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ON ESTACADA!

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# ADIX SELLS TELE-PHONE INTEREST

H. Wallace has bought out the interests of Dr. Adix in the Tele phone and Telegraph Co. Mr. Wallace informs us that the compiny will overhaul the whole line and improve the service as fast as possible. One improvement will be the installation of a new switch board as soon as it can be celivered. A meeting is called for at the City Hall on Tuesday, notice of which appears elsewhere, to consider the raise of rates. Co-operation on part of the public will help greatly the company in the bettering both line and service, and ease the friction which unfortunately has for some time prevailed, due to inadequate service.

## Silver Wedding Anniversary

Sunday May 9th, was the twent -fifth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Christensen of Springwater. To celebrate the auspicious event, they kept open house, which was filled with a number of friends from Portland, and this vicinity. Both the "bride and groom" proved themselves ideal hosts, and the guests were loud in praises of their lavish hospitality. Just prior to the break up of the assemblage, one of the guests Mr. W. F. Dillon of Portland, volunteered to retie the knot which was originally tied twentyfive years ago in the city of Chicago. This while appropriate, was hardly necessary as the strain of a quarter of a century had not loosened it one particle. The happy pair were the recipients not only of the heartiest congratulations but some beautiful souvenirs. The following guests were present: From Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Quimby, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Quade, Mrs. E. J. Rankin and grandson, Ralph Arndt; from Estacade, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hillman. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hartung. Misses M. Stone, Lenore Loew, Alma R. Kuenke, Laura A. Petersen, Mrs. Jennie H. Galloway, Mrs. Emma Graback and Mrs. J. N. Horton from Columbus Falls, Montana.

THE NEWS extends its congratulations and best wishes for another twenty-five year voyage on the sea of matrimony.

#### Two Conflagrations

Last Thursday afternoon two barns were burned down on the on the farm three miles west of town, of the railroad company, and managed by Tom Watson.

The origin of the fire is a mystery. Mrs. Watson was in town and Mr. Watson was at work on the river bottom, about half a mile away. In the middle of the afternoon he noticed smoke issuing from the barns, and hurried to the scene immediately, but it was too late to do anything. Unfortunately there were twenty head of hogs in one of the buildings, which lost their lives, and besides these there were several pieces of machinery. The loss was a total one to Mr. Watson which he estimates at \$2,000 he carrying to insurance, while the company had \$500 on the barns. The company will erect a new barn

The following afternoon, Friday, about 4 o'clock a barn belonging to J. C. Kitching of Currinsville, burnt down. The cause of the fire was due to a lighted match being dropped. Some children were playing in the barn and investigating a rat trap they lighted a match to see better. In the barn were stored hay, grain and machinery. Nothing was saved and no insurance carried. A subscription paper was circulated in town Saturday morning, to help out Mr. Kitching, with gratifying response.

#### Estacada Vs Salem

Estacada High School Base Ball team lost to Salem High School in a ten inning game last Friday, the final score being 8 to 7. The game was featured by ragged playing on part of both teams. Lovelace catching for Estacada, was far below his usual standard while Smith, inclined to unsteadiness at times, pitched good balls. Estacada was hampered by the loss of E. Hannah, whose position at first base was well filled by Dillon. With a rearrangement of the batting list, Estacada would no doubt soon manifest its accustomed form.

#### Operetta Friday, May 14, 8:15 P.M., At High School

"Queen of the Garden"

Estacada Grade School assisted by the following:

High School Orchestra.

Vocal Solo—Miss Goldie Elliott.

Violin Solo—Keneth Haseberg.

Vocal Solo—Mr. Godfrey.

Under direction of—

CLARE M. GODFREY,

Supervisor.

#### "The Miracle Man" A Hit

The absorbing story of "The Miracle Man," will come to the Family Theatre Saturday and Sunday.

The central figure in the story is a patriarch in a little village who possesses the power to heal the sick and maimed. Tom Burke, a New York gangster, and his pals scheme to use him as means of enriching themselves. With this view, they visit him and are astounded to discover that his power to heal is absolutely bona fide. How the good that lies latent in the crooks is brought out, is the theme of the drama which is one of the most striking yet produced.

Admission 50c and 25c.

# A Foolish And Expensive Gasoline Bill.

Shall Oregon motorists continue to pay three-quarters of a million dollars annually because of that foolish 56 per cent gravity gasoline enactment?

The Oregon State Motor Association has inaugurated a campaign against the destructive bill which through its burden of one and a half cents on every gallon of gasoline purchased in Oregon, is costing Oregon motorists approximately \$750,000 a year.

The repeal of this bill is vital to the automotive industry. High-priced gasoline is a bugaboo which frightens many away from the motor market, and minimizes the driving of thousands of others. Cheaper gasoline means more cars, more driving, and consequently more business for every branch of the automotive industry.

## BACCALAURE-ATE SERVICE

The baccalaureate address will be given in the High School Auditorium, Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, May 16, 1920. Below is the program.

Invocation - Rev. J. F. Dunlop Song - Girls' Chorus Address - Gordon J. Tayl r Song - Boys' Quartette Benediction - Rev. J. F. Dunlop

The Commencement program will be published next week.

### Legion Favors Tax Bills

The Carl Douglass Post of the American Legion passed resolutions at their last meeting, unanimously endorsing the bill raising the State Road Bond limit to 4 per cent; also the Higher Educational and Elementary Schools relief measures.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF No. 125

## ESTACADA STATE BANK

at Estacada, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, May 4, 1920.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts.

Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	51.77
Bonds and warrants	32.631.35
Stocks, securities, judgments, etc	2.290.03
Banking house	3,450.00
Furniture and fixtures	3 048.40
Other Real Estate owned	3,728.58
Due from banks (not reserve banks)	300.00
Due from approved reserve banks	26.669.36
Checks and other cash items	49.82
Cash on hand.	
Other Resources, Advances on Liberty	
Bond-Sub	
Total	\$265,312,92
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid In	\$15 000.00
Surplus fund	2 000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses as	nd
taxes paid	4.687.36
Postal savines bank deposits	
Individual deposits subject to check	167.342.60
Cashier checks outstanding	2.135.53
Time and Savings Deposits	73,243.93
Total	\$265.312.92

State of Oregon, County of Clackamas, ss:

I, Ruth L. Dillon, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Ruth L. Dillon, Assistant Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this
10th day of May 1920.
(Seal) S. E. Wooster, Notary Public.
My commission expires March 12, 1923.

Correct—Attest:
Thomas Yocum,
H. C. Stephens,

Directors.