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We don't know of a better way to please a lady than to give her a feather boa. It also does not already own one. We have made ourselves easy for prospective buyers by having in a supply of just the ones now most desired, and clipping of all the unnecessary points.

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Calls promptly attended day or night. Office and home worth of postoffice.

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WANTED—SEVERAL TRUSTWORTHY persons in this state to manage our business in their own and nearby counties. It is mainly office work conducted at home. Salary straight \$1000 a year and expenses—definite, tentative, no more, no less salary. Monthly \$25. References. Replies well-addressed, stamped envelope. Herbert E. Ross, Pres., Dept. M, Chicago.

THE "FAIR"

ALBANY, ORE.

Duck Coats, rubber lined, only \$1.75, and all goods below what others ask.

Respectfully,

J. A. WEAVER

607 Dishes and tinware at half price

There is probably no immediate danger of resumption of the war. The administration knows enough this time to be prepared for emergencies. If we are forced to the field, we shall not have Alger going around again saying the trouble came like a thunderbolt from a clear sky.

Clearance... Clothing ... Sale!

I am now offering for this Month what I consider the greatest bargains I have ever given. I wish to close out all suits now on hand, consisting of Men's Business Suits, up-to-date, actual value, \$9 to \$13.50, at \$5 to \$8. Men's Dress Suits, in popular goods and correct tailoring, actual values \$11.50 to \$15 at \$7 to \$10. Boy's Suits—equally as cheap. I really believe this is the—

Best Clothing Offer

Ever made in Albany, and it can't last long. I have pretty much all kinds of goods worn by men and boys to show you. Investigation Invited.

W. R. BLAIN,

McIlwain block,
ALBANY, OREGON

OF LOCAL INTEREST

Dried apples—S. M. Daniel, E. O. Hyde, M. D. Scio Ore. A. G. Prill, Physician and Surgeon Scio Oregon.

Mixed birdseed in bulk, the cheapest way to buy it. Peery & Peery.

Highest market price for dried apples, at S. M. Daniel's.

New line of lace and embroidery, just in selling for almost nothing. The Racket.

S. M. Daniel has orders for 100,000 lbs. of evaporated apples, at highest market prices.

Ladies' Misses' and children's gloves, all kinds at The Racket, from 10 cents up.

The Branton murder has cost Lane county \$2,500, without the hanging which will come high.

Notice the change in the ads of S. E. Young and the Economist Dry Goods Company in this issue.

A crew of men are engaged in putting in new ties on the railroad between this city and West Scio.

The Salem Steam Laundry does nothing but the very best of work. Give them a trial and be convinced.

Owing to continued bad weather work on the addition to the Old Fellows hall is progressing slowly.

S. M. Daniel has an adv. in this issue, setting forth the good qualities of Reimach, Ullman & Co's clothing.

Misses and childrens underwear and union suits from 25 cents up; also socks—all kinds—8 cents up, at The Racket.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Drummond have been employed to take charge of the county poor farm, recently purchased by the county.

The Oregon Poultry show will be held at Albany January 9th to 14th. R. B. Roberts, of Los Angeles, California, will be the judge of the exhibits.

A new crossing has been built near the Scio Roller mills, which is a great convenience to residents in that section, as well as to the mill people.

Our woodshed will hold several cords of wood yet; in fact there is not about enough to hold what has been promised by some of our subscribers.

A carload of crosswalk lumber was "scattered" in different parts of town the first of the week, and soon our crossings which have gone "out of sight" will be replaced with new ones.

Notes from Scio.

The South Santiam is up booming. The school house and church last Sunday.

N. A. Robinson has taken a trip to Tangent, notwithstanding the stormy weather.

Henry Faulkner is proud of the distinction of having shot his first wild goose last Saturday.

Frances Davis is assisting Enoch Sherry to get in his winter wood. A little late Enoch, but "better late than never," you know.

Marion Burkhardt was in the butcher business last Tuesday. We will bet a goose quill that Marion had as fine a lot of hogs as one will find in a day's travel.

The South Methodist began a series of meetings at their church on the Keebler corner last Wednesday evening. This meeting will surely be a success, as they are supposed to have the best Theological talent the state affords.

The American consul in Porto Rico writes that the island is densely populated and it is no place for a man to seek work in, and a man who expects to make a success in business there must have an abundance of capital.

Educate Your stomach With Catechisms. Candy Catechisms, cure constipation forever. No. 30, H. C. C. Co., Chicago refund money.

The telephone office will be located in THE NEWS office, and those wishing to talk on the phone should call at all times, day or night. The business men of Scio will find the telephone a very convenient article.

The rainy weather is upon us in full force, and we are not likely to see very much more very fine weather until spring. The roads are getting pretty muddy, and no one has a desire to do much "buggy riding."

The Aetna Savings and Trust Co., of Baltimore, has made a proposition to the Salem Building and Loan Association to buy their business and a committee of six have been appointed to investigate the proposition.

The poultry shipments from this city during the past month have been no small item. Farmers from far and near have brought their poultry to this city because our merchants were paying the top prices.

S. I. Shore has an announcement in our advertising columns this week, setting forth the fact that he has a line of goods for the holiday trade which are useful in every household, and which make appreciative presents.

Some of the crosswalks in Scio need a good mud scraper well applied to them. We do not know whether any one has authority to look after them or not, but if not the council should see that someone is employed to look after them.

T. M. Witten, Jefferson's popular druggist, has purchased the Blum burg block in Albany, and has fitted up the upper story for general offices for the C. & E. railroad, and the headquarters of this road will be located in Corvallis to Albany, December 1st.

B. J. Pengra, a former Lane county man, now 75 years old, and Mrs. Lucretia Biglow, were married in Portland last week. They had never heard of each other until a few days before, Pengra having gone to Portland after a wife. He has been married twice before.

An effort is being made to have Leslie Vierick released from duty and sent home from Manila where he is now with the Oregonians when his eyesight has failed to such an extent that he has become nearly blind, and his father is laboring hard for his release.

"Children" is General Merritt's accurate characterization of the Filipinos. It is for the islands' benefit that we shall give them security and justice, instead of turning them over to the tender mercies of their barbarian chieftains. Aguinaldo is not the Philippine people.

Services were held at the Christian church during the past week, and will be continued probably through next week. There will be

services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. Burnett is a very pleasant speaker, and extends a cordial invitation to all to attend the meetings.

This week the Oregon Telephone & Telegraph Co., completed a loop from this city to Albany, where it connects with the main wires, giving this city telephone connection with the outside world. This will be a great convenience to our people and will also put us within speaking distance of the entire Pacific coast.

Here is a way to tell how fast you are traveling in a railway car. Every time a car passes over a rail joint there is a distinct click. Count the number of these clicks in twenty seconds and you have the number of miles the train is going per hour. This is a simple matter of arithmetic, as the length of the rail is uniform.

Persons thinking of purchasing Christmas presents in the line of jewelry, watches etc., will do well to call and see me and give me an idea of what they will want, thereby enabling me to order just what they wish. At any rate, I will have in stock the latest line ever brought to Scio. Every article will be guaranteed first class. Call and see for your self. A. W. Hagey.

Last Saturday the carcass of a stock farm machinery and household goods belonging to V. Cladek, at Scio, was brought to Albany by the mill company's engine. Mr. Cladek brought several head of fine pigs, one of which was just the sort of a pig that A. J. Johnson had been looking for, and as a result it will enjoy city life hereafter.

A new street light has been put up in the square near postmaster R. Shelton's residence. Electric lights have also been placed in the residence of R. Shelton, S. I. Shore and Dr. Prill. There are now about all the lights that the present system can maintain, and should many more lights be added more power will be needed, and also another dynamo will have to be added to the plant.

Thomas creek was up so high a few days the latter part of last week that the mill was unable to run—the water from the creek backed up into the wheel. The cool weather the first of the week, however, brought the water down, and the mill was started in full time. They have just about all the work they can do, and with orders for flour piling up it keeps the wheels turning about 24 hours a day.

Last Friday afternoon Prof. T. J. Wilson had the misfortune to get his left hand caught in one of the swinging doors at the school house, resulting in the loss of the end of the third finger. The finger was mashed so badly that it was necessary for Dr. Prill to amputate it near the first joint. While the injury is quite painful and inconvenient, still it does not prevent the professor from continuing his duties in the school room.

The Oregon state university will mark the celebration of the fortieth year of its founding by a history of the commonwealth, to be distributed free to all schools. The idea comes adopted itself as being worthy of being adopted throughout the union.

Important business of our state would be lost if the mistakes of government men, and by informing the minds of the young, lead in time to the purification of the politics of the country.—New York Herald.

Little Erma Irvine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Irvine, fell on the sidewalk near her home Tuesday evening and struck her right knee on a large nail in the walk, cutting a gash nearly four inches in length, and cutting to the bone. Dr. Prill dressed the wound, and it was necessary to take four stitches to properly bring the torn flesh together. The little one was made as comfortable as possible, but will have a very sore limb for some time to come, the injury being immediately under the knee cap, and very close to it.

The citizens mass meeting, announced for last Saturday evening, was quite well attended, the matter of purchasing R. A. Sanders' saloon building, as per a proposition submitted, being discussed pro and con, with the result that a committee was appointed to solicit funds for this purpose. The discussion brought out the fact that some of our citizens are not in favor of buying Mr. Sanders out, and it is probable that he will continue to dispose of spirits and malt liquors—in gallon(?) lots—as heretofore, says the Brownsville Times.

Clearance Sale.

Mrs. Smith wishes to announce to her customers that she will make a clearance sale from Thanksgiving until Christmas. Everything will be sold at reduced prices.

Call and secure bargains.

A Few Hints.

If a man is able to gain time he gains everything.

If a man is devoted to everybody he is devoted to nobody.

If all tombstones are reliable bad people must live forever.

If a man is windy he is apt to make others pneumatically tired.

If the tongue is less deceptive it's because the heart is more so.

If a man is ignorant it is impossible to defeat him in an argument.

If haste makes waste the messenger boy is anything but wasteful.

If the world owes every man a living tramps must be the collectors.

If you borrow trouble you must put up your peace of mind as collateral.

If a girl advises a young man not to lead her brother money she's in love.

If out of sight is really out of mind, then all blind people must be insane.

If a man is cowardly he always quotes "Discretion is the better part of valor."

If love weren't blind the lover might see the dog before it is everlastingly too late.

If candles were made in the shape of a cross some people would burn them at all four ends.

Had a Merry Time.

Last Monday evening a one long to be remembered by the A. O. U. W. boys of this city. It was one which is likely to mark the beginning of a new era in the life of the lodge. For the past couple of weeks W. H. Warren, deputy grand master Workman, has been in the city and has done good work for the lodge and for the order. On last Monday evening twenty-two of the members of Jefferson lodge and quite a number from Lyons and Stayton lodges came to Scio for the purpose of paying Scio lodge a fraternal visit. During the evening four candidates were initiated into the order, the work being done by the Jefferson team, and those who are familiar with it say it cannot be done better. The floor work and drill by the Jefferson boys would be hard to beat in any lodge or by any team.

The work is impressive and the lessons of fraternity and charity which are taught are not soon to be forgotten. Scio lodge is not as large in membership as many others, but its members are of that class who extend an open, welcome hand to unfortunate mankind, and not only that, but they know just what is appreciated by a needy and distressed person, and it was this fact that caused the presiding officer to announce that the meeting would adjourn and all were invited to proceed to the Hotel Scio where a magnificent banquet. After indulging heartily in the good things which had been prepared all returned to the hall where for more than two hours they indulged in sociability, many short speeches being made which set forth in no mistaken terms the benefits to be found within the teachings of this well known order. The members of Jefferson lodge were the recipients of many congratulatory remarks for their cooperation in the work of the evening, and their visit will long be remembered by those present.

Report on Treasurer Morris' Books.

The committee appointed by the county clerk to go through the books of ex-Treasurer P. Morris, consisting of Messrs. C. C. Hogue and A. Wheeler filed their report Monday.

FIRST TERM.

Balance due institute fund...\$ 7.50
On cities and districts... 12.80
On general and school fund... 1836.19

Warrants cred. twice \$383.35
Interest " " 7.90 389.94

Total...\$2246.46

Less short credits on warrants paid, quarter ending March 31, 1895... 11.26

Net bal. due 1st term...\$2235.20

SECOND TERM.

Balance due on city fund... 96
On general fund... 25.46
On school fund... 1569.92

Total...\$1691.44

By credit on payment:

District fund...\$13.40
Institute fund... 7.50 20.90

Total due on 2d term...\$1565.54

Bal. due for two terms...\$3800.74

Besides the formal part of the report appears the following:

In checking the warrants we found that two warrants had been entered as paid twice, viz: warrant 7695, in favor of E. M. Redfield for \$83.35 and interest \$1.96 was paid June 19, 1895, and entered again on July 31, 1895; and warrant 7844 was paid on June 18, 1895, and was entered again on July 31, 1895. It was in favor of A. R. Rutherford for \$390.10 and interest \$3.93. These warrants were credited to Mr. Morris in the settlement for the term ending June 30, 1895, and again in the settlement for the term ending Sept. 30, 1895 so we have added these amounts to the clerks charges against the treasurer during the first term.

At the end of the first term the clerk made an error in balance of the general and school fund in favor of the treasurer of \$1210.56 by bringing down a balance which was that amount too small. The treasurer carried forward a balance which was reduced in a similar way. This error was discovered after the close of the second term.

The county judge has issued an order requiring the treasurer or his bondsmen to make good the shortage.

Whipped Three Men.

Four men got on the Albany train at Gates last night and paid their fare to Mt. City. One of them had ridden the night before when he had a check for \$15.17 cashed receiving even change as customary of \$15.15.

He immediately began calling the conductor a robber, etc. and after two cents. Finally he became so abusive the brakeman Jack Sellers went up to him and told him he had to stop, whereupon the man hit Sellers with a coupling pin he brought on the train with him evidently, intending to have a row. He was in the wrong ring. Sellers laid him out, did up the next man who took his friends part and laid the third man low with some heavy shoulders strikes. The other man retreated. The trouble lasted the whole three miles between the places.

Messrs. Wesley Swearingen and H. M. Roberts, of this city, and W. H. Cross and Nathan Kennedy, of Halsey, have been engaged to ship 125,000 pounds of dried prunes, 1,000 pounds of dried plums and 3,000 pounds of dried apples, to the markets. The boxes are branded with the words, "Choice Oregon Fruit," "Oregon Italian Prunes," etc., which will no doubt prove quite an advertisement of the fruit industry of this state.—Brownsville Times

At Philadelphia last Wednesday night Mrs. John McGahan, after hours of anxious waiting for her husband to return home, dreamed that she saw him enter the house with his head badly cut and swathed in bandages. Twelve hours later her husband entered the house just as she saw him in her dream, suffering from terrible wounds. How he was injured or how he got to his home he was unable to tell.

STAT OF EXECUTION

The McGrath Case Will Go to the Supreme Court for Review.

Attorney J. R. Wyatt returned from Salem Monday night where, in preparation to getting the McGrath case before the supreme court the bill of exceptions was filed before Judge Barnett, accepted by him and a stay of execution granted until the supreme court shall consider the case.—Herald.

They Do Say

That Scio is soon to have another livery stable.

That there is a man in Scio who does not allow himself to be introduced by his right name when in Albany. Who is "Mr. Dunnaway," anyway?

That there was a "hot time in the old town" last Saturday night after the dance, and several "bumped" heads were the result. As is most always the case innocent parties were the worst sufferers.

That the Ivy Leaf dancing club has engaged the services of a bouncer who weighs 275 pounds and wears a number twelve boot; has fists like a ham, and is fully up to the standard as a "slugger."

The Educational Committee.

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week the legislative committee on education will meet at a room in the city hall. The committee is composed of Senator Daley, chairman; Senator Mulkey, of Polk county; Representative Hall of Columbia county; Representative Young, of Clatsop county; Representative Palmer, of Linn county. This committee will go over the laws of the state concerning schools and education and will submit their report to the meeting of legislature in January. They will recommend such changes as to them seem advisable. They will entertain suggestions from people interested in education, and persons desiring to consult them will be courteously received.—Journal.

Notice to Sheepmen.

I have appointed L. L. Calavan at Scio, Ore. deputy sheep inspector, with full power to act for me.

JOHN DAVIS
County Sheep Inspector.

Cure Ake cures headache. Dawson sells it at Albany.

Say—I Say!

Be in the swim—come and order one of those ROYAL TAYLOR suits that I am getting so many of now days. They cost no more than poorly constructed ready made clothing, and I positively guarantee the fit of every suit. All well dressed gents wear ROYAL suits. They look fine—they fit beautifully, and they ARE GOOD. ROSS E. HIBLER.

Fred Dawson sells Cure Ake for headache that cures headache.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away. To quit safely and forever, be made, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

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And the Right Prices..

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I sell my goods on a guarantee, both as to quality and price. You know I buy most all kinds of produce, and I never let any one pay more for it than I do....

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New and Second Hand Furniture, Stoves, Ranges, etc.

I offer big bargains in all lines of household goods. Call and see me