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ROAD BONDS HIGHLY FAVORED

The road meeting last Monday night, showed that the people in this vicinity are highly in favor of bonds. Owing to the fact that the school meeting for the consideration of the budget for the coming year was scheduled for that evening, the road meeting was postponed to immediately after the former was ended. A good and representative audience was assembled which was called to order by H. C. Stephens, who introduced the subject by dealing with its financial side, explaining how the bonds are to be paid. He made an excellent point in showing that the interest and principal would only amount on a \$1,000 valuation, to \$4.45 per year during the term of the issue. This is almost a negligible sum, as that amount will be saved in wear and tear, time and convenience several times over during the year, by paved roads. Owing to a mix up in dates, the Oregon City speakers could not be present, so volunteers were called upon. The Rev. J. F. Dunlop made a general good road speech which elicited warm applause. The editor of the News followed, stating that if he had had any hesitancy about voting for bonds it was removed the day before, when he was taken for a ride which took him over into Multnomah county. The difference between the roads in Multnomah and those in Clackamas county would be obvious to a blind man much to the discredit of the latter. Mayor Bartlett was the last speaker, who in an exhaustive speech related his experiences this summer in California, which state has expended so much on paved roads and has voted an additional forty millions for this purpose. If this meeting is any indication of the final result next Monday, the road bond issue will carry as it did lately in Union county, by a vote of 4 to 1.

Much interesting matter has to be left over to next week.

Modern Woodmen Organize Camp

Estacada is becoming quite a lodge town. The Modern Woodmen of America is the latest fraternal order to be represented here. Last Thursday evening, in the I. O. F. hall, a camp was organized by the State Deputy Consul, A. P. Martin of Portland, assisted by Mr. Gester, clerk of the Fernwood Camp, Portland.

A class of twenty members was presented for initiation in the mysteries of woodcraft, while a number of old members joined by transfer. Several machine loads of Neighbors came over from Gresham and Damascus to help in the work and give the new camp a propitious send-off.

The following officers were elected and installed with appropriate ceremonies:

Consul, Hugh S. Jones; Vice-consul, James Park; Banker, C. S. Allen; Clerk, P. S. Stamp; Escort, Sam Barr; Watchman, Grover Kiggins; Guard, Harry Kitching; Past Consul, Walter Campbell; Trustees, Lee S. Bronson, Dennis Kinsey and Charles Hicinbothan.

Refreshments were served at midnight and all reported that they had the time of their lives, while the visiting members got home in time to get breakfast.

Firm Changes Hands

As will be seen by his advertisement, Mr. Harry Snyder has bought out the general store of I. M. Park. Mr. Snyder is well known here as an energetic business man, having clerked formerly for Cary Bros. He is in for going ahead as he thinks this community is as good and responsive as any other, and we predict he will give it what it wants. The former owner has not yet decided in what line he will engage, but he does not intend to remain out of business. This town would seem strange without the name of I. M. Park as one of its firms.

Football Game

Estacada High will play Oregon City High on Saturday afternoon on the local field commencing at 2:30 p. m. As this promises to be the game of the season all fans are expected to be on deck to root for the home team.

The School Meeting

The meeting at the High School Monday evening, for the purpose of voting a special district tax to raise the necessary amount required to meet the school expenses for the fiscal year, was a very harmonious one.

All three directors were present and the assemblage was called to order by the chairman, J. K. Ely. After some discussion of the special tax to be voted, it was moved by S. E. Wooster and seconded by H. C. Stephens that the district vote a special 13 mill tax. This was unanimously carried. The budget calls for a \$14,445 appropriation, the 13 mills special tax will bring this up to \$15,291.87.

The desirability of disposing of the motion picture machine owned by the school was discussed. The motion was made by H. C. Stephens and seconded by E. W. Bartlett that the machine be left to the school Board to be used as they think best for the benefit of the school.

No further business being on hand, the meeting adjourned.

Mrs. Susie Sarver,
Clerk.

SCHOOL NOTES

The Junior debating stars, Douglass Drill, Jack Smith, and Bruce Randolph have challenged the Senior class to a debate to be given in the near future. The question will be Resolved "That women should be paid the same wages as men for the same work."

The different classes are busy selling tickets for the Oregon City vs E. H. S. game to be played Saturday Nov. 22, 1919. Do Your Bit "All you need is fifty cents and a heart."

The Domestic Science Department has recently made the addition of six new electric plates to their equipment. At the present they are serving from 25 to 40 hot lunches every day. In addition to this regular work they are also going to serve a hot dinner at the Teachers Convention which is to be held at the High School next Saturday.

The Freshmen and Sophomore classes now possess two new class pennants of which they are very proud.

LADIES ENDORSE BOND ISSUE

The Eastern Clackamas Ladies Community Improvement Club passed the following resolutions last Monday afternoon.

Whereas it has come to our notice that certain people living in what is now Road District No. 1 are opposing the Road bond issue and are making many misleading statements to fool and delude the voters, and

Whereas such District No. 1 has received in the past few years practically all of the road money expended for the hard surface roads as the same has been appropriated at the Budget meeting, and as a result thereof have secured a large amount of hard surface roads in that district at the expense of the county at large, therefore be it resolved

That in our opinion it is a very narrow and selfish stand taken by certain people of said district in opposing good roads, and be it further

Resolved that we do most heartily endorse the Road Bond Issue and the efforts of those public spirited citizens of the county who are striving so earnestly to secure the passage of the measure, and we declare our belief to be that the action of the people referred to in District No. 1 is resulting in uniting the vote of the county in favor of the measure. Mrs. J. W. Reed,
President.

Mrs. H. C. Stephens, Sec'y.

Mrs. Edwin Bates Passes

Mrs. Sarah E. Bates died last night at 10:30, after a lingering illness of some weeks. The funeral will be held in the Christian Church at 1:30 p. m. Friday. Particulars will be given next week. The bereaved family has the sympathy of the community.

Thanksgiving Service

A special Thanksgiving Day service is being arranged to be held in the M. E. Church at ten-thirty a. m. Addresses will be made by Revs. J. F. Dunlop and U. H. Gibbs.