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## FIRE CONSUMES CASCADE GARAGE

Estacada's first serious fire since the burning of the Cary Bros. store some years ago, occurred Saturday morning about 4 o'clock in the Cascade Garage.

It was first discovered by G. R. Ellis who rooms over his store south of the postoffice, and was awakened by the noise of the flames. Immediately he gave the alarm which routed out Dr. McCall who ran to the City Hall and rang the fire bell. The fire boys under the direction of fire chief J. V. Barr, quickly responded and soon had the hose strung along and in operation.

Fortunately they had overhauled the fire equipment only recently so that everything was in good order. As the fire had had such a start before being discovered, it was impossible to do more than to confine it to the building and protect adjoining ones. Providentially there was no wind, which helped matters materially, as if a strong one had been blowing the flying embers would have ignited houses near by, and the Estacada Garage would probably have been destroyed also.

The flames made a brilliant spectacle as they roared and soared, and heat was something terrific, but the boys kept manfully at work to keep the fire from spreading. It was impossible to save any of the contents of the building which was full of machines at the time. The cause of the fire is not known and probably never will be definitely ascertained, altho there are reports of clues being found. The total loss is estimated at about \$40,000 including the building, stock, equipment and machines. This will be divided among Wilcox Bros., who are the heaviest losers, Dr. Adix who owned the building and the individual owners of the burnt cars Wilcox Bros. carried \$4,500 on their stock and equipment which does not cover half of it. We hear there was no insurance on

the building, and only some of the cars were insured.

Those who lost cars were: Ed Douglass a new Chevrolet Touring car and one Kleiber 3½ ton truck, both new; Vern Duus a Buick; D. H. Morgan a new Dodge; August Mahrt a Chalmers; R. G. Marchbank a Chevrolet Baby Grand. Mr. Darrow a Brisco; Mr. Hirleman a Maxwell. Homer Sarver a Chevrolet, L. J. Palmateer a Chevrolet; Plas Douglass a Chevrolet and Wilcox Bros. two Hudsons and three Chevrolets.

E. W. Bartlett and Fred Bartholomew usually kept their cars in the building, but both being out late that night left their machines outside and so saved them.

Wilcox Bros. will resume business again immediately in the old original Cascade Garage building. By their courteous and obliging treatment they have won a host of friends who no doubt will rally to their assistance in rebuilding their lost business.

## HYMENEAL

The Tom Thumb wedding, as produced by the little folks of Estacada and vicinity, Tuesday night, under the supervision of Miss Ethelyn Shores, was an extraordinary social affair. It took place at the High School auditorium and under the auspices of the M. E. Church. A large and appreciative audience greeted the wedding party and their quaint little manners, pretty costumes and childish actions caused much laughter and loud applause. Everything "went as merry as the marriage bell" until Photographer Boner appeared to take their pictures, then the sweet little bride Edna Clossner, became unhappy and melted in tears so that Melissa Sarver was substituted but she too was overcome and another Della May Hay put on in her place. Wilbur Pimm, as groom manfully like Casabianca, stuck to his post, and appeared quite unconcerned at the lightning changes in brides.

Have you bought your Chatauqua ticket? If not, don't delay.

## CLEAN UP CAMPAIGN

TO THE RESIDENTS OF ESTACADA:

At a recent meeting of the Community Club it was voted to have a clean up campaign, and I was appointed to set the work in motion. Owing to other work I have been unable to undertake the work sooner. I am willing to take it up now if I may have the support of everyone who is interested in a cleaner city. The council at a recent meeting voted to furnish the facilities for hauling the refuse that might be collected during the campaign. Therefore, I have decided to ask all householders during the balance of the week to clean up their premises and collect all tin cans and other rubbish in the alley back of their residence, and it will be hauled away next Monday. I want ten young men or boys as volunteers in the work of collecting and hauling on Monday. There are several vacant lots that need cleaning up particularly the space around the city hall. All volunteers will be received with open arms and I hope many will come forward.

Yours for a cleaner city,

F. E. Burns.

## Ken Bartlett Wins Laurels

Ken Bartlett of the senior class of the U. of Oregon, was elected to membership in the University society, which hopes to become a chapter of the distinguished Phi Beta Kappa national honorary scholarship fraternity, whose insignia is a flat watch key. The man who wears one is marked as having obtained a good degree.

In addition to the above, word has been received that he has been chosen to represent the U. of O. at the Olympic tryouts at Pasadena, Calif., June 26th. If successful there, he will represent the U. S. at Antwerp, Belgium, next August.

## EASTERN STAR

A stated communication of Mountain Chapter, No. 108, O. E. S. will be held on Tuesday the 15th inst. All members are cordially invited. By order of Catherine Allen, Sec'y.

## RADCLIFFE CHA- TAUQUA COMING

The local Chautauqua committee desires to announce June, 15 16 17 as the dates upon which the Radcliffe Chautauqua will be given at this place; and everybody is urged to make arrangements to attend as many of the sessions as possible. Estacada's Chautauqua commences next Tuesday. It will be held in a large tent this year instead of the Pavillion, and the tent will be located near the town hall, convenient for everybody.

The Chatauuua Director will be Dr. Frank W. Emerson of Long Beach, Calif, and in addition to his being in charge of the program, he will speak on the second day.

## Americanization Lectures

### At The Chautauqua

The purpose this year is to tell the story of the United States Government, and its ideals. The reason for the adoption of such a program is apparent when one considers the condition of national unrest, and the committee in charge of the Radcliffe Chautauqua programs, in Washington, D. C., has decided that a thorough understanding of the fundamental principles of Americanism is necessary to the proper adjustment of the many problems troubling us today.

## Mrs. Cora Melton Cross

### Play Director

The new program of the Radcliffe Chautauqua this season will have, in addition to the usual six lectures and six entertainments, two numbers of especial interest to the little folks. This part of the program will be under the direction of Mrs. Cora Melton Cross, who has a splendid reputation as a story-teller, and excels especially in her platform work before large and varied groups of children.

This special treat for the kiddies has been arranged through the local Chautauqua committee, and it will be something that the

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