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Special Sale

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WALL PAPER, CARPETS
and LINOLEUM

It will pay you to investigate. We have a large stock on hand and must sell it in order to make room for my spring stock. This is practically a clearance sale : : :

CHAS. WESELY, Scio, Ore.

We wish you all a
Happy New
Year



WESELY & CAIN

We wish you a
Happy New Year

And may 1910 bring you health
and happiness, with the largest
measure of prosperity you have
ever enjoyed



J. F. WESELY

We Wish you
a Prosperous and
Happy New Year



E. C. PEERY

DATA SHOWS HEALTH

Births Are More Numerous Than
Deaths During The Year.

MARRIAGES ARE VERY SHORT

Until The Close of the Year When They
Make a Rapid Gain—Four in
Closing Week

Below we give a list of births, marriages and deaths which are of interest to the people of Scio and vicinity. These lists are not absolutely accurate, as neither of our physicians have kept complete data of births and deaths. We have tried to gather complete data from the files of the News, but some of them, doubtless have been overlooked.

MARRIAGES
Jan. 6—Earnest Rex and Leita Woodmansee.
Oct. 12—Roger M. Cain and Emma Wesely.
Nov. 9—Walter E. Myer and Myrtle Turnidge.
Nov. 24—Joseph Bartu and Nettie Stepanek.
Dec. 22—George Sandner and Nellie Dart.
Dec. 22—J. W. Hiron and Freda Dart.
Dec. 22—William J. Dart and Miss Overholts.
Dec. 27—Otto Rahn and Rose Crabtree.
Dec. 29—Oscar Hutchinson and Alda Powell.

DEATHS
Jan. 29—Joseph Wesely Crank, in California.
Feb. 18—Richard Carmichael, London Springs.
Feb. 13—Eliza Allison, Mankots, Minn.
March 28—Charlotte Shelton Thomas, N. Lebanon.
March 21—L. C. Miller, Woodburn.
April 1—Allen Van Ness, Scio.
April 13—W. T. Hickman, S. W. of Scio.
April 18—G. W. Phillips, Scio.
April 19—Lee Gonsauls, Lebanon.
April 21—John Vastekka, E. of Scio.
June 12—Andrew Reisterer, Bilyeu Den.

June 17—Enos Vernon, near Shelburn.
June 26—David J. Neal, S. of Scio.
July 13—Joseph Boyanovsky, Beaver Creek.
July 26—George W. Vernon, near Shelburn.
July 25—James P. Crabtree, S. of Scio.
August 19—Lewis Stringer, Salem.
August 9—J. B. Trask, Stayton.
Sept. —Infant, Perry Bilyeu, Scio.
Oct. 13—Dr. J. A. Lamberson, Lebanon.
Nov. 14—L. E. Miller, Scio.
Dec. 11—Wenzel Bollish, S. of Scio.

BIRTHS
Jan. 16—John Simanek, son.
Jan. 19—H. Phillips, son.
Feb. 19—John M. Miller, daughter.
March 9—Frank J. Tschauer, son.
Feb. 27—William Knauf, son.
March 4—Lucius Plunket, twins.
March 20—Marion Brown, son.
April 3—John F. Sommer, son.
April 2—Jas. W. Wilson, son.
May 15—Frank Stupke, son.
May 16—J. D. Agee, daughter.
June 29—Henry M. Stam, son.
July 26—J. F. Wesely, son.
July 27—L. Osborn, son.
July 27—John Grimes, daughter.
July 28—Dr. T. K. Sanderson, son.
Sept. 18—Chas. Oglesbee, daughter.
Sept. 20—M. Mubly, daughter.
August 20—Mike Kelley, daughter.
Sept. 16—Robt C. Pepperling, daughter.
Oct. 1—Fred Holzfoos, son.
Oct. 12—Anton Lockiner, son.
Oct. 20—John White, son.
Oct. 23—Tom Evans, daughter.
Oct. 25—C. G. Gough, son.
Nov. 14—S. F. Zysset, daughter.
Dec. 5—Rudolph Wesely, daughter.
Dec. 11—William Serfling, daughter.
Dec. 22—H. S. Johnston, son.
Dec. 25—J. C. Leffler.

On The Way.
Our car load of wire is on the way. As soon as it arrives we will offer the wire at 35½ cents per rod, 9-bar 40 inches high, all steel, at West Scio, CHAS WESELY.

A Triangular Wedding.

Probably the only triangular wedding in the history of Linn County occurred over at Albany last week. It is, also, doubtful if any marriage ceremony, even in the entire state of Oregon, changed three young people, members of one family, into married folks.

We allude to the triple marriage in which George A. Sandner and Nellie L. Dart, William J. Dart and Miss Overholts and J. W. Hiron and Freda Dart were united in marriage in one and the same time.

As one-half of the contracting parties belong to the Dart family, it should be called "A Dart Wedding" in which Cupid, not only metaphorically, but actually did fire Darts with fatal effect.

But why should there not be a triangular wedding? All of these contracting parties live within the lines of an immense triangle of which the North Santiam, the South Santiam and the Cascade mountains are the sides.

The News congratulates this triangle, that is to say, the triangle in which Cupid is supposed to have held sway. We congratulate each side of it and predict a life of happiness and prosperity for each of the three couples.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS IN BRIEF

Newsy Items Gathered From All
Parts of the World

PREPARED FOR BUSY READERS

Less Important But Not Less Interesting
Happenings in This and From
Other States

A wild cat was killed within the city limits of Albany, Monday night. The animal had been making quite free with the hen roosts.

It is stated that Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, will soon be appointed ambassador, to Great Britain to succeed Whitelaw Reid.

Governor Benson has refused to honor the requisition of the Governor of Washington for the extradition of Editor Overman, of the Shanoico Star, who is wanted at Spokane for obtaining money on a bogus check.

The cost of maintaining the public schools in Multnomah, or rather Portland has increased, according to Assessor Sigler's figures, 723 per cent. in the past seven years. The increase of school population during the same period has been 75 per cent.

Zelaya, who but lately resigned the presidency of Nicaragua, has fled to Mexico. It is not yet settled who will succeed him, whether the Zalaya government will be able to maintain another president or whether the apparently successful rebellion will name the president.

County Judge Webster, of Multnomah, will, it is stated, resign early in next month. Governor Benson will not indicate whom he will appoint to succeed him. T. J. Cleeton and John C. Shillock, both of Portland, are mentioned as the most prominent candidates for the place.

Fourteen billion pieces of mail matter have been handled by the United States postal department, during the past year. There are 60,144 post offices and 40,628 rural routes. The deficit for 1909 is \$17,000,000. The loss is due to the rural routes, second-class postal matter and the franking privilege used by congressmen and other government officers.

New Irrigation Book Free

"Well Irrigation for Small Farms" is a publication just issued by the General Passenger Department, of the Oregon Railroad and Navigation Co., and Southern Pacific—Lines in Oregon. This booklet sets forth in a practical concise way the possibilities for profit of inexpensive irrigation, and should be in the hands of every farmer in Oregon.

Copies may be obtained free on application to Wm. McMurray, General Passenger Agent, O. R. & N., and S.P. Lines in Oregon, Portland, Ore.

Mr. Oscar Hutchinson, of Portland, and Miss Alda Powell, of Scio, were married in Albany on December 29.

HENEY ASKS TRUTH

Files Libel-Damage Suit To Prove
Integrity.

NEW YORK TO GIVE JURY

Prosecutor Wants \$250,000 From W. J. Crocker for Attacks made upon His Method of Conducting Graft Trials

New York, Dec. 28.—The formal complaint in the libel-damage suit of Francis J. Heney, of San Francisco, against W. J. Crocker, the California millionaire, for \$250,000 was filed here yesterday.

Heney says he bases his action on an open letter bearing Crocker's name, which appeared in a New York evening newspaper on December 3, in which Mr. Crocker defended his action in first supporting Heney in the San Francisco graft prosecutions and later withdrawing his support.

James M. Beck, counsel for Mr. Heney, said:

"As soon as Mr. Crocker's letter was published, Mr. Heney telegraphed me to bring this suit. Mr. Heney, who nearly gave his life to the cause of exposing corruption in San Francisco, desires to settle the question as to whether he conducted the prosecutions against the San Francisco grafters in an honorable and legitimate way.

"In the heat of the great contest in San Francisco many charges were made by irresponsible men against Mr. Heney, but when Mr. Crocker assumed responsibility for these charges and gave them wide circulation in a responsible organ of public opinion, Mr. Heney felt his opportunity had come to have a jury of his fellow-countrymen determine the accuracy of the charges against him.

"In San Francisco the graft prosecutions have so divided its people into hostile camps that it would seem to me a matter of exceeding difficulty to obtain a jury that would consider the questions involved with absolute impartiality.

"In New York, however, there can be no selfish interest in the issues that grew out of the San Francisco graft prosecutions, and here a jury can be selected that can impartially and fearlessly judge between Mr. Crocker's grave accusations and Mr. Heney's account of his stewardship as a public official."

Lodge Officers.

Scio Lodge A. F. & A. M. elected and installed the following officers, at the regular monthly meeting, last Saturday night:

W. M., A. G. Prill
S. W., P. H. Macdonald
J. W., W. S. Paul
Treasurer, W. A. Ewing
Secretary, E. D. Myers
Tyler, N. Young
S. D., A. E. Randall
J. D., G. A. Griffin
Steward, J. T. Funk
Steward, H. M. Myer.

Dierdorff Lodge No. 54, I. O. O. F.

The elective officers are as follows:
N. G., J. L. Calavan
V. G., M. I. C. Arnold
Rec. Secty., L. W. Pomeroy
F. Secty., L. W. Pomeroy
Treasurer, Perry Bilyeu

Leon Rebacca Lodge No. 84

N. G., Mrs. Julia Bilyeu
V. G., Miss Mary Crabtree
Secty., M. I. C. Arnold
Treas., Mrs. M. E. Holland.

Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of L. C. Miller Deceased has Filed in the County Court of Linn County Oregon his final account in said Estate and said Court has fixed Monday the 20th day of December 1909 at 1 o'clock p. m. of said day and at the County Court room of said court in the City of Albany in said County as the time and place of hearing said final account and all objections legally filed thereto. Dated November 17 1909.

J. F. Potter
Administrator.

W. H. Queener.

Atty. for Administrator.

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Twelve Mills is The Levy

At a special school meeting held last Saturday to fix the tax levy for school purposes for the coming year, it was decided that 12 mills would be necessary. 10 mills to pay teachers and 2 mills to make necessary repairs to the school building preparatory to handling the eleventh and twelfth grades, which will be required next year.

The efficient manner in which our schools are being managed this year, makes the people willing to finance the school in a proper manner. Also, as Scio is mainly responsible for the adoption of the County High school, it should be willing to go to any reasonable expense to make it a success. Scio may be counted upon as being, at least, among the leaders in all that go to build up a splendid system.

Good Roads Meeting.

Banner Grange has arranged for a Good Roads meeting at its first meeting in January, the 8th when Civil Engineer G. V. Skelton, of O. A. C. will be the lecturer. All newly appointed road supervisors, as well as the old and the public in general, are urged to attend the open meeting in the afternoon. E. C. PEERY, Lecturer.

THE EARTH'S CENTER HOLDS LIFE'S SECRETS.

NATURE'S CHEMISTRY BEST FOR
HEALTH.

So Claims Science after Careful Study
of Mineral Springs and Natural
Waters.

It is now established firmly in the scientific mind that nature, through her mineral springs and her bubbling health waters, produces curative powers which cure certain diseases more surely than man can do.

Recent attention directed to California's most wonderful hot springs at Paso Robles, by phenomenal cure of disease, has shown the world that this resort is doing most marvelous work every day.

Science has done much to discover wherein lies the secret of natural water cures, but has not as yet been fully able to apply nature's chemistry from the laboratories of men.

It is said that at Paso Robles, more so than at any other health resort, the ideal medicinal, natural and pleasing requisites for health are found.

Here is a perfect atmospheric condition, not too much moisture, though it lies but 20 miles from the sea, no hot, dry winds. The secret of the perfect air is said to be a natural valley surrounded by high mountain ranges which permit only an equable highly sterilized air to settle into Paso Robles, a combination of the salt sea air and the dry land atmosphere, a rare health requisite.

The air condition, so perfect here, is lacking at most mineral water retreats, such as Carlsbad, Baden Baden and Kissingen in Europe.

The water at Paso Robles comes from the earth hot and cold. They are light and pure. One does not tire of them as one does at most resorts. They have a most soothing effect on the nerves, and in cases of dyspepsia, insomnia, nervous breakdown and paralysis bring almost instantaneous comfort and relief.

Women who have not enjoyed health for years seem, after a brief stay at these springs, to be beyond even the slightest evidence of former weakness. One meets scores of men who, being of the sporting fraternity and suffering from abuse of system from high living or alcoholic excess come here to be made well and strong again.

Children and the aged are seen going about in the warm sun, for while by day the temperature is hot, no one is ever exhausted and sunstrokes never occur.

This spot is California's gift to the world, and science marvels at the wonderful cures daily being made at Paso Robles.

A small book, neatly illustrated, has been recently published by the management telling the story of the Hot Springs in a most interesting manner and giving complete information. Send for it, either to Wm. McMurray, General Passenger Agent of the O. R. & N., Portland, Ore., or Dr. F. W. Sawyer, manager, Paso Robles, Cal.

Vetch Straw For Sale

I have 20 tons of vetch straw, which is equal to or better than cheat hay, at \$10 per ton.

S. W. GAINES, Santiam Farm