

**LOCAL BREVITIES  
AND NEWS ITEMS**

H. C. Stephens was in Portland, Tuesday.

W. R. Reid of Garfield, returned from Portland, Tuesday.

Mrs. C. J. Pimm and children were here Sunday from Portland.

When the sun came out Tuesday, the weather became quite spring like.

Mrs. W. E. Closner was a passenger to Lents Junction Sunday morning.

G. A. Jacques of Garfield went to Portland, Thursday, returning Friday.

Mrs. Myrtle Belfils had for a week-end guest, her friend Mrs. Tucker of Portland.

Mrs. D. E. Mendelhall and children of Faraday spent Sunday with friends in Portland.

Edward Shearer of Springwater went to Portland Friday afternoon and proceeded to Salem the following day.

Dinty and Andy can stay a little longer—Uncle Bim came across with fifty thousand beans.

Miss Irene Saling returned home from Portland last week and is bookkeeper for Bartholomew & Lawrence.

The high school class ring for 1923 is a very handsome one. It consists of the monogram, E. H. S., in silver on a black enamel base, set in a plain heavy gold band.

Mrs. August Mahrt and baby daughter returned to Estacada, Monday, from Seattle. She left later for Ione, in Eastern Oregon, to visit sister-in-law.

We received a card from Geo. B. Weatherby last week, which invited us to come and pick oranges and lemons at Escondido, Calif. Rain was falling at the time which he said, was wet like Oregon rain.

D. Newman, the nephew of Miss Sturgeon, and who clerked in the Pharmacy a year ago, paid her a visit this week. He has been working for the telephone company at Tillamook, which he likes better than the confinement of the store.

It seems a little strange to see a steam locomotive on the railroad tracks here. One, a wood burner, is being used on the extension work above Faraday, where the rails are being laid.

Earl Kilgore is here and is doing some alterations for the People's store, in order to make room for an office at the back.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Scott, of Forest Grove, Ore., were guests of Mayor and Mrs. George Lawrence Saturday and over Sunday Mrs. Scott remaining over Tuesday to attend Eastern Star. Mr. Scott is the editor and publisher of the Washington County News-times at Forest Grove. The Scotts and Lawrences are old-time friends.

G. C. Krigbaum was here on Tuesday from Gresham. He is able now to walk around with a cane instead of crutches. His right leg which was so severely broken two years ago, is shrunken in length, so he has to wear an extended sole on his shoe.

**Pictures of Human Interest**

Manager Cleworth is to be commended for the class of pictures which he has been running at the Gem Theatre. Last Saturday "Tol'able David," was full of human interest, depicting the life among the southern mountaineers. Thursday he will put on "Home Spun Folks," which will be of the same character.

**Another Club Offer**

Until February 28, we will take subscriptions for the Portland Telegram and EASTERN CLACKAMAS NEWS, both for one year, by mail, for only \$4.50. This makes a saving of \$2.00 on the two papers.

**OBITUARY**

Susan Elizabeth Sturey was born in Wyandot County, Ohio, March 7, 1854, and died at her home in Eagle Creek, February 13, 1923, aged 68 years, 11 months and 6 days.

She was married to William C. Longwell of Johnstone, Ohio, on December 22, 1881. In 1901 the family moved to Portland, Ore., and a year later to Eagle Creek. She was predeceased by one daughter and also one grandchild. Those left to mourn her loss are her husband, two sons, Christian C. and Howard, three daughters, Mrs. Maud Forrester, Mrs. Letta Douglass, and Mrs. Iva McDonald, eleven grandchildren, and three sisters living in Ohio.

The funeral services were held Monday February 19, at the Eagle Creek church, at 1 p. m., the pastor, Rev. V. A. Weir, officiating. The interment was in the Forrester cemetery, under the direction of J. E. Metzger of Gresham.

**H. S. Debate a Tie**

In the debate between the high schools of Estacada and West Linn, last Friday afternoon the Estacada affirmative won here, while its negative lost out at West Linn. This made a tie, which will be settled to-morrow afternoon when the teams are to meet again, this time the affirmatives going away, while the negatives remain at home.

The subject was: "Resolved: that the graduated income tax law be made part of the Oregon system." The debate in Estacada was a credit to both sides and showed that each speaker had thoroughly studied the subject. The local representatives were Clyde Davis and Elizabeth Weir, the judges being Rev. A. S. Hisey of Gresham, L. H. Mallicoate of Boring and Miss Gertrude Dillon of Estacada.

At West Linn the Estacada negatives Misses Ethel Young and Norma Randolph both did valiantly. The judges were from Oregon City, the Rev. J. A. Cleland, Co. Supt. Brenton Vedder and Supt. Kirk of the Oregon City Schools.

**DODGE NEWS**

School started again Monday after being closed a week on account of the weather.

G. W. Keller and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jubb spent Thursday evening at the Fred Horner home.

S. W. Benjamin made a trip to Estacada on Monday.

Some of the ladies of Dodge met at Mrs. John Keller's on Friday afternoon to make her a dress form.

Mr. Hedges has gone up the river to work for the P. R. L. & P. Mrs. Hedges is staying with her grandmother in Estacada while he is gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horner and children, Rosa B. Ten Eyck and Mr. Lankins spent Sunday afternoon at the G. W. Keller home.

David Horner Sr. called at the Pedersen home Sunday afternoon to see Mr. Pedersen who has been quite ill.

**SPRINGWATER NEWS**

Mrs. Roy Hubbard of Dayton, Wash., is a guest of her sister Mrs. Harold Horner.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith is sick with the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Horner and Mrs. R. Hubbard visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Gutteridge.

The Ross mill started to saw again on Tuesday. It was shut down on account of the snow.

John Park and August Gunserowski were home the past week from the P. R. L. & P. camp.

The store of the Square Deal Twins is undergoing a rearrangement so as to make room for the increased stock, they are putting in for the spring trade.

**GARFIELD ITEMS**

Mr. Moreland, superintendent of Delph Creek hatchery reports that 400,000 eastern brook trout eggs are to be received on the 20th of this month from Elk lake near Bend, Oregon. This is the first shipment of the year. The Game Commission contemplates raising about four million fry this year at Delph Creek for distribution in Clackamas county. The ponds are nearing completion and will be ready for the little ones at the time of hatching.

The members of the Garfield Dorcas society who were able to brave the snow were entertained last Thursday by the president, Mrs. O. E. Lamberson.

J. C. Moreland was a guest at Log La Barre last Sunday.

The second monthly social of the Nora Memorial Sunday school will be given at the church Saturday night, February 24th.

Mrs. Harold Wooster entertained the Skip-a-Week club last week. A feature of the luncheon was a candle bedecked cake in honor of Mrs. J. W. Dillinger's birthday. Valentine place cards added to the table.

The home economics and entertainment committee of the Garfield Grange prepared and served a dinner to the Eastern Star when they entertained their Worthy Grand Matron last Tuesday.

**BISSELL ITEMS**

Stereopticon pictures and a lecture on the Pacific Coast will be given at the George club house Thursday evening March 1, 1923. Lunch will be served.

Mrs. Theo Harders was a Sunday guest at the Peter Ruhl home.

Mrs. J. K. Peterson and daughter were in Estacada Saturday and Sunday on business.

Mrs. Weisenfluh went to Portland, Saturday to visit her husband who is in the St. Vincent hospital with a broken leg.

**ELWOOD ITEMS**

The snow has not quite all disappeared yet. It fell to the depth of about 24 inches last week.

Chris Bittner is with his son Frank at Bull Run helping to get his mill moved to its new location.

Stanford Cox seems to be having a little more than "enough" when it comes to crippled cattle, having two with broken legs. He also found a steer in the mountains last Wednesday with its hind leg broken.

George Bittner made a business trip to Oregon City and Portland Saturday.

Stanley Turrel, Matt Park and Dan Stahlnecker were home a few days last week from their work above Cazadero on account of snow.

Ed. Hodgkiss lost one of his work horses last week.

O. M. Schirstroen of Portland, spent the week end on his ranch looking after his stock.

Harry Bittner, wife and little son Harold, started for California Saturday expecting to spend a few days in Oregon City with Mrs. Bittner's parents before continuing their trip. Harry's many friends wish him well and hope he will find a place suitable for his condition.

**Christian Church**

Bible School every Lord's Day at 10 a. m.; Preaching 11 a. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all. The theme at the morning service February 25, will be: "Can goodness exist irrespective of reward?" It is a privilege to attend the services, as well as a duty.

E. F. Atchley, pastor.

**I. O. O. F.**

There will be work in the 3rd degree Saturday Saturday night, also contest practice work in the second degree

J. K. ELY, Sec'y.

**Card of Thanks**

We desire to thank sincerely those of our friends and neighbors, who were so kind with their help and sympathy during the illness and death of our dear wife and mother, also for the beautiful floral offerings.

W. C. LONGWELL  
AND CHILDREN.

I am now prepared to do all kinds of watch, clock and jewelry repairing. A. N. Johnson. tf

**NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION**

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the City of Estacada, Oregon, at Regular City Hall in said City on the 27th day of February, 1923, at which election there will be submitted to the legal voters of said City for their adoption or rejection the charter amendment proposed in the following resolution, to wit:

**RESOLUTION.**

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Estacada, Clackamas County, Oregon, that the following proposed amendments to the charter of said City be and the same hereby are proposed for submission to the legal voters of said City for their adoption or rejection at the special city election to be held on the 27th day of February, 1923, as in this resolution provided, to wit:

**AN ACT**

To amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Estacada, in the County of Clackamas, State of Oregon," filed in the office of the Secretary of State January 31, 1905, as amended by the legal voters of said City at the special election held therein on August 21, 1920, and to amend all acts subsequently enacted by the Legislative Assembly or by vote of the people.

BE IT ENACTED by the People of the City of Estacada that an act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Estacada, in the County of Clackamas, State of Oregon," filed in the office of the Secretary of State January 31, 1905, as amended by the legal voters of said City at the special election held therein on August 21, 1920, and as amended by all acts subsequently enacted by the Legislative Assembly or by vote of the people, be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto Section 44 to read as follows:

**SECTION 44.**

Subdivision 1. For the purpose of procuring funds for street improvement purposes in and for the City of Estacada, Clackamas County, Oregon, the Council of said City is hereby authorized and empowered to issue and dispose of general obligation bonds of said City in the sum of not to exceed \$14,000.00, said bonds to be in denominations of \$500 or \$1,000 each, to be dated at a convenient time to be fixed by the Council and to mature at such time or times as the Council at the time of providing for their issue may determine, but not to exceed twenty years from date of issue, said bonds to be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Recorder under the corporate seal of the City, and to have attached thereto semi-annual interest coupons bearing the engraved facsimile signatures of the Mayor and Recorder, whereby the City shall be held in substance and effect to undertake and promise to pay to the bearer of each of said bonds at maturity thereof the sum therein named in gold coin of the United States of the present

standard of value with interest thereon in like gold coin at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, payable semi-annually, each of said bonds to be a direct general obligation of the City of Estacada and to be known as "City of Estacada Street Improvement Bonds", the principal of and the interest on said bonds to be payable at the Fiscal Agency of the State of Oregon in New York City.

Subdivision 2. The debt limitations contained in the charter of said City shall not apply to the bonds hereby authorized.

Subdivision 3. The Council shall each year at the time of making the annual tax levy for City purposes include in such levy a sum sufficient to pay interest due on the outstanding bonds of this issue and to retire the principal thereof at maturity.

RESOLVED FURTHER that this resolution for proposed charter amendments submitted to the voters by the Council be filed with the Recorder of the City of Estacada for submission to the legal voters of said City for their rejection or approval to be voted upon at a special election to be held as herein provided:

RESOLVED FURTHER that the Council deems it advisable and does hereby and herein call and make necessary provision for the holding of a special election which shall be and hereby is called to be held on the 27th day of February, 1923, between the legal voting hours on said date, and that said time be and the same hereby is designated as the time for holding said special election, and the City Hall in said City is hereby designated as the polling place therefor, and the following named persons are hereby designated and appointed as and for the judges and clerks of said election, to wit: Judges, John Page, G. R. Ellis, F. J. Harkenrider; Clerks, Fred Bartholomew, Gerald Wilcox.

RESOLVED FURTHER that for the hereinabove proposed charter amendments, the following ballot title be and the same hereby is adopted, to wit:

**CHARTER AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED TO THE VOTERS BY THE COUNCIL**

An Act  
To amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the City of Estacada, in the County of Clackamas, State of Oregon," filed in the office of the Secretary of State January 31, 1905, as amended by the legal voters of said City August 21, 1920 by adding thereto Section 44 providing for the issue and sale of \$14,000.00 bonds for street improvement purposes and providing a tax levy to pay principal and interest thereon.

100— Yes  
101— No

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Recorder be and he is hereby instructed to publish the hereinabove proposed charter amendments submitted to the voters by the Council in the manner provided by law; that is to say, by publication of this resolution in full for two consecutive publications within the twenty (20) days immediately preceding said special election in Eastern Clackamas News, same being a newspaper published in the City of Estacada and hereby designated for said purpose.

Passed by the Council on this the 13th day of February, 1923, by the following vote:

YEAS: Lovelace, Morgan, Morton, Osborne, Wilcox.

NAYS: Submitted to the Mayor February 13th, 1923.

Approved by the Mayor February 14th, 1923.

GEORGE E. LAWRENCE,  
Mayor.

Attest:  
J. K. ELY,  
Recorder.

**PLUMBING**

**and TIN SHOP**

Bring in your old stove. I can make it good as new.

Am prepared to do all kinds of sheet metal work and plumbing—Get your plumbing supplies here at the old Pez-neckner shop.

**A. G. AMES**

**JOSEPH E. GATES—YOUR HOME FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND EMBALMER**

A place where your loved ones will be cared for with tender care.—Lady assistant, NIGHT AND DAY TELEPHONE  
**FLOWERS AND TOMBSTONES**  
Estacada, Oregon.

**W.O.W. N.O.W.**  
Camp No. 539 Circle No. 832

Meet First and Third Fridays of each month.—Every Neighbor urged to attend.—Visitors always welcome.  
JOSEPH E. GATES, Estacada, Clerk of W. O. W.  
MRS. FRANCES GATES, Estacada, Clerk of N. O. W.

**I. O. O. F.**  
Estacada Lodge No. 175.

Meets every Saturday evening in their lodge room, corner of Broadway and Third streets. Visiting brothers are always welcome.  
J. G. Hayman N. G.  
J. K. Ely Secretary.

**RE-NU-EM**

Estacada Pressing Club  
Suit Pressed - 50c  
Cleaned & Pressed 75c up  
**J. E. GATES**  
I. O. O. F. BUILDING

**WEAVING**

Carpet, Rug, Fluff Rug and Portiers weaving—Prices reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed.

**W. R. COBB**

Main St., two doors from City Laundry—Estacada, P. O. box 83.

**Comparisons**

WHEN WE INVITE COMPARISONS, we wish to emphasize that MERIT alone is the only basis upon which we ask or expect trade.

MERIT consists of right goods, good values and efficient service. A strong body and a healthy mind can only be built upon the proper kind of nourishment.

IT is the same with a mercantile venture. Poor qualities sold at low prices will produce business, but they do not build the strong, healthy trade that is the result of furnishing dependable qualities at prices that represent their actual worth. We have a reputation of furnishing goods at lower prices than our competitors. Low as our prices are they represent goods of dependable qualities in every instance.

We invite comparisons, comparisons as to qualities and comparisons as to prices—which will be a comparison of values, and that is what we most desire.

To compare our price is an easy task. We have just one price to everybody.

**THE PEOPLE'S STORE**

Where the Motto Is SERVICE.

H. B. SNYDER, - C. A. DYKEMAN.