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Flag Raising Big Success Stayton People were out En Masse

The largest crowd that has assembled in Stayton for a number of years gathered last Saturday afternoon to witness the flag raising and listen to a program that was well rendered from start to finish.

The first event on the program was the big street parade in which the G. A. R., the band, speakers, school children, Red Cross, Honor Guard and citizens all participated. They formed at the high school and marched through town to the liberty pole where the remainder of the program was rendered. Two striking and appropriate features of the parade were Miss Mary Tate who looked charming as the Goddess of Liberty and Stanley A. Starr, who made an admirable Uncle Sam.

J. P. Wilbur was master of ceremonies and he performed the task to the entire satisfaction of all. Everything connected with the afternoon's entertainment moved along as smoothly as a piece of new machinery.

Rev. Lockhart offered the invocation, followed by America by the band and the audience. Mr. Hoffer led the children in a song and flag drill after which George Keech delivered a speech on patriotism that was chuck full of good first class red blooded patriotism of the kind that fired the zeal and enthusiasm of all who heard him. Miss Walton of Salem gave a patriotic reading appropriate to the occasion, that

was well received and enjoyed by the large crowd. Eight young ladies accompanied by Mrs. G. F. Korinek sang two songs to the appreciation of the audience.

Geo. C. L. Snyder, of Salem, accompanied by Mrs. J. M. Ringo favored the gathering with two songs that were much applauded.

The important event of the afternoon was when the flag was raised to the flag pole by E. Shepherd, a veteran of the Civil War. The band played the Star Spangled Banner and the large crowd all sang. Cheer after cheer rang out as Old Glory unfurled to the breeze. Roy Follis led in a salute to the flag.

Hon. Chas. Galloway delivered the address of the afternoon. He compared the two forms of government in existence, that of autocracy and democracy. His address was full of glittering gems of truth and presented in a gifted manner, which stamps him as an orator of the first caliber.

Hon. August Huckestein, of Salem made a short speech setting forth the work and needs of the Red Cross. Being one of the best posted men in Oregon along these lines he gave the gathering food for thought which is hoped will bear fruit this week.

The band played Dixie and Rev. Lockhart pronounced the benediction, thus closing one of the most impressive and glorious days in the history of Stayton.

A 1000 candle power light has

Fire Marshal Stevens Coming To Stayton

Those who are interested in fire prevention will be glad to know that Fire Marshal Stevens of the State Department and other representatives will be in Stayton on Tuesday evening.

There will be a free lecture and motion picture show at the Stayton Theatre on Tuesday evening to which all are cordially invited. It is the object of the Department to bring about some co-operation with the Stayton Fire Department.

If the citizens so desire, the Deputies of this Department will make a general inspection of the town and offer suggestions and recommendations for the removal of such fire hazards as they may find. These representatives will not compel the people to go to any expense, all they wish to do is to call their attention to this matter and it is up to them to remove the hazard.

Big Red Cross Meeting

Last Sunday evening all the churches dismissed their services and united in a great mass meeting in the interest of the Red Cross drive that is being made this week in which the people of the United States are going to raise one hundred million dollars.

One of the largest gatherings in the history of Stayton greeted the speakers of the evening and the closest attention was given to everything that was said.

C. E. Daugherty acted as chairman of the evening. Stanley A. Starr led the congregation in singing America. Rev. Horn made the opening prayer followed by a short talk by Rev. Fr.

been purchased and placed at the top of the Flag Pole where it can be seen for miles around.

Naughton, assistant pastor of St. Lukes church, of Salem. Miss Walton of Salem gave a patriotic reading after which the Hon. Frank Davey of Salem delivered one of the best addresses ever listened to on the Red Cross and its work setting forth the international character of the organization and the work of mercy it is doing.

Mr. Gingrich, secretary-manager of Marion county in a few well chosen sentences brought the attention of the audience the need for the drive now in progress and the necessity of every man woman and child doing his bit to alleviate the suffering of the boys at the front.

Civil Service Examination

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that an examination for stenographer and typewriter, Field Service, will be held in forty different cities throughout the Eleventh Civil Service District, June 30th, 1917. Both men and women will be admitted to this examination. There is an urgent need of male stenographers and typewriters.

Big Red Cross Drive Meets With Success Stayton District Will Roll Up Its Share

Tuesday evening the teams appointed for Stayton district to take part in the big Red Cross campaign now taking place all over the United States, met in the I. O. O. F. hall, where a splendid dinner was served by the Red Cross ladies. After the inner man had been satisfied, short talks were made by all present, and each and every one expressed his willingness and determination to lay aside private affairs, however pressing and devote some time each day during the campaign, to the work of securing funds. Mr. Denton, of Salem gave the workers a splendid talk and Mr. Woods of the same city spoke briefly.

The Stayton district comprises

considerable territory, and is being covered by about forty workers. The West boundary line is the railroad, North, a line east from Macleay, East, a line through Mehama, and south, the Santiam river.

Everyone,—almost, is "doing his bit" in giving to the Red Cross in this campaign. Those of us who stay at home realize the fact that we must do our part for the boys who go to the front to protect our homes and our liberty. We can only "do our bit" in this instance by opening our pocket books, and the people in this section are responding generously and will continue to do so until all have given.

When a member of the soliciting committee calls on you, meet him cheerfully and give all you can. What you give to the Red Cross will be properly and carefully used, and will do an immense amount of good. Amount raised to noon today was \$2300 with 2 districts missing.

Kodaks

And kodak supplies at Beauchamp's Drug Store. Kodak finishing neatly done, leave your films here.

Mrs. J. P. Wilbur attended the Eastern Star convention in Portland last week.

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New Baker Comes Here

Wm. Trout who has been running the bakery in Mill City for more than a year has located in our town and is making extensive improvements in the building formerly occupied by C. E. Kramer as a bakery and will be open for business about the middle of next week. We all welcome Mr. Trout and speak for him a splendid patronage. He is alive to the interests of the community and will prove a valuable addition to our city.

Wm. Ware a former resident of this place is here from Kalamath Fall. He is visiting his brother, Thos. Ware and his mother J. W. Thomas.

The Wilbur Woolen Mills secured the state contract for blankets last Saturday, this is the third year Mr. Wilbur has secured this contract.

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