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THE ELECTION

On December 1 will be held the next city election at which there will be elected a mayor for a term of two years and six councilmen—three of whom are to serve for a term of two years and three for a term of one year. It will also be necessary to elect a city recorder and city treasurer to serve one year each. No marshal is to be elected as he is to be an appointive officer in the future.

Candidates must be nominated at least ten days before election and shall either be nominated by a mass convention or by petition signed by at least 15 voters and each candidate must file with the city recorder a written acceptance of his nomination.

It is to be hoped that the very best material possible will be nominated and elected. Men neither too radical nor too conservative should be elected. It is better to keep between the two extremes. It is more desirable to walk forward carefully than to run or to stand still.

It is probable that there will be more than one ticket in the field. If so let each be made up of good reliable men, so that the public's interest may be safe guarded which ever wins.

There should be no necessity for injecting ill feeling into the contest. Let each voter vote as he really believes best and give his neighbor the same right.

CONFIDENTIAL

The publisher wishes to express his hearty appreciation for the many kind words which have been given him by people who are pleased with his efforts to put out a newsy paper and also to the business firms and others who have placed advertising and job work with us. It costs money (and much more of it than many persons suppose) to get out a newspaper, and in so small a town as Scio the support of every business firm is needed and even then some work must be obtained from the outside. Every citizen of Scio and vicinity who is interested in the future growth of this section ought to be a subscriber to the local paper—not because of any particular person who may happen to

own it, but because a newspaper is to some extent public property. A newspaper is usually the yard stick with which strangers measure a town or community. No town with any pride likes to be without its local paper.

There is not an exchange that reaches our tables that carries as little local advertising as does the News. There are some 28 or 30 different firms and business establishments in Scio. About half of them are represented by local or display ads. We feel that more of them would be benefited by judicious advertising. Some, of course, could not be expected to carry very much, but most any one of them should have at least a card. We are not saying this by way of complaint. Some who have not been represented in our columns have already told us they would be ready to begin soon. The average weekly in a town of this size is a four page paper, two pages of which is printed at Portland and of the remaining two pages at least half of each is used for display ads.

The News has been giving two to three times as much space to news matter as several of our exchanges but we should also have our ad space used. The better support given, the better we can make the paper.

ALBANY'S APPLE SHOW

The News wishes to urge upon the people of the Santiam that a good attendance be given the Apple Show at Albany. The management is working hard, it is an event of interest to all parts of the county and we can show our appreciation of the commercial club's effort to send a big delegation to the county fair here last year. Let's help one another.

Notice of Hearing of Final Account

Notice is hereby given that the final account of Jacob Bartnik as executor of the last will and testament of Wenzl Bollish, deceased, has been filed in the county court of Linn county, State of Oregon, and that the 4th day of December, 1911, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m., has been duly appointed by such court for the hearing of objections to such final account and the settlement thereof, at which time any person interested in such estate may appear and file objections thereto in writing and contest the same.

Jacob Bartnik,
Executor
C. C. Bryant,
Attorney.
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Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, contains no mercury and is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Paper and Ink For Our Money.
The materials that go to make up our paper money are gathered together from all parts of the world. Part of the paper fiber is linen rag from the orient. The silk comes from China or Italy. The blue ink is made from German or Canadian cobalt. The black ink is made from Niagara falls acetylene gas smoke, and most of the green ink is green color mixed in white zinc sulphide in Germany. The red color in the seal is obtained from a pigment imported from Central America.—Scientific American.

LETTERS FROM OUR COUNTRY CORRESPONDENTS

Munkers Notes

Mrs. H. Shilling visited friends in this vicinity last week.

Mrs. R. S. Derrick and little daughters, Gladys and Ruby, returned to their home near Crabtree Sunday evening, after a short visit with Mrs. Derrick's sister, Mrs. Thos. Quigley.

A surprise party was given at Wm. Wilson's Saturday evening in honor of M. Wilson's 67th birthday. About thirty guests were present and spent the evening in playing pedro and later ice cream and cake were served by the hostess. The guests departed at an early hour and all reported a most pleasant time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hollyfield were guests at the home of Mrs. Hollyfield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Denny the first of the week.

Ethel Arnold, Guy Funk and Thos. Quigley were Albany visitors last week.

Chas. Apple visited relatives in Stayton the first of the week.

Oscar Berch returned to his home near Hepner last week after several weeks visit with his sister, Mrs. Shilling.

A. J. DeVaney of Jefferson, transacted business in this vicinity last week.

VIOLET

Santiam Farm Topics

Uncle Jim Fleener of Salem, visited old time friends the first of the week.

Scott Turner returned from Portland Saturday night and reports having had a nice time.

Geo. Sutherland and wife and Jim Bilyeu were in Albany Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Frank Forster came over from Crabtree Wednesday to get a supply of berry plants from the Santiam Farm.

Miss Effie Roda of Richardson Gap, is visiting Mrs. Roe Shelton for two weeks.

John Reeves of Sweet Home, was a caller over Thursday night of last week. He has just returned to his home after a trip of two years in Nevada and Mexico. He will start to Eastern Oregon Monday.

A poor old crippled tramp stopped at the Santiam Farm Friday for his breakfast. The good wife, Mrs. Gaines set the old man down to a square meal and filled his pockets when he left. He went away singing—

Amazing Grace How Sweet the Sound,
She's the Best Old Lady I Ever Found.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Libby, of Jefferson, visited Wm. Reed and sister of Racoon Hollow Saturday and Sunday.

The Southerland boys were out again Sunday with their Begal hounds chasing jack rabbits. They succeeded in catching three in the afternoon.

Rev. Roberts of Corvallis, was over Sunday to conduct the Sunday school and preached a short discourse. He is quite a talker.

Ward Cyrus called at the Santiam Farm a few minutes Wednesday night on special business while enroute a foot from his

father's place at the C. & E. railroad crossing of the South Santiam to Larwood district where he is teaching school.

The Santiam Farm butchered three fine porkers Wednesday which dressed 250 pounds each. Mr. Editor come out and get a square meal of spare ribs, as you failed to get your grapes on account of the hail storm.

PIE EATER.

Not being used to square meals Mr. Pie Eater, we fear the corners might hurt.—Ed.

Shelburn Items

Stanley Taylor made a business trip to Salem Sunday.

The rock crusher is doing some fine work and through it we expect to have better roads.

The services at the Catholic church were well attended last Sunday.

Rufus Russell spent last Sunday in this vicinity.

Jim George is now the proud owner of a motor cycle. Before the rain he took a number of spins.

WOOD BEE

PROMPTNESS.

Learn to act promptly. In the affairs of this life a prompt decision is often more important than a right decision. One man makes up his mind and acts, it may be wrongly, but if so he finds out his mistake, corrects and retrieves it before another man has acted at all. It is possible to waste a great amount of time by thinking and still more by talking over actions. First thoughts are sometimes wiser than second and generally wiser than third.

An Unique Industry in Spain.
An important industry and one peculiar to Spain is the manufacture of the jute and hemp sandals called "alpargatas." Practically all of the working classes use this cheap and comfortable form of footwear almost exclusively the year around. Alpargatas are also popular in Latin America, to which thousands of pairs are exported annually. The alpargata is made by winding the hemp or jute rope around to form a small foot shaped mat and by then firmly fastening the cords together a strong rope sole about a quarter of an inch thick is made. White and black are the colors generally preferred, though red, blue and brown alpargatas are also sold.

The Camel's Bite.

The camel alone of all ruminants has incisor teeth in the upper jaw, which, with the peculiar structure of his other teeth, make his bite, the animal's first and main defense, most formidable. The skeleton of the camel is full of proofs of design. Notice, for example, the arched backbone, constructed in such a way as to sustain the greatest weight in proportion to the span of the supports. A strong camel can bear a thousand pounds weight, although the usual load in Yemen is not more than 600 pounds.

Iberian Laziness.

If the Spaniards may be regarded as indolent as a race the accusation might be leveled against their neighbors, the Portuguese, with greater justice. Galicia has supplied Portugal with labor for centuries, and the wily little Galegos are figuratively the bees in the Portuguese hive. Southey tells a story of an Englishman at Oporto who asked his servant to carry a box.

"I am a Portuguese, not a beast!" exclaimed the offended native, who walked a mile to find a Galego to carry the burden.

Oysters a Foot Long.

Labadist missionaries in America wrote to Europe in 1637 that they had eaten oysters a foot long. They said they were very palatable and fully as good as the English variety. An early writer states he had seen oysters thirteen inches in length in Virginia, where in 1629 many of the famished settlers found in the oyster banks a means of preserving life.

Smart Fish.

"Any fish in this brook?"
"Government stocked it with trout once," replied the old timer.
"But they won't come near a hook."
"They do seem smarter than other fish. I reckon maybe they had to pass a civil service examination fore the government would notice 'em."—Washington Star.

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