal district are about \$10., as a total of \$10,010.00 worth of War Savings Stamps had been sold, besides \$403.75 worth of Thrift Stamps, with other nearby postal districts having made good showings.

Over two billion dollars must be pledged in the United States by the close of the present drive June 28th and a thorough canvass of every family should be made in the meantime.

The county War Savings Stamps convention will take place in Oregon City, Saturday, June 22nd at 10 A. M., when all committee members from every district must be present.

## ELECTION WAGES REACH RED CROSS

### Some Assigners Receive Fees In Warrants From Clerk's Office

T. W. Sullivan of Oregon City, chairman of the Second Red Cross drive for this county, in a letter to R. M. Standish of the Estacada auxiliary, under date of June 17th, advises that the assignments of the fees of the clerks and judges at the Primary Election, from the districts in this community, have been duly credited to the Red Cross and the respective district quotas, as follows:

District 108 - Estacada	
G. H. Lichthorn	\$3.
Susie Sarver	3.
Linnie Eshleman	3.
Gracia H. Givens	3.
Sarah M. Hardman	3.
C. May Page	3.
Eliz. M. Sparks	3.
Natalie E. Standish	3.
Eliz. Mae Yonce	7.
Eliz. Ames	3.
Daisy E. Robley	3.
Mary F. Morgan	3.
Rosa A. Reagan	3.

Total		\$43.
District 78 -		
J. W. Marrs	\$5.	
David Horner	5.	
Total		\$10.

District 68 - Tracy		
C. H. Duncan	\$6.	
H. D. Trapp	6.	
Total		\$12.

District 12 - Garfield		
R. C. Deming	\$6.	
District 7 - Currinsville		
Audrey Duus	\$3.	
Ethel Hale	3.	
May Kitching	3.	
Gladys Hughes	3.	
Jess. M. Bartlett	3.	
Total		\$15.

There are a few others whose assignments have not yet been credited to the Red Cross of their districts, some of whom received their wages direct from the county court in the regular form of warrants, while others may have such warrants awaiting their call at the county clerk's office.

The communication from Mr. Sullivan did not mention several other Eastern Clackamas districts, but undoubtedly the assignments from those sections have been duly credited. Yet if

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