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## Railroad Gets City Franchise

## Council Grants Prospective Road Right Of Way Through City

At the regular meeting of the city council held last Tuesday evening the matter of greatest importance to the people of Stayton was the railroad franchise through the town, and the mayor and entire council showed their progressiveness by voting to give the road the right of way as asked for and also granting them a power franchise for fifty years.

Mr. Lynott stated to a Mail representative just before leaving for Portland yesterday morning that he wished the press to convey both his and the company's deep appreciation and hearty thanks to the mayor, city council and the entire Stayton council for the noble way they have responded in granting these privileges.

Both Mr. Lynott and Mr. Husum were in attendance at the public meeting and assurance was given that this was indeed a railroad and that locomotive whistles would be heard from this line in Stayton in a few months. This will be a steam line at the start but to be electrified as soon as the power sites can be developed and prices on copper wire and other commodities needed for electrification get down to prices that are somewhere near reasonable.

This is the most progressive step Stayton has taken in a long time and is one that will place our town on the map giving us connections with the outside world, permitting us to exploit our natural advantages and unlimited resources to prospective

settlers and residents without the disadvantages of lack of transportation facilities. Hurrah for Stayton and its environs.

## Mother Goose Bazaar.

A number of the ladies of Stayton are arranging for a Mother Goose Bazaar to be held Saturday December 8th 1917. The object of the bazaar is to raise money to purchase yarn to be used in knitting sweaters, helmets, socks etc. for the boys who have enlisted in the service of Uncle Sam from this community and the ladies are expecting a hearty response as these things are to be sent as Christmas presents and will go direct to the Stayton boys who are serving our country as a remembrance from home folks.

You will be solicited for whatever you may wish to give to aid in the bazaar and your contribution will be greatly appreciated not only by those who are conducting the enterprise but by our boys when they receive their presents.

The committee who has charge of the affair is composed of Mrs. H. A. Beauchamp, Mrs. W. F. Follis, Mrs. Stanley A. Starr, Mrs. C. E. Daugherty and Miss Ella Williams.

## Methodist Church

Pastor W. J. Warren

Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 10 a. m. Epworth League 6:30 p. m., Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Meeting of the Sunday school board the second Monday of every month at 7:30 p. m. Official board meeting the same evening at 8 o'clock.

A full attendance is desired at the Red Cross Friday afternoon.

## Honor Guard Girls Meet Double Wedding Held In Stayton Tuesday

Last Thursday evening the Honor Guard held their first meeting of this school year at which the following officers were elected: Leader, Mrs. Marble Crabtree; Asst. Leader, Ruth Roy; Sec., Miss Marshall; Treas., Caryl Ruble; Sergeant at Arms., Cecilia Mielke.

Plans were made for work for this year and regular meetings will be held at 3:40 each Thursday afternoon in the high school auditorium.

## Electric Store

Francis X. Hoerth has fitted up a room in the Beauchamp Drug Store Building and is now carrying a complete line of electrical supplies and appliances. He has had quite a stock of fixtures for some time but has never rented a store room and made a bid for the patronage of the public, depending largely on his electrical contract work. He will continue to do all kinds of electrical work but will put these supplies on the market.

Last Friday the ladies of the Red Cross made up 25 packages to be sent to the boys "over there." Mrs. Lee Tate and Mrs. H. A. Beauchamp selected the contents of the packages that are sure to gladden some soldier boys heart at Christmas time. The packages were identically the same and besides many useful articles, candy, etc., each package contained a most delicious fruit cake, made by Wm. Trout, that even "mother" couldn't beat.

Stayton Red Cross is badly in need of wood. A stove has been donated them, is there not some one who will take some wood to their headquarters in the Merrifield building?

Not many people are aware of the fact that a double wedding took place in Stayton on Tuesday evening but nevertheless it is so, for on this date the Birthday club entertained their husbands and families at the I. O. O. F. hall. Promptly at 7 o'clock the party marched into the dining room, where an excellent repast awaited them. Dinner was served by Misses Theo Matthieu, Marian Alexander and Wava Brown.

The affair was in honor of the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Matthieu and Mr. and Mrs. Alexander, so at the conclusion of the dinner, preparations for a burlesque wedding were made. The company assembled in the lodge room and the wedding party entered to the strains of Mendelssohn's march. First came C. E. Daugherty who "performed the ceremony, then Mrs. Wilbur, as "matron of honor" followed by Mr. Wilbur, with "a blushing bride" on each arm, Messrs Alexander and Matthieu the "bridegrooms" brought up the rear. It is hard to imagine a more laughable sight than the wedding party presented, the brides with their magnificent lace curtain veils carried by Master Jack Hal and Neva Smith and the matron of honor, with her Parisian attire and the wonderful combination of feathers and flowers that adorned her head. Of course the remainder of the party wore the conventional attire. Following congratulations an impromptu program composed of readings, vocal solos and duettes, both serious and humorous was enjoyed. Later all joined in singing the good old songs we all love and then an evening long to be remembered was brought to a close.

## "The World's Great Snare"

Around the life of the Western goldminer there has ever been cast a romantic halo. This breath of romance has been breathed into the thrilling novel, "The World's Great Snare," by E. Phillips Oppenheim and has been flashed into living fire on the screen by the Famous Players Film Company in its adaptation of the celebrated novel in which beautiful Pauline Frederick is starred. It is the featured Paramount attraction at the Star Theatre Saturday.

From beginning to end, the drama is one quick succession of gripping situations in which Pauline Frederick is superb. In support of the star there appears several popular players. The picture marks the first production of John Kaufman since joining the Famous Players.

Mrs. Lee Tate, Mrs. V. A. Goode, Mrs. C. H. Brewer, Mrs. J. P. Wilbur and Mrs. Roy Hall motored to Salem Saturday in the Wilbur car, to take in the carnival of nations put on by Salem Red Cross.

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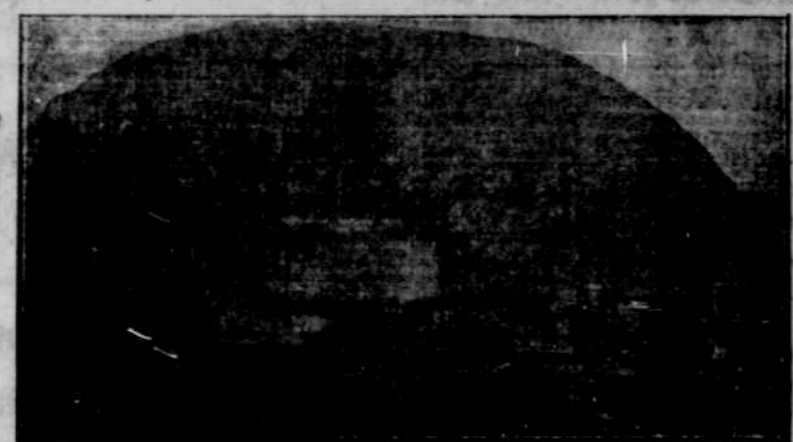
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