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## OUR BUSINESS HOUSES

### Articles Dealing with the Business Interests of Stayton

#### Business Men of Stayton are on a Par With the Same Class of Men in Other Localities

The subject of our article this week is the Stayton Bakery.

C. E. Cramer the owner of this business came to Stayton two years ago last October and established the bakery and to say that it has proven of great benefit to the community is putting it mildly for at the time he came here there was five stores here shipping in bread and sending about \$200 a month out of our community never to return, but with the locating of the bakery here this business and money remains in our city and all the ingredients used in the making of bread and pastry is bought here at home. In addition to supplying the home market bread is shipped daily to Sublimity and West Stayton and one shipment a week goes to Salem.

At the time the bakery was opened bread was produced in 14 ounce loaves and sold at 5 cents each but flour and everything else has practically doubled in price and it has become necessary to raise the price of bread to 7 1/2 cents a loaf but the loaf has been increased to 15 ounces making a raise equivalent to about 11-2 cent a loaf over the old price.

The oven owned by the bakery is known as a No. 1 Hubbard Double Deck with a capacity of 120 loaves an hour. Mr. Cramer is a wide-a-woke business man and alive to the interests of his patrons.

### ARCHBISHOP URGES PATRIOTIC DEVOTION

Archbishop A. Christie, head of the Catholic church in Oregon has issued the following appeal to patriotism and loyalty to the flag, addressed to clergy and laity of the Oregon Archdiocese: As at all times in the past the Catholics of this country have manifested the spirit of true patriotism in every national crisis and have upheld the honor of America by lawabiding lives in peace and by the generous effusion of their blood in war, so it is fitting that in the present trying time they should be animated by the same sentiment of patriotic devotion to our country's cause. Let there be manifested a reverence for the flag under the protection of which our altars and our homes enjoy peace and security; for the American flag is the emblem of justice and freedom. Proclaim anew the teaching of our Christian faith that he who fails in patriotic service to his country is not a loyal son of the Catholic church.

Faithfully yours in Christ,  
A. CHRISTIE,  
Archbishop of Oregon.

### SURPRISE PARTY

A number of H. S. students met last Thursday evening and marched to the home of E. Small and succeeded in surprising his son E. J. Small. The evening was spent in playing cards and games at eleven o'clock lunch was served and the young people took their departure at a late hour after a thoroughly enjoyable evening.

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### Community Sing at High School

Last Friday evening a good sized crowd was in attendance at the Parent Teachers meeting held in the high school auditorium and the program consisted principally of what is termed a community sing.

A chorus of some twelve or fifteen voices equally divided between boys and girls had been selected from the high school and been trained under the careful and painstaking leadership of Prof. Hoffer the result of his effort was witnessed by those present. He has the faculty of winning his way into the confidence and good grace of his pupils and in so doing he is able to find, bring out and develop latent talent to such an extent that pupils who before he took hold of them would not face an audience will get up and sing or do what he asks.

The entire program was well rendered and much enjoyed. It seems that the orchestra under the direction of Prof. Davis almost rose to heights sublime in rendering their pieces that evening. The closing piece in the sing which was really a tableau in which all took part in displaying the flag and singing the Star Spangled Banner was a fitting climax to a splendid evening entertainment.

Mr. E. Small and family left Monday for St. Johns Oregon where he and his son E. J. have accepted positions with the Portland Woolen Mills. Mr. Small will be boss carder in that mill. They have made friends during their sojourn in Stayton and it is with regret that they are leaving they wish to thank their friends for their friendship and hospitality.

Mrs. E. T. Matthieu visited Salem yesterday.

### District Convention of Odd Fellows

The Marion County I. O. O. F. District Convention will meet in regular session at Salem Saturday. Quite an elaborate program has been arranged for the occasion a copy of which is in this issue of the Mail. One unique feature of the convention will be the conferring of the Grand Lodge Degree upon all Past Grand officers desiring to take it. Heretofore this degree could only be received at the session of the Grand Lodge and is conferred by the Grand Master.

The convention was organized about three years ago and consists of the membership of all the I. O. O. F. lodges in Marion county. There being some fifteen lodges in the county. It meets semi-annually in various parts of the county as determined at each meeting. The convention was held in Stayton in May, 1914. Several hundred Odd Fellows attending from various parts of the county and state.

Attorney S. H. Heltzel of Stayton was president of the convention for one year during which time he was instrumental in the drafting of a constitution and by-laws for it which were unanimously adopted. He was given the chairmanship of an important committee in the Grand Lodge last year as a recognition of his work in this connection.

The Salem Lodge is expecting several hundred in attendance including the Grand officers of the state of Oregon. Hon. Henry S. Westbrook, Grand Master, will deliver an address at the evening session. He is reported as being the wit and humor of the fraternity and no doubt will leave many a smile among those attending. Stayton Lodge expects to have a substantial representation at the convention.

Marion County District Convention I. O. O. F., Salem, Oregon, Saturday April, 14.

### PROGRAM

Business Session 1:30 to 2:30 p. m.  
Address of Welcome G. L. McNary, P. G.

Response L. J. Adams, P. G.  
Silver Lodge No. 21  
Music T. L. T. C. Glee Club  
Address: "What Odd Fellowship Stands For" Geo. H. Burnett P. G. M.

Piano Duet Mrs. R. M. Simeral and Mrs. F. L. Waters  
Special Business Grand Master  
Address: "Odd Fellowship's Benefit to the Community"  
E. P. Morcom, P. G., Woodburn  
Address: "Good of the Order"  
S. H. Heltzel, Stayton lodge  
Music.

Special Session of Grand Lodge—Conferring of Grand Lodge Degrees 7:00 p. m.  
Model Lodge—By Chemeketa Lodge No. 1 8:00 p. m.  
Address: Henry S. Westbrook, Grand Master, Portland, Ore.  
Banquet 10:00 p. m.

### Chautauqua Possible.

There is a possibility that Stayton will enjoy some high-class entertainments the coming fall. Hobart McFadden and another gentlemen representing the Elison-White Chautauqua Bureau are in the city, and calling on our people with a view to completing arrangements for the affair. It is hoped that the matter meets with the encouragement of our citizens. The affair runs three days and three evenings, and the entertainments are pleasing and instructive.

### ROMAN TRAGEDY AT SUBLIMITY

Large audience greeted both performances of a Roman Tragedy given Monday afternoon and evening in the C. F. Hall at Sublimity.

The play was splendidly staged and produced by the young people in the cast, the costumes were all good and typical of the time and place the play portrayed. Each member of the cast acted their part like professionals and the large audiences were more than pleased with the entertainment furnished.

One other feature that was very pleasing to the audience was a burlesque sermon delivered between acts by Miss Trimbarger on Mother Hubbard's Cupboard. The orchestra rendered splendid music throughout the performances. A goodly sum was realized for the library.

### United Artisans Will Entertain

Next Tuesday evening the United Artisans will have an open meeting to which everybody is invited. There will be a musical program furnished largely by outside talent, several visitors from Portland will be present and the Juvenile Artisan band from Salem is also expected. At this time an effort will be made to organize a Juvenile lodge in our city.

The local lodge is re-organizing after a few years of inactivity and a campaign is now in full swing for new members and is meeting with splendid success, as five new members were initiated at the last meeting of the organization. The initiatory fees have been reduced to the examiners fee only during this campaign, as an inducement to get members into this splendid benevolent order.

The protection given is as good as can be bought and is given at a nominal cost. Those who wish to join that evening will be afforded the opportunity then as Dr. G. C. Eshelman the Supreme Medical Director of the order will be present and examine those who wish to enter. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to come out and enjoy the evening whether you contemplate joining or not.

### ATTENTION

A first class mechanic has opened a repair department in the rear room of A. C. Eatons office, repairing sewing machines typewriters, numbering machines guns and umbrellas, work first class.

### Girls National Honor Guard

As stated in last weeks paper there is a movement on foot to organize a Girls National Honor Guard in Stayton. The women and girls of this community should be only too glad of this opportunity as in addition to creating and maintaining a spirit of patriotism and duty there are many things they can and will learn that will be of inestimable benefit to them in their future life.

Article 3 of the constitution says in part: "The duties of the Guard shall be to inculcate the spirit of unity and learning to do one thing well, which shall prove of helpfulness and value both in durations of peace as well as times of war."

This is the day of specialization, the person who knows one thing and knows that well is pre-eminently above the fellow who only half knows a dozen different things.

A meeting for the purpose of organizing will be held at 3:45 Friday afternoon in the H. S. assembly room.

### NOTICE FOR SEALED BIDS

The undersigned President of the Stayton Co-operative Switchboard Ass'n., will accept sealed bids up to 11 a. m. Saturday April 14, 1917 for operating the switchboard in Stayton, Oregon for one year beginning August 1, 1917. Home and office furnished free by the Ass'n. Office hours are to be from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m. from October 1 to April 1 and 6 a. m. to 9:30 p. m. from April 1, to October 1. 15 per cent of long distance calls go to operator but operator must collect and be responsible. Right reserve to reject any or all bids. Bids to be left at Stayton State Bank in care of Henry Smith.

Henry Smith, Pres.

### Christian Church

Preaching 1st and 3rd Sunday in each month.  
Sunday school, 10. A. M.  
Preaching 11. A. M.  
Endeavor: 6:30. P. M.  
Preaching, 7:30. P. M.  
Marion F. Horn, minister.

### St. Marys Church

Services 2nd 4th and 5th Sundays at 8:30 a. m.  
Rev. Fr. Laineck, Pastor

George Roeser of Sublimity was a Stayton caller yesterday.

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