THE STAYTON MAIL

26th. Year, No. 18 — STAYTON, MARION COUNTY, OREGON, THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 1920

HAS SERVED NOTICE OF RAISE IN THE WATER RATES

Gardner-Bennett of the Stayton Ditch Co. has served notice on water users in Stayton that beginning July 1st the present rate of $7 per horsepower will be raised to $15. The public service commission will probably give them a hearing soon.

ETZEL-VANHANDEL

On Tuesday morning at eight-thirty, at the Catholic church, at Sublimity, occured the marriage of Miss Katie Van Handle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Van Handel of Stayton, to Mr. Sim Etzel of Portland. Rev. Fr. Lainck pronouncing the words that made them man and wife in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives of the contracting parties.

Miss Nettie Van Handel, sister of the bride was bridesmaid, and the groom was attended by his brother Frank.

The bridal costume was white chasmoire satin, and the maid of honor wore blue messline.

After the ceremony and congratulations a wedding dinner was served at the home of the and inthe evening about a hundred and fifty friends and relatives gathered at the C. O. F. Hall and spent the evening in dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. Etzel received a number of presents. They will leave Saturday for Portland where Mr. Etzel is in business and where they will make their home.

HENRY GAINES HAWN

Henry Gaines Hawn of San Francisco, an authority on community building, is one of several speakers now touring the state in connection with the expansion movement of the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce.

The State Chamber is making a state-wide appeal for a budget of $450,000, covering a period of three years, to carry on its development work.

The movement has been endorsed by more than two hundred leading men throughout Oregon. Eighty community executive committees have been organized to co-operate with the State Chamber in the canvass throughout the state which will be conducted during June and July.

Mrs. N. J. Gehlen, who resides east of town, is having a house and barn built on the Nicholas Gehlen portion of the Gehlen estate where she and her family will reside. The house will be of the bungalow type and will be 26x30. The barn is 26x40 and is under construction but the recent rains has greatly hindered the work. The work is under the supervision of John A. Lulay.

STAYTON GIRL IS MARRIED, SATURDAY AT SALEM

Saturday at Salem occurred the marriage of Miss Velma Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bailey of Stayton to Mr. Royal Fox of Mill City.

The ceremony was performed by Judge Bushey.

The happy couple went to Portland and other points of interest for a short honeymoon and will be at home to their many friends at Mill City soon.

The Mail joins with a large circle of friends of both the contracting parties in wishing them bon voyage o'er life's matramonial seas.

Hotel Hereford Portland, Ore. Mrs. Dora Shreve, Prop. The place to stop while attending the Shrine Convention. Large porches and shade trees. All parades pass directly in front of house. Excellent accomodations —Room and board for $3.00 per day. 4 blocks N. Washington St. on 23rd St. Car ½ block E. at 735 Hoyt St.

Mrs. Dora Shreve.
June 17-24

Mrs. Wm Myers, of Mill City, was visiting in Stayton, Tuesday.

DEVELOP RESOURCES, STATE CHAMBER'S AIM

Expansion Movement Now In Progress Will Allow Broader Activities.

What does Oregon need?

What—if it were possible to name the chief factor—does it most need in order to develop with a maximum of success?

The question is impossible to answer. There is no "chief factor." The solution lies not in one particular need, but many.

Oregon today, facing an era of development unparalleled in its history, must fill these needs if it expects to go ahead.

Of the many factors that must be employed if the state is to progress immigration and colonization stand pre-eminent in order to solve the vital problem of land settlement.

Irrigation, reclamation of land and drainage must be developed as another method of bringing about the solution of this problem. Farm labor must be brought in. Homeseekers who in turn become food producers, must be encouraged and made to see the possibilities that await them in the great northwest.

Good roads must be built. As the vast tracts of wilderness with their billions of feet of timber are concerted into lumber, highways must be provided over which commerce can be carried and the scenic beauties of the State viewed by the tourist.

Among other needs are industrial expansion, railroad extension and water power development.

Advertising and publicity must be carried on if Oregon is to be made known as a country for the homeseeker where Opportunity beckons. Its scenic beauties must be advertised to attract the stream of golden dollars from tourists and pleasure seekers. Other states, most of them with fewer advantages to attract, are realizing millions each year from tourists—because they realize the value of advertising and making public what advantages they possess.

Oregon must develop its water transportation, its mineral lakes, its ports and reach out for foreign trade and it must develop the state to produce the exports which are to go down to the sea in ships. It must expand its educational facilities as an additional advantage to hold out to the homeseeker with children to educate.

The Oregon State Chamber of Commerce is the most logical agency to carry on this development work simply because a state organization of this nature can work for the mutual good of all communities in the state without favoring any particular one.

Brand New Maxwell 1920 Model Touring Car is Grand Prize

Competition is Opened to Hustling Men and Women, Boys and Girls of Stayton and Vicinity

Costs Nothing To Try---There Will Be No Losers

Seven Weeks Drive For Subscriptions Opens June 21. Enter Now And Be Among First In Field.

We are out for 2000 new subscribers! Are you with us?

While The Stayton Mail already enjoys a wide circulation in this community, this newspaper is desirous of increasing its family of readers in Stayton and vicinity.

With this end in view we have planned, and today announce the most liberal prize offering ever made the newspaper reading public in this section of the state —a campaign in which a brand new 1920 model Maxwell touring car, worth $1335.00; a free summer vacation trip to Yellowstone National Park or any place equidistant; a beautiful solitaire diamond ring; Musikland phonograph, besides a veritable shower of gold coin, all of which will be awarded free Saturday night, August 7, to the ambitious and enterprising hustlers of Stayton, Marion County and surrounding territory. Our Slogan—"Everybody Wins."

One of the features of this big prize distribution is the fact that there will be no losers in this race, as a cash commission of twenty 20% ($1.00 out of every $5.00 collected) will be paid all active non-prize-winners, which, in itself, is an excellent business proposition.

This is not a "something for nothing" scheme; in fact, it is no scheme at all. Neither is it a charitable undertaking on the part of The Stayton Mail. It is a business proposition pure and simple. Its objective is to advertise, jointly, this newspaper and the splendid qualities of the new 1920 model Maxwell; to secure new and renewal subscriptions to The Stayton Mail, and last but not least, to win for this newspaper a welcome in every home in Marion county and vicinity.

Want 2000 New Subscribers

Will it pay? This is a question that will naturally occur to all who read this announcement. Yes, it will pay! Not in dollars and cents, perhaps, for the expense of the undertaking is very heavy, but there are dividends that newspapers earn other than that expressed in the terms of dollars and cents.

During this campaign hundreds of new subscribers will be added to our list, which will mean an immediate enhancement to the potency of this newspaper as an advertising medium; a large number of Stayton and Marion County's hustlers will be richer in pocket book as a result thereof and there will be a great amount of satisfaction in that, besides the general good engendered and prestige gained for this newspaper will be most estimable.

Short and Snappy Affair

The campaign will not be a long drawn out affair extending over a period of several months, but is of seven weeks' duration only. Think of being able to secure in seven weeks time prizes that would ordinarily require months, even years, of saving and self denial to acquire; yet that is what The Stayton Mail is offering you here for a few weeks of your spare time and interest in helping us oxtend our subscription list.

This competition will be more interesting and far-reaching than any ever before undertaken in this section of the state. The prizes are not only rich in material value, but are in keeping with the broad and liberal lines along which the entire enterprise has been drawn. Ambition and energy are the only requisites for success. Seven short weeks and you may be riding in your own automobile.

Information and Assistance

In order to give everyone who enters this contest the greatest possible assistance, the publisher has secured the services of A. H. Churchil, of Chicago, Ill., who is thoroughly experienced in this line of work and who will give his entire time and attention to those who desire to participate. Come in and see him personally and secure first hand information as how to go about winning one of the big prizes. Or, if you can't call clip the nominating coupon appearing elsewhere in this issue and mail to the "Contest Department" of The Stayton Mail, Stayton Oregon and he will gladly see that you are fully informed regarding the entire plan.

NOTE—The readers of this paper will please take notice that the subscription price of The Stayton Mail be advanced to $2.00 a year, beginning August 12th.

HONEYMOON ENDS WHEN TRAIN STRIKES AUTO KILLING GROOM

Miss Myrtle Waters, daughter of John Waters and formerly of Stayton. was married to Peter De Young of Peora, Illinois, at Pendleton, Oregon, June 7th.

Shortly after the ceremony they started on their honeymoon trip from Pendleton to Peora, where they were to make their home. They made the trip by auto and as they were nearing Peora their car was struck by a train killing De Young aud badly injuring Mrs. De Young.

The body was shipped back to Pendleton where the funeral was held Thursday, June 10th.

CLEO CHANCE HAS CLOSE CALL WHEN DYNAMITE CAP IS EXPLODED

Cleo Chance, the ten year old son of Mr. Harry Chance and Mrs. Hattie Chance, had his face, chest and arms badly torn by the explosion of a dynamite cap last Friday.

The children were left at home alone and they found the cap in an old trunk and preceeded to light it with the above results.

Dr. Beauchamp was was summond and picked the pieces of shell from his face and arms and according to latest reports the lad was holding his own.

Stayton baseball boys will journey to Mt. Angel, Sunday where the will cross bats with that team. The game between Mill City and Stayton last Sunday was called off on account of the rain. If the weather is favorable there will be a large delegation of rooters go with the boys to Mt. Angel.

We note in the big automobile contest, just closed at Lebanon last Saturday evening, that Mrs. Albert Neitling, formerly of Stayton, took second place securing a trip to the Yellowstone Nationat Park. The Baby Grand touring car was won by D. H. Long.

STATE CHAMBER TO EXPAND ACTIVITIES

State-wide Appeal For Budget Made to Provide For Development Program.

What is the plan of the expansion movement of the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce? How is it to be carried out? What is it for?

These are the three questions uppermost in the minds of the majority of those who have been informed of the movement which the State Chamber launched April 19th with a survey of the state to set up preliminary organization and establish a direct connection with practically every community in the thirty-six counties of Oregon.

The expansion movement by way of explanation might be divided into three distinct classes.

These are:

First—A survey of the state.

Second—An educational campaign to be carried on through local newspapers and by mailing literature pertaining to the movement direct to industries, firms and individuals interested in the development of the state.

Third—The intensive organization work at which time a state-wide canvass will be made, county by county, to raise a budget to enable the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce to carry on its program of development work for the state on a broader, more comprehensive scale. This canvass will be nade throughout the state during June and July.

This budget is to be obtained by popular subscription. The appeal will be state-wide and to everyone interested in the development of Oregon and his particular community. It is believed the response will be met by the manufacturer, the merchant, the farmer and the individual, for each is vitally interested in seeing Oregon forge ahead and develop its advantages and resources.

Industrial developments depend on two factors: Natural resources or raw materials, and proximity to markets for manufactured products. Granted these and sufficient encouragement development inevitably follows.

Oregon has the raw materials and natural resources. It will be the purpose of the State Chamber of Commerce under its expanded program to acquaint the world with these facts, and through direct solicitation, get industrial management to consider Oregon as a site for their industries.

Furniture and wool manufacture in Oregon are in their infancy. So is the canning and preserving of fruits. With its vast resources in water power, its labor market, geographical location, Oregon offers many advantages to the manufacturer who, however, must first be interested in Oregon and know its advantages.

BIG DANCE AT THE DOEFLER BARN SATURDAY, JUNE 19

There will be a big dance at the Doefler place on Saturday night, June 19. This is the date of the Waldo Hill Pioneer Association Picnic in Hunt's Grove. Good music will be furnished and preparations are being made to take care of a large crowd at the dance. This dance is licenced and good management is assured. Come and you will not be sorry that you attended.

OBITUARY

The subject of this sketch, Mary J. Williams Follis was born in Cass County, Missouri, Oct. 17, 1840, and died June 11, 1920, 79 years, 7 months and 24 day.

She was married to Henry J. Follis, Oot. 13, 1859, at Scio, Linn County, Oregon. She first met her husband (Henry J. Follis) at Pleasant Hill, Mo. Then they came overland to Oregon.

Mrs. Follis was a devoted Christian and lived an exemplary christian life. She was loyal to her family, to her church and and her Lord.

She was the mother of 3 children, 2 boys and 1 girl. Her sons are still living, J. T. and W. F. Follis, her daughter, Mrs. Susan B. Trask preceded her to the home beyond seven months ago.

She leaves to mourn her death 2 sonn, 2 sisters and a host of friends and relatives.

Her funeral sermon was preached by her pastor S. L. Boyce at the Baptist church in Stayton, June 13, 1920 at 2 o'clock p.m, from the 2 Tim 3:7-8 "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith" after which she was tenderly laid to rest in Oak Hill Cemetery near Stayton.

Sister Follis will be greatly missed in the community, in the church of which she was a devoted member and by her many friends and relatives.

May the blessing of God rest on her loved ones is the sincere prayer of the writer.—CONTRIBUTED.

Jack Dempsey, the world champion prize fighter, was acquitted by a jury in less than 30 minutes, on an indictment of being a slacker. Both Johnson and Wood lost out for the Republican nomination for President and W. G. Harding of Ohio, slipped in and coped the plum. Funny things do happen in this big world.

Chas. Schaefer, who lives just across the river in Linn county, has just finished a new dairy barn 40 x 50 feet, with cement floor and foundation. E. C. Lau done the cement work.

NOTICE!

One bay driving horse 5 to 7 yrs. old, wt. about 1000 lbs. shod all around, came to my place about a month ago. Owner can have same by paying charges. Harry Porter, Aumsville, Oregon. June 10-tf

NOTICE—Strawberries

Big Luscious Oregons, good for canning, requires very little sugar, get them fresh from the patch at Loose's on Stayton-Mehama road. Phone Lyons. It