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## C. A. BEAUCHAMP MOVES DRUG STORE

### MANY RESPOND TO A HURRY UP CALL

Owner Of Building Advances Rent—Stayton On Verge Of Great Boom

C. A. Beauchamp moved his Drug Stock very suddenly last Friday. Thursday was the first of May and his lease on the G. D. Trotter building at the corner of Third and Ida Streets had expired. Mr. Trotter according to Mr. Beauchamp, demanded a hundred and fifty dollars rent for his building for the month of May. Mr. Beauchamp's fine new building at the corner of Third and High streets was not yet done. It looked like pay the one hundred fifty or move into the street.

Mr. Beauchamp tried to temporize. He tendered Mr. Trotter sixty dollars in gold, of the vintage of 1911. No go. Move or pay the one hundred fifty, so he MOVED.

A small army of men tendered their services and in a few short hours a Drug Stock worth thousands of dollars was transferred from one building to another. Part of the stock is in the Stayton Hotel sample room and part is in Mr. Ringo's ware room.

Mr. Beauchamp is still handling the prescription department and can be found in the building, second door north of the Bon Ton Restaurant.

In the meantime his new building is being rushed, and before many weeks roll around he will be found in one of the best lighted and finest rooms for the drug trade to be found in the state of Oregon.

## STAYTON HIRES PRINCIPAL

Professor W. C. Gauntt, who has been principal of the Gervais public schools for the past two years, has accepted the principalship of the schools at Stayton, Oregon, for next year.

We are sure we are voicing the sentiments of the majority of the patrons of this district and the citizens of Gervais when we say we are sorry to have him leave. Mr. Gauntt has given splendid satisfaction, and has the confidence and good will of both pupils and parents—a condition so essential for progress in school work.

Our school board made the best inducements possible to get Mr. Gauntt to remain with us, but owing to the fact that Stayton is a larger town and has a larger school, and can pay a larger salary, he accepted their offer.

We congratulate the school board and also the citizens of Stayton in getting people like Mr. and Mrs. Gauntt to become residents of their town.—Gervais Star.

## STAYTON CITIZENS VISIT SILVERTON'S COM. CLUB

Upon an invitation of the Silverton Commercial club, a number of Stayton's citizens autoed to the former city last Friday night. They report a very pleasant time and hospitable entertainment by the people of Silverton.

The main subject of the evening was transportation, and it seems to be a possibility that the Clackamas Southern may extend their lines south through Sublimity and Stayton. Sublimity is working hard for this and had several representatives at the Silverton conference.

Those from Stayton were: Geo. Keech, J. W. Mayo, S. H. Heltzel, Geo. Spaniol and J. T. Kearns. Frank Lesley and Chas. Lampman drove the cars.

S. T. Darby who has been quite sick for over a week is improving.

## CITY COUNCIL HAS A PROLONGED SESSION

### TOWN AUTHORITIES ARE NEAR CLASHING POINT

Spirited Meeting Is Held Tuesday Night In Regular Session At The City Hall

The city council met in regular session Tuesday evening with the mayor and all the members present. Although councilman Blakely was at work at Holden, which is some distance beyond Portland, he was public spirited enough to pay his fare home to attend this very interesting council meeting.

After the regular business of reading the minutes, auditing bills etc., had been finished, an ordinance was introduced declaring Third Street to be a city street to the north edge of the city limits, so probably a new walk will soon be built to the cemetery. Also walks were ordered put down on West Ida Street.

A resolution was introduced supported by certified petition signed by Geo. Davie declaring F. H. Downs to be a "common drunkard." The resolution was passed and Downs was ordered to be put on the "black list."

A petition was read from the property owners of West Water Street asking the council to reject the bids on street improvements to be done on that street on account of certain alleged irregularities in survey etc. The council after some deliberation rejected the petition as the time limit for such had passed, and ordered the mayor and recorder to accept a bid and enter into a contract for such improvement.

A remonstrance was then read by the recorder purporting to set forth many reasons why the advertised paving district should not be paved and signed by 29 alleged property owners on the district. As it seemed to be rather hard to settle the question of exactly who is a property owner, it was decided to get a "list of property owners" either from the county recorder or some abstract company. Accordingly the mayor was instructed to do so if the cost did not exceed thirty-five dollars.

The granting of liquor licenses next took up the time of the council, the first being that of Bailey & Berg for an extension of three months. Upon calling the roll councilmen Murphy and Roy voted against, and councilmen Blakely and Spaniol voted for the extension. It being up to the mayor to cast the deciding vote, he voted Yes, and Bailey and Berg's license was extended three months more.

The next question was the application of Jones and Cornish for a liquor license on Third Street. After some discussion, councilmen Murphy made a motion to table the application for future consideration. The motion was sustained, and a special meeting probably the last of this week will decide the fate of the Jones and Cornish application. Councilmen Murphy's reason for putting off this question was that it is alleged that F. I. Jones has been selling liquor on Sunday and that a trial to determine the truth of this has been set for Friday May 9th.

## PHOTOGRAPHER MOVES TO THE "HUB CITY"

John F. Lau, our popular photographer, and his accomplished wife moved their "Lares and Penates" to the city of Albany last Friday.

While all Stayton will regret that Mr. and Mrs. Lau have made their home in another place, we can assure the people of the Hub City that they are to be congratulated.

Mr. Lau is not only a photographer of high rank but a good musician and the musical circles of Albany will no doubt welcome him in their midst.

Mrs. Lau will be greatly missed in Stayton's social realm, especially in the Eldeen Club, of which she was an active member.

## NEW FISH DISTRIBUTING CAR

The new fish-distributing car, "Rain-bow" has been built at a cost of \$7,000. This car is specially equipped with a large number of cans and an air-pump and necessary apparatus so that trout fry can be taken from the hatcheries and delivered in any part of the State where the railroad runs. From these railroad points the sportsmen are to take the fish in wagons, automobiles or other conveyances to the streams to be stocked.

The various railroads in the State have offered free transportation for the fish-distributing car, which is a considerable saving to the game protection fund. Mr. T. J. Craig, who has fish distribution in charge, will begin taking out trout from Central Hatchery at Bonneville, the latter part of next month. Applications for trout or game birds should be made immediately through the sportsmen's organization in each community.

## NEW BUTTER LAW GOES INTO EFFECT

The statutes regulating the manufacture and sale of butter provide for the branding of creamery butter, but not for the branding of dairy butter except that each roll or square must be plainly marked 16 ounces full weight or 32 ounces full weight. We find some dairy butter not so marked and we also find some that is short weight.

We would be glad to hold the manufacturer responsible for the misbranding and also for the short weight, but in the absence of any name and address on the butter so as to positively identify the manufacturer we cannot do so.

The following ruling is therefore made: All dairy butter offered or exposed for sale will be considered misbranded if it does not have plainly marked on each roll or square the words, "Dairy Butter," "16 ounces full weight," or "32 ounces full weight," and the name and address of the manufacturer. Any person offering or exposing for sale dairy butter not branded in compliance with this ruling will be prosecuted under the statutes providing for the branding of food products.

Signed,  
J. D. Mickie,  
Oregon Dairy and Food Commissioner.

## STAYTON BAND HAS BEEN REORGANIZED

The Stayton Band has been reorganized and a new leader elected to fill the vacancy caused by J. F. Lau moving to Albany.

Jos. Klecker has the position of manager and leader of the local band organization and will no doubt fill the place satisfactorily.

The boys have already signed up five new members, bringing the total up to nineteen.

Their main efforts this season will be to break in the new recruits and collect enough coin to enable them to get new uniforms. We wish them all possible success in their undertaking.

## OLD PIONEER HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Lewis Stout, and old pioneer of '52 and a resident of Mehama, Oregon celebrated his 84th birthday on May 3.

An elaborate dinner was served to thirty-two. Those present were: Mrs. Lewis Stout, Rev. and Mrs. Sparks, Geo. E. Mulkey, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. P. Mulkey and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mulkey and family, Luther Stout and wife, of Mehama; Mrs. B. Irving and three children of Corvallis, Mrs. Fred Horner and children of Mill City, Mrs. R. L. Stout and baby of Portland and Miss Anna Stout of Salem.

Mr. Stout received many remembrances of the occasion. He is hale and hearty for a man of his age and his family and friends expect to celebrate many more birthdays with him ere he passes to the Great Beyond.

## BALL TEAM GETS IN THE .500 CLASS

### STAYTON WINS A HARD FOUGHT GAME SUNDAY

Silverton And Stayton Mix In a Game To The Tune Of Four To Five

Silverton arrived according to schedule last Sunday, and the day was an ideal one for base ball. The crowd was fair but not as large as the day warranted.

Reversing the usual procedure Stayton took a lone score in the last half of the first. Silverton was shut out until the fourth when they slid one in on home base.

In the seventh inning the visitors tied the score 4 to 4, and from that time it was anybody's game until the last half of the ninth, when Cole brought in the winning run with a nice bingle down to first base.

With the exception of few plays which we have tried to illustrate below, the boys played ball all the time.



The Way Some Of Them Looked

### SCORE BY INNING

Silverton..... 0 0 0 1 0 1 2 0 0-4  
Stayton..... 1 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 1-5

### SUMMARY

Two base hits—Humphrey, Goodman. Bases on balls—off Cole 1, off Jensen 1. Struck out—by Cole 11, by Jensen 3. Time of game 1:50. Umpire—Craibtree. Batteries—Stayton, Cole and Burton; Silverton: Jensen and Kundert.

## BACK TO SIMPLE LIFE

Clyde Hill, who has been employed at the Shafer pool rooms for several years has resigned and is now in Stayton, the home of his folks and Mr. Hill's stamp-ground in his kidhood says the Capital City Journal.

Before leaving Salem, Clyde sent word along to his folks to place an extra board in the table, grease up the business end of the extra dining chair and prepare to accommodate a very hungry and healthy individual who was perfectly familiar with the good things mother makes. Before leaving, Clyde says the family has been feeding the house cat out of his plate for about ten years, and his last request was dispatched from here directing father and mother to put the cat on more simple service and place his plate back in the old accustomed spot.

Mr. Hill says he has played in great luck, as his father usually raised a large garden but this year decided to plant the truck space in oats and he is under the impression it is not quite necessary to hoe oats or split one's knees looking for potato bugs.

## UNION MEAT PLANT IS GOVERNMENT INSPECTED

Twelve young women, senior students in the domestic science department of the O. A. C. made a tour of inspection of the Union Meat Company's plant at North Portland last Friday.

This tour was made in order for the young women to familiarize themselves with modern and up-to-date refrigeration, manufacture of by-products etc., and the Union Meat Company's plant was chosen as not only turning out the highest class product on the Coast, but looking after the comfort and welfare of its employees.

While the process from beginning to end proved a source of unbounded interest to the young domestic scientists, who fired volleys of questions at the guides, it was evident that the system of Government inspection made the most indelible impression upon them.

When they, upon inquiry, learned that fully 10 per cent of all Oregon West Coast hogs inspected, were found to be tubercular, they registered a view that hereafter they would at all times demand meat that had passed through Government inspection.



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