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EDITORIAL.

We intend to make quite a change in the make up of the NEWS after we complete our rush of job work which will take about a month. We will make the paper an all home print and as the expense will be heavier we expect to your patronage at all times. Suffice to say, if you will give us the patronage due us, we will publish the lanrgest and best paper ever published in Scio, but we cannot do this without money, so don't be afraid to pay up and renew your subscription.

"Cut out your booze or get your time," is the way the railroad men translate the new order which is reported to have been issued from the office of the president of the Northern Pacific. No copy of the proclamation has yet been received, but official notice is expected shortly. January 1, is the date set for this new condition to become general. Not only is liquid refreshment of intoxicating nature barred from Northern Pacific employes during working hours, but even the "social glass" when off duty is denied.

Out near Corvallis a colored minister was bombarded with stale eggs. There has always been a great deal of prejudice in Oregon against the colored man in spite of the conservatism of our people. So long as a negro behaves himself he should be entitled respect and consideration. He is not responsible for the color of his skin. The perpetrators of this indignity were undoubtedly a set of rowdies who used the prejudice against the colored people as a mask for their outrages. They should be made to feel the weight of the law.

War with Colombia seems certain. It will not be much of a struggle and we will hardly know Uncle Sam is at war. It will be expensive just the same and will probably cost several million of dollars.

Editor advertises His Town.

Col. E. S. Durkee, who ran a paper at Helix a few years ago, and now edits the Tokea Blade, still indulges his fondness for handing out useful information. Once he advertised a large assortment of Helix bachelors, strongly emphasizing their points of excellence and nearly all have since been snapped up as matrimonial bargains. Just now he turns his attention to an Eastern inquirer as follows:

The Blade is in receipt of a letter from a resident of Pennsylvania, inquiring about the Palouse country and asking a "few simple questions." We take pleasure in giving a few simple answers:

Q. How does land sell in your section?

A It depends a great deal on which real estate agent is handling it. Some of the Spokane agents are gifted with imagination enough to sell it for four times what it is worth

Q How is water and how do you get it?

A The water is quite wet. Some draw it from the hydrant while some get it from the bartender, in a separate glass.

Q Do hogs thrive?

A They do. One old sow with which the writer is personally acquainted has thrived twice during the past year.

Q How many classes of people of people have you?

A Two. Those who subscribe for the Blade and those who don't.

Q How is religion. Is it much thought of?

A Quite well thank you. It lies around perfectly free. It has a good reputation and is spoken of very highly in the churches.

Q Do the Indians bother the whites?

A They do. They are very bothersome when drunk. It sometimes botheres the whites to beat them playing baseball.

Q How much money does it take to start in your country?

A One dollar and a half. This will pay for the Blade for one year. You can then make your peace with your maker and start in.

Q Is there a show for a genius?

A We haven't seen any advertisemed on the bill boards this season. Should one come along we will let you know,

Q Who are the principal men in your town?

A Judge Dickinson, Steve Coffin and the editor.

Q Are the people honest?

A They are honest since the new law was passed prohibited poker playing.

Q What are the occupation of the people?

A Some work in insane asylums, some guard jails and some answers silly questions.—Weston Leader.

Circuit court:

Complaint has been filed in G. F. Burkhart agt M. J. Burkhart for divorce, Grounds desertion. Weatherford & Wyatt attorneys.

Lisence have been issued for the marriage of Jesse Davis and Ida Woolridge.

During the absence of Janitor Bilyeu all the "boys" and officiating.

Deeds recorded:

John O Fry to Scott and Fannie Ward 83.37 acres	$18.6
Claus Schoel to W L Wells acres	111.41 3774
L P Blair to Henry Westcott 2 lots Sodaville Hill's ad	30
Ed Halloway to Nettie M Washburn 16x179 feet	6
L B Wain to C C Burmister acres	320 1
Thos Fitzgerald to Thos Hall acres	53.50 2550

Mortgages for 600 1500 2060.

Release for 600

Mining claim R Edson and Vane Henness, Quartzville district, The Gopher.

Probate:

Inventory filed in estate of David H Johnston. Value of property: In Linn $4059, Marion $5912.55. Total $9971.55.

Sale of property in estate of Cordelia Bonds, confirmed,

Citation ordered issued for appointed of guardian for Wm Mercer Thompson, insane.

Marriage license:

Harry C. Knighten and Mary Thompson.

W H Dougherty and Clara Story.

Glen E. [illegible] and Mae Morris.

[illegible] tax receipts past year.

Deeds recorded.

Jas A Powell to Albert Powell acres	160 2700
A Tripp to Nellie M Fountain 3 lots Lebanon	
Benton Bowers to Wm and Amelia Spence, 317.78 acres	8330

Mortgages for $8330 and $500.

The Legislators.

SALEM Dec. 22—The Legislature did the biggest days work today in the history of the state. When the House met this morning the first action taken was the adoption of a joint resolution, providing for the adjournment an Wednesday night, Dec. 23. Another resolution was adopted, calling upon the Secretary of State for the vetoes and bills filed after adjournment of the last session Both resolutions went to the Senate where adjournment tomorrow was agreed to, but the resolution calling for the vetoes was tabled.

During this forenoon a flood of bills was introduced the number in the House reaching 37.

The first two bills were by Mr. Kay, of Marion, the first to repeal the Phelps taxation act, and the second to re-enact the old tax law. Both of these passed the House during the afternoon. Other tax laws were introducen but were afterwards withdrawn.

Several minor charter bills passed in the house.

In the Senate a few bills were introduced and some charters were passed and sent to the House. This afternoon Senator Rand introduced a bill, the effect of whach will be the legalizing of the execution of Pleasant Armstrong at Baker City. This bill was promptly passed and sent to the House, where it was read and referred.

Among other bills now pending that are of importance are the flat salary law, in the hands of a committee; the law regulating transportation companies, This last measure was introduced by Jones, of Lincoln. It provides that when shippers call upon railroad companies for cars they must be furnished in three days if 10 or less are called for; 6 days if fifty or less are wanted and 10 days if over 50 are demanded A penalty of $25 per car is fixed to be paid by neglect or refusal to permit the cars in the time named, in addition to shippers damages, This bill is one of the most important pending, and a hot fight is expected on it.

A recorder's fee bill is also pending in the house.

You Know What You Are Taking

When you are taking Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply Iron

Notice.

There come to my place about June 1st, three heifers, two red and one a white roan. One marked with under bit, other two not marked. Owner can have same by paying for pasturage and this notice.

H. C. MILLER.

Holiday Games FREE

Inside each pound package of

Lion Coffee

will be found a FREE game. 60 different games. All new.

At Your Grocer's.

TRANSMITS DISEASE.

That Mosquito Carries Yellow Fever Is an Established Fact.

Surprising That the Theory Was Not Hit Upon Long Ago—Quarantine Methods Will Probably Be Modified.

The yellow fever symposium of the American Public Health association was a most interesting contribution to sanitary science, on many points convincing to the laity. A disease which caused America many thousands of lives and many disturbing panics in the past, was stripped of most of its horrors and shown to be one of the most easily controlled and protected against. When we read from the history of yellow fever the thousands of theories advanced in regard to it, the wonder is that the recent discoveries made of the transmission of the disease by mosquitoes was not stumbled on long ago, says the New Orleans Times-Democrat.

For years the question whether quarantine did or did not keep the fever out of a country was discussed, and at different times the quarantinists and anti-quarantinists were "on top." The commission appointed in [illegible] to investigate the epidemic of [illegible] year was doubtful on most points, and was convinced on only one, that the disturbance of the earth, excavations during the summer, tended to cause the spread of the disease, and as a result of this report nearly all public improvements were seriously handicapped. The rats were looked on with suspicion, then filth, decaying vegetation, an excessive rainfall, the water supply, and a dozen other causes were cited for the disease. In many cases these theories were apparently supported by the prevailing conditions, but another year the conditions changed and theories formerly upheld and apparently built upon rock were completely shattered.

It seems strange, considering how often and how carefully the subject was investigated, that the recent discoveries in regard to the mosquito and yellow fever were not made. There were some vague hints on this point, but nothing to attract general attention or bring about the acceptance of the mosquito theory by physicians and sanitarians. Yet as soon as this idea was advanced it was seen that, alone of all the theories, it filled every condition of the disease and explained every apparent peculiarity about it.

The discussion before the American Public Health association fully confirmed what has already been said on this subject. The matter is no longer a theory, but an established fact, as thoroughly demonstrated as any scientific question has ever been. Practical experiments made in half a dozen different localities all brought the same result, and microscopy explained and proved them. The convention was unanimous on the point that the mosquito could and did transmit yellow fever from a person affected by it to another. Doctors from Cuba and Mexico agreed with the physicians of this country, and the evidence was so overwhelming that no one who has investigated the matter can longer entertain a doubt.

This makes protection against the fever far simpler than we have ever thought it to be, and does away with the complicated, expensive, and often brutal quarantine systems which have frequently been resorted to in the past. The annihilation of the mosquitoes in a community would assure it complete immunity if mosquitoes are the sole means of transmitting the disease; or if this annihilation be impossible, an ordinary mosquito bar for the person sick of yellow fever, so as to prevent the mosquitoes from getting at him, and thus becoming infected and the source of danger to others, is the simple protection needed.

It will be noted that on one point the members of the association were not fully agreed. All accepted the mosquito theory, that the insect could transmit yellow fever. A majority were of the opinion that the disease was transmitted only in this way, but the minority, while unable to produce any very strong evidence to the contrary, refused to accept that proposition and favored the Scotch verdict, "Not proven." In other words, while the evidence is strongly and, indeed, convincingly in favor of the mosquito theory, it does not prove that the disease cannot be propagated by fomites or in other ways.

To a lay mind this conclusion seems to be a prudent if not a correct one. It is not pretended that the mosquito creates or generates the disease, but simply that it transmits it from one person to another. The origin of the fever is, therefore, due to some other cause, and it would seem that this cause which originally produced it may produce it again. It would seem wise, therefore, not to go too far, not to abandon all the safeguards of quarantine, but to keep up an investigation which has been productive of such excellent results and which we may hope to see sooner or later explain all the mysteries of this malady. There has been perhaps too great a willingness of late to accept new scientific theories as proved in all particulars. We saw this in the theories advanced by Koch and others relating to tuberculosis. Let us go a little slowly in the matter, as nothing can be lost by doing so.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure
Digests what you eat.

Don't forget the old man with the fish on his back.

For nearly thirty years he has been traveling around the world, and is still traveling, bringing health and comfort wherever he goes.

To the consumptive he brings the strength and flesh he so much needs.

To all weak and sickly children he gives rich and strengthening food.

To thin and pale persons he gives new firm flesh and rich red blood.

Children who first saw the old man with the fish are now grown up and have children of their own.

He stands for Scott's Emulsion of pure cod liver oil—a delightful food and a natural tonic for children, for old folks and for all who need flesh and strength.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists,
409-415 Pearl Street, New York.
50c. and $1.00; all druggists.

EXECUTORS NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, as the executors of the last will and testament of David Henry Johnston deceased. Any and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned at Scio, Linn County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice, duly verified as required by law.

Dated this 27th day of Nov. A. D. 1903.

GEORGE CHRISTIE JOHNSTON
HENRY SIBBELD JOHNSTON
Executors.

Weatherford & Wyatt,
Attys for Exrs.

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THE NEW HOME IS THE BEST.

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E W Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

A Western Dentist.

"Good Lord! You don't mean to say that you tie the patient into the chair?"

"Why, cert," replied he "and disarm 'em, too, if I didn't I'd die fast yank. I tell you a feller's got to be pretty handy with a shootin' iron to jerk teeth in Red Gulch. I jerked one o' Bloody Dick's teeth yesterday, and I sorter expect he'll be gunning for me as soon as he gets his mouth drawed back into shape."

The doctor began to think he had fallen into a den of wild animals, but he mustered up enough courage to continue the conversation.

"Do you ever experience any difficulty in collecting your bills?" he said. "I—

"Hi! show up there pard!" exclaimed Jake. "Bills, is it? Well I don't have no trouble with them. I just snag onto them while the patient is tied up."

"And what may I ask do you charge,"

"Charge, stranger. I charge just as much as the fellow has in his pockets. Oh, my charges are easy fixed."

The doctor looked at Jake in wonadmiration. Then he ventured one more question:

"Do you use anesthetes?" he inquired.

"Annie which?"

"Anesthetics. Drugs to steal away the senses you know."

"Oh, now I ketch you. What's the matter with a mallett."

For Sale.

A 16 h. p. Westenhouse traction engine with extra set of wheels, and a 36-in Westenhouse Separator and a Reeves osalting stacker, cheap for cash. Inquire of H. S. Johnston, Scio. 12-8-03.

A Costly Mistake.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive, Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c at E C Peery's drug tore.

The Best Prescription for Malaria.

Chills and fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 50c.

THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT THE ORIGINAL LIVER MEDICINE

A sallow complexion, dizziness, biliousness and a coated tongue are common indications of liver and kidney diseases. Stomach and bowel troubles, severe as they are, give immediate warning by pain, but liver and kidney troubles, though less painful at the start, are much harder to cure. Thedford's Black-Draught never fails to benefit diseased liver and weakened kidneys. It stirs up the torpid liver to throw off the germs of fever and ague. It is a certain preventive of cholera and Bright's disease of the kidneys. With kidneys reinforced by Thedford's Black-Draught thousands of persons have dwelt immune in the midst of yellow fever. Many families live in perfect health and have no other doctor than Thedford's Black-Draught. It is always on hand for use in an emergency and saves many expensive calls of a doctor.

Mullins, S. C., March 10, 1901.
I have used Thedford's Black-Draught for three years and I have not had to go to a doctor since I have been taking it. It is the best medicine for me that is on the market for liver and kidney troubles and dyspepsia and other complaints. Rev. A. G. LEWIS.

Corvallis & Eastern R. R.

TIME CARD.

No. 2, For Yaquina:—		
Train leaves Albany	12.45	P. M
" " Corvallis	2.00	"
" arrives Yaquina	6.20	"
No. 1, returning:		
Leaves Yaquina	6.45	A. M
Leaves Corvallis	11.30	"
Arrives Albany	12.15	P. M
No. 3, For Detroit:—		
Leaves Albany	7.00	A. M
Arrives Detroit	12.20	P. M
No. 4, from Detroit:—		
Leaves Detroit	1.0[illegible]	P. M.
Arrives Albany	6.55	P. M

Train No. 1 arrives in Albany in time to suffect with the S. P. south bound train, as well as giving two or three hours in Albany before departure of S. P. northbound train or Portland.

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TAKE DOWN REPEATING SHOTGUNS

A Winchester Take-Down Repeating Shotgun, with a strong shooting, full choked barrel, suitable for trap or duck shooting, and an extra interchangeable modified choke or cylinder bore barrel, for field shooting, *lists* at only $42.00. Dealers sell them for *less*. This makes a serviceable all round gun within reach of everybody's pocket book. Winchester Shotguns outshoot and outlast the most expensive double barrel guns and are just as reliable besides.

WINCHESTER REPEATING ARMS CO., - NEW HAVEN, CONN.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

has stood the test 25 years. Average Annual Sales over One and a Half Million bottles. Does this record of merit appeal to you? No Cure, No Pay. 50c.

Enclosed with every bottle is a Ten Cent package of Grove's Black Root Liver Pills.

CHRISTMAS

WILL SOON BE HERE

And everybody will expect a present of some kind. Even though small, costing but a few pennies, it will not be forgotten.

She would appreciate a pair of Xmas Slippers.

Ladies Blue Nullifier Slippers, $1.50 value for 90c
Ladies warm sole slippers, $1.25 value for 90c
Ladies Fur Trimmed U P Slippers, 1.50 value for $1.
Ladies Oriental trimmed Slippers. 1.75 value for 1.00

An Xmas Present He Would Like.

Gentlemens wine opera Slippers, reg. $2.50 for 1.90
Gentlemens tan monkey skin Slippers 1.00
Gentlemens velvet embroidered Slipers 50c

Children's Xmas Slippers.

Red felt fur trimmed Slippers, 50c per pair
Large sizes. 75c and 90c

Did you ever think how appropriate a pair of Blankets would be for Xmas.
We have them from 45c to 1.00 pairs

Santa Never Makes Mistakes.

He has been known to make present of Rugs, Carpets and Tapestry Portiers

Black Dress Goods Was Never known to be wrong for Xmas

Can be had at 20c to $3.00 the yard. A nice line of Novelty Dress Goods in white and colors.

$10 Men's Suits for $7.58
$8 " " 6.00
$16 Men's Overcoats at 11.78

Xmas Suspenders in Fancy Boxes,
A suit of Clothing for the Boy

G. D. TROTTER,

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DOLLS CHEAP

The town is flooded with dolls, for this reason we offer the following prices, with the same low price on all laege dolls:

14 inch Best Kid Body Dolls, Bisque Heads.....25c
17 " " " " " " " 58c
20 " " " " " " " 65c
Fancy Dressed Dolls.....25c

$10 DOLL FREE

See the beauty in our East Window and get aarticulars in the DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

IMPORTED CHINA

Beautiful decorated patterns for Xmas Presents.

HANDKERCHIEFS

500 Handkerchiefs in plain hemstitched, embroidereds and Lace trimmed every one worth 15 to 25c. Our Xmas price

5c to 10c each

Sales on waistings

Your choice of all $2.75 beautiful Mercerized and Oxfords Waistings FOR ONLY $1.98 pattern,

SHOES

Makes good useful Xmas presents and during our Xmas Sale we will make big reductions on all our popular priced Shoes. 100 styles of our popular $2.50 and $3.00 Shoes for $2.25. Ten pair to one of any Shoe store in the valley.

USEFUL PRESENTS FOR THE MEN FOLKS

TIES, MUFFLERS, SWEATERS, SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, HATS, HOUSE SLIPPERS and for instance a nice Suit of Clothe

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WE SAVE YOU MONEY

If its here it is good
If its good it is hera

For Fall season of 1903 we are bigger and better—have occupied the room which P. Cohen vacated and added a line of Men's Clothing and Overcoots, Rubber Goods, Hats, etc, giving us the newest stock in the city, and to introduce the line we shall make tempting prices.

Men's Suits $3.00 and up. Men's Overcoats $4.50 and up.
Men's Pants 85c and up. Men's Shirts 38c and up.

LADIES SKIRTS
New line just received.
Good Skirts $1.25. Others $1.50, $2.00, and up.

Ladies Jackets

Ladies new style coat $3.50 Ladies collarless co : $5.00
" Zibiline " $6.00 " kersy " $8.50

.....Shoes.....

Men's shoes, good grade $1.25. Box calf $2.00. Hercules waterproo
Full sine of ladies and childrens shoes and our prices can't be beat.

Plankets 50c to $8.00.

Men's heavy sanitary fleeced underwear.....5
Wool underwear.....90c u
Childrens heavy fleeced underwear, all sizes.....25c

A line of dress goods that will please the most dressy dressers of Oregon at prices to please you. We are showing the newest goods of the season.

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