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26 acres on Day Hill. 5 room house has bath and electricity. Small barn. The view of the valley, mountains and forest is breathtaking. Price \$4950 and only \$750 down.

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Estacada, Surrounding Communities**

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Seventh and Broadway
Sunday School 10:30 A.M.
Evening Service 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Primary 3:30 P. M.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Sixth and Pierce Streets
Oscar Pearson, Pastor
Bible School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

GARFIELD NAZARENE CHURCH
Five miles East
Gerald D. Aylett, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, Prayer Service at 7:30 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Ninth and Broadway
Marion Ravan, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Christ Ambassador Service 6:30 p. m.
Evening Evangelistic Service 7:45 p.m.
Wednesday, Bible Study and Prayer Service 7:45 p.m.

BARTON BAPTIST
Six Miles W. of Estacada
Walden Askren, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Juniors for Christ 6:30 p.m.
Evening Service 7:45 p.m.
Tuesday, Women's Prayer Service 1:00-3:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Men's Calling 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, "Hour of Power" 7:30 p.m.

COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH
Fourth and Main Streets
Violet Bolliger, Pastor
Church School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Church Night: Choir Rehearsal 7:30 p.m.
Prayer and Bible Study at the parsonage 7:45 p.m.
Woman's Society of Christian Service
Third Wednesday of ea.month

New Year's day guests at the Ralph Svehaug home included Ralph's mother, Mrs. Pauline Svehaug, his brother, Henry Svehaug and family, and his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilehart.

FOR RENT: 3 room house with bath, range, refrigerator, washer. Route 2, B 678, Oregon City, near North Logan school J20

PORTER MENNONITE CHURCH
7 miles East
Ernest J. Bontrager, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Children's Meeting followed by Young Peoples Meeting or Sermon 7:00 p.m.
Thursday, Bible Study and Cotta Prayer Services 8 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN
Vernon Ross, Pastor
Eagle Creek Community Worship 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School 11:00 a.m.
Westminster Fellowship, 7 p.m.
Ladies' Aid 3rd Wed. 1:30 p.m.
World Fellowship Circle: 1st Thursday, 1:30 p.m.
Springwater Community Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:30 a.m.
Westminster Fellowship at 7:00 p.m.
Ladies Ass'n. 4th Thursday
George, Saint John's Worship 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

SAINT ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC
7th and Zobrist Streets
Father Norbert Fritz, Pastor
Mass First and Second Sundays, 11:00 a.m.
Mass, Third, Fourth and Fifth Sunday, 8:00 a.m.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST
Sixth and Broadway
Armen Johnson, Elder
Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday, Prayer Meeting at 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD
Sixth and Main Streets
H. P. Harris, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:45 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting at 7:45 p.m.
Missionary Society last Wednesday of each month

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1956 A Boom Year For Estacada?

We are a few short days into 1956. All of us are interested in knowing what the new year will hold for our town. If all the scheduled events come to pass it should be a year of boom and progress for the entire area. Let's just look ahead a little to some of the things that may happen.

1. Construction on the Mt. Hood Plywood plant could very well begin some time in January. This mill should be in operation in 1956.

2. There is an excellent chance that the railroad into Estacada will be rebuilt in 1956.

3. PGE will begin work on its \$17,000,000 hydroelectric project five miles above Estacada in the spring of 1956. This will mean that 500 to 700 men will be employed on this dam alone.

Personally, we feel that all three of the above events will take place as scheduled and we think they will have a profound effect on the entire economy of Estacada.

There will be lots of activity in '56.

There will be a national election next year to choose a new president of our country. Oregon will either re-elect or reject Wayne Morse for another six-year term in the United States senate.

On the local level there will be an election for mayor of Estacada. Several councilman will be chosen at the same time. In the past year a tremendous amount of civic interest has been generated in local affairs. This interest may be reflected further in 1956 municipal elections by a record turnout at the polls.

Early in 1956 Estacada's new water system will be put into use. Improvements will be made in the present sewer treatment plant.

For Estacada, 1956 will be a year of progress and change. It will be a busy, full and interesting year.

It might even be a boom year.

Publisher Completes First Year

This month marks the end of your editor's first year at the helm of your Clackamas County News. When I say "your Clackamas County News" I do not say the words lightly, but with a certain amount of reverence and appreciation, for it truly is your paper. You have the good fortune (and on this point I know I can get arguments) of having an editor who can make more mistakes and create less excitement without being hung, than any editor in our county--with a couple of exceptions. You good readers only have to remember one thing, that if I do get off on the wrong foot, all you have to do is sit down with pencil in hand and vent your own feelings in printable verbiage. While as an individual, I may not agree with you, it is still your paper and its pages belong to you.

You good people have been very patient and more than considerate. Words cannot express the appreciation for reader loyalty and our wonderful renewal and new subscription response. The growth of our subscription list places your paper well in the forefront of weekly newspaper growth of any weekly paper in Oregon. The cooperation, loyalty and support of our advertisers has been heart-warming and truly magnificent. This has not been an easy year for your Clackamas County News. We went ahead with one of the most extravagant of modernization programs in hopes of being able to continue to merit your support. We have our reward, and just "thanks" seems so inadequate. Your real thanks will be our continued and more conscientious efforts to do a better job of bringing you a better Clackamas County News.

I am sorry that it has been necessary to raise our subscription rates. I only hope that our paper and operating costs will be stabilized so other increases will not be necessary.

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Viola News
The Viola Community Church program was held in the church Dec. 23. The church was decorated beautifully by Mrs. Floyd Vestal, however Miss Bernice Miller furnished the unusual arrangement on the piano. After Rev. Renaud opened the program with a prayer Jimmie Weston sang a solo, "Bless This House." Then all the children spoke their pieces. After which a playlet "Christmas Symbols" was presented. This included numbers from the orchestra, two solos from John McKenzie "Sweet Little Holy Child" and "Star of the East." Rev. Renaud sang "God's Little Candle" and Romona Tracy played a solo on her accordion. Carol Stevens also sang a solo. One of the cutest numbers of the evening was six of the primary girls singing "Away In a Manger." Clinton Stubbs acted the part of the Pieman and had baked a Christmas Pie

which was full of treats for the small fry. After which everyone adjourned to the Community Club for refreshments and caroling.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vestal left on Dec. 14, for Los Angeles for a reunion of his family, which had not been together for 60 years. The four brothers and two sisters were separated as small children, and adopted into different homes. Only recently did they find where two of the family were for the first time since they were children. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vestal will return around Jan. 6th.
Mrs. Esther Weston's sister, Mrs. Shirley Phillips arrived last Thursday from Penn. for a visit. Mrs. Phillips is also the sister of Mrs. Mable Kirchem.

The Estacada PTA will meet in the Estacada Union High School Auditorium on Thursday, January 12th at 7:45 P. M.

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- Bisquick, 2 1/2 lb. 39c
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- Margarine, Tastewell 2 lbs. 39c
- Shortening, Shurfine, 3 lbs 69c
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- Hi-C Grapeade 46-oz. 25c
 - Snack Lunch Meat 35c 3-\$1
 - Tastewell Cheese 2-lb loaf 69c
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 - Flav-R-Pac Purple Plums 19c 2 1/2-tin
 - Asparagus (Riverland) 25c 303 tin
- Ad Prices Good Fri., Sat., only

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Rites for John Hershberger
John Andrew Hershberger, a resident of Estacada for 12 years was born in Burlington, Ind. Oct 22, 1883 to Mr. and Mrs. Levi P. Hershberger. The family moved to Oregon in 1899 and settled near Eugene. He married Mrs. Hattie Gross in 1931. There is one son, John Frederick, and three step children- Virgil and Richard Gross of Portland and Beverly Yandle of Van Neys, Calif., and 7 step grandchildren. He has 3 brothers living in Hubbard. He passed away in the Oregon City hospital Dec. 25 at 7:55 A.M. Services were at Hillside Chapel in Oregon City Dec. 28 and burial in Hubbard cemetery with Rev. Bolliger in charge of the services.

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