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SNYDER SAWMILL MAKES SHIPMENT

38,000 FEET OF TIMBERS TO BE SENT TO BRAZIL, SOUTH AMERICA

ANOTHER ORDER TO BE FILLED

Dodge Mill Working to Capacity on Future Orders All Ready Placed.

The H. B. Snyder sawmill at Dodge, reopened three weeks ago after a shutdown of some time while extensive remodeling and repairs were being made, is working one shift full time these days, turning out dimension stuff for a number of orders placed recently.

An order for 38,000 board feet of large dimension stuff is being hauled to Estacada this week to be reloaded on cars for Portland, where it will be transferred to the steamship Conab, bound for Brazil, South America. The shipment will be reloaded at the East Side Southern Pacific dock in Portland.

The timber sold by Mr. Snyder is classed as first grade Douglas fir.

The large timbers are on the dock awaiting cars. It is the finest of Douglas fir, and complimentary remarks are heard from everyone who looks them over.

Another order for five carloads of big timber was received this week from another party, and as soon as the Brazil shipment is out of the way the mill will commence turning it out.

A carload of railroad ties are also being shipped out of Estacada this week.

M. W. Heinkle has the contract for the hauling from the mill to Estacada.

MARKETS BACK IN MINNESOTA

We picked up a paper from Jackson county, Minnesota, this week, and found the following prices quoted for farm produce. It is quite a contrast from prices quoted in Oregon:

Produce—Springs, 14 cents per pound; hens, 15 cents; light hens, 12 cents; Leghorns, 11 cents; ducks, 14 cents; cream, 47 cents; eggs, 36 cents.

Live Stock—Hogs, top, 100 lbs., \$10.25.

Grain—Oats, 29 cents; corn, 58@60 cents; barley, 49@51 cents; flax, \$2.32; rye, 63@65 cents; timothy, \$6.25.

ENDEAVORERS PICK OFFICERS

Officers elected by the Clackamas County Christian Endeavor union, which completed its session in Oregon City Sunday night, were: Geo. Ross, Gladstone, president; M. A. Lehman, Milwaukie, secretary; Miss Clara Tate, Gladstone; treasurer; Mrs. Esther Frost, junior superintendent; Mrs. Mary Wiley, Wichita, alumni superintendent; Miss Erma Vose, Oswego, prayer meeting; Miss Elva Shipley, Oregon City, missionary superintendent; Miss Helen Woodward, Oregon City, librarian; Carl Meline, Oregon City, C. E. world representative; the Rev. M. M. Stocker, Oregon City, pastor adviser; Mrs. Grace M. Eby, Gladstone, publicity superintendent. Miss Dalcina Brown, Portland, installed the officers.

Thirteen societies were represented at the three-day program, with nearly 100 delegates.

SAW 'LIFTED'

Somebody "borrowed" Norman McKinzy's crosscut saw the other day and has failed, so far, to bring it back. The saw, with other wood cutting implements, were left by McKinzy over night where wood was being cut. The saw was lifted, the rest unmolested.

THANKSGIVING DANCE

The Eagle Creek Grange will give a dance at the pavilion Thanksgiving eve., November 25. Dinner at the Estacada hotel.

LOCAL ITEMS

William Gilligan is now working at Bridal Veil in a lumber camp.

A. F. Stephens of route 1 was in town on business yesterday.

W. E. Linn has been on the sick list for a few days this week.

Miss Anna Dillon was in Portland on business Tuesday.

Miss Hazel Symms came out from Portland for a short visit with her sister, Mrs. O. E. Syron, Tuesday.

Shell gasoline 20 cents a gallon at the Currinsville store. J. O. Tunnell, proprietor.

The Estacada hotel will serve little neck clams, steamed, fried or barbecued, Saturday evening, Nov. 21, 6 to 9, at 35c. Nectar on the side. Dancing, too. The usual Estacada welcome of course.

The bright skies and warm sun yesterday was a revelation. It was a day made to order.

Eagle Creek Notes

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gibson and Miss Edythe Peters were callers on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Douglass last Friday evening.

Mrs. Ike Akers was very pleasantly surprised last Saturday evening when some of her friends and neighbors dropped in to spend the evening with her in honor of her birthday. The evening was spent in playing 500, listening to the radio and social chat. Refreshments were served.

Rev. B. F. Clay of Estacada came over this way Sunday afternoon and held services in the school house. There were about 29 present, some coming from Estacada to attend.

Mrs. Will Douglass returned home on Monday after a three weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sweeney, of Stevenson, Wash., and her brothers and sisters, who live near Stevenson and Camas. She had a delightful visit.

Eagle Creek Grange will give a dance at the Estacada pavilion on Wednesday night, November 25. The Sandy orchestra will furnish music. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglass celebrated their tenth wedding anniversary recently by giving a dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Duus, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Duus and little daughter, and Will Douglass.

FIVE HUNDRED PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Smith entertained Tuesday evening at a delightful card party. There were five tables of cards in play and high honors were won by Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Lovelace. Consolation prizes went to H. C. Gohring and Mrs. F. C. Bartholomew.

A delicious lunch was served. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Gohring, Rhodes, Bartholomew, Lovelace, R. D. Johnson, Gerald Wilcox, Roy Wilcox, Ahlberg, Mrs. Dave Eshleman, Mrs. R. H. Curran, H. Heiple and the host and hostess.

SURPRISE PARTY

A birthday surprise party was tendered Mrs. Jennie Krieger one day recently, when relatives and friends called at her home. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kitching and daughter, Wilma, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Linn, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Linn, Mr. and Mrs. M. Lonsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wade and Mrs. J. K. Ely.

R. H. Curran came over from Bull Run Saturday to spend a few days at home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barr are the proud parents of a baby boy, born to them one day last week.

Miss Lillian Zogg of Sandy Ridge is visiting her sister, Mrs. Roy Wilcox, for a short time.

The high school football team will play the school team from Scappoose tomorrow afternoon on the local gridiron.

The Estacada band and a number of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs are planning on attending the district convention at Wilsonville Saturday.

Milt Marshall was taken suddenly ill while in Portland one day last week and has been slightly indisposed since.

G. C. Fields, general superintendent of the P.E.P. company, was on the pay car the 10th inst., looking over the lines.

Dr. Rhodes received a fine new radio Saturday which he purchased through the Cascade Motor company.

The Yellow Jacket orchestra from Portland gave a dance at the Estacada hotel on Armistice night. It was well attended.

Mrs. Jack Hayden, Mrs. Dave Eshleman, Mrs. C. F. Howe and Mrs. Mary Adams were in Portland Saturday.

Eddie Linn, Jr., expects to leave this week for Illinois, where he will visit with relatives and friends for a time. A sister resides in Chicago and a brother in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of Oak Grove were visiting friends in this vicinity Sunday. Mr. Smith lived here at one time and owned the meat market.

The American Legion and Women's auxiliary met at their social meeting on Monday evening. Next regular meeting will be election of officers.

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STATE BANK IN NEW BUILDING

ONE OF THE FINEST STRUCTURES IN CLACKAMAS COUNTY HOUSES LOCAL BANK

OPENING HELD LAST SATURDAY

Modern Banking Methods Used, and Vaults, Fixtures, Etc., Costly and Up-to-date.

The Estacada State bank held open house to thousands of people Saturday when the doors of the institution was thrown open for the first time to the public. Everything was in readiness for the occasion, and the event proceeded throughout the time allotted to visitors, from 4 to 9 p.m., without a hitch. Many were on hand before the opening hour, braving an old-fashioned Oregon rain, to be on time, and a continual line of people passed through the building up to closing hour.

To say everybody was surprised to find such an up-to-the-minute institution would be putting it mildly. The floor, the fixtures, the vaults and safes, are all new and of the latest type and designs, such as are found only in banking establishments of towns many times the size of Estacada.

The lobby floor is made up of a composition resembling concrete, with marble chips rolled in, which gives it the appearance of a real marble surface. It is known as magnolite, is very pretty and will last a lifetime.

The fixtures and woodwork are composed of mahogany, while a plentiful supply of marble is located here and there, on desks, railings, etc. The upper portion of the fixtures are of plate glass, with solid bronze wickets.

The vault door is of massive construction, absolutely burglar and fire proof, weighing many tons. It is operated by a time lock. Two-thirds of the Federal Reserve banks in the country use vault doors of this make, known as the York.

The vault proper is in two parts. On entering, the room is fitted up with safety deposit boxes for the use of customers. This room is large enough to accommodate 600 users. It is burglar and fireproof.

The other room is used by the bank for currency, records, etc., and is for its own convenience. A large safe is located here, known as a Mosler, and has a triple time lock.

These rooms, by the way, are reinforced concrete, 10 tons of steel being used on the top, bottom and sides. The rails were placed in the same manner as generally used in the building of log houses, and concrete poured over them to a considerable thickness. As was mentioned before, this vault is burglar and fire proof, one of the things so essential to the safety of the bank and its customers. The rails are known as 90-pound.

The building is a two-story brick and concrete, 25 by 66 feet. The bank occupies the main floor, while the second story will be devoted to offices and apartments. The finishing touches are being applied to the upstairs part, and they will be ready for occupancy next week.

The building is heated by hot water, and electric ranges will be added to the apartments.

The lobby of the bank was a real flower garden Saturday. Large baskets of flowers came from the United States National bank of Portland, Clackamas County Bankers' association, Bob Cooke and many others.

Among the guests from out of town were Paul S. Dick, vice president and cashier of the United States National bank, Portland; W. A. Holt, vice president; Frank C. Hak, assistant cashier, and Mr. Stevens. From the Bank of Oregon City were Will T. Wright, president; Percy Caulfield, assistant cashier, and William Hammond, trust officer. Letters and telegrams of congratulations were received from many other bankers who were unable to attend.

Music was furnished by the high school orchestra.

Citizens of Estacada are proud of the new structure, which is located so prominently on one of the main corners of our growing little city. They welcome improvements of like nature, which is so essential to the beauty and prosperity of the community. On behalf of the people, the News wishes to extend to the Estacada State bank their appreciation for the vast improvement it has made, and, in the words of Thomas Jefferson, who has played the leading role in "Rip Van Winkle" for so many years, "Here's to you and your family; may they live long and prosper."

MARKET ROAD TO BE COMPLETED

VOTE IS OVERWHELMING IN FAVOR OF THE ROAD IMPROVEMENT

COST WILL BE ABOUT \$22,000

Estacada Will Now Be Assured of First Class Hard Surfaced Highway

At the special road election, Monday, held at Wilbur's hall, Eagle Creek, to vote a special tax to make the grade and prepare the base for the completion of the pavement on market road No. 7, that part of the highway near Grants Park which was left untouched on account of lack of funds, was carried by a vote of 216 to 31.

According to the engineer's estimate of the amount of money needed for this improvement is \$22,000, one-half of the amount to be raised by the county, the other half by special tax in special district No. 2, comprising districts Nos. 30, 39, 40, 56 and 59.

Voters in the town of Estacada were for the measure 103 per cent. Many citizens rounded up friends and took them to the polls. Keen interest was taken in the matter, and when the vote was counted and found to be so overwhelmingly in favor of the measure, the victory was made doubly sweet.

The unfinished part of the road above mentioned is truly a sore spot to people who travel over it. When it is finally paved, people in the valley will have access to a hard surfaced road to Oregon City and Portland. Good roads these days are as essential to a community as railroads. Automobiles have made good roads a necessity. Those who own automobiles will more than save the money to be spent in taxes for this road in money saved on upkeep of their cars.

The News is happy to chronicle the result of the election. It was to our liking.

3 MILL ROAD LEVY WINS

Oregon City, Nov. 18.—The special 3 mill levy on the overlapping road district No. 1, which embraces eight regular road districts of the county, including Oregon City and Molalla, was carried at an election at Liberal Monday afternoon by a vote of 265 to 190 against. The fund will be used to surface the Spangler hill grade, prepared through money raised in the same district last year.

Opposition to the measure in Oregon City drew out a much larger crowd of voters than usual at a road election, but weather conditions were not favorable for as heavy a vote as at first expected.

The Spangler hill grade has long been a source of difficulty on the Molalla-Oregon City road, and the money provided through the special levy will take care of one of the last bad stretches on the entire length of road.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Mary Ross and daughter, Lenore, of Portland have been in this vicinity several days recently. They have supervision of the Ross planing mill, which has been busy again lately.

Miss Neva Smith and a girl friend from Stayton have been visiting at the home of her brother, W. W. Smith, for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Smith took them home in their car Sunday.

Farmers in this community, particularly on route 1 out of Estacada, have sold potatoes recently for as high as \$1.65 a bushel. Many potato buyers are in the community now.

Miss Irma Gates has a position in the local telephone exchange at Gresham. On account of her eyes she was compelled to give up her school for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allen of Marmot came over from their home Tuesday to visit relatives and friends and to attend the regular meeting of the Eastern Star, which met the same evening.

Mrs. W. E. Chandler and daughter, Miss Vena, were passengers to Portland Saturday. They are studying music at the Clifford studios and go in each week for lessons. Mrs. Chandler is studying the piano and Miss Vena the violin.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wilcox drove to Eugene Saturday to attend the football game between the O.A.C. and University of Oregon. Mr. Wilcox, being an O.A.C. man, most thoroughly enjoyed the game, since his team came out victorious.

Garfield Notes

Walter Shriner was painfully injured while at work at his sawmill last Saturday. A leg was caught between a log and the carriage and crushed. He was attended by Dr. Midford, who pronounced the member not broken. Mr. Shriner will be confined to his bed for some time.

The Nora memorial Sunday school will meet at 10:30 a. m. each Sunday.

The Skip-a-week club will meet at the home of Mrs. J. C. Moreland this coming week.

Joe Robertson is recovering from an injury received to his hand while cutting wood some time ago.

TUCKER-KELLER

On Monday, November 9, at Portland, Miss Dicy Tucker became the bride of Vernon Keller. Both young people are very popular in this vicinity. Miss Tucker is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Tucker of Springwater and Mr. Keller is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Keller of Dodge, both pioneer families of this district. They spent their honeymoon in Portland. They returned last Thursday evening. They will make their home on the Mrs. E. Lacey farm in Dodge. The News joins with their many friends in wishing them happiness, health and prosperity.

P.T.A. MEETING

There was a good attendance at the Parent-Teachers' meeting Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, held in the high school auditorium. The president, Mrs. Cary, presided and Miss Lillian Schmidt, the secretary, was also present. After transacting such business as usually comes before the organization, an interesting program followed. The high school Glee club made its first public appearance of the season and delighted the audience with a few numbers. At the last minute, almost, word was received from Portland that the speakers promised by the state organization would not be present. Rev. L. C. Kirby, the evangelist holding religious services at the M.E. church this week, creditably substituted, and gave a talk on "Books and Good Reading in the Home."

A number of men from this vicinity went over to Pacific City during the last week to get salmon. They report plenty of fish being caught, but the price is much higher than in former years. Just why this should be so no one seems to understand.

EXCITEMENT

"Bell Hop" Moore of the Estacada hotel stayed to Portland yesterday and had the time of his young life. A 16-cent dinner was "enjoyed," a ride taken on an elevator and street car and he heard a jazz tune played on a phonograph.

Hot dog!

The local band played a few selections on the street last evening, preparatory to attending the Liberty theater, where a benefit program was given.

"Dinty" Moore was a Linnton business caller yesterday.

FAIR MAKES GAIN

Carl Joehnk of Canby, secretary of the Clackamas County Fair association, has made his financial report of the 1925 Clackamas county fair, held at Canby. According to the report submitted by Mr. Joehnk there remains an indebtedness of \$975. The total gate receipts for this year's fair amounted to \$2990. Previous to this year's fair there was a total indebtedness of \$2000.

ENGLISH AS SPOKE

Overheard at a directors' meeting: "While we are sitting here let us see how we stand on running expenses."

TURNED TABLES

A negro went fishing. He hooked a big catfish which pulled him overboard. As he crawled back into the boat, he said, philosophically:

"What I wanna know is dis: Is dis niggah fishin' or is dis fish niggerin'?"

THEY'LL NEED IT

Heaven help those who help others to help themselves.

DAY EARLY NEXT WEEK

The News will be published and put in the mails Wednesday next week to enable us to enjoy Thanksgiving day at home. Cooperation on the part of news gatherers and advertisers in bringing in their copy not later than Tuesday will be appreciated.

METHODIST CHURCH HOLDS GATHERING

BASKET DINNER SERVED IN THE CHURCH BASEMENT LAST SUNDAY AFTERNOON

MORNING-EVENING SERVICES

Gospel Team from North Pacific Evangelistic Institute, With Students, Attend

Last Sunday, at the M. E. church, services out of the ordinary were conducted. The gospel team from the North Pacific Evangelistic Institute was in attendance, accompanied by students. They came to Estacada Friday evening and held services that night and again Saturday and Sunday. Sunday morning the large audience was favored by a sermon from the president of the institute, Rev. Edward Mott, and the director of music at the institute, Bess Owens Runyan, conducted the musical program. Mrs. Amanda Milner had charge of the junior service in the morning, assisted by Aletha Allen. Both services were interesting.

The ladies of the church served a basket dinner in the church basement.

Services were again held in the afternoon at 2:30.

John G. Bringdale, director of the week-end conferences, gave an eloquent sermon at the evening service.

These week-end meetings were a preliminary to the commencing of a series of evangelistic services, which started Monday evening, conducted by Rev. L. C. Kirby, and will continue for two weeks.

The gospel team of the institute arrived in a large automobile bus. The party returned to Portland after the Sunday evening service.

Rev. Ira F. Rankin, pastor of the local church, says:

"Evangelistic services will be held every night throughout this week and next week. A goodly number of people have definitely found Christ as their Saviour, and we believe that many more will soon make the surrender to Him. A spirit of prayer is evidenced throughout the community. The visit of the N.P.E.I. gospel team has been a gracious blessing to the community. Rev. L. C. Kirby, pastor of the Mt. Tabor Methodist church of Portland, is bringing timely and impressive messages, which all should hear. Mrs. Kirby is assisting by bringing splendid messages in song. Rev. Kirby will preach every night.

"The Odd Fellow and Rebekah lodges will attend the service in a body tomorrow (Friday) evening, and a gospel team from Brother Kirby's church is planning to be here the same evening.

"Services on Sunday," continued Mr. Rankin, "are as follows: Sunday school, 10 a. m. Junior church service, 10:45. Morning worship, 11. Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Evening service, 7:30. Every one is welcome at all services."

DRAWBACKS OF RELIGION

A colored woman consulted the village lawyer.

"Ah want to divo'ce mah husband," she said.

"What's the trouble?" asked the lawyer.

"That nigger's done gone an' got religion, and we ain't seen a chicken on de table for two weeks."

SAFETY FIRST

A lady went into a photographer's to have her picture taken—naturally. While the photographer was adjusting the camera, the lady wrapt a clothline around her skirts.

"You'll have to take that off, madam," said the photographer; "I can't take your picture that way."

"You can't fool me that way," she said. "I know you see me upside down in that camera."

GIVING THEM A RIDE

The flapper had just powdered her nose and was taking a hurried look at herself in the mirror. To the image therein she said: "Clothes, I am going to town; if you want to come, just hang on."

TOO INFORMAL

Young Dobbs—I want to try on that suit in the window.

Assistant—Sorry, sir, but you'll have to use the dressing room.

DEFECTIVE PLUMBING

I've come to fix that old tub in the kitchen.

"Oh, mamma! Here's the doctor to see the cook."

Prof. Brown—What can you tell us about nitrates?

Prep—They are cheaper than day rates.