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## OREGON NEWS ITEMS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

Brief Resume of Happenings of the Week Collected for Our Readers.

The Eugene Masons have decided to erect a new temple next year.

Fire completely destroyed the Chilouin hotel at Chilouin, 30 miles north of Klamath Falls.

The total assessment of public utilities of Union county is \$5,583,283. Last year's assessment was \$5,127,436.

The Eugene lodge of Elks has appointed a committee to investigate the feasibility of remodeling its temple.

Members of the Willamette Valley Grain Growers' association held a conference in Salem to discuss market conditions.

Seventy-six carloads, or approximately 22,000, more sheep were shipped out of Bend this fall than in the fall of 1922.

The Pacific northwest intercollegiate conference meeting, scheduled to be held in Spokane, has been switched to Portland.

To relieve the shortage of dwelling houses in Albany a building and loan association is planned by several business men of that city.

The 14th annual convention of the Oregon Hotel Men's association was held in Portland with more than 100 delegates in attendance.

Cooperative marketing and banking were discussed at the annual convention at The Dalles of the Oregon State Horticultural society.

The Medford school district census for this year, just taken, shows the largest school population in the city's history, the number being 2342.

The fourth annual Winter fair and eighth annual Southern Oregon Poultry show, combined, was held in the Chautauqua building in Ashland.

Axel Erickson, a logger, was drowned when he accidentally fell into the Nehalem river at the Birkenfeld Lumber company camp at Birkenfeld.

Attorneys of the state, at an informal gathering in Salem, presented to the supreme court an oil painting of Justice George H. Burnett.

Two additional units of 25 miles and one of 12 miles on the Klamath-Eugene line will be contracted by the Southern Pacific on December 21.

Fred C. Schulte, former constable and deputy sheriff at Reedsport, was found guilty of accepting a bribe from B. O. Roberts, confessed boot-legger.

## STATE MARKET AGENT DEPARTMENT.

### Too Many Varieties

Market Agent Spence says too many potatoes are grown in Oregon that are of poor commercial value, and he advises that growers should find out the one or two varieties best adapted to their locality and stick with them. He says the Burbank seems to be a good-all-purpose potato. It is practically free from disease, is a good shipper because it will stand up, and is a popular table variety. As for seed potatoes for California shipment, there are several varieties that do well in this state.

### Keep Hands Off

The supreme court of Wisconsin rendered a decision last month, that while given very little, if any, publicity in the press, is of utmost importance to cooperative organizations. The supreme court made permanent a temporary injunction granted to a cooperative organization by a circuit court which restrained an outside company from soliciting or buying the product from members under contract to the pool. The decision is a sweeping victory for cooperative marketing organizations. In its opinion the court said:

"We consider that the law is well settled that one who maliciously induces another to breach of contract of a third person is liable to such third person for damages resulting from such breach."

Job printing at the News office

## BISSELL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Johnson had as guests on Thanksgiving Day, her mother, Mrs. Whitfield and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Babe White from Viola.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wismeis and their three daughters from Hillsboro, were guests of Mrs. Wismeis' brother, Mr. Held, and his wife, on Thanksgiving Day.

Miss Emma Paulsen and Mrs. Rose Rinehardt of Portland were guests of Peter Paulsen and family, Sunday, December 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Decker motored to Portland, Sunday, and remained until Tuesday.

The annual telephone meeting will be held in the Club house December 15, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Paulsen had as guests to supper Sunday evening, Rey. V. A. Weir, Mr. Fred Lins and Mr. Ed. Harders.

Will Wilson and son from Gladstone paid a visit to his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wilson, for a few days.

Mrs. Julius Paulsen spent a week visiting in Portland.

## GARFIELD ITEMS

An all day meeting of the Skip-a-week club was held at the home of J. B. Robertson last Wednesday. The next all day meeting will be December 19, with Mrs. H. B. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Davis spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Portland.

Mrs. P. H. Zattin and daughter Elaine are visiting in Portland.

Four car loads of Garfield grangers attended the pie social at the Eagle Creek grange last Friday night.

S. S. at the Nora memorial church, Sunday at 2 p. m.

## Coming Events, Etc.

Announcement of the engagement of Miss Mary Richardson of Portland and Russell O. Reed of Estacada, was made Friday night at the home of Mrs. George Gilden. The table was decorated in pink and green. A large Jack Horner rose contained the announcement. A dainty lunch was served. Both are former students of Oregon Agricultural college. Mr. Reed was graduated last June in electrical engineering.—Portland Oregonian.

The prospective groom is the son of Mrs. Mae Reed and the late J. W. Reed, and is a graduate of the Estacada high school, having lived here most of his life. Congratulations will be offered him by his many friends.

The families of C. A. Dykeman and Dr. Charles P. Johnson are both out of quarantine.

Dr. G. Midford went to Portland this morning.

## People's C & C Store

After Dinner cluster raisins in cartons at ..... 21c pkg  
Sunshine seeded raisins in cartons at ..... 11c  
Red Ribbon 2 1/2 can hominy at ..... 13c can  
Salmon, pink in color at ..... 11c can  
Sweet potatoes 2 1/2 can, whole at ..... 13c can  
Mountain honey, 20oz jar at ..... 37c  
5 lb seedless raisins, new crop, at ..... 63c  
5 lb little white navy beans, 47c  
1 large jar strawberry preserves at ..... 26c  
Mince meat, highly flavored, at ..... 23c lb  
Set to raise old fashioned Eastern Buckwheat at ..... 42c sack  
24 bars Royal White soap at 94c  
Royal Club catsup, large size bottle at ..... 26c  
Mixed nut special for ..... 23c lb

There will be a dance in the Estacada park pavilion under the auspices of the United Artisans, on Christmas night, Dec. 25.

## LOCAL ITEMS

Miss Mabel Wilcox was in the metropolis yesterday.

For Watch Work see A. N. Johnson. 5-10-1f

J. C. Miller, Russell Reed and John Blauth Jr. were Portland visitors Sunday.

Attention is called to a government sale of timber advertised in this issue.

The H. S. Junior class entertained the seniors and the football team last Friday evening, at a banquet in the Hotel Estacada.

Mrs. H. W. Mort took a severe cold and was threatened with pneumonia the beginning of the week. Fortunately she is better.

Mrs. James Smith has had as guests recently, Mrs. J. B. Townsend of Newberg, and her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Russell of Salem.

Leave your orders with A. N. Johnson for anything in the jewelry line for Xmas presents. 12-13tf.

Mrs. V. E. Stubbs and son Edward of Gresham, spent the week end here with Mrs. Stubbs' parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dale.

H. C. Stephens attended a dinner Tuesday night at Oregon City given by one of the county seat banks to the Clackamas county bankers' association.

WOOD For Sale—16 in. big fir, \$8.00 the cord delivered. Phone I. D. McCutchan, Upper Garfield, or leave orders at Peoples Store, Estacada. 12-13tf

The bazaar and business men's lunch given by the ladies of the Christian church last Saturday, was well patronized and financially and socially a big success.

Bob Marchbank has started up his pool hall again in the old Townsend building between the Cascade garage and Ames' shop. Jim Abbott is manager as before.

The parents of the Rev. H. W. Mort arrived Saturday, from Goldendale, Wash., to visit him a few days. While here, Mr. Mort Sr. painted signs on the big window and door of the Estacada State Bank.

The body of Merwin R. Westbrook who was killed Wednesday of last week at the Porter Carsten's camp, was forwarded for burial, to Bellingham, Wash. where his mother and a sister are living. He was 24 years of age.

Elder B. F. Clay who has been raising D. C. white Minorca chickens, has recently made two shipments to breeders who wanted good foundation stock. One shipment of ten hens and a cockerel went to Santa Cruz, Calif., and this week he sent a dozen pullets to Lynden, Wash.

## New Lumber Company

With capital stock listed at \$20,000, the Kaake & Held Lumber company of Estacada, filed articles of incorporation with County Clerk Miller Monday. The company will engage in buying and selling lumber, logs and timber. The incorporators are W. T. Kake, L. W. Held and C. Fraker. The principal place of business will be Estacada.

## Methodist Episcopal Church

We're recommending the "Seven-thirty Service" Sunday evening very highly. The Rev. Paul Buckley, until recently a resident of India, now attending Willamette University, will talk at this service. Lots of singing of course. Mr. Buckley will also speak to the Epworth League on the subject of India. This is an opportunity we don't often have.

Services as usual Sunday. "Serving God by serving folks." H. W. MORT, Pastor.

## BARTON.

J. A. McCracken went Friday to see his son who is suffering with a broken leg at St. Vincent's hospital.

H. F. Gibson was in Portland on business one day last week.

Mrs. Henry Embree called on Mrs. S. E. Robinson, Tuesday, bringing her a nice roast of pork.

Mrs. Dorothy F. Borders of Portland, came Sunday to be with her brother George Forman.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Branson have gone to Skamokaway, Wn. to work until their new home in Portland is finished.

Mrs. S. E. Robinson spent the week end in Portland.

George Forman is very ill with measles and pneumonia. Dr. E. A. King of Portland was called but could not come, so Dr. Hughes of Gresham came, and also a trained nurse, Miss Walker who has charge. The latest report is that he is resting easily.

Paul and Julius Stassius went to Gresham Saturday.

Otto Stulke drove to Oregon City Monday on business.

Portland visitors Saturday, were Mrs. Wm. Norris and son, Calvin, Miss Alice Hansen, Merle Nelson and Harvey Gibson.

George W. Turner made a business trip to Portland, Monday.

While the Barton school has not been closed at all, the greater part of the pupils have taken their turns at being absent with measles. But it is thought that they will be back by next week.

Mrs. John Walzac and daughter Wanda of north Logan, were visitors at the George W. Turner home Monday evening.

Mrs. Loyal Lake was in Portland Monday.

## A Well Won Trophy

The Estacada baseball team may well be proud, and its members should be excused if they feel rather chesty. Manager Roy Wilcox has just received from the well known sporting goods firm, A. G. Spalding & Bros., a handsome, large silver cup, for the team having won the championship of the Northern Clackamas League. On the front is engraved the inscription:

Spalding Trophy  
Clackamas County Baseball League  
Season 1923  
Won by Estacada

On the other side are the names of the members of the team:

Roy Wilcox, Manager  
W. J. Bolland Guy King  
J. L. Moger W. B. Simmons  
Walter Smith A. Lovelace  
George Smith R. Lovelace  
J. C. Moreland Carl Rehberg  
N. Bronson Owen Scott  
R. Shirner, Captain

The cup is on exhibition in the window of Bob Marchbank's confectionery.

The boys are deserving of the highest congratulations, which the NEWS begs to extend to them on behalf of this community.

## For Band Benefit

A cafeteria supper will be given in the I. O. O. F. hall tomorrow evening, December 14, from 6-7:30. After this there will be an entertainment and those who buy their supper will have a free ticket. Others who wish to attend will be charged a small admission. The band requires money with which to buy a horn. Help the band which is a credit to the town and always willing to oblige with its services.

See the Japanese earthquake pictures at the Gem tonight and Friday.

## TAXPAYERS' BUDGET LEGAL AND AMPLE

The two principal points of objection raised by the opponents of the tax-payers' budget were: first, as to its legality; second, as to its sufficiency to properly carry the work of the schools during the year, some even claiming that the schools would be obliged to close before the end of the year, if the present budget were allowed to stand. While this was recognized by most as merely campaign propaganda, yet others were deeply impressed, as no one would for a moment consider with approval any such condition.

As to the legality, it is now admitted by all that the budget as passed is legal, so that question is disposed of. As to the sufficiency of the budget, County Superintendent Vedder has furnished figures from his records showing that there will be ample funds for carrying the schools through the year, and a very substantial balance left next spring.

His figures show that the total available cash for the school year ending with next June is \$26,271.17; all expenditures allowed to the end of the school year are \$24,379.87; leaving a balance at the close of school next spring of \$1,891.30.

This leaves the opponents of the budget without a leg on which to stand. But it is reported they contemplate attempting to amend the budget already passed and filed by substituting therefor the figures of the so-called substitute budget.

But the after advertising the special meeting for December 18, "for the purpose of discussing the budget hereafter set out with the levying board and to vote on the proposition of levying a special district tax," now gives notice that this meeting is for voting a special emergency fund to carry the district through the present school year, and voting on budget for 1924-1925 as approved by the tax commissioners," thus changing the object of the meeting.

A number of questions arise in connection, but one only now needs to be pressed, and that is that such action would be illegal as the law demands ten days notice, and this has not been done. Whatever action on the special emergency fund or on the tax-payers' budget might be taken at this meeting, it would be legally null and void. As the situation stands, either the tax-payers' budget must stand as it is, or a new meeting called according to law.

It is highly necessary and important that there should be a full attendance of the taxpayers at the meeting Tuesday night, to thresh this question out, and make known their will.

## SPRINGWATER NEWS

Rev. V. A. Weir attended the Presbytery in Portland, Tuesday.

The J. E. Schenck family of Gresham were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Guttridge and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Guttridge and daughter, Mary Lou, and Ruth Weir were Portland shoppers Saturday.

Herbert D. Monroe of Springwater, and Mrs. Esther Howard from St. Helens, Ore., were quietly married at Vancouver, Wn., on Friday, December 5, 1923. They arrived on Friday for a visit with the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Monroe.

J. C. Duus was on Oregon visitor Tuesday afternoon.