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VALIDICTORY.

After having conducted the publication of the Scio Press for more than seven years, with this issue will bid our patrons adieu so far as publishing a newspaper in Scio is concerned.

We desire also, to say to the people of Scio and vicinity, that there is not a more sympathetic people, who are willing to extend a helping hand in time of need or trouble, than you are.

In the political course of the Press, we have endeavored to be consistent and to advocate such principles of finance and government, as we believed to be for the benefit of the greatest number.

All of the subscriptions to the Press, with few exceptions, will be transferred, after this week, to the new paper at Albany, the unexpected subscriptions of course will be filled from that office.

In quitting business in Scio, we do so with regrets, for we have ever found Scio business men honorable and upright in their dealings with us, and we trust, our future business relations may be as harmonious and satisfactory.

T. L. DUGGER.

The simple fact that the announcement that the Bank of England would convert twenty per cent of her reserve fund into silver, was sufficient to raise silver several points, is pretty good evidence that a 16 to 1 free coinage law by the United States, would raise the price to 21.29 cents per ounce.

Last Saturday evening the East bound O. R. & N. train was held up by two men, within five miles of the limits of the city of Portland. At the command of the robbers the engineer and fireman, seeing that a shot gun and Winchester rifle were pointed at them, dismounted from the engine and were taken aboard a few yards where they were relieved of their watches and about \$15, in money.

Great Britain keeps a watchful eye on her business interests, as well as her political relations. Two years ago, Secretary Chamberlain addressed a circular letter to the colonies, asking about the displacement of British goods by foreign wares.

From the time of the leading editorial in last Saturday's Oregonian, nevertheless the silver craze has been pronounced dead by that paper many times during the past year, the silver cause is very much alive and will continue to be a leading factor in politics for years to come.

Hon. T. T. Geer is being widely advertised because of his refusal to accept a Federal office he did not want and for which place he had endorsed a friend.

The new compulsory education law which recently went into effect in Indiana has already added between 25,000 and 30,000 pupils to the public schools of the state and caused brisk activity in building schoolhouses.

SECURITY AND CHANCE.

The instinct to lay by stores for "a rainy day" is the instinct of self-preservation and of civilization. It has led to the development of life-insurance companies and banks and savings institutions of all sorts.

In establishing postal savings banks a nation carries its people forward a step in civilization, inasmuch as it is giving to them an additional security against misfortune.

would permit themselves to become charges upon society when misfortune overtakes them or when old age finds them unprepared to earn a support by their labor.

To the persons for whom the postal savings bank is intended the rate of interest paid on deposits is of minor importance. What such persons want above everything else is absolute security against loss.

ABOUT POSTAL SAVINGS BANKS.

In the office of the superintendent of the money-order system of the general postoffice at Washington is evidence which will convince the most skeptical that there exists, especially in the west, a demand for a government institution where the savings of the people may be deposited.

The money-order system was established for the accommodation of the people—those who do not enjoy bank accounts and cannot forward money by checks.

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England, as a Christianizer, has in the language of a new word politician, "Methods peculiar to herself." Her tracts distributed among the people of India have been ignorance, oppression and starvation superinduced by unjust taxation.

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THE SILVER OUTLOOK.

At the rage of the gold press over the statement by the Governor of the Bank of England that he had promised, under certain contingencies, to carry in silver 20 per cent of the reserve in the great bank, is so furious that up to date it has not grown cool enough to reason coherently.

to a gold standard) and 1878, when you changed your standard. You say you desire to restore matters to where they stood then. We are ready to do our part."

Assuming that the Government of Great Britain takes about the position outlined above, then the next question will be, "What will Germany do?" That is a more difficult matter to predict, for just now Germany is in bad humor with Great Britain.

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PROBATE COURT.

In the matter of the estate of P. M. Smith, inventory and appraisal made. Petition to set aside property for widow and to sell personal property.

In the matter of the estate of D. J. Shahan, final account filed.

In the matter of the estate of John Nelson, final account set for hearing October 9, 1897.

In the matter of the estate of C. O. Patton, final receipt of Maggie Patton.

In the matter of the estate and guardianship of Lola Patton and other minors, annual account of guardian. Petition for guardian for order authorizing allowance for support of minors.

In estate of E. R. Cheddie, return of sale of real property and petition to apply proceeds, continued until October term.

In estate of D. Houck, first account approved. Report of sale of personal property confirmed.

Estate and guardianship of Serling minors, bond filed of \$7000 and approved and A. Gilkey, John Smith and Wm. Ray appointed appraisers.

In the matter of the estate of Martin Cummins, the sixth and seventh combined report of the guardian, Berry Cummins, was filed, showing total amount received to be \$2331.93, total expenditures \$348.20, leaving a balance on hand of \$1983.40.

Estate of Sanford Cochran, petition for reappointment of appraisers. Commissions to appraisers issued to Charles E. Smith, H. M. Roberts and J. S. Sexton.

Estate and guardianship of Francis N. Allen and Alma L. Allen, Mary M. Allen appointed guardian, bond filed and approved.

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Market Report.

Wheat, 77 cts. per bu. Oats, 28 " " " " Flour 14 25 " " " " Bran 12 50 " " " " Middlings 16 " " " " Chop, 16 per ton. Potatoes, 70 cts per sack. Eggs, 12c per doz. Butter, creamery 20; rancho 12 1/2 c. Hams, 12c per lb. Shoulders, 8c per lb. Bacon, 10c per lb. Lard, 10c per lb. Chickens, 3 00 per doz.

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Sheriff Sale. By virtue of an execution and order of sale duly issued out of the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Linn to me duly directed delivered and dated the 10th day of August A D 1897.

A. G. PRILL, Physician and Surgeon Scio, Oregon. Residence opposite the planing mills. Office next door to drug store; hours 9 to 12 A. M. and 2 to 5 P. M.

CUT RATES. I have a stock of bookstore goods to close out at once TO RETAIL DEALERS or buyers for school libraries, etc. I think I can make prices that will interest you.

Blacksmithing Horseshoeing and Wagon Shop. BARNES & MUNKERS, Proprietors. Having set up a shop in the above line are prepared to do first-class work on short notice.

The Scio Planing Mills. Has recently purchased a steam engine and is now ready to furnish all kinds of building material at reasonable prices and on short notice.

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STRANEY & MITCHELL, Livery and Feed Stables, ALBANY, ORN. The Fastest and Most Stylish Rigs kept by any stable in the county can be found here.

T. J. CLAXTON, CONTRACTOR and BUILDER, SCIO, ORN. Will prepare estimates and plans for all classes of carpentry, at the lowest possible living prices.

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