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LOCAL BREVITIES.

For Sale—S. C. White Leghorn hens Mrs. T. Stockton, Sheridan, Oregon.

For Sale—Four thorough bred white Minorca Cockerels. Price \$1.00.

E. W. Edwards, of Salem, is visiting his son, A. E., in this city.

Prof. Mize, of the city schools, made Portland a visit during holiday week.

Call on Hagey the Jeweler and see those Maher & Gresh Pocket knives.

Today (Friday) Lebanon will lay the cornerstone of her new high school building.

Anton Horlacher has gone over to Vancouver, Wash., to accept a position in a photograph gallery.

Quite a number of Scio citizens are utilizing this fine weather in cutting their fuel supply for next winter.

Attention is called to the big clearance sale ad. of L. E. & H. J. Hamilton, on the third page of this issue.

For a short time only subscriptions to the **SANTIAM NEWS** for one year and **Youth's Companion** for ten weeks for \$1.50.

E. A. Bishop, of Willowa, arrived in this city on Monday, on a visit to J. W. Compton. He has been away from Scio for 24 years.

Albany is endeavoring to obtain an additional city mail deliverer, which will, if allowed, make four carriers for the "Hub" city.

Thomas Small, of timber fame, came down and spent the holidays with home folks. While here his working associate, Mr. C. C. Grieser visited him.

Halley's comet is due to reach the Pacific coast, May 18, between the hours of 4 and 10 p. m. It is said the end of its 20,000,000-mile tail will brush the earth.

Banker and Ice King Morse, of New York, began serving his 15-year term in the Federal penitentiary at Atlanta Ga. on Monday. He was treated in every respect, the same as an ordinary prisoner.

FOR SALE—A good team of young bay horses weighing about 1000 pounds each, one driving mare, two top buggies nearly new, and two single buggy harness. Vernon Bros., R. F. D. No. 2, Scio Ore.

Honest values and low prices never fail to win in merchandising. Words taken from Wesely & Cain while preparing for their seventh big annual clearance sale that commences Tuesday January 4.

Mrs. Grace Shaw, died at her home near Albany, early last Friday morning. She was the wife of Charles L. Shaw, who was mentioned prominently for the office of county judge, during the last political campaign.

Ex-Land Commissioner Binger Hermann, will be placed on trial before the U. S. court in Portland, next Monday. Francis J. Heney will conduct the prosecution and Col. Worthington, of Washington D. C. will take care of the defense.

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorns. We have a few nice cockerels for sale, July hatched, at \$1 per bird and eggs for hatching in the season. No pairs stock than the above can be found anywhere. Also full blood Poland China hogs with pedigrees. Trappist Fathers, Scio, Oregon.

The **NEWS** has arranged a clubbing rate with the **Youth's Companion Publishing Co.** by which the **SANTIAM NEWS** and the **Youth's Companion** can be supplied for \$2.60 a year. The last named paper is the leading weekly magazine published in the country. Its contents are high class moral stories, and other instructive and entertaining matter. The subscription price is \$1.75. With the **NEWS**, as above noted, \$2.63.

Gates Cleanings

The first day of the New Year dawned bright and fair.

E. L. Payne has sold his merchantile business to Burr Horner.

Mr. Random and family visited their daughter at Albany, during the holidays.

Prof. Starr went to Salem to spend the holidays.

Miss Hart spent the holidays with her parents at Salem, returning Saturday.

Mrs. E. L. Stam and son, Walter, of Scio, spent Christmas with her son, Henry.

Jim Robertson is at home visiting his parents.

There was a grand mask ball Christmas eve.

Mrs. Maggie Stam and baby have the chicken pox.

Byron and Walter Wolf spent Christmas in Portland.

Mrs. Annie Smith has gone to Detroit and took charge of the post office at that place.

Mr. Howard spent Christmas at Portland.

Elmo Sims, of Scio, attended the mask ball.

BETSY BOBBETT.

West Scio Items.

Miss Grace Ellis, the Seventh Day Adventist school teacher, returned Sunday night from Portland, where she had been visiting with relatives and friends during the holidays.

An extra train arrived here one evening last week, bearing the inspectors of lights, colors and signals of the S. P. Co. Creating quite a little excitement around the station.

Mrs. W. J. Burden was in Albany several days last week, returning home Monday morning.

Morris Shinsberger, the night agent at the depot, spent New Year and Sunday with his parents at Woodburn.

W. J. Burden was in Portland a part of this week on business.

Another extra train came in here on Monday, and seven of the crew took dinner at the hotel De Winston. They were loading ties between West Scio and Shelburn.

A car load of hogs were loaded and shipped from this station the middle of this week, to Stockdale, for the Swift Packing Co.

Good Items

Dr. Beaucamy of Stayton, was called to attend Mrs. Stupka, who has trouble with her heart.

Fred Gooch returned home last Saturday.

Mrs. Farrens has been sick for some time and is unable to do her work.

Two men from Shelburn came up to work at Gooch.

Mrs. Phillips took two trips to Mill City last week on business.

Mrs. Cottrell has the lagrippe.

Chas. Faltus went to Scio Friday and returned Monday. SNOW CAP

Shelburn Siftings.

Miss Agnes Gibbons, one of L. M. Carl's stenographers, left for Albany, Monday, after spending a few days with home folks.

Emily and Mamie Agee spent Sunday with their aunt Mrs. L. Osborn.

Some time ago a petition was sent to the Railroad Commission asking for a special passenger train on the C. & E. between Albany and Hoover, the petition was examined carefully by the Commissioners with the result that a strictly passenger is to be put on at once between Albany and Mill City and from Mill City to Hoover a mixed passenger and freight.

J. N. Miller and son Buell spent New Year with home folks.

Catholic services were held New Year at the Hotel Shelburn.

Robert Wehrli, of Condon, is visiting with T. J. Gibbons.

Gabriel Miller, Monday, received the sad news of the death of his only daughter, Mrs. Larson, who died at her home in North Yakima, Monday morning. Many people of Scio and vicinity will remember Mrs. Larson as Miss Anna Miller.

The Farmers Meat Market will pay the highest market price for beef, mutton, veal, pork, hides and eggs. They don't want the earth, but they do want your produce and are willing to pay for it.

If you want to get the wire for 35 1/2 cents, leave your order now with us before all the fencing is gone. You will not have another opportunity to get this price after this car load is sold, as the wire is going up.

CHAS. WESELY

Look here! I can furnish you with groceries, lunch goods, post cards, stationery and school supplies, confectionery and tobaccos. Orders taken for office supplies and rubber stamps. Agency for the American Weekly.

C. G. GOUGH,
Scio, Oregon

Prof. V. L. Calavan, of the Shedd public school, spent the most of holiday week at the bedside of his mother, who lives in Bilyeu Den. Mrs. Calavan has been confined to her bed for the past fifteen months, and the fatal ending of the sickness is only a matter of a few days or weeks. Prof. Calavan returned to the field of his work last Saturday evening.

Roaring River Riples

Lee Gaines is making good progress with his grubbing, so they say.

J. W. Gaines is hale and hearty, this winter. He says he feels like a boy.

Mayme and Carson Davenport were up to spend Xmas with their parents, which was a happy surprise to the old folks.

Marvin Davenport is attending school this winter. Good idea Marvin.

Uncle James Charlton is enjoying good health, this winter. He thinks Roaring River is all right.

Charles Apple and wife spent the holidays with their parents in Stayton.

J. L. Davenport is busying himself looking at poor cows and empty barns now-a-days. Have courage John, you are not alone.

We have recently learned that Rev. J. W. Osborn, of Independence, is in very poor health. Mrs. Waddle, of Lacombe, is, also, of poor health.

H. A. Gaines made a flying trip to Portland last week.

W. L. Booker is still looking for a warm climate. Have courage, Will, it will rain by and by.

John White butchered two hogs, Saturday and one Sunday. Must have been very large ones.

Ben Schmitt will soon have his new house completed. Ben is a good workman.

Mrs. Laura Rose, of St. Johns, paid Mr. and Mrs. Perry Pitchford a visit during the holidays.

Warren Davis was called to Portland, Saturday, on account of the death of his grand mother.

As Farmers See It.

"Good morning neighbor Farmer. I see you are getting ready to put up some new wire fence. What kind are you going to use?"

"I have tried all kinds and find the American is the strongest and best fence on the market. So I will use the American. I can get more of it for less money, than of any other."

"How is that?"

"Well fence and cows are alike, in one respect. A 30-pound two per cent. cow is dear at any price, while a 30-pound four per cent. cow don't eat any more and is worth more than twice as much, and you will find about the same difference in fence."

"I understand about the cow, but how can you get more of the American fence for less money than of any other?"

"Well neighbor, I am pretty busy this morning. If you will call at the Scio Planing Mills, examine the fence and get the price, N. I. Morrison will answer that question and tell you all about it."

WIRE FENCE SALE.

I will have a car of American Farm fencing at West Scio, on or about January 1, 1910. About one half of this car has been sold and as I placed my order before the raise on wire of 2 cents per rod, parties wishing wire fencing, can have the benefit of the old price, if they place their orders before the car arrives, and receive the same at West Scio.

If you want fencing, now is the time to buy, as the next car will be higher in price and fencing will take even another raise before spring.

Leave your order at the Scio Planing Mills and I will notify you when the car arrives.

N. I. MORRISON,
Scio, Oregon.

To the Public

Whereas there have been certain statements made in the neighborhood near our residences, concerning our families, which are not founded on facts, we therefore publicly state that all such statements relative thereto are not true.

PAUL KOPECKY
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Dwelling house, 4 rooms and nearly one block of ground; 1 good couch, 4 chairs, 1 table, 1 stand, 1 No. 8 cook stove and 1 airtight stove, 2 bed stends and springs and 1 good \$6.50 mattress. Will sell cheap. Inquire of O. W. Compton.

On The Way.

Our car load of wire is on the way from the factory. As soon as it arrives we will offer the wire at 35 1/2 cent per rod, 9-bar 40 inches high, at West Scio.

CHAS WESELY

Odd Fellows and Rebeccas Annual Social

The annual social of the Odd Fellows and Rebecca lodges of Scio was held at their hall on last Saturday evening, January 1.

A musical and literary program was rendered by members of both lodges which was well received and carried out.

A nail driving contest, for the ladies, for which a suitable prize was given, made things lively for a time. The lady driving the most nails in three minutes, was adjudged the winner. Mrs. J. L. Calavan, won the honor. A button sewing contest for men, requiring the sewing on of 4 buttons with 4 stitches each way and tying same, was won by Mike Bilyeu, who being a single man, had the advantage in this line of work from much experience. Several other contests and games were indulged in until 10:30 p. m., when all were invited to partake of a bountiful lunch, after which a judge and several marshalls were chosen, all of the men present were fined from 10 cents to \$1 each, for various offences too numerous to mention. The fines so collected were by vote donated to the Rebecca lodge, for their use.

Several applications for membership in the Odd Fellows, and 12 for the Rebeccas, were secured; resulting in a most profitable as well as a successful social event.

Albany's Great Annual Event.

Commencing Saturday, January 8th, Albany's "Big Daylight store" announces their famous Annual Clearance Sale. The greatest large-scale event of the year in Albany, and one that brings thousands of people to Albany, it's an occasion watched for by shrewd buyers all over the Willamette Valley. This big store is by far the largest of its kind between Portland and Sacramento.

The worry of having anything made is all over when you visit this emporium, for here you will find everything imaginable as described in fashion books, all ready to wear. This progressive store does not believe in carrying goods over and advertise for this. Their Great Annual Clearance Sale, goods so cheap and at such terrific cut prices that it would pay people to go a hundred miles to buy goods. To think of choice from 1000 suits, coats, capes, dresses and skirts for 40 and 50c on the dollar, some less than half, and furs for half price. Children's coats, new fall styles up to fourteen years old, for 8c and women's coats, all wool broadcloth, Skinner's satin lined, worth up to \$20 for the little price of \$4.95. Shoes worth up to \$4.00 for \$1.00 per pair and trimmed and tailored hats worth up to \$12.00 for \$3.00 to \$3.88. This sale means a stock of over \$100,000 sacrificed at such cheap clean-up prices and the goods are the newest and best quality brought into the valley. Twenty-five salespeople will be there to wait upon the crowds that pack this big store during their Great Annual Clearance Sale. No wonder people wait for this sale after reading the prices offered on the Big Annual Sale circular. It is the one and only store of its kind that can and does advertise such cut prices, their stock is large enough to do it and they certainly give bargains.

You all know it is
CHAMBERS & McCUNE,
Albany, Oregon.

Administrator's Notice.

To all whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of G. W. Vernon, deceased, by the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same to the undersigned at Scio, Oregon with the proper vouchers, within six months from the date hereof. Dated this day of Dec. 1909.

J. F. LEFFLER,
Administrator.

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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.

The Local Markets.

The following are prices quoted on Thurs. at each week by our dealers:

Wheat, per bushel	\$1.10
Oats, per bushel	80
Barley, per bushel	1.00
Corn, per 100	28 00
Shorts, per ton	31 00
Chop, per ton	34 00
Straw, (country) per roll	20 00
Yiggs, per dozen	20 00
Chickens, per pound	13
Chickens, per pound, young broilers	12
Geese, per pound	17
Strucks, per pound	12
Stocks, per pound	12
Swet, per pound, live weight	10
Swet, dressed	10
Swet, per pound, for shipping	10
Swet, per pound, for shipping	10
Swet, per pound, dressed	10

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