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EDITORIAL.

During the past month settlers have been arriving from the East in large numbers, and have been settling all over the valley, with a few exceptions, among which is Scio and vicinity. Last fall while other towns and cities were printing pamphlets and doing many similar things to attract the attention of the homeseeker, and it is a noticeable fact that Brownsville, whose citizens contributed and issued pamphlets last fall, is now reaping the harvest. Scio is all right all she needs is some one to take the lead and push matters along. A well organized club of trade or commercial club will do this. Let's organize and get our share of a desirable class of homeseekers.

There is a bill before the legislature of Virginia to make it a misdemeanor for a person willfully and knowingly to furnish false information to a newspaper. It ought to be a law here. Then there ought to be a law suppressing a newspaper which willfully furnishes false information to its readers. The suppression of this class of papers would give us a truthful fellows a much wider field.

Hon. Percy R. Kelly, who has been suggested as the republican nominee for congressman, would no doubt if nominated, poll more votes from the younger members of the republican party than any other Linn County man they could nominate.

Wakeful Children.

For a long time the two year old child of Mr. L. McPherson 59 N. 7th St., Harrisburg Pa., would sleep but two or three hours in the early part of the night which made it very hard for her parents. Her mother concluded that the child had stomach trouble, and gave her half of one of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, which quieted her stomach and she slept the whole night through. Two boxes of these Tablets have effected a permanent cure and she is now well and strong. For sale by all dealers. If it is a bilious attack take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick recovery is certain. For sale by all dealers. The best will cure the stomach troubles. It cleanses the system and never grips. Little Early Risers of wordsly reports. A small pill easy to buy easy to take and easy to get but never failing in results. Dewitt's Little Early Risers arouse the secretions and act as a tonic to the liver curing permanently.

Thought the Albany Woolen Mills.

A company has been incorporated in Portland to be known as the Bannockburn Manufacturing Company, with a capital of \$75,000, the purpose of which are to manufacture woolen goods and make them into clothing, buying the wool direct from the range and turning it into finished garments in Portland. The company have completed arrangements for the purchase of the Albany Woolen Mills and will operate them to their fullest capacity. The incorporators are Harvey W. Scott, Chas. Cooney, F. A. Bancroft, J. C. Stuart and R. W. Wilber.

A Remarkable Case.

One of the most remarkable cases of a cold deep seated in the lungs causing pneumonia is that of Mrs. Gertrude E. Fennor Marion Ind who was entirely cured by the use of one Minute Cough Cure she says the coughing and straining so weakened me that I ran down in weight from 118 to 92 pounds. I tried a number of remedies to no avail until I used one Minute Cough Cure Four bottles of wonderful remedy cured me entirely of the cough strengthened my lungs and restored me to my normal weight health and strength. E. C. Perry.

The Benefit of Change.

We are like house plants: We need a change of soil now and then—to be replanted. New scenes, new experiences, new surroundings—a change of climate, dry air instead of moisture, sunshine in place of cloud. This is sometimes essential to health. There are conditions near at hand that are better than Europe can offer. Take a month or two in California. Plant yourself for a time where there are no irritations, where the hotel is beyond criticism, the landscape pleasing, and where warm sunny weather invites to walks and drives. Pure and dry air, and the increased electric influences of sunshine are vast ly helpful. You can make this trip at very little expense, and enjoy a ride over the scenic Siskiyou and Shasta mountains, which at this time of year with snow, covered peaks, are unsurpassed for their grandeur. For complete information regarding rates, points of interest, and delightful hotels in California, address, W. E. COMAN, G. P. A., S. P. Co., Portland, Or.

Too Many Studies.

Senate concurrent resolution No. 24, introduced by Senator Miller, of Linn county, and passed by the legislature, contains some of the most important and vital suggestions that were laid before the people by the twenty-second session.

It is a plea to the state board of education, for a cessation of the "preparing" process in the schools; it calls the attention of parents to the notorious fact that studies can only be skimmed over by pupils of a tender age, who are required today to take three times the number of branches taught in public schools ten years ago.

An education under these conditions—such an education as would stand the test of genuine learning founded upon thorough familiarity with principles and instilled into the mind by lasting processes, is well nigh impossible.

Or if such an education is acquired by 50 per cent, or 25 per cent of the pupils of the public schools, it is done at the cost of health, and often brings with it a permanently weakened constitution and a curse for ever after, instead of a blessing.

There is a limit to the capabilities of school children. Their mental strength, being in the growing and formative stage, susceptible to the most insignificant pressure. Often one month or one school term of hard brain work, coupled with the natural desire to succeed and aggravated by the irresistible stimulant of rivalry in the class work, undermines the foundations of a constitution, and lays plans for an unfortunate career of illness and untimely death.

Reduce the numbers of studies; give more time to classes; go to the bottom branches taught; lay foundations upon the solid rock of understanding, and get off the shifting sandbars of surface learning, quickly forgotten or inadequate to meet the demands of life. The resolution should receive the earnest consideration of the board of education.—East Oregonian.

Tragedy Averted.

"Just in the nick of time our 11th boy was saved," writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, Ohio. "Pneumonia had moved and had with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him, but he grew weaker every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was saved. He's now sound and well. Every body ought to know it's the only sure cure for Coughs, and colds and all Lung diseases. Guaranteed by C. C. Perry Druggist Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Five Good Reasons.

That the Rio Grande route is the most popular one between the Pacific coast and the east, is evidenced by the fact that the greater per cent of transcontinental travelers use it.

First, the scenic attractions in view are unequalled in the world. Second, the daily personally conducted tourist car excursions being especially adapted for ladies traveling alone or with children, affords a comfortable mode of travel at rates which reach all.

Third, it is the only route between the East and West passing directly through Salt Lake City, or modern Zion.

Fourth, the choice of two distinct routes through the heart of the Rocky Mountains. Fifth, three fast through trains daily between Ogden and Denver equipped with every modern convenience. There are many other reasons why this route is the most comfortable and enjoyable in the whole country. You can learn a great deal on the subject of traveling, and receive some very beautiful and interesting booklets, by calling on or writing to the undersigned, W. C. McBride, Gen'l Agent, or M. J. Roche, Traveling Passenger Agent, 124 Third Street, Portland, Ore.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Peas and beans 5c per can at R. E. Hillier's.

C. H. Buck pays special attention to ladies and childrens hair dressing, and the ladies are invited to call at any time. Prices reasonable.

No money is so easily earned as that saved in buying here—here is a good place to save—now a good time to begin at Bickner Bros.

J. Andulis will repair your shoes good and cheap.

Finest Whiskey and Liquors at Gem Saloon.

Cyrus Noble and other celebrated brands of whiskey at Gem Saloon.

Gem Saloon is the best resort in town. All kinds of Beverages.

The finest California Wines for family and medical use at the Gem Saloon.

The best brands of Cigars and Whiskey at the Gem Saloon.

White Rye Whiskey, 15 years old at the Gem Saloon.

Married.

In Albany on Monday March 16th in the parlor of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Craft by Judge H. M. Palmer, Mr. Jason Barnes of Benton County, and Miss Maggie Cruise of Linn County.

Mr. Barnes is one of Benton County's best, and most popular young men. Miss Cruise is the popular and winsome daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garland. They start out in life with the congratulations and best wishes of many friends, on Tuesday they were driven over to the bride home where a few invited guests were present, and a fine supper was prepared and some nice useful presents were given the bride.

Republican Primary.

Notice is hereby given to the Legal voters of Scio precinct that a Primary is called for Tuesday March 31st, 1903 for the purpose of electing two Delegates to attend the County Convention to be held in Albany April 2nd 1903 at 11 o'clock A. M. This convention will elect Delegates to attend the Congressional Convention to be held in Eugene April 9th 1903 to nominate a successor to the late Congressman Hon. Thos. H. Tongue deceased. Committee-men

LAND FOR SALE

210 acres 4 miles east of Scio, 70 acres in cultivation, balance pasture, brush, and some timber, 2 houses, 2 barns, 2 hogpens, 1 hog washhouse, barrow, traps, orchard, good spring, water. Cleared \$2.00 on hope last year. Will sell with crop included for \$4500.

255 acres 7 miles E. of Scio, 225 acres open pasture, balance brush and timber, house, barn and orchard, price \$10 per acre.

480 acres 6 miles NE of Scio, 255 acres in cultivation, balance nearly all open pasture, 3 houses, 3 barns, orchard, price \$18.50 per acre.

525 acres 1 1/2 miles south of Scio, 230 acres in cultivation, balance open pasture, brush and timber, some south hill side, house, barn, 2 orchards, good spring, water, price \$20 per acre.

361 acres 12 miles East of Scio, 100 acres in cultivation, balance pasture, brush and timber, house, barn, orchard, price \$6000.

225 acres 7 miles SE of Scio, 80 acres in cultivation, balance open pasture, brush and timber, 2 good orchards, new fruit dryer, 2 wells and 2 springs, price \$25 per acre.

600 acres 10 miles East of Scio, 4 acres in cultivation, balance brush, house, barn and orchard, price \$5000.

113 acres 5 miles South of Scio, 1 1/2 miles East of Crater, 75 acres in cultivation, balance pasture and brush, house, barn, orchard, price \$3500.

74 acres 1 1/2 miles SE of Scio, half or more in cultivation, balance small farm, house and barn, price \$1500.

54 acres 5 miles East of Scio, half in cultivation, balance pasture and brush, all level land, good new house and barn, price \$2500.

600 acres 5 1/2 miles east of Scio, 50 acres in cultivation, balance pasture, brush and timber, good house, price \$1500.

51 acres 4 1/2 miles East of Scio, 40 acres in cultivation, balance pasture, brush and some timber, log house and barn, young orchard, price \$1000.

40 acres 2 1/2 miles north of Scio, 1 mile from Shelburn, nearly all in cultivation, house, barn and orchard, price \$1000.

40 acres 6 miles SE of Scio, 7 acres in cultivation, balance pasture and brush, all creek bottom land, best house, shed, orchard, price \$500.

30 acres adjoining Scio on south all in cultivation, fine large house, good barn, young water and a slightly location, price \$1500.

9 acres in and adjoining city of Scio, all in cultivation, all good garden land, good house, barn, orchard, price \$1500.

1 1/2 acres in south side of Scio, good large barn, orchard, price \$450.

W. E. Carl residence property near Christian church, price \$500.

CR property near school house, price \$250.

630 acres 7 miles South of Scio, 2 miles East Crater, 200 acres in cultivation, balance nearly all open pasture good house, good barn, good buildings, orchard, 25 head of cattle, 60 sheep, 4 hogs, good wagon, harness, carriage, ploughs and harrow, 500 bushels of wheat, 100 bushels oats, hay, all good with farm at \$20 per acre.

271 acres 5 miles East of Scio, 165 acres in cultivation, 3 acres of hops, balance pasture, some brush, and timber, good house, barn, out buildings, hogpens, orchard, well and running water, price \$2000.

290 acres 4 1/2 miles S. W. of Scio, 2 miles North of Crater, 60 acres in cultivation, balance pasture, brush, and some timber, good buildings, orchard, price \$4500.

180 acres 1 mile S. W. of Scio, 2 miles North of Crater, 65 acres in cultivation, balance pasture, brush, and timber, 30 acres more can be cultivated some south hill side, house, barn, orchard, 3 good springs price \$3000.

302 acres 1 mile S. E. of Scio, about 20 acres in cultivation, balance brush, and timber, about half hill land no buildings some apple trees price \$1800.

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R. Shelton, Scio, Or.

Everything is in the name when it comes to Witch Hazel Salve. E. C. Dewitt & Co of Chicago discovered some years ago how to make a salve from Witch Hazel that is a specific for Piles for blind bleeding itching and protruding Piles eczema cuts burns bruises and all skin diseases. Le Witts has no equal this has given rise to numerous worthless counterfeits Ask for DeWitts the genuine E. C. Perry.

PRaises AMERICANS.

China's Late Minister, Wu Ting-Fang, Gives His Impressions.

Speaks in High Terms of the Enterprise and Energy of the Average American and His Accomplishments.

Americans are known, in whatever quarter of the world, as men who are prone to throw them, by their marvelous self-reliance and independence. A typical American is never at a loss what to do with himself, writes Wu Ting-Fang, in Success. It, by some enchantment he were whisked away over night and set down in the middle of Timonston, he would, doubtless, when he should awake the next morning, be astonished, but before luncheon he would be busily engaged in some business enterprise, and readily does he adapt himself to circumstances. In every instance he knows how to take care of himself, but perhaps the real secret of his success is that he knows how to make the most of his opportunities.

An American student usually realizes that education is a stepping-stone to achievement. He studies with the expectation of fitting himself for the profession or occupation he is ultimately to enter. He makes the most of himself as a student, that he may be able to make the most of himself in his chosen career.

All through his course of study this is instilled in his mind, and the consequence is that he leaves his college or university well prepared to enter upon life's activities. He is sure of himself. I may also add that the schools of the United States, both public and collegiate, are the crowning glory of this young and great republic. No words can bestow upon them too high praise. No estimate can be put upon the value which they are accomplishing in training young men as well as young men for future usefulness. Systematic education is reaching its highest form in this country. Its results are so gratifying that the country cannot help but advance.

The intelligence of the average American is worthy of note. This, I take it, is due in large measure not only to the excellent schools, but also to the innumerable newspapers and other publications. I have found, in all parts of the country, that in every town of any size there is published a daily paper, and that the metropolitan publications circulate in the homes of the most remote corners of the land.

The abilities to seize his opportunities, which is characteristic of the American, is seen in the business enterprises of the country. Its industrial machinery is adapted to the production of its wealth on a scale that is unparalleled elsewhere. This is a valuable condition. American brains and American capital are reaching out to control the markets of the world, and, with good reason, other nations are watching their efforts with keen interest. China is not unfeeling to its vast possibilities, and more and more will welcome the American merchant and American commerce with her borders. American enterprise is now building a railway from Hankow to Canton, and, no doubt, other roads will soon be built. China's rivers and harbors are to be improved, and there will be more and more demand for American steel, rails and other products.

STATUES HAVE SMALLPOX.

Epidemic of Disease Among Bronze Figures in Athens—How They Are Affected.

A most extraordinary disease, extremely infectious and resembling smallpox among human beings, has broken out in Athens, Greece, in the Egyptian room of the National museum here, says an Athens (Greece) correspondent of the New York Times. A few days ago the distinguished physician and bacteriologist, Mr. Stephanos Skoulioules, noticed some strange green marks on one of the bronze statues of the famous Egyptian collection presented to the museum in 1821 by Mr. Demetrios of Alexandria. He at once communicated his discovery to the curator, who called in experts to examine the statue in question. They pronounced the marks to be due to an infectious complaint, to which bronze is liable, and which gradually spreads from the surface of the object affected to the inside, till the whole crumbles away into dust. The other bronze statues in the same room were then inspected, with the result that they were all found to be more or less tainted with the disease, while five of them had taken it in a most aggravated form. These five are the statues of Ants, the goddess of war; of Maout, wife of Jupiter Ammon; of Isis, and two statues of Ostris, one of them of the greatest value. Worse than that, the infection has spread to the Mycenaean room, which contains the results of the late Dr. Schliemann's excavations in 1876. There a dagger, which was found in the fourth and finest of the six tombs, has fallen a victim to the malady. Altogether about fifty statues are badly affected, and the loss will be enormous unless the plague can be stayed. A leading Athenian chemist pronounced the cause of the malady to be the presence of salt in the bronze of which the statues are made, and his remedy is to extract it by means of baths. Mr. Momphton, the minister under whose department the museum comes, is taking steps to save the bronzes.

TO RAISE COTTON IN EGYPT. British Spinners Hope to Make Themselfes Independent of United States Supply. The British Cotton Growing association, which, with the hearty cooperation of the colonial secretary, Joseph Chamberlain, is trying to render the British empire independent of the United States as far as raw cotton is concerned, is now paying special attention to Upper Egypt. Maj. Count Gleichen, secretary of the association and the Egyptian forces, Maj. Gen. Wingate, addressing the association at Manchester recently, said the experiments now conducted on the banks of the Nile show the quality of the cotton grown there to be the equal of any in the world. There are available 15,000,000 acres of irrigated land, and the only difficulty is the labor supply. The derivatives saving depopulated the Sudan, but the completion of the Soakin-Berber railroad is expected to solve the problem, besides furnishing an outlet for the crop.

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Calicoes	4 and 5c	All \$4.00 shoes reduced to	\$3.00
Muslins	7c up	Med's long leg snug proof boots	\$4.00
Worsted Dress Goods reduced to 13 & 10		" " " " " " " "	\$3.50
Ladies Vests from	81 up	" " short snug boots	\$3.00
Comfortables reduced from \$1.25 to 1.00		8 bars soap	25c
Childrens shoes	25c up	Men's Undershirts	15c up
Ladies Shoes	90c up	Men's Dress Hats	40c up
Men's Shoes	\$1.10 up		

BICKNER BROS.

NEVER TRUST A HORSE.

Conclusion of a Man Who Has Trained and Studied the Animals for Years.

I have spent much of a long life in the observation of horses. I have reared them, broken them, trained them, ridden them, and driven them in every form from the plow to the four-in-hand. The result of these years of study is summed up in one sentence, says a writer in Harper's Weekly. I believe the horse to be part man and part idiot. Every horse at some time in his life develops into a homicidal maniac. I believe any man who trusts himself or his family in the power of a horse, stronger than himself, to be lacking in common sense and wholly devoid of ordinary prudence. I have driven one common-sense horse every other day for six years over the same road, and then had him go crazy and try to kill himself and me because a leaf fluttered down in front of him. I have known scores of horses, apparently creatures of routine, go wild and loose over equally regular and recurring phenomena. No amount of observation can tell where the horse will break out. One mare took two generations of fifteen years to over the same quiet road, and then in her nineteenth year went crazy because a rose-leaf came along in the road. She killed two of the children. If any man can tell me of one good reason why he should trust a horse I will be glad to know.

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