

Clackamas County News

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DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING AT HOME

Estacada and Sandy merchants are making a bid for your Christmas shopping business this year. You will find the News filled with their suggestions, and if their stocks are not as large and complete as you would expect to see, the reason is due to the fact that your business and patronage in the past has not warranted them making a larger investment in Christmas merchandise.

The merchants of Eastern Clackamas county as a rule will meet legitimate competition of the city stores, if you take quality into consideration. And if you do not find just what you want in your local store, ask your dealer to get it for you. It will cost you no more, and he will be able to make the profit that some out-of-town dealer would make.

You are not giving your home merchant a square deal when you buy the small articles that you need right now of him and send away for the items that you can wait for and on which there would be a profit. The size of his stock, the variety and the price all depend upon the volume of business. However, he has certain fixed overhead expenses that vary but little, regardless of the volume of business he does.

The home merchant depends upon the support of the home people, and the home people are responsible to a considerable extent for the kind of store the merchant keeps. Try giving your local dealer a chance before you buy anything out of town, and soon you will notice that you can buy anything and everything you need, at home. If you all will make a practice of doing this you will be able in a short time to actually save money by buying at home; you will be helping to improve your community, to build a better town, increase the sale value of your property and in general make your town a better place in which to make your residence.

Before doing your Christmas shopping look over the advertisements in this edition of the News, and at least give the local merchant a chance to get your business.

MONEY IN GINSENG GROWING

Eastern Clackamas county offers a great opportunity to those interested in growing ginseng. There is a period of time before anything can be realized from the crop, but such is the case with fruit or nut trees, and also with berries. There is not the possibility of crop failure, and there is a chance of far greater net returns.

The initial investment need not be large, and but a few acres of ground would be necessary to start. Connected up with the poultry or berry business, the man or woman willing to work hard and with patience, stands a chance to become independent, financially, within the course of a few years.

MAKE USE OF YOUR SPARE TIME

Today the average person has more leisure than he had a generation ago, consequently he has more opportunities for cultural pursuits, if his inclinations are in that direction.

The average work day is shorter, due to the ability to produce more through labor-saving devices, and thus even the manual laborer is enabled to share in the leisure which an advancing civilization has made possible.

How to suitably employ leisure time is consequently becoming a rather important problem, the solution of which must naturally be found by each individual for himself. Spare time may well be devoted in part to studies which lead to advancement in one's occupation or profession, or even to preparation for a more desirable calling. Correspondence courses afford many opportunities in these directions.

For those who have found their life work, and are succeeding in it, leisure offers the means of broadening the mental vision by a better acquaintance with the masterpieces of literature and art, by developing a better appreciation of music, obtaining a better grasp of national and world affairs—in short, it enables one to live a fuller and more useful life.

For obtaining these ends, almost unlimited facilities are within the reach of practically everyone, through books, magazines, motion pictures and radio. By the judicious use of these, entertainment and education may go hand in hand.

The future happiness and prosperity of most of us depend largely upon how we employ our spare time.

Stop me if you have heard this one before: "Do your Christmas shopping early."

The value of a good water system has been demonstrated in Sandy, recently. Insurance rates have been materially reduced.

R. E. Esson, postmaster at Sandy, has been informed by Uncle Samuel that he must charge more for rent on postoffice boxes. The increase is 10 and 15 cents per quarter, according to the size of the box used. Prompt payment is being insisted on, as a large waiting list for boxes "waits."

News reports indicate that a new chain of 1000 drug stores is being organized. Some of them, it is said, will actually carry in stock a few drugs.

Complaints are numerous that motorists and truck drivers race through Sandy at a dangerous speed. The school stops east of town are also disregarded. Some protective measure will become necessary if the practice is continued.

A baby was born in Tennessee recently with a tail about seven inches long, if Associated Press news reports are correct. A flagrant violation of the monkey law in that state.

SCHOOL ORATORS TO APPEAR IN CONTEST

Rules for the annual Clackamas county grammar school declamatory contest have been announced by the committee in charge, composed of Edwin Woodworth, Willamette, chairman; Miss Isabelle T. Mann, Oregon City, and Prof. Miller of Gladstone. The contestants in the seven divisions of the county will be held on Friday evening, February 8, and the finals will be held at Gladstone on Friday evening, February 15.

Subjects are to be chosen from an approved list compiled by the committee and the entries must be in the hands of division managers not later than January 26. The districts, managers and schools in each group follow:

Division 1. Oak Grove, Homer Rundall, chairman; 1, 9, 28, 30, 31, 49, 54, 64, 71, 77, 99, 103, 114, 115 and 119.

Division 2. Molalla, W. E. Dillon, chairman; 5, 6, 10, 11, 16, 25, 32, 35, 36, 53, 55, 56, 58, 65, 72, 84, 87, 92, 93, 95, 101, 104, 111, 112, 118, and 122.

Division 3. Colton, E. D. Poulson, chairman; 23, 34, 37, 41, 43, 47, 67, 82, 96, 100, 105, 106, 301, 305, 306 and 309.

Division 4. Sandy, Roy W. Malley, chairman; 13, 19, 26, 39, 42, 44, 45, 46, 83, 94, 107, 124, 125, 207 and 312.

Division 5. Oregon City, C. J. Lake, chairman; 62, 3, 4, 15, 21, 27, 29, 33, 48, 51, 61, 69, 70, 80, 85, 90, 102, 109, 116, 120, 121 and 126.

Division 6. Canby, H. H. Eccles, chairman; 86, 2, 18, 20, 22, 38, 40, 59, 63, 73, 74, 76, 79, 81, 91, 97 and 110.

Division 7. Estacada, Bessie Anderson, chairman; 108, 7, 8, 12, 14, 17, 24, 50, 57, 68, 78, 88, 89, 117 and 123.

Brightwood Club Holds Sale
Brightwood club held a food and apron sale at Hickey's store, Saturday, \$24 being realized. This club functions for charitable work, and is helping out a family assigned to them.

SANDY LOCALS

The Bear Creek Logging company has completed repairing the bridges and soon will begin the work of building a new camp three miles east of the old site, in Section 8.

Rev. Hisey, elder of the Methodist church, recently gave a fine talk before the pupils of Sandy high school.

A special service was held at the Sandy Catholic church Sunday.

P. T. Shelley is still very miserable and in bed part of the time, as he has been for several weeks. Margaret Barnett still carries the mail.

The Koennicke children have all been reported quite sick recently.

Mrs. Robert Jonsrud spent several days in Portland the past week.

Mrs. V. D. Butler and Mrs. A. Phelps were joint hostesses to the Bull Run social club Thursday, at the Butler home. The new officers presided. Exceptionally fine refreshments were served.

Mrs. J. W. Dixon planned a surprise dinner for their daughter, Dorothy, Thursday evening. At the lovely table were seated Mr. and Mrs. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Alt, Mr. and Mrs. James Ogden and Dick, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Ganger and Bobby, also Dorothy, who received many handsome gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith and children attended the Pleasant Home M. E. church chicken dinner and bazaar, Saturday night.

Among those having la grippe the past week were John Roberts, Clarence Bennett and Frank Christianson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Lehnfield and Doris Jean were in town Sunday. Mrs. Lehnfield is piecing many cushion covers for Christmas, and some for the club bazaar.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barber, newlyweds, visited at the home of Mrs. J. M. C. Miller Sunday. Mr. Barber is a florist near Fairview.

Art Woodcock and Bob Smith bagged 33 fine fat canvasbacks from Siuslaw lake, being out three nights and two days on the trip. It is 180 miles around the lake, which is in the Florence section.

Two men have begun building fence on land recently purchased by the Sandy Goats company, inc., from C. W. Bruce, and part of the McGee place.

CURRINSVILLE STORE PRICES

Three Minute Oats; package 10c
Sperry's Wheat Hearts 15c
Crown Cake Flour, 5-lb. sack; it's fine..... 35c
Free Calendar for the home of each of my customers —if not a customer we invite you to become one.

We appreciate your trade—our prices are right and in line with legitimate business methods. We do not cut prices today and put them up again tomorrow.

We want your trade for the rest of this year for on January 1, J. C. (Buster) Tunnell becomes a partner in the business, and I want to make a showing that will make us both work hard to beat next year.

—J. O. TUNNELL

KREBS KONFECTIONERY AFE

Sandy, Oregon
Headquarters for
CHRISTMAS CANDIES, NUTS

Big Specials in
GIFT BOXES

SPECIAL—Santa Claus and 1 lb. Candy 50c



A Checking Account Aids Saving

You can know where every dollar goes if you pay all your bills by check.

This plan enables you to eliminate useless expenditures and have something left for your Savings Account at the Clackamas County Bank. Why not try this convenient and business-like way of caring for your finances? Start now and get everything in shape to continue this system throughout the year 1929. You'll be surprised at the result one year from now.

CLACKAMAS COUNTY BANK SANDY, OREGON



Useful Gifts

This is a store that provides a plentiful array of gift items for every member of the family and for the friend you are planning to remember. Gifts that carry remembrance of the giver, and brings them joy

J. K. ELY Estacada, Oregon

CHRISTMAS SPECIAL

Dry Cleaning \$1.00

Men's Suits or Overcoats

Calls made at Carver, Barton, Eagle Creek, Springwater, Sandy, Kelso and Estacada on Wednesday and Saturday of each week.

Palace Laundry Man

TIME SCHEDULE—PORTLAND-ESTACADA STAGES

Station	Time of Departure	Time of Departure	Time of Departure
Lv. Portland	10:00 a. m.	2:00 p. m.	6:20 p. m.
Lv. Clackamas	10:35 a. m.	2:35 p. m.	6:55 p. m.
Lv. Carver	10:50 a. m.	2:50 p. m.	7:05 p. m.
Lv. Barton	11:05 a. m.	3:05 p. m.	7:25 p. m.
Lv. Eagle Creek	11:15 a. m.	3:15 p. m.	7:35 p. m.
Lv. Cedar Brook	11:18 a. m.	3:18 p. m.	7:38 p. m.
Ar. Estacada	11:30 a. m.	3:30 p. m.	7:50 p. m.

Station	Time of Departure	Time of Departure	Time of Departure
Lv. Estacada	*6:15 a. m.	8:30 a. m.	4:30 p. m.
Lv. Eagle Cr.	6:30 a. m.	8:45 a. m.	4:45 p. m.
Lv. Barton	6:35 a. m.	8:55 a. m.	4:55 p. m.
Lv. Carver	6:50 a. m.	9:10 a. m.	5:10 p. m.
Lv. Clack'as	7:00 a. m.	9:20 a. m.	5:20 p. m.
Ar. Portland	7:35 a. m.	9:55 a. m.	6:00 p. m.

* Daily Except Sunday. † Sunday Only. ‡ Saturday Only.

GILGAN'S Furniture Exchange

Estacada, Oregon

Several Good Ranges \$15.00 and up
Breakfast Set, Special \$14.00
Several Coal Oil Heaters \$3.25
Breakfast Folding Tables \$3.25

SPECIAL

FANCY MIXED CANDIES

Per Pound 23c
2 Pounds 45c



FANCY MIXED NUTS

Per Pound 23c
2 Pounds 45c

Why go to town to spend your money—leave it where it may come back to you.

We have a large assortment of articles suitable for gifts for your family. If you can't find what you want, we will be pleased to get it for you.

Come in—We Will Please You—Our Prices Are Right

"SCALES IS RIGHT"

J. Scales

Phone 271

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