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LOCAL BRIEFS.

Ernest Cide, who is a student of the Albany college, came over last Friday on a visit to home folks.

Miss Minnie Bilyeu who has been residing in Salem for nearly a year, came up last Friday on a visit to home folks.

Senator Johnson came up from Salem on Saturday evening's train, but returned to Salem on the following morning.

G. W. Hunsaker and wife, of Turner, came over last Saturday and visited among the many friends in this city for a day or two.

Doctor Prill having located in Scio, can be found at his office, in the building formerly occupied by Dr. Hyde. Calls promptly attended, day or night.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer, of Albany, parents of Harry Palmer of this city will remove to our city next week. Mr. Palmer is a bridge carpenter of the O. C. & E. R. R.

The Farm, Field and Fireside is a most valuable farmer's magazine. It has from 32 to 40 pages and is published weekly. No farmer or stock raiser should be without it.

J. S. Morris is making arrangements to give his young and thrifty apple orchard a thorough spraying. Mr. Morris states that indications are good for a bountiful fruit crop.

The "Jining" fever has lately affected a large portion of our citizens. The churches, Old Fellows, Macabees and Ladies of the Macabees, have all come in for a share.

A. J. Jarnigan, who has hitherto lived near the Richardson bridge on the Crabtree, has disposed of his place there and will remove to Scio. He has rented the property formerly occupied by Dr. Hyde.

Barnes & Munkers are moving their tools into their roomy and commodious new shop adjoining the old one. They now have probably the best blacksmith shop in point of building there is in the county.

Claxton & Higgins have secured the contract for doing the carpentry work in fitting up the new I. O. O. F. hall on the South side. Lumber was hauled from Stayton with which to execute the work. When completed this will be the most comfortable secret order hall in the city.

Dr. H. H. Carl, Brownsville's expert tooth carpenter, will visit Scio, on Tuesday, March 2nd, and remain for one week. The doctor can pull a tooth for you without giving you a particle of pain. He makes a specialty of Gold Crowns, Bridge Work, Rubber Plates, Porcelain Teeth, Gold, Silver, Amalgam and Dental Fillings. For any thing in the above lines call on him while here.

C. S. Harsh and wife came over from Albany last Thursday, to remain for two weeks. Mr. Harsh purposes to divide his time between practice in horticulture and the making of the human shadow permanent. We apprehend that he will give the major part of his attention to the latter as it is the more congenial occupation and requires less physical exertion.

The masquerade party given at M. V. Bilyeu's hop yard last Friday night is said to have been a very successful affair. Some misbehavior not having a proper appreciation of the ten commandments, obtained entrance to the supper room when no one was present, and carried off two large cakes, a number of pies and other things between 12 and 20 plates. Such conduct ought to land perpetrators behind prison bars and probably will if the right time can be located.

Considerable anxiety was caused Monday in this city by the mysterious disappearance of Mrs. Rockwell who was in this city from Larwood, arriving about noon. In a short time Mrs. Rockwell disappeared and no one could tell where she had gone. During the afternoon her husband and others instituted a search for her, but without avail. Late in the evening she came to Uncle Jimmie Williams'. She had been wandering about in the country during the afternoon. We have not heard as yet any explanation for the strange action.

Patronize your home paper. It works for your interests.

Mr. Palmer of Albany visited his son Harry of this city last Friday.

Ralph Gill has given the better business the shake and is now doing the counter jumping act in R. E. Hibler's store.

Dr. Cole is having good success in treating severe colds and attacks of LaGrippe. He rarely allows a spell of lung fever or pneumonia to follow. In such cases "A stitch in time saves nine" is generally true.

A number of the Y. P. S. C. E. on their return from prayer meeting last Tuesday night, gathered about our yard gate and read-rect two very nice vocal musical selections for which please accept our thanks, much.

Our delinquent subscribers will please remember that while we have patiently waited for them to settle their subscription accounts with us, in whole or in part, for a long time, we are needing what you owe us badly. We will soon be forced to make collections.

The Pacific Empire comes to us this week enlarged and having a genuine newspaper appearance. The new editor, Miss Alice Josephine Muller, late of Utah seems to have plenty of newspaper snap about her and we apprehend the Empire will soon give evidence of her energetic management.

ADJOURNED YESTERDAY.

The Oregon legislature after spending 45 days in doing absolutely nothing, adjourned sine die yesterday noon. Neither faction was willing to concede what the other demanded. They were so evenly divided in the house that without concessions organization could not be effected. It is extremely unfortunate for the state as much remedial legislation was expected. Oregon will now have but one U. S. senator till the calling of a special session or until the next general assembly of legislators shall have been elected. This leaves Oregon politics in a great muddle. What the result may be is now quite problematical.

Improvement of Oregon Rivers.

A dispatch from Washington says: The sundry civil appropriation bill, contains an item for \$100,000 for completing the work proposed for improving the navigation of the entire Willamette river, from Eugene to Portland, and also for the lock and dam on the Yamhill river, which is to give deep water at all seasons to the town of McMinnville. The estimated cost of both improvements is \$200,000, of which \$100,000 was included in the last river and harbor bill, and now the present appropriation of \$100,000 gives all the money required. The secretary of war informs Representative Hermann that he reserves the right to contract for the whole or a part of the work, as he shall deem most economical and rapid. The various construction at Salem, Oregon City, Independence, Corvallis, Oswego and other places in the Willamette will all have substantial works constructed improving navigation.

The contract for Yaquina bay has not yet been let, and therefore, like some other harbors, could not be appropriated for the present bill, but the \$25,000 appropriation in the last river and harbor bill will be expended in completing the old project at Yaquina and it is thought that this has had something to do in delaying the approval of the project for the \$1,000,000 contract.

Our Hop Yards.

So far as we can learn every one of the many hop yards in the vicinity of Scio, that were not plowed last year, will be cultivated this season. Some of the growers are now busily at work putting their yards in order and all will be at work in a few days, the weather permitting. Some of the growers have made contracts for their products, but the most of them prefer to assume all risks themselves and obtain all of the advance in price that all hope will occur. Wm. and Jake Bilyeu have leased the Marion Alexander yards.

Ed Daley has leased the F. J. Munkers yards and is now putting them in order. Some snook thief has entered his hop house some time during the past year and carried off all of the ropes and some of the pulleys. Ed does not feel in an overly good humor about the matter and is on the lookout for the thief.

Mr. Grant Davis, of Silverton has leased the Phillips yards and has commenced plowing the same. Mr. Davis is a son-in-law of H. W. Phillips, from whom he leases.

Should fortune favor our growers with reasonably fair prices which together with what will be paid for picking, Scio ought to experience considerable relief from the money famine of the last two or three years.

The Albany Tailor.

Citizens of Albany last Thursday morning were not only surprised, but deeply pained, to learn that the well known clothing house of L. E. Blain & Co. was in financial difficulties, and had assigned, the assignee being Mr. S. E. Young.

The condition of the company, which is a corporation, on examination was found to be solvent and only temporarily embarrassed. If the members choose to take it in that light, which is to be hoped they will. The liabilities amount to only about \$12,000, while the assets had up about \$20,000 on stock in store, and from \$12,000 to \$15,000 in notes and accounts.

On Mr. Blain's private business however, the showing is not so good. His assets, consisting of eight or ten tracts of land varying in size from 35 to 200 acres in extent, town lots in Corvallis and at the bay, residence property, stock in several corporations, amounting at the depreciated price of land now prevailing, to somewhere near \$18,000. Liabilities about \$45,000. Mr. E. W. Loughlin is named as assignee in Mr. Blain's case.

The failure is viewed with universal regret, for Mr. Blain has been in business here for nearly fifty years, and has enjoyed the respect and perfect confidence of the entire community, and gained a reputation for business integrity all over the state.

A suit and attachment by Elizabeth Cox for \$2,000 forced the assignment. Other suits of course will follow.—Herald.

Jury List.

Following is the jury list drawn for the circuit court which will convene in Albany on Monday, March 27:

J. W. Seeland, Lebanon, farmer.
Charles Richardson, Jordan, farmer.
Fred Goch, Shelburn, farmer.
J. W. Roberts, Albany, drayman.
Thomas Turner, Rowland, farmer.
C. C. Kildig, Crawfordville, saw mill.

C. H. Cable, Brownsville, merchant.
Walter Huston, Harrisburg, farmer.

J. Y. McCune, Shedd, farmer.
L. A. Churchill, Tugent, farmer.
Harve Summerville, Harrisburg, farmer.

Charles Pugh, Lebanon, merchant.
M. C. Bishop, Harrisburg, farmer.
Fred Wilber, Brownsville, farmer.
Joseph Simpson, Tugent, farmer.
R. F. Row, Albany, merchant.
O. A. Wheeler, Kingston, farmer.
E. A. Hester Jr., Mill City, farmer.
Benson Harris, Sweet Home, farmer.

Geo. Young, Crabtree, farmer.
J. M. Burton, Shedd, farmer.
C. C. Carter, Harrisburg, carpenter.

Jesse Yost, Sweet Home, lumberman.
P. W. Spink, Albany, lumberman.
G. W. Arnold, Jordan, farmer.
John Shelton, Millers, farmer.
N. Bridges, Spicer, farmer.

T. J. Munkers, Jr., Scio, farmer.
Sylvester Pritchard, Jordan, farmer.
Enoch Miller, Crabtree, war-house.

A. V. Hall, Rock Creek, farmer.

School Reports.

The following are reports of the Scio public schools, for the school months ending January 15 and February 15:

No. of girls enrolled	77
" " boys	40
Total No. enrolled	117
Average daily attendance	105
Percentage of " "	.95
Pupils in Mrs. Munkers' room	85
" " Mr. Fulkerson's	39
" " principals	45
Total No. of days	2980
" " absences	92
" " times tardy	17
No. of girls enrolled	77
" " boys	37
Average daily attendance	104
At the examination at the end of the first term there were six pupils that failed to make the standing necessary to promotion. Pupils are doing good work at the present time.	

W. J. CRAWFORD,
Principal.

Were Baptized.

Last Sunday Rev. Lamar, pastor of the Baptist church of this city, administered the rite of baptism to Irma and Beulah Sutherland, Alva Powell, Dollie Daley, Wade McDaniell, John Griffin and wife, Laffey Calagan and Samuel Fleener.

When the news of the failure of the L. E. Blain Clothing Co. of Albany, reached this city on last Thursday, everybody expressed surprise and sorrow. L. E. Blain, the head of the firm, possesses the confidence and esteem of every one. And why not? He had the highest type of business integrity and honor, not only in his life but in his intercourse with others and a man whom every one delights to number among his warmest friends.

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M. C. GILL & SONS.

Mr. Ward L. Smith, of Frederick, Md., was troubled with chronic diarrhoea for over thirty years. He had become fully satisfied that it was only a question of a short time until he would have to give up. He had been treated by some of the best physicians in Europe and America but got no permanent relief. One day he picked up a newspaper and chanced to read an advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He got a bottle of it, the first dose helped him and his continued use cured him. For sale by J. S. MORRIS & CO.

WANTED—Any one having Early Rise or Beauty of Holman seed potatoes for sale, can find a buyer by writing to N. W. Galois, Scio, Oregon.

We will pay 5 cents per bu. above the market price for a few bushels of wheat and oats, on subscription.

Wanted—An Idea

Who can think of some simple thing to do that will bring in a good profit? Write to N. W. Galois, Scio, Oregon, for details.

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DO YOU WANT SHOES?

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I have them for you. They have JUST ARRIVED and will be sold VERY CHEAP FOR CASH.

I have, also, several pairs of good, worn-in shoes, somewhat out of style—square patent top laces, extra quality, which I will sell you AT COST FOR CASH. Come in and see them.

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Free Garden Seeds

Elsewhere in this paper will be found the advertisement of the Farm, Field and Fireside, published in Chicago. For a short time only will the seed offer be made. Just think of what is offered for \$2 for The Scio Press \$1.00, Farm, Field and Fireside \$1.00 and twenty papers of choice garden or flower seed—\$1.00, making a total \$3.00. You can have the two papers for one year and the seeds (20 papers) to be selected by you self for only \$2.10. Call at this office and see sample copies of the papers and get a catalogue of seeds. The seeds are guaranteed to be choice and fresh.

S Drops.

It is not often that we commend in these columns anything of a medicinal character, but the reports that we hear of the efficacy of the remedy called "S DROPS," are so numerous that we cannot resist the impulse to give it special mention in this issue. For the disease mentioned in the advertisement of this remedy seems to have jumped into popular favor with a single bound and its success is deserved, for it has performed some remarkable cures. "S DROPS" is manufactured by "SWANSON RHEUMATIC CURE CO., 167 Dearborn St., Chicago, and the company has the highest reputation for honesty in all business transactions."—Silver Knight Watchman, Washington, D. C., September, '05.

Electric Light For Stayton.

The Stayton Mail says: Another electric light proposition is this week submitted to Stayton citizens by A. J. Shreve, of the Electric Light and Power Co. operating at Dufur. Mr. Shreve agrees to put in a Thompson or Edison dynamo of 50 light capacity if the city and citizens will permit him the necessary charge and permit him to furnish a 10-candle power incandescent lamp, in every way equal to those of other surrounding cities, in business houses at \$1 monthly, for the first lamp, and 75c and 50c for second and third, the latter figure being the basis of all additional lamps desired. Private houses a rate of 10c monthly, for the first lamp, and 50c each additional one. Where a business man becomes a patron of the company, lamps for his residence may be had at the minimum rate of 50 cents.

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Market Report.

Wheat, 67 cts. per bu.
Oats, 30 "
Flour 34 25 "
Beans 12 30 "
Middlings 14 "
Chop, 85 cts. per ton.
Potatoes, 75 cts. per sack.
Butter, 12 cts. per lb.
Butter, creamery 20 cts. per lb.
Eggs, 8 cts. per doz.
Shoulders, 6 cts. per lb.
Bacon, 6 cts. per lb.
Lard, 7 cts. per lb.
Chickens, 3.00 per doz.

T. J. Craig, postmaster at Eugene, has been found to be \$200 short in his accounts with the government. He was charged with the crime by the postoffice inspector, when he confessed his guilt. His arrest followed. Craig stated to the inspector that his creditors pressed him so persistently for their claims that he used the postoffice funds to satisfy them. It is possible he may be indicted on seven or eight counts, the penalties for each being from six months to ten years in the penitentiary. His bondsmen have made the defalcation good to the government. Craig has a wife and two daughters; also relatives in this city.

Golden Death.

For some time Mrs. Michael Crockett has lived alone on her farm near Mr. Pleasant church, some nine miles East of Scio. Mr. Crockett, a distant relative and a neighbor, has been looking after the farm on a long for the lady, who is somewhere past 70 years of age. Mrs. Crockett has been ailing for several months, but not sufficiently to hinder her estimation, to require the care of an attendant. On last Thursday morning Leslie Crockett called in to see how the old lady was getting along when, greatly to his surprise, he found her lying upon the lounge dead apparently having breathed her last several hours previously. She had probably the evening previous laid down upon the lounge from which she never arose as she still had her usual daily wear of apparel on. There was no evidence that she had struggled to any extent at the moment of the fatal attack. The latter had the appearance of having gone peacefully to sleep. Mrs. Crockett had no near relatives closer than 80 m. Her affairs have for several years, been looked after, as before stated, by Leslie Crockett, who lived after the death of his aged relative in her last earthly resting place.

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