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MORE STUDENTS WILL BE ENROLLED AT STAYTON HIGH SCHOOL THIS YEAR THAN LAST

According to reports there will be more students enrolled at the Stayton High this year than there were last year. Indications point to as large an enrollment as there was year before last. On account of hop picking the attendance will not be as large on the start, as a number will not register until after the hop season.

Prof. Ford informs us that students may register Saturday afternoon as well as in the morning. There will be no registration on Monday after school takes up.

Students coming in Monday for the first time may attend classes and register afterwards.

There will be no school Monday afternoon as the entire time will be taken up with the work of exchanging of old books for new ones.

Miss Beulah Ruby, graduate of the Iowa State Normal, has been engaged to teach the Primary department and Miss Helen Moore, graduate of the Willamette University, will be the instructor of English and the girls gymnasium.

The coming school year promises to be the best in the history of Stayton Hi.

The Centenary

All who have signed up towards the above will be expected to pay before conference 45 per cent on the year's pledge.

W. J. Warren, Pastor

Ike Thomas made a business trip to Salem Friday evening.

MARION COUNTY HAS 49,690 ACRES OF WHEAT THIS YEAR

According to the reports received from the County Assessor's office, this year's wheat crop is the largest in the history of the county. The 1919 crop will aggregate 100,000 bushels from 49,690 acres. With the present price for wheat the farmers will have money to burn—so to speak, this fall.

MEN AT WORK ON SALEM-TURNER ROAD

People returning from Salem Wednesday report that the county paving plant is again at work on the Salem-Turner-Stayton road, after a couple of days lay off on account of the rains. The county court says work will be kept up on this road this fall as long as weather conditions will permit. That sounds good to us Stayton people.

LIGHTNING SHAKES UP RAILROAD WORKMEN

Last Saturday while the electric storm was in progress, some of the railroad gang that is working on the new road at Lyons, was shaken up and received a few hard jolts.

The boys were sitting on the rail and when the lightning struck it followed the rail to where the boys were setting and there it stopped—just where it went from there we don't know, but the boys ate their meals standing up for a few days after.

SUBLIMITY SEES RAINBOW

The Salem Capital Journal says: "From Sublimity comes the suggestion that the right name with which to advertise Oregon products would be 'Rainbow-Touched' or just 'Rainbow-Tucht.' The suggestion is made that the name would be very appropriate as so often after showers, one sees clear, exquisite rainbows in this section of Oregon."

That must be a new brand they use over at Sublimity. We have seen stars, but we haven't discovered any rainbows yet.

HAVE OPENED DRESS-MAKING SHOP HERE

We have opened a Dressmaking shop upstairs in the Roy building, where we will do all kinds of plain and fancy sewing. Give us a trial, we will please you at prices that are right.

Mrs. O. E. Gardner
Mrs. C. A. Luthy

REPUBLICAN DRAWS TICKET TO HEAR DEMOCRAT SPEAK

J. P. Wilbur was one among the seventy from Marion county that took a chance on the lottery ticket drawing to hear President Wilson speak in Portland on the 15th of September. Mr. Wilbur's ticket is number 475.

There were only 70 tickets in the draw from Marion county and Mr. Wilbur is the only one from this section to draw a seat, that we have heard of. Mr. Wilbur is a good true republican and will go to Portland to hear what the democratic president has to say.

MORE DEEDS FILED FOR RAILROAD RIGHT OF WAY NEAR STAYTON

The following deeds to a strip of land 80 feet wide have been given to the Portland Southeastern railroad that will build thru Stayton in the near future, by the following named people: A. P. Kirsch, L. Arthur, E. D. Crabtree, E. C. Simeral, J. J. Neibert, J. B. Pegree, C. C. Wenger and Geo. Keech.

Where there is timber on the strip given, the grantors reserve the right to remove it.

The contracts call for the completion and operation of the road by the first of January, 1922.

RED CROSS WORK COMES TO AN END--STAYTON CHAPTER CONGRATULATED FOR WORK

THE ESTATE HAS BEEN APPRAISED

The estate of the late Permillia Caspell has lately been appraised by the following named appraisers: J. O. Hunt, Adam Burns and W. E. Thomas. The home place consisting of 110 acres was appraised at \$10,000. It is located in township 8 south of range 1 west.

NEW SODA FOUNTAIN FOR CONFECTIONERY

J. A. Hendershott, proprietor of the Gem Confectionery, has purchased a new soda fountain for his place of business. Mr. Hendershott has taken the old one to Mehama where he and Owen Morris will open a restaurant and pool hall in the next few days.

The business at Mehama will be in charge Mr. Morris and when everything is in shape they will have one of the coziest places for the people of that thriving town to while away a leisure hour, second to none in this section of the country.

FISHER SELLS JOURNAL

Chas. H. Fisher who has been editor of the Daily Capital Journal at Salem since 1914, has sold his interests to George Putnam, formerly editor of the Mail-Tribune.

The Journal, under the guidance of Mr. Fisher, has been one of the best dailies in the state, and it is to be hoped that he will find a desk to his liking elsewhere in Oregon and remain with the boys.

O. F. Phillips of Portland, spent a few days last week here with his old friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wilbur. Mr. Phillips has been in the post office service in Portland for the past 26 years. He is taking a three week's vacation.

The ladies of the Red Cross of Stayton have finished their work and have sent the following number of articles to Salem during their time of organization from August 28, 1917 to June 1, 1919:

Socks 1204; sweaters 228; quilts 14; fracture pillows 74
Refuge work—Children sweaters 24; children stockings 48; and one scarf.

Mrs. Tate received the following letter from Salem in recognition of her efforts in Red-Cross work:

Salem, Oregon, Aug. 22, 1919
Mrs. Lee Tate,
Supervisor Knitting Dept.
Stayton Red Cross Auxiliary.

Dear Mrs. Tate:
The Knitting Department of the Willamette Chapter desire to express, through you, to the members of the Stayton Auxiliary, their appreciation of the very excellent work done by the members.

Both by quality, and quantity, the work done has aided very materially in the out-put of the local Chapter, and assisted us greatly in being the first Department of the Chapter to be placed on the Honor Roll.

And I wish to thank you, Mrs. Tate for the hearty co-operation that have aided us in obtaining the desired results.

Very Sincerely yours,
Mrs. Russell Catlin
Supervisor Knitting Dept.
Willamette Chapter

Read our Want ad column today

EASTERN STAR WILL ORGANIZE SOCIAL AUXILIARY

The ladies of the Eastern Star met at the home of Mrs. J. P. Wilbur this afternoon for the purpose of organizing a Social Auxiliary among the members. Lodge work was discussed and refreshments were served. The afternoon was pleasantly spent.

THE LOST TRAIL

By GRACE E. HALL

I'd like to follow the beaten road that leads to a little town,
Where I dreamed my dreams by the passing streams that ran between banks of brown;
I'd like to drift back on the tides of content and stroll on a gemstarred beach,
In quest of the time when hopes were mine and joy dwelt in my reach;
When I visioned a day and a wonderful way when marvelous things should be,
When the city's noise was made of joys that thrilled in the nerves of me.

I'd like to go back to the work and the play and struggle again with the plans
That I meant should live through the strength I'd give in the labor of my hands;
I'd like to sense for a single day the urge and the grim "I will"
That forced me through when the joys were few and shadows rimmed the hill.

I'd like to go back on the beaten road that I followed away from home,
And linger a while where memories smile in my childhood's first abode;
Where I met each morn with a mood serene and a face that was free from frown,
And the birds sang loud from the gray fleece-cloud as they gaily circled down.

Oh, tell me, stranger, the road that leads to that village of yesterday!
I long to go, but alas, I know that I cannot find the way!

INDEPENDENCE AND DALLAS MEN KILL TWO BIG BUCKS

J. V. Wendel, of near Independence and A. S. Waters of Dallas, were in Stayton Tuesday evening on their way home from a few days hunting trip and visiting with friends and relatives in and around Mill City.

They report the deer plentiful in the hills back of Mill City and say they had the time of their lives for a few days. They had two large bucks which they had killed Sunday evening. They had some time getting the deer out of the brush as they were four miles from their machine when the deer was killed, and they had to be packed out. They expect to come back in a week or ten days and get the other two.

A Fight on Sunday

Would draw a crowd, but the preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. in the Methodist Episcopal church will be much more interesting and beneficial. Subject of the morning service will be "The Home of the Soul." Evening subject, "The Christian Believer." W. J. Warren, Pastor.

Epworth League at 7 o'clock, led by Prof. B. F. Ford.

PERSONAL EFFECTS TAKEN FROM THE CRAWFORD HOME

The Crawford home which is located near West Stayton, was entered some ten days ago by thieves and a quantity of personal effects and household articles taken.

Among the things stolen were a steamer rug, typewriter, large trunk, articles of bedding and other small articles.

The thieves were evidently familiar with the premises and knew that Mr. and Mrs. Crawford were away. The culprits have not been apprehended at this writing.

The Doll Cash Store is receiving a new coat of paint this week at the hands of L. A. Thomas.

Christian Church

At Stayton and Kingston There will be regular preaching both morning and evening at Stayton and in the afternoon at there o'clock at Kingston next Sunday. Everyone invited to attend the services. The preaching had to be cancelled two weeks ago on account of the death of the ministers sister at Eugene.

Arthur A. Harriman, minister

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

To the Ladies of Stayton and Vicinity

WE have on display and for sale, a splendid assortment of medium and heavy weight Cloakings in various patterns both plain colors and plaids of very latest designs and colorings, New Up-to-Date goods at very low prices.

Several patterns of the celebrated Polo Cloth the newest fabric in the Eastern markets, also the heavy Mackinaw cloth for hard out door usage

We extend a cordial invitation to you one and all to call at the mills and inspect these offerings. If you are going to buy a coat or cape we can save you money.

Wilbur Woolen Mills Co.

JOHN P. WILBUR, Manager

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