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## HAYMAN IS PRESIDENT OF COMMUNITY CLUB

UNION OF CLUBS MEETING TO BE HELD IN WEST LINN FRIDAY EVENING

J. G. Hayman was elected president of the Estacada Community club at the meeting of the organization held in the Masonic building Friday evening. J. C. Moreland was chosen as vice president and Miss Maud Sherman was re-elected secretary and treasurer.

A resolution was presented by Ted Ahlberg which had been adopted by the Legion in regard to the improvement of the Colton road. The grange at Springwater has also passed a similar resolution.

A committee to meet with the county court to take up the matter of the Colton-Estacada road, was appointed by the chairman, and this committee visited County Commissioner W. A. Proctor Tuesday evening and learned that considerable work is planned by the court on this road as soon as the weather permits. Mr. Proctor said that the road from the bridge to the junction of the Elwood-Dodge road was in the program this year, which would give the Elwood people a way to get out and in.

Mr. Proctor said he believed this to be the most needed road work in the county at the present time, and that the major part of the construction of the entire road was to be finished as soon as the weather permits.

Of equal interest to the people in this vicinity is the improvement of the road between Eagle Creek and Sandy, which matter was also discussed with Commissioner Proctor.

It was planned to hold a meeting of the club January 25, but as this is the date of the meeting of the Greater Clackamas County Union of Clubs at West Linn, President Hayman has set the date of the next meeting for Friday, February 1.

The district convention of the Legion also falls on the date set for the next club meeting, and was partly responsible for the change of date. Plans are being made by the committee in charge of the meeting at West Linn. A number of prominent speakers will be at the meeting, and one of the most important features will be the presentation of the scholarships to the boys and girls of the 4-H clubs who have accomplished their achievements in making the 100 per cent mark.

Among those entitled to these scholarships to the summer school at the Oregon State Agricultural college are the winners of the first prizes at the county and state fairs; scholarships offered by the Portland business men through the efforts of the superintendent of public instruction; scholarships awarded by the U. P. railroad company; those awarded by the S. P. railroad, those offered by the county court, P. T. A., Bankers, association, Jersey club, Guernsey club and Oregon City business men and other organizations.

Other boys and girls in club work over 12 years of age, and who have their work up-to-date, will be given the privilege of attending the summer school by paying their own transportation and their board and room while at the institution. Many of the boys and girls are to be represented at the gathering Friday evening.

The program committee is composed of W. R. Abel, Carl Joehn, Howard Belton, of Canby; B. O. Garret and Percy Caulfield of Oregon City. Mr. Abel is chairman of the program committee. A number of interesting features, besides the awarding of the scholarships are in store for the guests.

The banquet, which is to be served at 6:30, is already planned by the committee, of which Mrs. A. A. Spangler of Carus is chairman. Her assistants are Mrs. Runkle, Mrs. Fuge of Oswego; Mrs. Eva Hale, Jennings Lodge; Mrs. Eva Hawley, Clackamas and Mrs. Ridder of Wilsonville.

Quite a number of Estacada club members are planning to attend, and arrangements are being made to charter one of the large busses for those who do not care to drive their own cars. Plans are being made, it is said, to accommodate 400 at the banquet.

## SANDY GRANGE HAS SET OF NEW OFFICERS

Fred Bates of Eagle Creek installed the officers of Sandy Grange Saturday. The lecture hour program, arranged by Mrs. Will Bell, entertained as follows: Several vocal numbers by Mrs. George Odell and son George, poem written by Myra Hoernicker, by Mrs. Minne Douglass.

Roll call included several talks, one being given by A. C. Thomas describing the big windfall here 45 years ago. Annual reports of officers were read. The grange is in splendid financial condition.

### Cannings Have Visitors

The Canning family of Kelso have Mr. Canning's brother, Richard Canning and wife, also their daughter-in-law and small son, all of Buffalo, N. Y. Richard Canning visited at Kelso 35 years ago and notes great changes since then.

### Miss Shell's Sister Passes

Much sympathy is felt for Miss Edith Shell, whose sister, Miss Lillian Shell, passed suddenly at Corvallis from pneumonia, Sunday night. Miss Shell, who was chaperoning two Sandy high school girls at Oregon "U" conference, was called to Corvallis Saturday. Her sister being better, she returned to Sandy Sunday.

### Miss Reed To Return Home

Miss Florence June Reed, daughter of Mrs. Mae Reed of Estacada, who was operated on a few days ago, is reported to be getting along nicely and probably will be brought home Saturday.

## ESTACADA HAS 25th BIRTHDAY

Saturday, January 12, was Estacada's birthday. On January 12, 1904, just 25 years ago, the Oregon Power Townsite company, with rooms on First street, Portland, advertised a sale of lots in Estacada.

They announced that Broadway and Main streets would be graded by the company. Lots were reserved for the hotel property. Restrictions from lively barns, lumber yards, carpenter shops, wagon and blacksmith shops being located on either Broadway or Main, were announced.

Business lots were held at \$250 for corner lots and \$200 for intermediate lots. Below the bench line, lots were offered for \$75 each.

At the present time, few people reside in Estacada who attended the sale. Quite a number are dead who came here shortly after the opening sale of lots.

### Marquam Has 301-Egg Record White Leghorn Hen

Phil Marquam, who is a white leghorn breeder of note, residing a short distance east of Estacada, has produced a bird with a 301-egg record during the past year. He has been breeding for the last thirteen years, trying to produce larger birds and larger eggs, with a marked degree of success. At present his flock average is 240 1/4, the highest he has ever had.

### High School Team Busy on Debate

The debate squad of the Estacada high school, under the supervision of Miss Samuelson, has started work on their debate. The question in the county debate this year is "Resolved, That the present widespread practice of installment buying is an unfortunate development, morally and economically. Members of the team are Blanche Armstrong, Bob Hayden, Carl Felker, Everett Stahlnecker, Loretta Wallace, Geraldine Connelly, Ruby Webber and Claude Shriner.

### SANDY LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Novak shopped in the city Saturday, and also called at the Henry Herman home to see Grandma Krebs, who is bedfast and no better.

The following prominent local young men survived the ordeal of riding the I. O. O. F. goat last week: J. T. Haneberg, Glenn and Carl Loundree, Alfred Meinig, Fred Voight and George Koch.

Mrs. Meranda (Catherine Mutchler) and baby Mary, after visiting at the home of the N. Schmitz family for a week, have gone back to La Grande.

## ODD FELLOWS AND REBEKAHS INSTALL

JOINT INSTALLATION BY ESTACADA LODGES; 150 IN ATTENDANCE

Estacada lodge No. 175, I. O. O. F. and Centennial Rebekah lodge No. 147 of Estacada, held joint installation of officers Saturday night at the Odd Fellows hall. There were about one hundred and fifty present, which included members of the two organizations, and a few invited guests, who enjoyed an excellent program and a sumptuous repast served at the conclusion of the evening's program.

District Grand Master Hugh Jones and District Deputy President, Mrs. Catherine Jones were the installing officers. They were assisted by District Deputy Grand Marshal J. G. Hayman and Mrs. Val Cary. The Rebekah officers installed were:

Laura Schoenberg, noble grand; Eleanor Day, vice grand; Elizabeth Ames, secretary; Della Lawrence, treasurer; Amy Rivers, warden; Edna Grabeel, conductress; Leona Buell, chaplain; Mollie Bates, inside guard; Lavena Crawford, outside guard; Mary Esheleman, R. S. N. G.; Manerva Lins, L. S. N. G.; Lydia McConnell, R. S. V. G.; Rose Perry, L. S. V. G., and Elva Ahlberg, musician.

The Odd Fellow officers are O. M. Stormer, noble grand; Paul Holm, vice grand; J. K. Ely, secretary; Harvey Gilgan, treasurer; Joe La Croy, warden; Lester Crawford, conductor; Chester Longworth, inside guard; Walter Looney, outside guard; W. H. Grabeel, R. S. N. G.; Wm. Gilgan, L. S. N. G.; Richard Davis, R. S. V. G.; George Walters, L. S. V. G.; Albert Lins, right scene supporter; B. Beebe, left scene supporter.

The program was conducted by Mrs. W. E. Buell and consisted of singing by a boys' quartet from the high school—Fred Buell, Howard Fifer, Glenn Marchbank and Claude Lankins; reading by "Buddy" Bartholomew; violin solo, Miss Beatrice Wilder; with Miss Laura Spall at the piano; readings by Mrs. Buell; vocal solo, Miss Spall, with Miss Jackson accompaniment; instrumental number by stringed instruments, Lester Underwood at the piano, Mrs. Otto Kiggins, Mrs. Ted Kiggins and Miss Avis Cadonau. G. E. Lawrence read a paper on the founding of the I. O. O. F. lodge.

After the program all were invited to the banquet hall which was beautifully decorated with green and pink, three large links, the Odd Fellows emblem, suspended from the center of the ceiling, and with the prettily decorated tables the effect was most pleasing. Delicious eats were served which included a dinner sandwich, salads, coffee and apple pie with ice cream.

Before the program was given, Mrs. Mabel Smith, the retiring noble grand of the Rebekahs, was presented with a beautiful past noble grand pin.

## LEGION MEETS TO PLAN FOR DISTRICT CONFERENCE

A special meeting of the Carl Douglass post of the American Legion was held Wednesday evening for the purpose of making plans for entertaining the visitors at the district conference to be held in Estacada on Friday, January 25. The state officers will be present, and in the evening Ben Fisher, commander of the Legion, department of Oregon, will speak.

The committee in charge of the arrangements for feeding the guests, composed of J. C. Moreland, Walace Smith and C. Rex Parks, plan to have the "eats" at the Estacada hotel. Funds were appropriated by the post for special entertainment features for the evening.

### ESTACADA LOCALS

W. F. Cary made a business trip to Tigard Monday, returning Tuesday evening.

Miss Eleanor Hedgecock of Portland spent the week end with her friend, Miss Lavena Grabeel, in Estacada.

## R. S. SMITH INSTALLED AS MAYOR OF SANDY

R. S. Smith, Sandy's new mayor, took the oath of office last week, being sworn in by F. G. Duncan, recorder. The retiring mayor is F. L. Proctor. Officials re-elected, taking their seats again, are C. O. Duke, treasurer, W. G. Duncan, recorder, John Maronay, Glenn and Carl Loundree, councilmen.

### Gresham Rebekahs Coming

The Gresham Rebekah lodge will pay the Estacada Rebekahs a visit Wednesday evening, January 23, and exemplify the work. There will be several candidates for initiation. About thirty visitors are expected.

### Ladies Aid Meets

The Ladies Aid of the Estacada Christian church met at the home of Mrs. Frank Whitaker Thursday afternoon.

### Estacada Wins From Colton

There was a double header basketball game at the high school gymnasium Tuesday night. The high school girls team played the grade school boys, with a score of 39 to 22 in favor of the grades. In the game between Estacada high and Colton high school, Estacada won by the score of 37 to 18.

### Daughter Born to Shibleys

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Beck, just south of Estacada, on January 16, a 6 1/2 pound girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Shibley. Grandma and Grandpa Beck are carrying their new honors very gracefully.

## OFFICERS OF SANDY BANK RE-ELECTED

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Clackamas County Bank at Sandy, the following officers were re-elected: W. A. Proctor, president; J. G. Sleret, vice president; Fred L. Proctor, cashier, and Cecil O. Duke, assistant cashier.

The board of directors consists of W. A. Proctor, J. G. Sleret, and Cecil O. Duke, W. A. Proctor being president of the board.

The bank officers report that business was good during 1928, there being an increase in deposits of over \$50,000, and their statement of December 31, shows total resources of \$378,278.69.

The stockholders of Clackamas County Bank are W. A. Proctor, county commissioner, J. G. Sleret, Fred L. Proctor, Cecil O. Duke and John Straus. The bank is 100 per cent owned by the above named stockholders, and is not allied in any manner with any other bank, and is not a member of any chain or bank corporation, it being strictly an independent bank operated to care for the banking needs of Eastern Clackamas and Multnomah counties.

### HOMER OILAR

Homer Oilar, killed January 9, at Alesia while helping his uncle, S. R. McWillis, fall a tree, was born at Oregon City, April 18, 1906. He is survived by several aunts and uncles—Mrs. W. H. Mersinger was his foster mother since Homer was two years old. Homer played drums for four years in Sandy union high school band, and was called an ideal student by his teachers. The high school sent flowers to Hood River, where Homer was buried.

### Mrs. Perret Entertains

Mrs. Henry Perret was hostess on Monday night to the Sandy Embroidery club. Those present were Mrs. Perret, Mrs. A. Dahrens, Mrs. Yost, Mrs. Lundy, Mrs. McGinnis, Mrs. F. L. Proctor, Mrs. Annie Glockner, Mrs. Sharnke, Gladys Strowbridge, Amanda and Ruth Perret and Mrs. H. Schneider. Mrs. Perret will entertain next Monday night. Everyone is welcome to come to the club meetings.

### Girl Scouts Organize at Sandy

Mrs. Cecelia Brown began the organization of two Girl Scout groups at Sandy last week, one a high school group. Mrs. Brown is taking special training at Central library, Portland, in the work, and at a meeting of the girls next Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Bruns, will complete the organization.

## SANDY I. O. O. F. AND REBEKAHS INSTALL

R. S. SMITH IS NOBLE GRAND; EDNA HALL HEADS THE LADIES' ORDER

Sandy I. O. O. F. and Rebekah lodges jointly installed officers Monday night, the public being invited. The installing officers were V. D. Butler and Mrs. E. F. Bruns.

The retiring noble grand of the Rebekahs, Mrs. Oren Ganger, was presented with a gold pin, Mrs. Bruns making the presentation. About sixty-five were present at the ceremonial, after which a delicious lunch was served. The I. O. O. F. lodge has the distinction of being on the honor roll in the state lodge.

Officers installed were—Odd Fellows—R. S. Smith, noble grand; L. B. Green, vice grand; A. C. Baumbach, secretary; Otto Meinig, treasurer; W. E. Rannow, warden; H. B. Reed, conductor; W. Bosholt, R. S. N. G.; L. E. Palmer, L. S. N. G.; R. Troyer, R. S. V. G.; Bob Edwards, L. S. V. G.; Wm. Ganger, R. S. S.; Mr. Klinger, L. S. S.; H. Bruns, O. G.; Melvin Smith, I. G.; R. W. Mallory, chaplain.

Rebekahs: Edna Hall, noble grand; Roberta Williams, vice grand; R. S. Hall, secretary; Libbie Hall, treasurer; Tennis Ganger, R. S. N. G.; Blanche Shelley, L. S. N. B.; Mrs. Bosholt, R. S. V. G.; Hazel Murray, L. S. V. G.; Arleigh Kammerer, conductress; Mabel Beers, warden; A. H. Klinger, I. G.; Lewis Hall, O. G.; Ella Baumbach, chaplain; Mildred Gray, musician.

### PIONEER SOCIETY OF SANDY TO MEET JANUARY 27

Pioneers of the county are invited to meet for an all day session in Sandy on Sunday, January 27, at the Grange hall. Bring your lunch.

### Mersingers Return From Alesia

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mersinger returned a few days ago from their sad trip to Alesia and Hood River where they laid their loved son to rest, many sympathizing friends being present at the final rites. Homer's school mates and teachers at Sandy were also saddened by the tragic event.

### Wade Improving

W. H. Wade has recovered from the flu so that he is able to be out on the streets again.

### JOHN TALBOT PASSES

Estacada Lodge No. 175 I. O. O. F. went to Clackamas Monday afternoon to assist in the burial of one of their members, John Talbot, who died in an Oregon City hospital Friday night with pneumonia. He was a charter member of the Odd Fellows lodge of Estacada.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Armstrong moved Tuesday to the residence recently purchased of Roy Wilcox, in the northwest part of the city.

## ESTACADA HIGH TO GIVE OPERETTA

The Glee clubs of Estacada High school have commenced work on the operetta they plan to give this coming spring. "Hulda of Holland" is the name of the play selected. The principal characters are Claude Lankins, Fred Buell, Ruby Bates, Erma Wilcox, Robert Marchbank, Evelyn Myers, Howard Fifer Bob Hayden, Herbert Fifer James Beck and Walter Smith.

Other members of the Glee clubs take part in the choruses. Carl Felker has been chosen as advertising manager and Ernest Douglass as property manager. Miss Noble, head of the costume committee, will have the sewing class make most of the costumes and Mr. Eliassen will have charge of the scenery.

### ESTACADA LOCALS

The local Camp Fire girls will have a benefit picture show at the Liberty Theatre, Tuesday, January 22. Jackie Coogan will be the attraction, and there will also be a good comedy. Besides this the girls will have a short program.

## REV. COOK INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Rev. C. T. Cook left Estacada for Gresham in his Ford Tuesday afternoon. As he was climbing the Amersacker hill, he discovered that he did not have enough gas, so he began to turn around to go back. The clutch failed to work as he was backing up and he went over a 15-foot embankment.

He said he had presence of mind enough to get out from under the steering wheel, and felt himself turning over and over, finally landing at the bottom. Although in much pain, he crawled out and up to the road and started back toward Estacada.

Meeting a man in a car, he signalled and was brought to Estacada where he had an examination made by Dr. W. W. Rhodes. One rib was found broken and he was badly bruised.

Rev. Cook is keeping very quiet at his home and thinks he will be able to attend to his ministerial duties as pastor of the Methodist church of Estacada, next Sunday.

The top of the car was badly damaged as well as the wings and being broken, otherwise it is all ready to go again.

### Springwater Couple Weds

Douglass E. Kiggins, son of J. A. Kiggins of Estacada, secured a marriage license in Oregon City Tuesday to marry Miss Evelyn Aycock. Both are residents of the Springwater district.

### Guests of Mrs. Hansen

Mrs. A. Hansen and baby of Portland were guests of Mrs. Minnie Hansen of Estacada a couple of days this week.

## BLUE RIBBON HEALTH ROLL CAMPAIGN STARTS

Preparations for launching the Blue Ribbon health roll are under way in the public schools of Estacada.

Material for the project has been delivered to W. E. Buell, principal of Estacada schools, and the charts necessary for enrollment are available for all those who desire to become blue ribbon winners.

Arrangements have been made for examination by the local physician, Dr. W. W. Gilbert, for the sum of \$1. This is a small sum for the type of examination given, which ordinarily be several times that amount.

The examination is the first step and is absolutely necessary before the child is eligible for enrollment. If the child is unable to pay any fee at all then he may have the benefit of the services of the county physician but wherever possible the family doctor must be seen.

If there are corrections to be made such as diseased tonsils, bad teeth, poor posture, defective eyes, or any of the defects listed on the examination chart the corrections should be made as soon as possible to enable the child to be in the best physical condition by the time the awards are made on Child Health day in May, when the blue ribbons will be given and the three months course of health chores, the charts for which are furnished for those having the physical examination, have been compiled with.

All the material for this project will be furnished by the Clackamas County Public Health association with funds collected in the Christmas seal sale. These funds are used for purpose of health education and all money collected is at once re-invested for this purpose.

A county-wide parade will be held in Oregon City on May 4, and an all day celebration will take place. All children will be invited to march and prizes will be given the schools making the best improvement.

Already nearly two thousand charts have been requested by the teachers in the county. Of course, not all of these will be used for enrollment, but many will be, and it is to be hoped that great benefit to those who enroll will result.

If further information is desired, consult Mr. Buell, or write Mrs. Gertrude E. Hall, executive secretary of the Clackamas County Health association, 16 Hogg Building, Oregon City.

T. Epplett, who is occupying a cottage in Estacada park, took a vacation last week and visited relatives in Portland.