

## WESLEY GENTRY PASSES TO GREAT BEYOND

Thomas Wesley Gentry died at his home near West Stayton Monday Feb., 26, after a lingering illness.

Mr. Gentry was born in Norway county Mo., January 25, 1856, and came to Oregon with his mother and two brothers in 1866 and resided here the remainder of his life. He was married in 1882 to Lottie E. Robbins, to this union 4 children were born, but the daughter, Mrs. Ester D. Brewer is the only one now living, she resides on the home place.

Besides his wife and daughter he leaves two brothers to mourn him they are Geo. H. of Brownsville, and John L. of Marion.

Dr. A. C. Eaton preached the funeral at the home Wednesday at 11 o'clock. The Odd Fellows of Aumsville and Stayton had charge of the funeral services at the grave. He was laid to rest in the Odd Fellows cemetery at Stayton. Ringo Undertaking Co. had charge of the funeral arrangements.

## THOMAS IORNS PASSES AWAY

Thomas Iorns died Friday morning February 23d 1917 after an illness of a few months.

Mr. Iorns was born in Dedington England, March 4th 1846, came to Iowa in 1865 and remained 2 years, moving to Arkansas in 1868 after remaining there for five years he came to Oregon residing in and near Salem until 1875 he bought a ranch in Linn county and resided there for a number of years. For the last few years he has been spending the winters in California. He was married in 1877 to Mrs. Rebecca Mitchell, three children were born to this union all of whom are still living; they are Mrs. R. E. Thomas of Roseburg, T. B. Iorns of Tacoma, Wash., and John Iorns of Glazier, Wash. He also leaves one brother, Benjamin of Stayton and a sister, Mrs. Lawrence of Seattle, Wash. His wife died several years ago.

The funeral was held at 11 o'clock last Saturday in Salem, interment was in Odd Fellows cemetery at that place. The Ringo Undertaking Co., had charge of the funeral.

## FINE PROGRAM

The program carried out at the High School Auditorium, Friday afternoon was a very entertaining one, and was highly enjoyed by a number of visitors. It follows:

Overture "Lustspiel" Orchestra  
Song "Star Spangled Banner" Assembly  
Flag Salute Assembly  
Reading "Recessional"

Beryl McLaughlin  
Song 7th and 8th grade  
Exercise 1st and 2nd grade  
Song 3rd and 4th grade  
Recitation Hilda Trask  
Recitation "Off with Your Hat as the flag goes By" A. D. Gardner  
Overture: "National Airs", Orchestra

An interesting feature was the recitation which was nicely delivered by Miss Hilda Trask. It was composed by Mrs. M. J. Follis, grandmother of the little miss.

## REBEKAHS AND ODD FELLOWS

Are requested to be present at the Odd Fellow hall at 8:30 Monday evening to attend a reception given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Taylor.

The wood shed belonging to Geo. Queener of Jordan valley was crushed under the weight of the snow.

## School Notes

On Tuesday evening, Feb. 21, the negative side of the Sophomore class entertained the affirmative or winning team, at the home of Chas. Gehlen. After a pleasant evening, light refreshments were served to the guests. Miss Margaret Schaefer, captain of the negative side, was chairman of the evening entertainment.

The teachers and students who had spent much time in preparation for the Washington-Lincoln program, were fully rewarded for their efforts by a large and appreciative audience of parents and citizens.

Lewis Kearns and the Misses Marguerite Ryan, Maude Eskew and Margaret Schaefer attended the Western Oregon Christian Endeavor Convention in Salem last Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

The Business English Class has been working the past week on a pamphlet setting forth the good points of Stayton. Some of the booklets in artistic style and arrangements are almost work of art.

Stanley Forrest has been absent from the H. S. for several days on account of illness.

Ralph Tate has returned to school.

Several of the grades spent part of the day Tuesday in studying the life and works of Longfellow. That day being Longfellow's birthday.

There were 20 pupils in Miss Crabtree's room neither absent nor tardy for the past month, 22 in Miss Marshall's 12 in Miss Hollister's, 9 in Mrs. Pratt's.

Mrs. Young and her daughter Vida, who is a student of the O. A. C., visited the seventh and eighth grade Friday afternoon for a short period.

Olive and Edith Cavin are back in school after several weeks absence.

Those receiving 100% in the last spelling contest were Alma Fulton of the fifth grade, Mary Tate of the sixth grade, Paul Stayton, Greta Ruble and Alice Klecker of the forth grade. Many others received above 90%.

The forth grade studied "The Return to the Farm" from planting by Trogon.

Frank Clow is absent from fifth grade.

## ROY-TAYLOR

C. E. Taylor and Miss Eliza Roy were married Monday by Rev. Avison pastor of the First M. E. church of Salem.

Mr. Taylor is a popular business man of Stayton and his bride was raised here, being the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Roy. She is a very popular young lady and the Mail joins the entire community in wishing them a happy journey through life.

Many joys to this young couple  
Who are starting out in life  
That have joined their hearts together

As a loving man and wife,  
May they glide through life so smoothly.

As not to cause a wave  
And enjoy continuous courtship  
From the altar to the grave.

## For Biliousness

Constipation, gas on the stomach and headache use Rexall Liver Salts 50c and \$1.00 bottles at Beauchamp's Drug Store.

There is two first class chimney sweeps in town located at the Commercial Hotel.

M. Ford of Sheridan, Ore. is in Stayton looking over our country. He is an old time friend of Mr. Lilly.

Born—Feb. 17 to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sandner of Linn county, a boy. All are doing well Dr. Beauchamp reports.

# News From All Over The City

## Possibly About You or Your Friends

Peter Feidler of Mt. Pleasant was trading in Stayton Monday.

Hugh Kuenzli of Marion, was trading in Stayton Monday.

Archie Kinsey was trading with our merchants Tuesday.

W. Richardson was a Salem visitor Tuesday.

T. J. Smith of Salem, spent Saturday in Stayton.

Bible Study at Dr. Eaton's residence Wednesday evenings.

Mrs. W. A. Elder of Mill City was visiting in town Tuesday.

Mrs. M. J. Crabtree and baby were Salem visitors last week.

Mrs. H. Lilly went to Portland Wednesday morning.

Chas. Loose of West Stayton was a Stayton visitor Wednesday.

G. C. Ecksman spent Sunday with friends in Turner.

Johh Mack of North Santiam was trading in Stayton Tuesday.

Titus and Baker report the sale of a Ford to J. E. Braun.

John Gieherer of Fern Ridge was trading in Stayton Tuesday.

Phillip Pietrock of Mt. Pleasant, was transacting business in Stayton Monday.

Mr. and Miss Dively of West Stayton were trading in Stayton Monday.

C. F. Scofield of Marion, was a business visitor in Stayton Monday.

Nick Zimmerman and family of Sublimity, were Stayton visitors Monday.

John Steinberger and wife of Union Hill, were Stayton visitors Tuesday.

J. T. Follis and wife of Linn county, were trading in Stayton Tuesday.

Geo. Etzel of Fern Ridge, was transacting business in our city Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe Sherman and children of Shaw, visited at the Fisher home Tuesday.

Frank Seigmund and Mr. Schroeder of Fern Ridge, were Stayton visitors Tuesday.

## Free Sample

Foley's Cough Syrup at Sloper's Drug Store.

There will be a show at the Star theatre every Wednesday night.

The snow was so heavy at Jordan that Mr. Woodard's barn fell down under its weight.

If you want pure, sanitary milk or cream call  
Brewer's Dairy.

The "Ne'er Do Well" will be at the Star March 17, nine reels don't miss it, 15 and 25 cents.

## Plenty of Blue Vitrol

And Formaldehyde on hand at Beauchamp's Drug Store.

J. B. Grier executor of the G. W. Powell estate sold 6 acres to Horace Mack.

J. E. Kinsey of Silver Creek Falls was a Stayton caller Tuesday.

Geo. Brock of Aumsville was a business visitor in Stayton Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Edick of Linn county was trading in Stayton Wednesday.

Miss Vida Young spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Young.

Nick Streff and family left for Iowa this morning. He expects to make his home there in the future.

L. A. Thomas, Stayton's Produce man, shipped a load of hogs to Portland last Thursday, for which he received \$2300.

Harry Chrisman, wife and daughter Lucile of Linn county, were business visitors in Stayton Monday.

A large number of friends of G. C. Eisenhart came down from Silverton to attend the funeral Sunday.

R. E. Thomas and wife of Roseburg returned to their home Tuesday after attending Mrs. T's fathers funeral.

Dr. Brewer reports the birth of a 12 pound boy to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barrows eight miles northeast of Stayton, February 27.

Joe Zimmerman of Mehama, visited at the Van Handel home Tuesday and Wednesday, while he was having some dental work done.

## San Tox Aromatic

Digestive tablets for gas on the stomach indigestion etc. guaranteed to give prompt relief. Sloper's Drug Store.

Kelly Bros., Dee and Roy were down from Coon Hollow, Tuesday after some repairs for their saw mill. The boys will start sawing soon and expect to run all summer.

The following Stayton young people attended the Christian Endeavor convention at Salem last week: Wilma Ware, Maude Eskew, Nora Crabtree, Lewis Kearns, Paul Kirsch, Mrs. Pratt, Ben Herling, Emzy Thomas, Nona Fulton, Selmer Brown, Calvin Bracken, Leo Weier, Anna Nystrom, Ralph Kelly, Lois Bracken, Margaret Schaefer and Marguerite Ryan.

The daughter of today whose mother has to wash all the dishes will have a daughter of her own some day to raise in similar idleness.—Florida Times-Union.

"Dearest, I ordered to be sent home today a most beautiful hat for only \$30. It's a perfect love!"  
"My darling, your love will be returned."—Puck.

"Xaymaca," a combination of two words signifying water and wood, from which the name Jamaica is derived, describes exactly the characteristics of the island.

"Is Jinks enjoying his automobile?"  
"I don't see how he can be. He's had it for three months, and he tells me it has never cost him a single dime."—Baltimore American.

## Cities of Refuge.

In the tumultuous days of old, when "every man's hand was against every other man and every other man's hand against him," when the principle of "due process of law" was practically unknown and private vengeance was the rule of the day, it was absolutely necessary that there should be some place to which one could fly for safety. Such were the "cities of refuge," of which there were six in Palestine. He who succeeded in reaching such asylum when pursued by his would be destroyer was safe until his right to protection was judicially decided. In all probability there were cities of refuge in other countries than Palestine.

## On Friday, Sometimes.

A member of the South Boston Yacht club took his little daughter out for a walk the other day. She asked steen million questions. Her father answered most of them, but when this one came along he was completely stuck: "Papa," asked the little girl, "when the tide falls what does it fall on?"—Exchange.

## Fastening Battery Wires.

There are two ways of doing almost everything, and this is especially true of fastening battery and coil terminal wires. One way is wrong, and the other is to twist the bare end of the wire around the terminal as the hands of the clock move and then tighten up the nut. The reason for this is because the screw thread is right handed ed; therefore the tendency of the tight end nut will be to twist the wire around the terminal tighter than it was. Should the wire be twisted the other way the nut would tend to untwist it, and it would slip under the nut and very likely get a very poor hold.—Exchange.

## Remade.

"He used to claim that he was a self made man."  
"Yes."  
"But I haven't heard him refer to that fact lately."  
"No. Since his daughters grew up they've entirely remade him. The job he did was far from satisfactory to the experts."—Detroit Free Press.

## New Materials for Spring

Beautiful as a Bright New Rainbow

Are our new spring materials. Just come in and see them, showing the seasons

## WEAVES, PATTERNS AND COLORS

### DRESS GOODS

Serges, Garberline, Wool Taffeta, Mohair, Ottoman Cloth, Checks, Plaids, Granite Cloth, Challies Wool Cashmere, Danish Poplar.

Waists and White Mid-dy's with New Spring Collars and Belts.

Double Bed Size White Bed Spreads, limited quantity, heavy weight, choice patterns.

### Muslin Underwear

Embroideries & Lace

### SILKS

Popular Stripes and Plaids, plain colors in Taffetas, Messalines, Crepe de chine China Silk, Poplins, Tub Silks, Georgette Crepe at reasonable prices.

36 inch Curtain Scrim in White, Cream and Ocro with hemstitched border.

All Kinds Linens, Cream and White, and Towels.

### Fancy Collars and New Neckwear

Latest in Umbrellas

Highest Price Paid for Produce

## Doll's Cash Store

## Heard on the Streets

How can Young's sell cheaper than other retailers can buy. Allow us to explain

When we saw everything was advancing we got a large supply, paid the cash and took the discount. That's the reason of our selling goods so near the old price.

Come and get prices and compare with Mail Order Houses

WE DELIVER EVERY MORNING AND TWICE ON SATURDAY

PHONE 1551

## YOUNG'S CASH STORE

Lumber manufacturers say that on an average 65 per cent of every tree cut is thrown away. This is certainly a deplorable waste, considering our vanishing forests.

The Chilean Indians make a drink from maize. The grain is first baked, then steeped in water for a period and then boiled and put aside to settle. Afterward it is "ined" and consumed.

Thousands of oysters perish in the sea by the attacks of a strange enemy called cliona, a kind of sponge, which burrows into and gradually destroys the shells, causing them to fall to pieces.

"Subster is a perfect husband."  
"I never heard he was so wonderful."  
"Well, every time he sees a mail box he feels in his pockets."—Buffalo Express.

The doctor told little Mary she was anemic because she was so white. A few days after she exclaimed: "Oh, mamma, come here and look at this anemic horse! He's just as white as he can be!"

The nautical mile is often incorrectly called a knot, but a knot is a measure of both distance and time. It is correct to say that a vessel makes ten knots, but to say that she makes ten knots an hour is tautology.

Gertie (before the laughing hyena's cage)—How provoking! Here we've been twenty minutes and the ridiculous hyena hasn't laughed once! Phyl-lis—Strange, and he's been eying your new hat too!—London Telegraph.

It is somewhat curious that the places of the highest and lowest humidity in the United States are both in Texas.

Metallie titanium, it has been found, will cut and mark glass, leaving an ornamental silvery streak where it has been used.

A good printer is truly a man of the highest type. He attends to his own case and makes it a rule never to be out of sorts.

According to English scientists, electricity passed through timber when freshly cut makes it more resistant against decay and fungous growth.

## STAYTON SHOE SHOP

In Rear of State Bank

Prices Same as Salem or Portland. Better Leather, Better Work, a Square Deal

I Pay Parcel Post HAND SEWED SOLES

Chas. Burrows, Prop.

Successor to Louis Messing

Picture show at the Star theatre Saturday night, Sunday afternoon matinee at 2:30 and Sunday night. Prices 5 and 10 cents, entire change of program at each performance.

T. H. Thomas of Jordan valley brought some apples to the Mail office Tuesday that had been picked off the tree Feb., 3rd, they were sound and good even if they had hung on the tree all winter.

The regular monthly business meeting and social of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian church will be held Friday evening at the residence of W. A. Weddle.

## Now is the Time

To take Rexall spring Sarsaparilla builds up your blood and makes you feel like new \$1.00 Large bottle at Beauchamp's the Quality Drug Store.