

PLAID SKIRTS...

Another lot just put on sale. Two numbers, one at \$8 and another at \$5 are especially neat and good value...

New Kid Gloves

Over 700 pairs of kid gloves for ladies just added to our stock, making it the most complete in the city. Our \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 lines are very strong. We have also a fine assortment of new gloves at \$1.75 and black at \$2.

Note—Our \$1.50 Centimeter, Foster and Lillome gloves are being closed out at \$1.00.

S. E. YOUNG & SON, ALBANY, OREGON

HOLIDAY GOODS

HAVE ARRIVED AT

H. J. JONES' BOOK STORE

NORTH FIRST STREET ALBANY, OREGON.

You are invited to call and see for yourself what bargains he offers.

PURELY PERSONAL

Hon. Jeff. Myers, of Salem, was visiting in Scio over Sunday.

Mr. Murphy, the stock man, was in this vicinity the past week.

Grandma King, of Seaside, is visiting relatives in this section this week.

V. B. Goin was at Albany the latter part of last week, attending the State Teacher's Institute.

Miss Mona Daniel went up to Lebanon the first of the week for a short visit with numerous friends.

Miss Mattie Platt, who has been visiting her sister in Salem for some time past, returned home Wednesday.

Miss Carrie Balsewold returned to Detroit Wednesday of this week, after a couple of weeks' visit with her parents in this city.

Mrs. E. E. Larimore and the baby returned home the first of the week, after spending the holidays with her mother at Forest Grove.

Miss Carrie Houston came up from Oregon City the first of the week for a short visit with her mother and numerous friends in this city.

Clarence Miller, who has been attending school in Portland, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Miller, who reside near this city.

Misses Laura and Maud Myers returned to their school work at Portland and Salem the first of the week, after spending the holidays with relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Phelps were in Scio over Sunday visiting with the former's brother, the publisher of this paper, prior to their departure for eastern Oregon, where they will reside in the future.

George Serling, one of Linn county's school teachers and a former Scio citizen, is thinking of embarking in business at Monmouth, and his many friends hereabouts are wishing him all kinds of success.

Mr. and Mrs. Munsey, who were married near this city, last week, returned from Lebanon Tuesday, where they have been visiting over Sunday. Prof. Munsey resumed his school duties in the McDonald district Wednesday.

S. M. Daniel, of Monmouth, was in Scio over Sunday, visiting with

his father and sister, and numerous friends. He is always a welcome visitor in these parts. He reports business pretty good over in his section of the country.

Miss Frankie Claxton left Saturday last for Grass Valley to join her father, who has been up there for some time past, and will probably make that place their future home. They will both be greatly missed in this city, where they have a large circle of friends, who wish them all kinds of success.

Mrs. Hoxter, of Portland, was in Scio this week soliciting aid for the Crittenden refuge home in Portland. She held a meeting at the Baptist church Wednesday evening, for the purpose of explaining the workings and the benefits of this institution. We understand that she met with considerable success in this city.

A Deep Mystery.

It is a mystery why women endure backache, headache, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, fainting and dizzy spells when they are young. But Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Phoebe Cherley of Peterson, Ia., and a lame back pained me so I could not dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me, and, although 73 years old, I am now able to do all my housework." It overcomes constipation, improves appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50c at Peery & Peery's drug store.

The latest story of a wonderful gold find in Alaska is of a lake whose bed is literally paved deep with gold dust. The lake is 1,500 yards long, 500 wide and 120 feet deep. It is fed by water from a glacier, and its only outlet is a little stream two feet deep, but of incredible swiftness. The assay of the sand which a sea captain brought to Seattle recently showed \$5 to \$10 a cubic yard, and on this basis a man alone could take out \$10,000 a year.

The big white moose recently shot in the Maine woods by Mr. Sargent, of Grafton, has greatly interested naturalists as well as sportsmen. It is the only white moose ever seen in Maine, and very few have ever been heard of elsewhere. The naturalists say it is, of course, not strange that there should be an albino moose, resulting from a freak of nature, as white deer and other albino game animals are not uncommon. But white moose are a great rarity.

OF LOCAL INTEREST

A. G. Frill, Physician and Surgeon, Scio, Or.

Buy a Kodak at Dawson's, Albany, for your girl.

Fifteen cents a lb for Fairy Roast, Ross E. Hibler.

Boys you can get a good razor at Dawson's, Albany.

Ground oyster shells for poultry at Peery & Peery's.

Ground bone for poultry, at Peery & Peery's, Scio, Ore.

If you wish the best dental work call on Dr. Clyde L. Hill.

I have got lots of that Fairy Roast Coffee now. Ross E. Hibler.

Anything in the dental line will be done by Dr. Clyde L. Hill.

The directors of the Bank of Scio held their annual meeting Monday.

You can get your dental work on easy terms if you call on Dr. Clyde L. Hill.

Fairy Roast is as good as some people ask you 25 cents for. Ross E. Hibler.

Dr. Clyde L. Hill is doing dental work of all kinds at half price for the next 10 days.

Special reduction on gold and silver filling at Dr. Clyde L. Hill's for the next 10 days.

Some of our correspondents fail to show up this week with their news items. We hope that they will not miss another week's worth.

For Sale.—One hundred and twenty acres of fine land lying on Scio and one-half miles north of Scio. Address J. L. Tindall, University Park, Oregon.

The mill company has this week received a carload of ties, and will proceed to put the railroad between this city and West Scio in a little better condition.

A social dance was given at Houston's hall Monday evening by the Scio Social club. There was quite a number present and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

All persons who are indebted to us are hereby notified to call and settle at once, as we must collect what is due us. Don't delay, but come at once. Peery & Peery, Scio, Oregon.

A bright boy baby, gladdened the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Calavan by its arrival on Monday, December 31, 1901. It was born just in time to start out with the new year and the new condition.

Duck shooting in this section is pretty good this week and on Friday's day, but the temperature soon changed to warmer, and the snow disappeared sooner than it came. This is not much of a country for snow, and although it sometimes grows in the ground it does not usually remain long.

M. M. Peery has had his hands just about full during the past couple of weeks, making frames for a large number of pictures, many of which were being prepared for holiday tokens. He is an artist in this line of work, and has a complete line of goods for the purpose.

Snow covered the ground to the depth of a couple of inches on New Year's day, but the temperature soon changed to warmer, and the snow disappeared sooner than it came. This is not much of a country for snow, and although it sometimes grows in the ground it does not usually remain long.

The telephone line had troubles of its own the first of the week, which caused a good bit of inconvenience to our business men. The line has been pretty free from trouble during the past season, but the severe winter weather will cause the wires to get a little mixed once in a while, and when they do it is always at a time when the line is badly needed.

A change has been made in the time of the north bound afternoon train on the main line, and that train now leaves Albany at 4 o'clock instead of 3, as in the past. This brings it an hour later at Jefferson, and our people who have been in the habit of meeting this train at Jefferson can now figure on another hour at Albany.

Sore and swollen joints, sharp, shooting pains, torturing muscles, no rest, no sleep. That means rheumatism. It is a stubborn disease to fight but Chamberlain's Pain Balm has conquered it thousands of times. It will do so whenever the opportunity is offered. Try it. One application relieves the pain. For sale by Peery & Peery, druggists.

A private examination of Clyde Vaughn, as to his sanity, was made Friday last by Drs. Byrd and Williamson, of Salem, and Hawk, of this city. The result is not made public, though it is understood the physicians did not entirely agree in their opinions. Of late Clyde denies that he committed the assault upon Miss Jones.—Jefferson Review.

Ice cream socials are not the rule in the dead of winter, but we people of Scio are just a little different from the ordinary and therefore our people were treated to a genuine ice cream social Monday evening, given by the ladies of the Baptist church, which was well attended. These ladies are endeavoring to raise funds to pay for the improvements recently made to the church, and to complete others, and their efforts should be rewarded with success.

The financial condition of the city of Scio is now in better condition than any time during the past several years. The light and water system has been more than self-sustaining during the past year, still is no exception from previous years. The streets and crosswalks are all in as good condition as it is possible to keep them with nominal expense, and the city has paid \$500 on its interest bearing debt, aside from paying the interest for the past year. This leaves the city owing but \$500, and this amount will in all probability be wiped out by this time next year.

At the annual meeting of the city council Tuesday A. J. Johnson made the city a proposition which, if accepted, will enable Scio to have a very nice little park of a very small cost. He proposes to donate to the city four lots lying in front of the school house, provided the city in conjunction with the school district will improve them and maintain them as a city park. Very little grading will have to be done, and the expense of planting the plat to trees and other shrubbery will not be very great, and when it is completed we will have a very nice park at a very nominal cost to the city and school district. We trust that the city will take the matter up at once, and get it completed as soon as the weather and the finances will permit.

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