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This Person 'n That

By C. T. E.

He is an Estacada man who likes the unusual things of life. His favorite story is below. To us it is a good example of human philosophy.

She was born in a foreign country and after her daughter and son married Americans she came to this country. She was asked about her daughter.

"Vunnerful" the woman replied enthusiastically. "She married an American boy—he helps her vit' the house, he washes the dishes, an' stay vit' the baby when she wants t' go out—everything for her he does!"

"And how is your son doing?" inquired the friend.
"Oh, the poor boy iss terrible!" she moaned. "He married an American girl—e has to help her vit' the house, and wash the dishes, an' stay vit' the baby when she wants to go out—everything for her he has t' do!"

She was hustling around town Wednesday afternoon in an awful hurry. She wanted to go home as quickly as possible as she left the bread in the oven but she couldn't get Mollie Bates over the telephone to tell her a story wit which to tease her grandson. We quickly agreed to publish it and tell the friends of Mrs. Bates to call her and read it to her.

The young couple were out in the moonlight together. "I want you to set the date for our wedding," she said. "Not tonight," he replied. "Trying to get rid of me, are you?" she continued. "I thought you would be happy to name the day." "Let the date go for awhile and let's be just as happy as we are in the meantime." "If you are getting tired of me, say so. If you have a good reason for not naming the day, say so and get it over with." "All right I will tell you. I do not believe I can support a large family before I am 21."

It is this way in Estacada as well as nearly every town in the good old U. S. A. God bless her.

They took a little gravel, and took a little tar, with various ingredients imported from afar. They hammered it and rolled it, and when they went away, they said they had a pavement to last for many a day. They came with picks and smote it to lay a water main, and then called the workmen to put it back again. They took it up for conduits to run a telephone, and then they put it back again as hard as nay stone."

Somebody saw Floyd Day looking up a pole the ther day and remarked that if Floyd had a dollar for every telephone pole he had climbed he would have enough money to pave the street in front of the telephone office in gold. No doubt about it and when he got on top the job was well done. For the past 60 years he has put a pair of pincers and a piece of wire on a chain beside his bed to be read for any emergency. Floyd is the No. 1 phone fixer in the country. We call Ruth Fifer quite often to get us out of a jam we have gotten into with a widow and the service is so good that many times she knows the name of the widow before we tell her. Floyd has a great assistant also. He has a No. 1 wife, very well qualified for the job, and not many like her in the world.

Grandma was telling at Grange recently about a neighbor's three year old son who was struggling with a button on his long underwear. Finally he gave up, went to his mother and said 'Mommy, open my bath room door please.' He is the same boy who said that 'chocolate tastes just the opposite from vanilla.'

This is the masterpiece of the week by Jim Luke:
A swarthy vaquero, Enrique,
Not very much English could
spique,
But the music he played
On his guitarra made
The hearts of the gringas feel
wique.

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Estacada Grade School
Bus Loading Addition

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by Howard C. Sanders, Clerk Estacada School Dist. No. 108, Clackamas County, Oregon until 4:00 P. M. Feb. 17, 1959, for General Contract, including Electrical & Mechanical Work for Bus Loading Addition to the Estacada Grade School, School District No. 108, Clackamas County, Oregon.

Bids will be opened at the above time and place and read aloud. Bids received after the time fixed for opening cannot be considered. Bidders and others properly interested are invited to be present at the bid opening. Specifications, including bid and contract documents and drawings, may be examined at the of-

fice of the Architects, Shell and Hoyt, 4444 S. W. Corbett Avenue and at the office of the Superintendent of the School, and may be obtained at the Architect's office by prime contractors upon deposit of \$10.00 for each set.

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The right is reserved to reject any or all bids and to waive all informalities.

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Howard C. Sanders, Clerk
Estacada School Dist. No. 108,

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