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More Men Called in Draft

FIVE MORE MEN TO BE INDUCTED FROM DRAFT BOARD AT ESTACADA ON APRIL 10TH

Five more men will be inducted into the United States army from the Clackamas county draft board at Estacada as of Thursday April 10th it was announced today.

The five men are Michil Lucas of Portland, Sammie Charles Pendergras of Molalla, Werner Hermon Krebs of Portland, Earl Wendel Davis of Milwaukie and Kenneth Algot Carlson of Oregon City.

Two alternates are Clarence Herbert Hahn of Canby and Kenneth Joseph Peters of Clackamas.

Glover Resigns

M. C. Glover of Eagle Creek has resigned as a member of the draft board at Estacada and at time of going to press no new member has been appointed to take his place. The two remaining members of the draft board here are F. C. Bartholomew and S. E. Lawrence.

7 PAIR OF TWIN LAMBS AT P. R. RUSSELL RANCH

P. R. Russell said this week that he had seven pair of twin lambs out of eight ewes at his ranch in Currinsville. Mr. Russell bought the ewes at the Portland stockyards some time ago and all but one had twin lambs.

EASTER SUNDAY IS APRIL THE 13TH

Easter Sunday this year will be on Sunday, April 13th. Stores in this territory are now displaying the traditional bunnies, rabbits, chicks and Easter eggs. They are also offering gift suggestions and snappy spring wearing apparel for the "Easter Parade."

Circuit Court News of Week

Fred Vincent Beiser, 22 and his wife Emily Gladys 17 of the Sandy district charged with larceny from a dwelling were arraigned before Judge Latourette Thursday morning and both waived indictment by the grand jury and entered pleas of guilty.

After hearing the evidence presented by District Attorney Mulvey and three character witnesses the court withdrew the plea of Mrs. Beiser and dismissed the charge. Beiser was then allowed to plead guilty to a misdemeanor and was sentenced to serve three months in the county jail being given credit for the time he has been held since March 4.

The two admitted breaking into and robbing the Harry Kersting home, between Gresham and Sandy and carrying away most of the personal property all with the exception of an electric toaster and flashlight having been recovered.

Two juveniles had also been implicated in the robbery one of them being sent to the state training school and the other paroled to his parents.

Character witnesses for Mrs. Beiser were G. D. Orr principal of the Sandy union high school, W. J. Bettis a farmer of the Dodge district and Rev. H. O. Taylor of Gresham. At testified the woman had a good reputation but none were well acquainted with Beiser who came from the middle west about three years ago.

The Beisers were married last December by Rev. Taylor.

Theodore Beiser 18, brother of Fred is also implicated in the robbery and will be given a hearing later.

Gene Autry will be at the Estacada theatre this Friday and Saturday in one of the best pictures "Riding on a Rainbow." Second feature on the double bill stars Lloyd Nolan and Marjorie Weaver in "Michael Shane Private Detective." A truly great show.

Mrs. Tom Morton and daughter of Eugene were visitors at the home of Mrs. Morton's mother, Mrs. F. E. Doolley one day this week.

REPLACEMENTS FOR ARMY REJECTIONS

The following men will be inducted into the United States army from Clackamas county local board No. 2 at Estacada on Friday, April 4th as replacements for rejections made in former quotas. Donald Leroy Stearns of Clackamas, Claire Fluke of Molalla and Donald Arthur Kitting of Borning.

FIRST LEAGUE BALL GAME HERE TODAY

The first league baseball game of the season will be played at Estacada today, Friday, April 4th when the Estacada Rangers cross bats with the Sandy Pioneers.

The game is called for 2 p.m. and a large crowd of local fans is expected to attend.

GINGHAM CLUB HAS ENJOYABLE MEETING

The Gingham club met on Friday at the home of Mrs. Margie Moss and enjoyed a delightful dessert luncheon. The members are all busy these days doing their part for Red Cross and keeping up their supply of embroidered tea towels to fill the many orders being received at home and abroad, those abroad being southern California. One order will be mailed to New York state as soon as completed. A half hour of fun was spent with games, prizes being awarded to Addie Kingston and Louise Marquardt with the president Ethel Osborne also winning a "top" prize.

DOROTHY JOHNSON ON OSC HONOR ROLL

Dorothy Johnson daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Johnson formerly of Estacada but now of Port Orford was one of forty students out of 4000 to make the honor roll at Oregon state college it was announced last week. Miss Johnson is a graduate of the Estacada union high school.

SPRING ROUND-UP SET FOR MAY 10TH

The annual spring round up of the Riders of the Cascades will be held in Redland grange hall at Redland on Saturday evening, May 10

This popular western dance will feature western costumes and western music. Tickets may be secured at the Clackamas County News office.

No Liniment Needed

We rode some bikes and some poor dears, Altho' this had been done for years That we had organized a club, And needed liniment to rub.

Their fears have only come to naught, For those who think that we had ought,

To stay at home on sunny days, And from our dirty windows gaze.

We hunted trails some had forgot, And after we had biked a lot, We started down the long hiway, And met some road-hogs every day.

While biking may be quite a joke Our only 'Fill'er-up's' a coke.

Then homeward bound we wend our way,

So our kids can have their play.

And we must tell A. Nonny Muss, There's more like eight than three of us.

And tho' we go a lot it seems, They've never yet had Pork and Beans.

A Nonny Mrs.

P. S.—

If liniment we ever need We'll borrow some from Mr. Meade, For thrills may come most any way, On a stately steed, Or with fools at play.

200 PEOPLE ATTEND VISITATION HERE

Approximately 200 people attended the visitation of the Eastern Star of Estacada, Gresham, Troutdale and Sandy on Wednesday evening at the Estacada Masonic temple. A most enjoyable program had been prepared for the occasion which was followed by refreshments. Two grand officers, Mrs. Fay Ambrose associate grand matron and Mrs. Isobel Lowe, grand treasurer were among the distinguished guests.

Forest Area is Large

ESTACADA DISTRICT OF MT. HOOD NATIONAL FOREST HAS 620 MILES OF TRAILS

Six hundred and twenty miles of trails and nearly 200 miles of telephone lines are in the Estacada district of the Mt. Hood national forest. This vast forest area is protected by lookout men stationed at strategic points by others who build and maintain trails and phone lines and superintend the numerous forest camps throughout the area.

Headquarters for the Estacada district is in the Masonic building at Estacada with district ranger Roy Weeman in charge.

Operations during the summer months are conducted from the Oak Grove ranger station.

Owing to the anticipated early summer fire hazard season as the result of the light, dry winter fire guards are already working in this district.

Last season thousands of people visited the Estacada district and it is anticipated the coming summer will witness a big increase in travel by auto, horse and on foot thru this great scenic area.

H. D. STREVER CONTINUES HIS LECTURES HERE

H. D. Strever continues his lectures at the new Adventist church in Estacada and next Sunday, April 6th will speak on the mirror God has given man and how He is particular men should use it. On Tuesday evening April 8, Mr. Strever will speak on "Two Great Lights" and which one Christ extinguished. The subject for Thursday, April 10 will be "God's Answer to Evolution." \$5000 for the missing text.

Services begin at 7:15 with a song service conducted by Singing Evangelist Bergh. Special music each evening. Free moving pictures are shown at 7:30 followed by the lecture at 8.

P. T. A. NOTES

The next meeting of the PTA will be held Tuesday, April 8th at 2 p.m. in the grade school auditorium. A health program featuring the pre school clinic with a guest speaker has been arranged and all pre school mothers are urged to be present or contact Mrs. Retha Kiggins or Mrs. Rehberg.

The March PTA meeting was well attended and the following program was greatly enjoyed:

Address by Miss Ester Ansel, girl scout leader for the northwest. Skit by the Girl Scouts.

Tap Dance number, "Sidewalks of New York," Carol Lynch and Marjorie Chevon.

Tap Dance number "Down the Ohio" Donna Jean Saling, Marilyn Underwood, LeRoy Kiggins, Patricia Saling, Clifton Underwood.

Tap Dance number "Parade of the Wooden Soldiers" Donna Lee Osborne, Beverly Kitching, Joan Cyrus, Dixie Russell.

Silver tea for the girl scouts with the girl scouts acting as hostesses.

HENRY C. HEIPLE IS GRAND JURY FOREMAN

Henry C. Heiple of Eagle Creek has been named foreman of the new grand jury of five women and two men which was named by Judge Alfred P. Dobson visiting from the circuit court in Portland in the Clackamas county courtroom in Oregon City Tuesday. Other members of the grand jury are Max Kligel of Kelso, Emma Curtis of West Linn, Marita Norman of Redland, E. L. Moore of Oregon City, B. H. (Pete) Schroeder of Oak Grove and Jay Westcott of Damascus.

The grand jury went into session Wednesday morning to consider two criminal cases, namely a morals charge against Edward M. Erickson, Park Place and a larceny by bailer count against C. R. Montgomery of Portland.

Eagle Creek Pioneer Dies

LAST RITES HELD SATURDAY FOR MRS. DORA BENSON OLD RESIDENT OF EAGLE CREEK

Funeral services for Mrs. Dora Benson were held from the Chapman Funeral Home Wednesday, April 2nd at 2 p.m., Rev. Strever officiating, followed by interment in the Forrester cemetery at Eagle Creek.

Dora S. Vance was born in Nebraska September 2nd, 1877 and died March 29, 1941. She came to Oregon in 1893 and was united in marriage to G. W. Benson in 1895 locating later in Eagle Creek.

Mrs. Benson was a faithful member of the Seventh Day Adventist church ever ready to give a reason for the hope that was within her and a testimony for the Christ she served, a loving wife and mother and a loyal friend, loved by all who knew her.

Surviving relatives are her husband, G. W. Benson, one son, A. F. Benson of Eagle Creek, two brothers Geo. S. Vance of Medford, and John E. Vance of Seattle and two granddaughters.

PARTY HONORS MR. AND MRS. CLESTER AT EAGLE CREEK

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Clester gathered at their home on Saturday evening to bid them farewell preceding their departure for Alaska.

Five hundred and pinocle were played and at midnight refreshments were served.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Linn, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Cahill, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hillis, Mrs. Perry Cahill and daughter, Portland, J. W. Cahill, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Castile, and children, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wood, and children, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clark and son, Mr. and Mrs. George Baker and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Collins and children, George Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Benson and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Storey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Goodrich, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Berg and children, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Longwell and son of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Clester.

A traveling bag was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Clester as a parting gift.

The party was arranged by Mrs. Carl Clark, Mrs. L. J. Kimball and Mrs. Glen Collins.

Coon Boyer Drops Dead

Victim of a sudden heart attack Coop P. Boyer, 45, of route 1, Beaver creek dropped dead at the government reforestation project near the North Fork guard station east of Estacada on Wednesday of this week.

Mr. Boyer was stricken a few minutes after starting work according to his fellow workmen. He had gone to work on the project Tuesday. He is survived by his widow, Emma and five children.

The body was removed to the Chapman Funeral home from where funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

GARDEN CLUB MEETS APR. 7 WITH MRS. WOODS.

Another interesting meeting is planned for members of the Garden club at their next meeting April 7 at the home of Mrs. Rose Woods.

Mrs. Doris Smith will tell of birds and their aid to our gardens and Mrs. Mae Eaton has the interesting subject of Wild Flowers in Oregon.

For roll call please answer with the common and botanical name of any wild flower. The judging will be conducted by Mrs. Fassel and Mrs. Birdie Gilgan will have charge of the game.

Bob Snyder was brot home from a Portland hospital last Thursday night and is getting along as well as can be expected it is reported.

LAWRENCE GETS BIG ARMY AIRPORT JOB

S. E. Lawrence local electrical contractor will leave this week for Pendleton where he will put in the electric distribution system and street lighting for the new army airport in that city. The airport at Pendleton covers 650 acres. Mr. Lawrence said this job would take three weeks.

Mr. Lawrence has just completed installing the electrical distribution system, street lighting and fire alarm for the U. S. Army at Vancouver.

Edwin Gerber another local man is also working on the airport at Pendleton doing road work.

GENE AUTRY AT THE ESTACADA THEATRE

America's all time cowboy star Gene Autry, will be starred with Smiley Burnette and Mary Lee in the first feature of the double bill at the Estacada theatre this Friday and Saturday, April 4 and 5 in "Riding on a Rainbow." The picture has a colorful background of a show boat and Gene Autry brings you a whole boat load of adventure, new songs, new laughs and new thrills. The second feature stars Lloyd Nolan and Marjorie Weaver in "Michael Shane, Private Detective." Nolan acts the part of Shane, wise cracking, rough and romantic new sleuth created by Brett Halliday, top notch writer. The picture is a real thriller with many laugh scenes thrown in.

"Strawberry Blonde"

James Cagney and Olivia de Havilland will be starred at the Estacada theatre, Monday and Tuesday, April 6, 7 and 8 in "Strawberry Blonde." The "Strawberry Blonde" harks back to the good old days when "The Band Played on" was the hit tune and "Twenty-three Skiddoo" was the latest thing in slang. The performances are all top notch and Cagney screens his biggest hit to date in a very different role from the hard, tough wisecracking character he has portrayed in the past. All in all it is one of the most delightful comedies of the season. Concluding the program is the colorful feature "Wacky Wild Life" Joseph Reichman's orchestra and Metro News.

"Untamed"

Bargain nights, Wednesday and Thursday, April 9 and 10 Ray Milland, Patricia Morison and Akim Tamiroff will be starred in "Untamed." This is a mighty technicolor drama of the north woods employing for its background the impressive grandeur of the mountains and forest of North Canadian Rockies. It is an exciting and completely entertaining triangle drama in its motion picture version of Sinclair Lewis' intriguing "Mantrap." In "Untamed" a raging blizzard of unprecedented violence and weird beauty storms across the screen. This phenomenon as caught by the magic cameras of moviedom outranks all other exciting natural furies the cinema center has thus far produced. Program concludes with the comedy "Waiting for Baby."

JUDGE AND MRS. TROUPE GIVEN HOUSE WARMING

There was an old fashioned house warming at the new home of Judge and Mrs. C. O. Troupe Monday night and to make the evening unusually enjoyable the women brot along cake and sandwiches. Those present were the mainstays and associates of the Judge in the 4-C's in the days when that organization was quite active in the community. They were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Moss, the Marquard family and Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Troupe.

Mrs. Lena Granum went to Portland last week end to remain for a few days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sarver visited the latter's mother Mrs. Mary Hannah last Thursday. Elmer Hannah and daughter Louise also of Portland were visitors at the Hannah home Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Osborne and mother Mrs. Mollie Bates and Mrs. Harold Kitching were business visitors in Portland last Friday.

Wisconsin Corn Said to be Best

WISCONSIN HYBRID 355 AND SMALL EARLY DENT BEST IN CLACKAMAS COUNTY

Of the many corn varieties used in demonstration plantings in Clackamas county during the past four years Wisconsin hybrid 355 and the small early Eureka dent from South Dakota are the most consistent high yielders and are recommended where growers have not saved from a favored local variety.

Wisconsin hybrid 355 will be handled by several of the larger seed houses in Clackamas county. Part of this seed was grown in Oregon and part in Wisconsin and Minnesota. Tests show that seed from these states is equal to local seed of the same variety. Many of the other hybrids are entirely too late to be satisfactory but Wisconsin 355 is earlier than most local varieties and is recommended for both grains and ensilage.

Eureka dent is a small yellow dent developed by Dr. A. H. Hume of the South Dakota experiment station for producing under dry weather conditions. This variety produces short stalks and small ears and is used successfully by Arthur Brochert of Needy and Otto Lucht of Molalla for hogging down. The ears are usually mature enough so that the hogs may be turned in during the last week of August.

Eureka dent is not only the earliest successful variety but is also one of the best from the production standpoint. It may be faulted for excessive lodging. Growers should not confuse Eureka dent with Eureka silage corn which produces tall corn but few if any ears when planted here. Eureka dent seed is produced locally and may be secured from several local growers and from some of the seed houses.

Incidentally good ears double the feed value of the silage and may account for forty percent of the total green weight when cut for the silo. Ensilage without ears has low feeding value.

The days of late April and early May are cool in Clackamas county, nevertheless early planted corn consistently produces higher yields than plantings after the tenth of May. The earlier corn is planted the more important it is to treat the seed with organic mercury prior to planting.

Many growers produce higher yields with two stalks to the hill than with heavier seeding but in no case is more than three stalks per hill recommended. Landplaster is a good fertilizer for corn and ammonium phosphate used in the fertilizer box gets the young corn off to a good start.

In preparing the soil the practice of discing the barnyard fertilizer into the soil is recommended over plowing. The disc mixes the fertilizer uniformly with the soil. The earlier the land is plowed the better.

Many growers prevent damage from China pheasants by scattering a little extra seed corn around the field. They find that the birds feed on this corn and leave the young planted corn alone.

Junior Class Play Here Tonight

"Cross My Heart" a delightful three-act comedy will be presented by members of the Junior class of the Estacada union high school in the high school auditorium this evening, April 4th at 8 o'clock.

The play is said to be one of the most thrilling, romantic comedies ever attempted by a cast of local high school students.

Orchestra selections and special vocal numbers will be presented between acts to add to the enjoyment of the program.

NEW TOWNSEND CLUB FORMED

An effort is being made to start a new Townsend club in Estacada and a meeting will be held in the near future to be announced later.