

We are after your Shoe trade and offer you good values and guarantee the goods. During this month we have a big reduction on Men's and Boys' Slippers, and to close out several lines they will go at 25 per cent less than the regular price.

Men's Heavy Shoe, \$3.00, \$2.25 and \$3.50, shoes with outside counters \$2.  
Ladies' Calf and Grain Shoes, button and lace, all leather, for just one dollar.  
Boys' School Shoes, boys sizes \$1.25—Youths \$1.—

As complete a shoe store as though we carried nothing but shoes.

S. E. YOUNG & SON, Albany, Oregon.

**PURELY PERSONAL**

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Morrow were at Albany Saturday of last week.

John Leffler and B. E. Neal made a business trip to Salem last week.

M. E. Blyen visited relatives at Waterloo several days this week.

Miss Chamberlain, of Albany, is visiting the Misses Munkers in this city.

Miss Louise Scherer visited her sister, Mrs. Ben Schaefer, at Stayton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Montgomery were down from Kingston one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Johnston visited the latter's parents at Waterloo the latter part of last week.

Hamon Shelton Jr., of Jordan, was in Scio Monday and while here added his name to our subscription list.

J. N. Morris and daughters Zoe and Oma, visited the former's parents in Lebanon several days last week.

Geo. Sutherland returned the first of the week from Astoria. He had been clerking in a store near that place.

A. T. Powell and wife of Lacombe, and George Flammang and wife of Corvallis have been visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. G. E. Johnston, in this city this week.

It troubled with weak digestion, belching or sour stomach, use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will get quick relief. For sale by all dealers.

**WANTED—FAITHFUL PERSONS** to travel for well established house in a few counties, calling on retail merchants and agents. Local territory. Salary \$20.00 a week with expenses at dinner, all payable in cash each week. Money for expenses advanced. Position permanent. Business successful and rising. Standard House, 330 Dearborn St., Chicago.

**It Saved His Leg.**

P. A. Danforth of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a painful running sore on his leg, but writes that Bucklin's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by E. G. Peery druggist.

**Manager Wanted.**

Trustworthy lady or gentleman to manage business in this county and adjoining territory for well and favorably known house of solid financial standing. \$20.00 straight cash salary and expenses paid each Monday by check direct from headquarters. Expense money advanced. Position permanent. Address Manager, 810 Ohio Block, Chicago, Illinois.

**RUTS**

The walking sick, what a crowd of them there are. Persons who are thin and weak but not sick enough to go to bed.

"Chronic cases" that's what the doctors call them, which in common English means—long sickness.

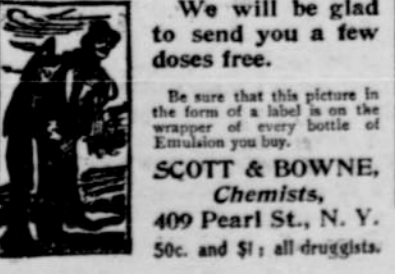
To stop the continued loss of flesh they need Scott's Emulsion. For the feeling of weakness they need Scott's Emulsion.

It makes new flesh and gives new life to the weak system.

Scott's Emulsion gets thin and weak persons out of the rut. It makes new, rich blood, strengthens the nerves and gives appetite for ordinary food.

Scott's Emulsion can be taken as long as sickness lasts and do good all the time.

There's new strength and flesh in every dose.



We will be glad to send you a few doses free.

Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

**SCOTT & BOWNE,**  
Chemists,  
409 Pearl St., N. Y.  
50c. and \$1. all druggists.

**LOCAL**

**Read Wesely Bros. ad.**  
Wesely Bros sell Kuppenheimer's clothing.  
Joe Wesely has been on the sick list this week.  
Cash paid for hides and pelts of all kinds. Guy McKnight.  
Judge Flinn, one of Albany's oldest citizens died last week.  
Born—Wednesday March 16, 1904, to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Strelje, a girl.  
A lot of new spring and summer dress goods, on display at Wesely Bros.  
Born, near Lacombe Tuesday Mar., 15, 1904, to Mr. and Mrs. John Purcell, a son.  
Chas Wesely received a car load of wagons and buggies from the east the first of the week.  
James Elkins, county treasurer, is a candidate for re-election on the republican ticket.  
Wilbur N. Piatler, D. M. D., will be at his Scio office the first half of each month. All work guaranteed.  
Look up Wesely Bros. ad and it will give you an idea the kind of dress goods that will be worn this spring.  
The two sons of James Knapp have been ill this week with what is thought at present to be typhoid fever.  
Ira Richardson was down from Jordan during the week. He was taken sick while here but is out again now.  
For Men Only. A fine line of Kuppenheimer's up-to-date clothing in all the spring and summer styles at Wesely Bros.  
The Linn county prohibition convention has been called to meet at the court house in Albany on March 25 for the nomination of a county ticket.  
Rev. Guy Phelps will commence a series of lectures on March 21st, at the Baptist church. Subject, Prohibition, Local option, and other live issues of the day.  
Lost—In Scio some time ago a watch chain, representing a half moon and containing several sets, also a picture. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office.  
Grace V. Mellinger, an eloquent-ist of exceptional ability will give an entertainment at the Christian church on next Monday evening, March 21st. Admission 25c and 15c.  
S. W. Gaines was taken to Albany Wednesday where he will be under the care of an eye specialist, Dr. Elmer. His eye has improved some lately and he may possibly be able to save it.  
Ira A. Phelps has purchased an interest in the Harrisburg Bulletin and will move to that place from Albany to reside. He has many friends here who wish him success in his new venture.  
C. H. Buck has disposed of his barber shop this week to Ira Foren. Mr. Buck will sell his household good at public sale next Saturday, after which he will go to California in search of a location.  
Wenesday the 3 per cent reduction upon all taxes paid ceased, and now those wishing to pay their taxes will have to pay the full amount.  
About 3,200 taxpayers have taken advantage of this reduction, the amount being nearly \$100,000.  
Distinction has been won by Thomas Blyen, an O. A. C. graduate, who is now a student at Cornell. He has received a commission by the Cornell authorities to go to St. Louis and make drawings of certain machinery to be displayed at the World's Fair—Corvallis Times.  
Mrs. Barlow Ethel and Lee stated Thursday morning for Scio, Oregon, where they expect to spend the summer. Whether or not Norcutt ever sees them again depends, but there are many who hope for their early return.—Nortcutt (Kansas) Register.

**The Commandments Revised.**

The following Ten Commandments, revised and strictly up-to-date, are herewith submitted as being worthy of perusal by all good and loyal citizens:

I.  
Thou shalt not go away from home to do thy trading, nor thy son nor thy daughter,  
II.  
Thou shalt do whatever lieth in thy power to encourage and promote the welfare of thine own city and thine own people.  
III.  
Thou shalt spend thine earnings at home, that they shall return from whence they come and give nourishment to such as may come after thee.  
IV.  
Thou shalt patronize thy home merchant and thy home printer, for yea, verily doeth not thy home printer spread over the land tidings of thy goodness and greatness that thy people shall patronize thee?  
V.  
Thou shalt not ask the printer to take less than his price. Remember by asking him to retreat from his price thou interest that he is a robber. If he hath not dignity thou wilt get done by him.  
VI.  
Thou shalt not ask for credit, as goods cost money, and the merchant's brain is burdened with bills. His children clamor daily for bread, and his wife at death at home for lack of such raiment as adorneth his sister.  
VII.  
Thou shalt not suffer the voice of pride to overcome thee, and if other towns enjoy thee, consent thou not, for thou mayest be deceived. Remember the fate of the calf that left its mother and followed a steer away from home and lost its supper.  
VIII.  
Thou shalt not ask for reduced prices for thine "influence," or guile in thine heart and the merchant rendeth it like an opera book. He laugheth, you to scorn and shoutest to his clerks, "Ha ha!"  
IX.  
Thou shalt not ask thy printer to take two dollars for a three dollar job because some other printer will do it for less money. The other printer may steal his stock and underpay his help. If thou trade with such as he, thou art an accessory to his crime.  
X.  
Thou shalt not bear false witness against the city wherein thou dwellest but speak well of it to all men that thy home and thy people may be proud of thee.

**Tragedy Averted.**

"Just in nick of time our little boy was saved" writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, Ohio. "Pneumonia had played sad havoc with him and a bad cough set in besides. Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and our darling was saved. He's now sound, and well." Everybody ought to know, it's the only sure cure for Coughs, Colds and Lung diseases. Guaranteed by E. G. Peery druggist. Price 50c and \$1 Trial bottles free.

**To Indian War Veterans.**

At Albany, Oregon, at eleven o'clock on the morning of Saturday, March 26th, 1904, there will be a meeting held of the Indian War Veterans, for the transaction of important and urgent business. Hon. Thomas Wade of Salem, will deliver an address. A full attendance is requested.  
JASON WHEELER, Captain.  
Albany, Or., Feb. 12, 1904.

**Best Remedy for Constipation.**

"The finest remedy for constipation I ever used is Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets," says Mr. Eli Butler, of Frankville, N. Y. "They act gently and without any unpleasant effect, and leave the bowels in a perfect natural condition." Sold by all dealers.

**Next Sunday the Portland Journal**

will issue its first Sunday edition. The Journal is becoming one of the leading newspapers of the coast and its Sunday editions can be expected to be a credit to its management.

**NOTICE.**

All persons are hereby warned not to trust my wife on any account as I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by her.  
FRANK RUNER.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

**Crabtree.**  
Mrs. Rose Kinzer is on the sick list this week.  
Enoch Miller and Thos Small were business visitors at Scio Friday.  
Carl Nolan, who was hurt by a fall last week is able to be up again.  
Mrs. T. J. Walker and children have moved down from Brownsville to Crabtree where Mr. Walker is cutting R R wood.  
Henry and John Kinzer were business visitors at Albany Friday.  
E-theer Hecker who has been quite sick for the past week is much improved.  
Many of the children in this community are afflicted with chicken pox in a mild form.  
Alfred Rehm who has been spending the winter at Mr. Schnuelle's has returned to his home in Minnesota.  
An auction sale was held here Thursday, and the personal effects of the late Jesse Dickens were disposed of. Owing to the good management of the overseers, a sufficient amount was realized to defray all expenses of deceased, including funeral expenses.  
Ben Sorenson left Tuesday for his new home at Woodburn.  
W. S. Paul recently lost 10 head of cattle and two horses.  
Loren Miller and John deserve special mention for the active part they have taken in improving the sidewalks in this place.  
Laura, the six year-old daughter of John and Anna Middlestadt, was burned to death at her home near Crabtree on Saturday, March 12, 1904. The little one was playing with two other children near a fire where her father had been burning brush, and in some manner her clothing caught fire and her entire body was soon enveloped in flames. Suffering from pain and excitement, she ran some distance before her mother could overtake her. Her clothes were nearly all burned from her body and she had inhaled the flames, as her mouth and tongue were badly burned. The mother was also badly burned in attempt to rescue her child. Nothing could be done to relieve the little sufferer and she lingered all through the long day on clouds, but uncomplaining, and when the shades of evening gathered the angels called her home.  
The remains were laid to rest in the Providence cemetery.  
The sympathy of the community is with the saddened family.  
A tender little flower  
The reaper marked with care,  
A soul by sin unmarked,  
A blossom white and fair,  
The Heavenly portals opened,  
The angels whispered, "come,"  
And to the Heavenly mansion  
They bore her spirit home.  
Weep not, oh heart of earth  
That our sweet flower is given,  
For in God's word 'tis said:  
"Of such is the kingdom of heaven."  
And for the tiny blossom,  
In God's great garden blown,  
A little white robed angel,  
Has safely reached the throne.

**Munkers.**

B. S. Richardson was a county seat visitor Saturday.  
Miss Nellie DeVaney came over from Albany Saturday for a visit with her parents.  
Mrs. Tans, Quigley went to Harrisburg, Wednesday to visit Mrs. V. B. Davis.  
T. and M. Kelly went to Albany Tuesday.  
Mrs. G. W. Kuffie is reported quite ill with a gripe.  
Miss Sadie Sims returned to her home in Scio Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Nohel returned to McMinnville after a two week's visit with her father, J. T. Funk.  
H. O. Shilling made a business trip to Jefferson Friday.  
Mrs. R. B. Miller went over to Albany last week for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. O. W. M. Nichol.  
A very pleasant surprise party was given at the home of W. Wilson on Tuesday evening, about twenty-five being present. Whist was the leading game. Refreshments were served and at a late hour all departed for their homes each deciding the evening had been pleasant spent.

**Jordan.**

Emma Burton will soon return home from Stayton where she has been attending school this winter.  
A pleasant social party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Hall on Friday evening.  
Dean Thomas left Monday for Arlington.  
Don Ray has returned home from Seattle where he has been taking medical treatment.

**SAILOR'S NARROW ESCAPE.**

**Falls Overboard, and is Surrounded by Sharks When Rescued.**

Sylus Johnson, a sailor, on board the British steamer Ellamy, which recently arrived at Mobile, Ala., had a most thrilling experience while the steamer was on the voyage to that port. Shortly after leaving St. Vincent, and when the vessel was some-thing more than 200 miles to sea, Johnson, who was going about his duties on deck, went to one side to attend to some lines. Leaning far over the railing, he lost his balance and plunged head first into the water. Several men on deck saw Johnson as he fell, and signaled for the engines to be reversed, at the same time throwing a life-preserver to him, but this he failed to get, as the seas were running high. The Ellamy was going a speed of ten or twelve knots per hour, and, although the engines were reversed, she had gone a good distance from where Johnson fell overboard before a boat could be lowered.  
Johnson, in the meantime, was struggling to keep himself afloat, knowing that some one would come to his rescue. He divested himself of all his clothing, thus making the task of swimming in the high seas much easier. Shortly after doing this, and as he was floating along, he saw to his consternation that several big sharks were moving around him as if undecided whether to eat him or wait awhile. Every time the sharks would approach him, Johnson would beat the water and yell at the top of his voice in an effort to scare them away. Johnson was almost exhausted with swimming and calling for help when Second Mate Aushon and First Officer Nicholson, who put out in a small boat as soon as the vessel had been stopped, rowed up and pulled the almost exhausted form into the boat. They rescued him from the jaws of death and were hauled on board. Johnson was overcome from his long stay in the water and his thrilling experience with the sharks.

**COLLAR PHILOSOPHY**

There are few subjects which should be discussed with anything but an impartial mind if it is desired to render a just opinion on their merits and demerits, and the subject of collars is assuredly no exception to this rule. At the same time it must be admitted that the only proper way to discuss this subject is first to remove it—a somewhat paradoxical statement, but perfectly clear to all who are well versed in the subject. Thus the collar, if retained, would become one of the strongest arguments against it.

Therefore, we will remove our collar and plunge at once into a discussion of the reasons for its existence, its good points and its shortcomings, and its ultimate fate, and endeavor, if possible, to decide whether the world would be any happier or brighter for the abolition of collars, or whether collars per se have added to the misery of existence. The exact time when collars were first worn cannot be set down with any degree of certainty, but it is reasonable to assume that they came into being for utilitarian rather than for ornamental purposes. It is well known that the collars of our primitive ancestors were substantially made of animal skins, and were of a simple and unadorned character, and it is to be conjectured that the immediate forbears of the modern collar had an equally useful if not so strenuous an origin. As a matter of fact, then, it would appear at first glance that the collar of today is but a degenerate descendant of such weighty progenitors; but a survey of the uses to which collars are now put should convince one that the plain linen band has grounds for existence equally well based with those of its great-great-great-grandfathers.

In the first place, collars serve to overcome the shortcomings of nature. A six-inch neck with a protruding Adam's apple could never hope to get on in the world unassisted by collar. Such a neck would be simply impossible. Similarly, a one-inch neck with a fourly chin. Some of our greatest financiers and most astute statesmen would be wallowing in sloughs of despond today were it not for the ubiquitous collar. Hence the variety of collars, and hence the necessity for keeping one's neck well groomed. The farmers' boys who achieve national fame doubtless owe much to the collar they donned when they entered upon an urban career. The rich men's sons who waste their time in idleness and their money in monuments to failure may justly attribute many of their errors to an ill-advised selection of collars. Everything has a place and every neck has a collar, but not any collar.

Again, collars are highly ornamental. This may not appear true on the surface, but may safely be stated in view of the world discoveries that the medical gentlemen are now making. We live in a world of germs. The food we eat, the water we drink, the very air we breathe are all laden with insidious, wicked and death-dealing organisms of less than atomic corporeity but more than mortal danger. Collars, with which we come into contact is germladen, the wise men of the mortar tell us. Through the very pores of our skin death blows are delivered. Now, the wearing of a striking example of the importance of collars from a national standpoint is afforded by the Chinese exclusion act. Dryou think we would ever excluded the Chinese if we had already had it in our minds to do so. Should the benighted laundrymen of Chinatown ever learn that all their fellow countrymen need do in order to get an entrance into this delectable kingdom is to don collars, the water works of congress would be a merry thing, but the rest of the nation would pay the paper.

In truth, collars have their shortcomings, but we have already hinted at one fatal one: they irritate one when one is heated—and we have obviated this fault, for the present, by removing our collar. But there are times when the collar cannot with propriety be removed, such occasions are multiplying daily with the ever-increasing variety of parlor games being placed on the market by enterprising dealers. A ping-pong enthusiast, for example, must feel worried when he is called upon to display his skill at a social gathering. How he would like to rip that band of linen from his neck, but he dares not violate the conventionalities. And his opponent, a chubby faced college youth with comfortable turn-down collar, or a sporting dandy with queer, stubby, little turn-up, grin at him comfortably, while he, perspiring in his ridiculous but fashionable shaker, makes ineffectual and feeble attempts to drive, out or kill the tiny celluloid sphere. Moreover, if it were not for collars we would not be cursed with collar buttons, those imp of mischief who delight to irritate in most unexpected quarters while their aggrieved owner is hunting for them on an evening knee. But there—everyone will be satisfied with a mere hint at that line of argument. The subject is distasteful to a well-regulated mind, and the morbid should never be encouraged.

Taking all things into consideration, the problem presented by the collar is one that every man should solve for himself. It simply means that the collarless man is likely to have more physical comfort but possibly nothing of worldly success, with the collar-wearing individual will probably have more riches, honor and advancement thrust upon him, but certainly none of the physical enjoyments attendant upon the extension led by the former. Which do you prefer? Just think a bit about it.—N. Y. Times.

**Market Report.**

The following reports are corrected every Thursday noon and go absolutely correct at that time:

Eggs 14c.  
Butter 35¢ @ 40c.  
Chickens 12c lb.  
Turkeys 18c lb.  
Geese 7c lb.  
Lard 14c lb.  
Bacon 13½c lb.  
Hams 16c lb.

**Proper Treatment of Pneumonia.**

Pneumonia is too dangerous a disease for anyone to attempt to doctor himself, although he may have the proper remedies at hand. A physician should always be called. It should be borne in mind, however, that pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of the grip, and that by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the threatened attack of pneumonia may be warded off. This remedy is also used by physicians in the treatment of pneumonia with the best results. Dr. W. J. Smith, of Sanders Ala., who is also a druggist says of it: "I have been selling Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and prescribing it in my practice for the past six years. I use it in cases of pneumonia and have always gotten the best results. For sale by all dealers.

**WANTED—SEVERAL INDUSTRI-**

ous persons in each state to travel for house established eleven years and with a large capital, to call upon merchants and agents for successful and profitable line. Permanent engagement. Weekly cash salary of \$24 and all traveling expenses and hotel bills advanced in cash each week. Experience not essential. Mention reference and enclose self-addressed envelope. The National, 332 Dearborn St., Chicago.

**Cheap Sunday Dates Between Port-**

land and Willamette Valley Points.  
Low round trip rates have been placed in effect between Portland and Willamette valley points in either direction. Ticket will be sold Saturday's and Sundays and limited to return on or before the following Monday. Round trip from West Scio, \$2.50.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day.**

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c

**WANTED—A trustworthy gentleman**

or lady in each county to manage business for a well established house of solid financial standing. A salary of \$20.00 per week with all expenses paid by check each Monday with all expenses advanced. Position permanent. Enclose self-addressed envelope. Manager, 330 Dearborn Bldg., Chicago.

**You Know What You are Taking**

When you take a tasteless, tasteless, Chilli-Ton because the for Lina is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No cure. No pay. 50c.

**ALL IN!**

A lot of Spring and Summer dreams in ladies dress goods, something that you will delight in wearing this Spring, and also "In the Good Old Summer Time." A collection of all the newest ideas and weaves in up-to-date goods such as

Fancy mohairs, Tambour mohair splash, Tana mohair suitings, Tyrean suitings, Scotch novelty suitings, Vaile Nappi Etamines, Albatross, Granite clothe's, Plain vailes Baulonne vailes Mestral's Num's veil-Vaile Crepe

For Utility, Beauty and variety in style our dress goods we are in the lead. Our line of TRIMMINGS AND ACCESSORIES Are up to date, Yours for up to date stuff,

**WESELY BROS.**

To Cure a Cold in One Day Cures Only in Two Days. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. E. W. Grove on every box. 25c. This signature, E. W. Grove

Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months.