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**MEYER OFFERS WATER  
FOR FIRE PROTECTION**  
There is considerable talk going the rounds relative to the need of better fire protection in Cascade Locks, now that building is becoming increasingly active.

A. W. Meyer, principal owner of the Independent Water company, has volunteered to furnish water without cost in event of fire if property owners and business men will furnish fire hydrants.

The forestry service has a truck at the Herman creek ranger station which would be available. It carries a 2-inch hose. Mr. Meyer is of the opinion that 2-inch fire hydrants should be installed in order to permit cooperation between the forestry service fire truck and the town.

Mains of the Independent Water company have been laid for a considerable distance along the highway. Mr. Meyer says they could be extended up the street to the Odd Fellows hall, or beyond that point if property owners desired the fire protection.

It is estimated that the hydrants could be purchased for \$5 each. Any desired number could be installed.

**DATA BEING PREPARED  
FOR HEARING ON LOCKS**

A group of five men, named by the Inland Empire Waterways association, is now busily engaged in compiling data to be laid before the United States engineers at the hearing to be held on deep sea locks.

The hearing will be held at The Dalles the latter part of May, or early in June. A mass meeting was held during the week for the purpose of raising funds with which to carry on the task of assembling material to be used in proving to the federal government that deep sea locks are a necessity at the Bonneville dam.

W. S. Nelson, manager of The Dalles chamber of commerce, is directing the preparation of the evidence to be presented by the upper river towns. He is being assisted by Herbert G. West, Walla Walla; Edward M. Cousin, Portland rate expert; Orris Doorman, of the North Pacific Grain Growers, Spokane; and Dean Schoenfeld, of the Oregon State college.

**ERICKSON TO BE HOST AT  
SATURDAY NIGHT PARTY**

Erick Erickson is preparing to throw a birthday party at his Rapids club Saturday night that will be the talk of the town. He has broadcast an invitation for everyone to come and bring some one.

The tables have been rearranged to make additional floor space in the restaurant, and he says that if the weather is pleasant he will put tables out on the front porch where guests may sit and sip their beer a la French and watch the cars go by.

Beginning at 8 o'clock he will open a couple of kegs of beer and from then on until the two kegs are exhausted the drinks will be on him. He has arranged for an orchestra and promises plenty of music, lights and laughter.

How old will he be? We don't know. Guessing his age will probably be part of the evening's entertainment.

**SKAMANIA COUNTY PLANS  
TO EXPLORE RESOURCES**

A crew of paid men, working under the direction of trained mineralogists and geologists, are about to begin an exhaustive survey of the mineral resources of Skamania county, Wash., across the river from Cascade Locks.

Individuals possessing samples of mineral and clay deposits have been invited to submit them to the Stevenson chamber of commerce for the purpose of permitting analyses to be made of them.

The survey is being paid for out of funds provided by the Washington state legislature, and has been undertaken with a view in determining just what resources are adjacent to the cheap power which will be created at Bonneville dam. The opinion prevails in Stevenson that minerals and clays may be discovered which will lead to the development of large and important industries in Skamania county.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Sprague were hosts last Friday at a dinner party, honoring Miss Wilma Eddy, Miss Averill Stewart, Miss Mona Burt and Mr. and Mrs. Nasshahn.

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5:00 A. M.	9:00 A. M.
<i>Leaves Cascade Locks—</i>	<i>—Arrives Portland</i>
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