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Executrix Notice

To All Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that from and after the 16th day of May, 1910, I, as the executrix of the estate of B. F. McDonald, deceased, shall, in pursuance of an order of the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, proceed to sell at private sale for cash in hand at said sale all the right, title and estate which said deceased had in and to the following described real property at the time of his death, to-wit:

Beginning at a point 26.67 chains West of the Southeast corner of the William Gilchrist D. L. C. Not. No. 5754, Claim No. 43 in Townships 9 and 10, South Range one East of the Willamette Meridian in Linn County, Oregon, and running thence South 89 degrees West 18.33 chains, thence North 10 chains, thence South 89 degrees West 23.85 chains, thence North 15 degrees and forty minutes East 10.24 chains, thence North 69 degrees and 30 minutes East 42 chains, more or less, to a point North of the place of beginning and 34.35 chains distant from said place of beginning and on the East line of the lands belonging to the said estate of said B. F. McDonald, deceased, in said D. L. C. and thence South 34.35 chains on said East boundary line to the said place of beginning, and containing 90 acres, more or less.

The estate and interest which said deceased had in and to said premises at the time of his death being a fee simple estate.

Dated this 15th day of April, 1910.

ALICE McDONALD
Executrix of
B. F. McDonald, deceased

Summer school at Albany College begins July 5; preparation for all grades county and state certificates or for college entrance; methods classes. Principals, President H. M. Crooks and Co.—Superintendent W. L. Jackson.

THE OTHER SIDE

The Scio Base Ball Players Think The Stayton Mail's Write Up of the Game Rotten

There are always two sides to a controversy or an athletic contest. Sometimes these contests become so intensely interesting and the rivalry so warm that the feeling works up to a fever heat. Such, evidently, was the case in ball contest between Scio and Stayton, at Stayton on Sunday, April 24. The Mail's write up of the game was so one-sided and far from the truth, according to the Scioans present, that our boys desired that their side of the contest should be given.

For three years, Scio ball players have played the initial game with Stayton, with the understanding that Stayton would give a return game at Scio; but for some reason or another, have failed to do so.

The sum of the offending, this year, according to the Mail's distorted view, rests upon the umpire, W. W. Williams, of this city. Mr. Williams is a ball player of several years experience; was the manager for Scio, last year, and may, therefore, be supposed to understand the rules of base ball, thoroughly.

In the game in question, Umpire Williams called the attention of the Stayton pitcher to the fact that he was making frequent balks in his delivery of the ball and, finally, warned him not to do so again. This is what gave the Stayton editor the idea that Williams was instructing the Stayton twirler how to deliver the ball. The seventh inning, wherein Stayton quit the field, thereby forfeiting the game by a score of 9 to 0 in Scio's favor, furnished the cause for Stayton's abrupt action.

Roll Morris is one of the best and most experienced of Scio's ball players. The Stayton Mail says he did not touch the home plate by four or five feet, when the catcher touched him with the ball. Morris says he touched the base, as required by the rules, and that the catcher never touched him, though he tried to do so with his left or mit hand, while holding the ball in his right hand. The Stayton scorer had scored the run to Scio's credit before Umpire Williams called the run safe.

Because of this decision, Stayton quit the diamond and the red letter editor of the Mail proceeded to lambast the Scio players as a crowd of hoodlums and unfit to play in a game with Stayton's gentlemanly (?) players. Well, we suppose that we will have to submit to the roast. But, then, as the source is something akin to the kick of an animal, the ancestor of which is said to have been owned by Baalam of Biblical fame, the aforesaid roast does not hurt much. Stayton is billed for a return game on the Scio diamond, next Sunday. The News will assure them gentlemanly and fair treatment and, also, that the Scio boys will not quit the game until the full nine innings are played, even if an umpire's decision should, seemingly, give them the worst of it.

However, if Stayton thinks she has the better ball team and is willing to back it with a wager, the NEWS is authorized to issue the following:

CHALLENGE—The Scio base ball team hereby challenges the Stayton base ball team to play a match game, upon any grounds both teams may agree upon, with a disinterested umpire from some town other than Stayton or Scio; the teams to line up the same players which participated in the game at Stayton on April 24, for a purse of \$250 a side.

This challenge is issued in a friendly spirit and will demonstrate which team are the better players. It will also give the Stayton 20 dollar-a-week editor another opportunity to roast some more.

25 cent buys a nice large gingham apron, and 35 cents buys a fancy white one at Wesely & Cain.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Extra large sizes in ladies waists at Wesely and Cain, made up in the latest styles in sizes 42-44-46-48 and 50.

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LOST—A black shepherd dog, two white points, white strip in face, yellow spots over eyes and tip to tail. Had a leather strap and small ring on neck and answers to the name "Paddie." He is a long rangy dog and the owner, V. Philippi, is anxious to recover him. Notify the NEWS office or owner.

FOR SALE—One span of geldings, weight about 1100 pounds each. 7 and 8 years old; 1 set of buggy harness; 1 set of hack harness; 1 buggy, good as new; hack; riding bridle and saddle; 1600 pound Fairbanks standard platform scales, in first class order, at Trotters' store, Stayton, Oregon.

The boys and girls deserve the best chance that can be given them in the public schools; for few of them have a chance to get more education than is here furnished. If you pay taxes on one thousand dollars, you will pay four cents for training teachers to put into these schools. Vote Yes for Monmouth. J. B. V. BUTLER, Sec. Com.

A DOUBLE

Ben Gooch, manager of Scio's ball team and the popular pill maker for E. C. Peery, stole a base on his friends in Scio, by sneaking off Monday, and making the most sensational fly catch, of his life, in joining himself by marriage to Miss Carrie Rounds, of Corvallis. Ben is an excellent young man, has selected an excellent young lady for his life team mate and, if his home runs are sufficiently regular and at times most needed, he is sure to stand high on the score sheet and win the penant of life's series.

Railroad Progress

While the NEWS has nothing to report concerning the railroad this week, further than to say progress is being made in clearing the right of way and in arranging unsettled matters, etc., we can announce that there is nothing discouraging. Subscribers are a little backward in paying subscriptions and may delay progress somewhat; but we are assured that, otherwise, every point desired in the successful conclusion of the enterprise is being arranged satisfactory as rapidly as can be reached.

The consultation with the Albany Commercial club Wednesday evening, was quite satisfactory to the Scio business men present.

THE NEW FIRM

I, N. I. Morrison, have taken Mr. T. O. Neal as a partner in my hardware and implement store and the style of the new firm will hereafter be Morrison & Neal.

I thank you for your generous patronage in the past and solicit a continuance of your favors in the future.

I will still run the planing mills and will give you figures on your shop work which cannot be beaten anywhere in the valley. I have engaged Harry S. Johnston as shop foreman, but I will be there to help out on rush work. Anything you need to build with, such as lime, cement, sand, brick, etc., will be in stock. I will have a car of shingles, the last of this or the first of next week. Parties desiring shingles will do well if they get them at the car, thus saving the hauling. Leave your orders at once and I will notify you when the car arrives.

Yours for business,
N. I. MORRISON

Wanted

Bids for the position of city electrician from June 1, 1910 to February 1, 1911; bids to be considered May 5, 1910. The city council reserves the right to reject any or all applicants.

E. D. MYERS,
City Recorder.

FIRST GAME ON

HOME GROUNDS

Scio and Jefferson Play a Closely Contested Game

Probably there has never been a more interesting game played on the Scio ball grounds, than that played, last Sunday, Scio and Jefferson being the opposing teams. Two weeks ago, Scio played the first game of the series at Jefferson, and won. And when Jeff came over for the return game, Sunday one could see the determination to win, depicted in each of the players faces.

The Jefferson team was a few minutes late and "play ball" was not called until 3 p. m. with Jefferson at bat. The first man up made a hit and before the side retired, had crossed the home plate. Scio was retired without scoring.

In the second Jeff retired with a goose egg to her credit, while Scio got busy and pushed two men home before the third out.

The third inning resulted in a blank for each team; likewise the fourth.

Jeff scored a runner in the fifth; so did Scio.

Jeff retired with a blank from the fifth, but Scio, because of an error of Jeff at 3rd, added 3 runs to her total.

In the seventh Jeff retaliated in good style by adding 4 runs to her total while Scio earned another goose egg. The score sheet showed 6 tallies for each team and the contest became intensely interesting.

The eighth inning resulted in a blank for each team.

The ninth and final inning resulted Jeff, 0 and Scio 1. The winning run resulted from Arnold's fly to right field which enabled the Scio sprinter, who had been tarrying on 3rd to reach home.

The score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Jefferson	1	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	0-6
Scio	0	2	0	0	1	3	0	0	1-7

Batteries—Scio, Paterson and Baum, Jefferson, Looney and Driver. The game was a remarkable good exhibition of the great American pastime and the teams are very evenly matched.

The Scio people will be glad to have Jefferson play at Scio as often as convenient.

Oh, My! My! My!

There they go, there they go Across the bridge To the south side Hardware Store, Where they get their nails and locks, And barn door tracks and hangers, Tacks and brads, both small and large, Saws, hammers, squares and gauges, Tinware, graniteware, anything you want;

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