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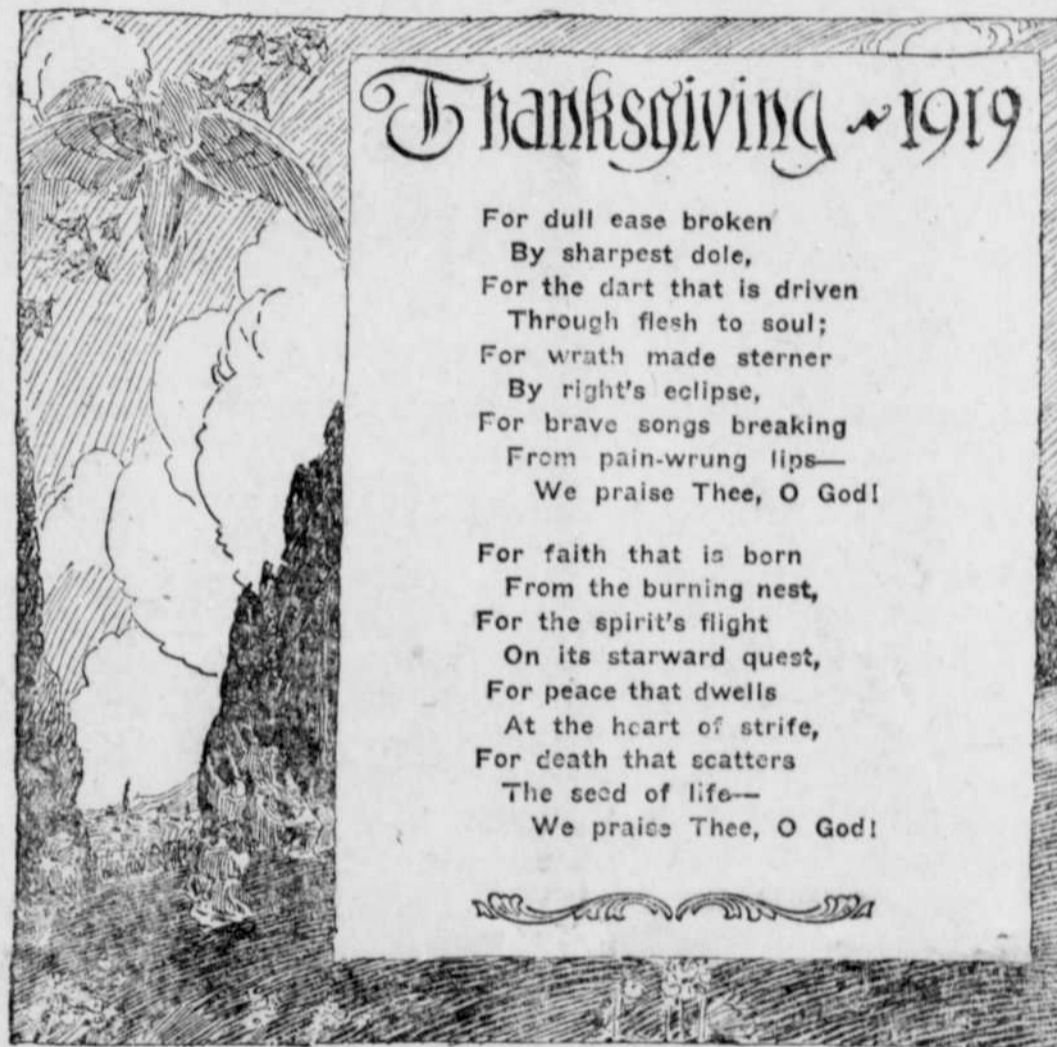
## OBITUARY

Sarah E. Bates was born in Niagara Co. N. Y. February 9th, 1846. When she was three years old her parents moved to Oakland Co. Michigan, whence a few years later, they removed to Knox Co. Missouri. Here at the age of twenty, she was united in marriage to Edwin Bates. They arrived in Oregon January 11th, 1871, first at Oregon City, and later took a claim on the Salmon River in Clackamas Co. They have lived in this county ever since with the exception of two years spent in Multnomah. During this time they were at different points in this vicinity, coming to Estacada some nine or ten years ago. Four children were born to them, Maud M. Howell of Ashland, Ore., E. N. Bates of Barton, F. W. Bates of Eagle Creek and Francis who died at the age of three years.

For over fifty-three years their married life was most happily spent together. Mrs. Bates was always in good health until she suffered a stroke a few months ago, from which she never recovered, but after a temporary improvement gradually sank until she passed away on Wednesday the 19th.

The funeral service took place in the Christian Church of which she was a member, the Rev. J. F. Dunlop, pastor of the M. E. Church officiating. The auditorium was crowded to the limit, showing the vast respect and affection in which the deceased was held. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved family especially to the husband, to whom the loss must be most severe. Words are inadequate to meet the situation, but what they lack in expressiveness is made up in sincerity, and no doubt afford some slight consolation to the mourners' hearts.

Thanksgiving is a season of appreciation for what has come to the country as well as for what it has escaped. On both counts the people of America have abundant reason on this day to express their gratitude in accordance with the national institution so wisely ordered long ago.



## Thanksgiving 1919

For dull ease broken  
By sharpest dole,  
For the dart that is driven  
Through flesh to soul;  
For wrath made sterner  
By right's eclipse,  
For brave songs breaking  
From pain-wrung lips—  
We praise Thee, O God!

For faith that is born  
From the burning nest,  
For the spirit's flight  
On its starward quest,  
For peace that dwells  
At the heart of strife,  
For death that scatters  
The seed of life—  
We praise Thee, O God!

## THE BOND ISSUE WINS OUT

Clackamas County through the carrying of the road bond issue by a big majority, has put itself in line with all the progressive sections of the state. The only opposition was from those precincts which had declared themselves opposed beforehand. Their action will react against them. It is to be hoped that when they begin to enjoy the benefits which will accrue to the whole county, from the increased facilities of transportation, which the net work of paved roads will afford, that they will be ashamed of themselves. The result of Monday's election should put more zest into our Thanksgiving celebration today, as it is the augury of an era of great business activity and prosperity.

### Death of Mrs. B. R. Kimmel

The many friends of Mrs. B. R. Kimmel were shocked to hear of her death last Saturday at the Good Samaritan hospital in Portland. She was taken sick about a month ago and an operation was advised, as the trouble was from gall stones. The operation was successfully performed and she began to improve until a day or two before the end came, when a change set in and she sank rapidly. The funeral service was held Tuesday morning at Oregon City, the pastor of the Congregational church officiating, while Mountain Chapter O. E. S., of Estacada, also performed the last rites for their deceased sister.

Her maiden name was Lucy Ann Whiteman and she was

born May 6, 1866, in Iowa. On August 30, 1883, she was married to B. R. Kimmel in Nebraska. They came to Oregon two years later, to Portland. In 1906 they moved to Estacada, where they have since resided, Mr. Kimmel being employed by the P. R. L. & P. Co. They had four children, three of whom survive, Lillie wife of Robert McClintock, Carl who saw service overseas, and Arlene. Mrs. Kimmel will be greatly missed in this community which extends its heartfelt sympathy to the sorrowing family.

A large delegation of Eastern Star members, Masons and friends went from here to attend the funeral.

## FOOTBALL SEASON ENDS

The concluding game of the football season was played on the home grounds last Saturday, between the Estacada and the Oregon City High Schools on the Estacada grounds. As the field was very muddy, the game was slow and without any spectacular features. The home team made the sole touchdown during the third quarter on a forward pass. Both sides exhibited clean sportsmanship, the visiting team taking their defeat by 7 to 0 in a goodnatured manner.

The Estacada boys have reason to be proud of their record this season, as they only lost two games out of seven. They are intending to try for the state championship next year provided they have the services of the same coach J. K. Cossman who is the best one the school ever had.

## HYMENEAL

On Thursday eve, Nov. 20th occurred a pretty but quiet wedding in the presence of a few friends at the bride's home on Upper Broadway which united the lives of Miss Maggie Ellsworth and Mr. John Wolf; S. E. Wooster performing the ceremony.

The bride is a popular and well known resident of Estacada while the groom is a wealthy rancher from Cal. Best wishes and congratulations are extended by their many friends.

## County Teachers Institute

A local institute of the teachers of the county, met here last Saturday, November 22nd, under the presidency of Co. Supt. Calavan. It proved to be highly successful and the pedagogues combined business with pleasure by adjourning for the football game. A splendid program was rendered a pleasing feature of which was the music by the school orchestra and choir, Prof. Godfrey may well be congratulated on his work with them.

A thankful heart and a good appetite are what we want today, to enjoy our Thanksgiving feast.