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**THE LOCAL FIELD**

Miss Ada Whitehead, of Turner, is visiting in town.

Mrs. W. E. Thomas and Louie were in Salem yesterday.

Dr. Wilbur N. Pintler, dentist, will be in his office in Stayton the 16th to 31st of each month.

Mrs. Lucy Kearns was a caller Thursday, ordering THE MAIL sent to her son Jos, at Baker City.

M. S. Titus, of Kingston, claims credit for finding the first wild strawberries—three weeks since.

Sestak & Stowell have added a bone cutter to their market and now have ground bone for poultry for sale.

H. J. Mutchler badly sprained one of his ankles the first of the week while playing ball, and has since been going about on crutches.

The frame work for the hotel addition is up, and presents a fine appearance. Landlord Leslie will have an up-to-date hotel building when his plans are completed.

W. H. Henline left yesterday for the Soldier's Home at Roseburg. He was accompanied by Master Wm. Wallace Smith, who goes for a visit with his grandparents, Commandant Elder and wife.

O. V. Myers was down town Wednesday for the first time in about three months. He is convalescing from a long, hard, serious illness, and his many friends are glad to see him about again.

Misses Bessie and Frank Alexander visited last week from Friday to Sunday at the Luthy home near Macleay and attended the Victor Point band concert Friday night. They very much enjoyed the visit.

Supervisor Lambert has done considerable work on the Mehama road lately, being ably assisted by the residents along the road and some from Fern Ridge. The large trees and stumps have been removed and the road placed in better condition than ever before.

The passage last night by the council of the ordinance prohibiting the use of bells on cattle running on the streets of the town will be appreciated by a large part of our townspeople. We have heard considerable complaint lately in this regard, and many have been in favor of shutting the cattle off the streets entirely rather than have to suffer from the bell nuisance. The action of the council will prevent this by doing away with the bells and the aged, the sick and infirm, and those of sedentary occupations will not be obliged to suffer. Cow bells are intended for use in the woods, and Stayton is no longer a back-woods town.

**A Dinner Invitation.**

After a hearty meal a dose of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will prevent an attack of indigestion. Kodol is a thorough digestant and a guaranteed cure for indigestion, dyspepsia, gas on the stomach, sour risings, bad breath and all stomach troubles. N. Watkins, Lesbus, Ky, says: "I can testify to the efficacy of Kodol in the cure of stomach trouble. I was afflicted for fifteen years and have taken six bottles of your Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, which entirely cured me. The six bottles were worth \$1,000 to me." Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will digest any quantity of all the wholesome food you want to eat while your stomach takes a rest—recuperates and grows strong. This wonderful preparation is justly entitled to all of its many remarkable cures. Sold by Brewer Drug Co.

**Don't Forget**

THE

**W. O. W. PICNIC**

**Stayton, Saturday, May 13th**

Speaker.....Hon. W. C. Hawley  
 Officer of the Day.....Adam Burns  
 Marshal.....W. H. Downing  
 Music furnished by three bands—Victor Point, Sublimity, and Stayton W. O. W. Band.

Parade forming at opera house will march to Second street, thence south to Water street and east to Third, thence north to Marion st., thence east to Masonic Park.

**Plenty of Amusements for Old and Young. Come!**

**Bought the Building.**

Last week while W. F. Klecker was in Woodburn he purchased from the Mehan estate for the firm of Kerber & Klecker the store building occupied by G. D. Trotter, and they expect to have full possession about Sept. 1st.

This firm has expanded considerably since entering the mercantile business in Stayton, first enlarging the small Balsley stock, next filling the room vacated by E. Roy, and now seeking larger quarters. They are enterprising, wide-awake and accommodating young business men, and their many friends are glad to see them prosper.

**Bids Wanted!**

Sealed bids will be received by School Dist. No. 77 for 25 tiers of good fir wood, 20 inches in length, made from trees not less than 1 1/2 feet in diameter—trees not over three feet preferred. Said wood to be delivered and corded in shed at school house by Sept. 1st, 1905. Bids will be opened May 15th, at 7 p. m. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

E. SHEPHERD, Chairman.

**Circus Excursion.**

The C. & E. R. R. will run a special train to Albany on next Tuesday, May 9th, on account of Norris & Rowe's big circus. Train will leave Kingston about 9 o'clock, arriving in Albany in ample time for the monster parade. Returning will leave Albany at five o'clock p. m. Stayton people will thus be at home in good season for supper. Fare for the round trip only 75 cents.

GRIFF KING, Agent.

Get your shoes repaired by Lancefield, at Smith's shoe store.

**Council Proceedings.**

The council met in regular session with Mayor Rock in the chair; Councilmen Kerber, Caldwell and Thomas and Recorder Shreve present.

A petition accompanied by an ordinance to prohibit the use of bells on cattle was presented. The ordinance was advanced to third reading and passed.

Petitions for liquor license for six months were presented by M. J. Spaniol and Jos. Mielke, and license granted.

Bills were allowed as follows: Fred Rock Mercantile Co., hdwr, \$18.70; Warren Richardson \$4.00; Electric Light Co., lights for April, \$16.15.

In view of the probable location of the new woolen mill near the east end of Florence street, it was ordered that steps be taken to extend and improve said street to and beyond the water ditch.

**Notice of Appointment of Administratrix.**

Notice is hereby given that on the 16th day of March, 1905, the County Court of Marion county, Oregon, duly appointed Jennie N. Weaver, of Stayton, Oregon, administratrix of the estate of Isaac Weaver, deceased, and having duly qualified as required by law, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them with proper vouchers, as by law required, at the residence of the undersigned administratrix near Stayton, Oregon, or at the law office of Turner & Inman, at Salem, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: April 7, 1905. JENNIE N. WEAVER, ADMINISTRATRIX. TURNER & INMAN, Attorneys. 915

**Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878—Notice for Publication.**

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, December 19, 1904. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public and states by act of August 4, 1892, Robert Osborn, of Portland county of Multnomah State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 6566 for the purchase of the N 1/2 of SE 1/4 and N 1/2 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 8, in township No. 8 south, range 3 east, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 23d day of May, 1905. He names as witnesses: James Miller, C. W. Meade, Wm. St. Thomas and C. H. Osborn, all of Portland, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 23d day of May, 1905. ALGERNON S. DRESSER, Register.

**A Destructive Flice.**  
 To draw the fire out of a burn, or heal a cut without a scar, use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A specific for piles. Get the genuine. J. L. Tucker, editor of the Harmonizer, Centre, Ala, writes: "I have used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve in my family for piles, cuts and burns. It is the best salve on the market. Every family should keep it on hand." Sold by Brewer Drug Co.

**Excursion Rates to Yaquina Bay**  
 On June 1st the Southern Pacific Co. will resume sale of excursion tickets to Newport and Yaquina Bay. Both season and Saturday-to-Monday tickets will be sold. This popular resort is growing in favor each year, hotel rates are reasonable and the opportunities for fishing, hunting and sea bathing are unexcelled by any other resort on the Pacific Coast.

**Champion Liniment for Rheumatism.**  
 Chas. Drake, a mail carrier at Chapinville, Conn., says: "Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the champion of all liniments. The past year I was troubled a great deal with rheumatism in my shoulder. After trying several cures the storekeeper here recommended this remedy and it completely cured me." There is no use of anyone suffering from that painful ailment when this liniment can be obtained for a small sum. One application gives prompt relief and its continued use for a short time will produce a permanent cure. For sale by Brewer Drug Co.

**STAYTON, OREGON**

Is located on the Santiam river, in the foothills of the Cascade range, and in the far-famed Willamette valley. It is 18 miles southeast of Salem, the state capital. The town proper has a population of about 700, though as only about half live within the incorporation, the 1900 census gives the place only 324. It has good school and church buildings, good business buildings and many handsome residences. The soil is rich, the water the best and as soft as rainwater. The climate is fine, and there are excellent openings for all.

Stayton now has two flour mills, saw mill, planing mill, sash and door factory, chair factory, carding and knitting mill, electric light plant, water works, city hall, fire engine and company, four general stores, one drug store, two grocery stores, two hardware stores, jewelry store, shoe store, furniture store, millinery store, meat market, livery stable, feed stable, barber shop, tailor shop, harness shop, cabinet shop, paint shop, two blacksmith shops, wagon shop, newspaper and job printing office, bank, A. F. & A. M. and I. O. O. F. lodges, several insurance organizations Methodist, Baptist, Christian, and Catholic churches, four-room public school, opera house, hotel, three saloons, photograph gallery, three physicians, dentist, veterinary, attorney, undertaker and embalmer, cheese factory, etc.

The town has one of the best water powers in the state, on which any number of factories may be located. There is good prospect for a woolen mill to be built during the summer. Stayton would be a first-class location for a starch factory, an excelsior factory, or any kind of a wood working plant. There is plenty of balsam, maple, and fir timber for any amount of manufacturing. There is a fine farming and stock raising country about town, and farms for sale can be bought at fair price.

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You will need a new carriage for the baby. Don't buy until you examine our line.

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**See our line of Fence Wire**

We handle as good wire as can be bought anywhere, and have marked the price at a very low figure.

**M. STREFF & CO.,**  
 Stayton, Oregon.

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Has no equal. One price all over the United States. You buy them just as cheap in Stayton as in New York City or any other place. We have them in four different styles and prices.

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**Gentlemen**

In buying your furnishing goods don't fail to call at our store and see the bargains we are offering in this line.

**Pants, Overalls, Jumpers, Shirts,**  
 Hats, Gloves, Etc.  
 Good Goods at Low Prices.

We have Tan Shoes for men and women, Turned Shoes for men, Guthman, Carpenter & Tilling Shoes for men and boys. All late styles.  
 See our New Line of Shoes for Girls.

**ALVA SMITH, Stayton, Ore.**

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And inspect the stock I have put in my new buildings lately erected.

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