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More B. S. From The Turner Tribune

The Turner Tribune has the following to say in regard to the railroad project being killed in Stayton.

Asked as regards to the outlook for a railroad from Stayton, a Staytonite in Salem Wednesday informed us that there were only two or three fellows in his town who favored such a bugaboo scheme. Why sir, "all the freight that is hauled to my town from West Stayton in a week, could be moved in one wagon load with a team of good mules" he said. We are not going to bond our little city for 75,000 just to please a mill man, an editor and another fellow, he remarked. It is ever thus. The bubble had to break before a realization of cherished dreams—"nuf said—Turner Tribune.

Whoever the man was that made the remark about one mule team handling all the freight that is hauled from West Stayton to Stayton is laboring under a false delusion or he has an empty topnot. There is only half a dozen trucks that are constantly hauling freight to and from West Stayton to Stayton and the assertion made by the man who informed the Turner Tribune to the contrary knows that he made a false assertion. But he was just so full of that stuff, he had to spill it to someone who would soak it up. And when he said it he was knocking his own town.

The editor of the Mail don't give a d—m what the people think of him for wanting a railroad, for there is no moss on our backs and the grass does not grow under our feet. We are alive and the undertaker hasn't got our number just yet. We are also glad that we have a few followers. Mr. Turner Tribune, you will have to give the town of Stayton credit for having a few live men in it.

Liberty Loans and Conservation

The events of the last four years have shaken the foundation of social structures. So say the lecturers.

They are right in the main. But the final result may be increased stability.

The Liberty Loans have made bond holders of nearly everybody. So much money has been invested that industrial corporations in need of money have been compelled to issue bonds in hundred-dollar denominations. Baby bonds at six and seven per cent have been offered by automobile and packing concerns and utilities of various kinds. And small investors are grabbing all they can. Watch them line up when the new issues go on sale.

Tinkers, tailors and truck drivers are gradually becoming the mortgagees of the big corporations. Billion dollar debts are held by millions of brick layers, carpenters and plasterers. And it is perfectly safe money.

Here is the strongest bulwark against "Bolshevism." The masses will hardly want to wreck industrial enterprises of which they are themselves the creditors.

Now Germany is instructing the peace conference as to what sort of peace treaty she will sign. "Who won the War."

Remember every fly you see this time of year is a potential ancestor. If it lives until the last of August it will be the progenitor of millions. Swat it immediately, and so swat its million descendants.

Talk about keeping Lent, did you ever know anything that could do it better than an umbrella?

Living anywhere in Europe now must be about as safe and comfortable as residing near the crater of a volcano or sitting on the safety valve of one of the old Mississippi steam boats.

I will be in Stayton and vicinity soon with a full line of

Toilet Articles, **Watkin's Goods**
Spring Specialties, Etc. —WAIT FOR ME

If you can't wait send mail order to 331 N. Liberty Street, Salem

M. W. ROWLEY, The Watkins Man

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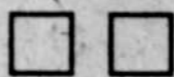
SALEM'S TIRE MAN

United States and Pennsylvania Tires
Solid Truck Tires Retreading and Repair Work

NOTE:—The best equipped repair shop this side of Portland.
Full Line of Accessories and Oils

219 N. COM'L. ST., SALEM, ORE.

for the Baby



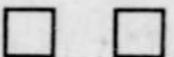
Our complete line of carriages, go-carts and sulkeys is now on our sales floor and if you want the newest and most up to date rig for "that baby" do not fail to see these new productions.

Sulkeys —\$4.35 \$7.65
10.00 13.75

Go-carts —\$8.75 \$12.50
16.75 22.50

Carriages —\$23.50 \$26.75
\$35 to \$50

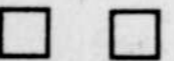
Hi chairs, Youths chairs, children's rockers, baby walkers, tricycles, wagons, doll carts, everything for the children.



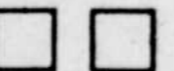
Extension tables and dining chairs just in. We are told by those looking for this class of goods, that our prices are by far the lowest in this section, and the way customers come back and buy after looking over the stock in town is good proof that prices are right.

A solid oak dining table, 42 inches at \$14.75, and a 45-inch at \$15.75 are special bargains.

Quarter oak dull wax finish, 45-inch plain top. A splendid table at \$21.85. Ask to see them.



We will tell you more about that big purchase of rugs next week.



Chambers

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467 Court Street
Salem - Oregon

Early Potatoes

Have in stock Earliest of All, Early White Rose, Early White Prizetaker, Early Ohio, Irish Cobler, Pride of Multnomah and Burbanks.

Spring Oats

Have just received a car of spring oats, including Shadeland Wonder, Shadeland Climax, Clydesdale and many others.

Spring Barley

Have a limited stock of good spring barley. Several varieties.

Clover and Grass Seeds

A complete stock of all the principal kinds used in the state.

Garden Seeds

The largest stock and best selections in the valley.

With 25 years experience in the seed business we are able to secure the best varieties for this vicinity and at the right prices.

D. A. White & Sons

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Lesley Hotel

MRS. FRANK LESLEY, PROP.

We cater to the traveling public
CLEAN ROOMS GOOD BEDS

Make this your home when in Stayton

STAYTON

OREGON

A GOOD PLACE TO TRADE

We carry a large line of dry goods, shoes, notions, gents' furnishings, hats, caps and rubber goods, etc.

OUR GROCERY DEPARTMENT

has a large line of fancy and staple groceries, canned goods, smoked meats. In fact everything you will find in a first-class Merchandise store is to be found here at prices that are right.

GEHLEN'S STORE

The STAR THEATRE

Saturday, April 12

"A Desert Wooing"

Starring Enid Bennett

Sunday, April 13

—MARY PICKFORD IN—

"Amarilly of Clothesline Alley"

Star Theatre

Royal Worcester Corsets

EVERY woman who likes to appear well dressed knows the importance of a good figure. The fashionable charm of your outer apparel depends upon the graceful pose, erect carriage of youthful lines of your figure. Keep your figure youthful by wearing Royal Worcester Corsets

In Our Complete Stock of Royal Worcester Corsets you will find the right model for your particular type and figure.

MARKET PRICE FOR PRODUCE

DOLL'S CASH STORE