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MEDICAL MEETING AT ALBANY

Representative Physicians From California and Oregon Were in Attendance. Following is the Program

The Central Willamette Medical Society will meet in Albany, Thursday, December 7.

8:00 a. At St Mary's Hospital. Clinics and operations with "Spinal Anesthesia," Dr. A. W. Morton of San Francisco.

1:30 p. m. at Committee club rooms. Clinical cases (review of forenoon's work and new cases.) Dr. W. H. Davis of Albany.

Current events, Dr. Shinn of Albany. Paper—Vital statistics and what they mean, Dr. C. S. White, Secretary State Board of health, Portland.

Paper—Pathology of Heart (illustrated.) Dr. Clements, Salem.

Paper—"Spinal Anesthesia," Dr. A. W. Morton, San Francisco.

Paper—Glaucoma, Importance of early diagnosis, Dr. Gullion, Eugene. Paper—Errors in diagnosis, Dr. Marcellus, Portland.

Paper—A few points in Ethics, Dr. Morse, Salem.

Paper—Diagnosis of Cancer of the Stomach, Dr. Tucker, Portland.

Paper—The General Practitioner, Dr. Kuykendall, Eugene.

Paper—Surgery, its Sphere, Dr. A. W. Morton, San Francisco.

Business and social session.

Adjournment.

B. R. WALLACE, Sec.

Road Tax

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned taxpayers and residents of Road District No. 16 of Linn county, Oregon, that a meeting of the taxpayers of said road district will be held at Barnes' Blacksmith shop in Scio, Oregon, in said road district on Saturday, the 30th day of December, 1911, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day for the purpose of levying an additional tax on all the taxable property in said road district for road purposes.

The undersigned compose more than ten per cent of the taxpayers of said road district.

This notice is posted this 4th day of December, 1911.

Names: N I Morrison, T M Holt, Jno F Prochaska, H A Dolezal, J F Rockwell, Josef Loomplot, C A Posvar, R R Borovick, J C Chrisman, W Richardson, J A Craft, J A Dobrkovsky, John C Dobrkovsky, J R Jonas, A Monroe, A T Powell, Frank Krumi Jr, John Wesley, W T Hassler, W J Chrony, H R Hassler, Geo L Sutherland, Jos Bayanovsky, Joseph F Kulina, John F Kukacka, W W Williams.

Trustee's Notice of Sale

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned trustee of the estate of H. A. Stam, bankrupt, will receive sealed bids up to the 11th day of December, 1911 at the hour of 3 o'clock p. m. for the purchase of all the property of said estate, being stock of goods, fixtures, etc., itemized inventory of which property may be seen and inspected at the office of this trustee at any time.

Said sale will be made subject to a mortgage thereon to M. E. Richardson for the sum of \$175.00 with 7 per cent interest from April 12, 1911.

All bids should be handed to this trustee at his office in Scio, Oregon.

R. SHELTON,

Trustee of the estate of H. A. Stam, bankrupt.

For Sale

Thoroughbred cockerals, Single Comb White Leghorns and Barred Plymouth Rocks.—Chas. Chrz, Scio, Or. p20-3

The Most Extensive Language.

The Chinese is probably the language that is spoken by the greatest number of human beings—between 400,000,000 to 500,000,000. The English comes next, with some 175,000,000 to 200,000,000 of patrons; then the Russian, with pretty nearly 150,000,000. French and German are nip and tuck, each being spoken by from 90,000,000 to 100,000,000 of people at home and in the colonial possessions. The chances are that English is destined to become the greatest of all languages. It is advancing more rapidly than any other, and it may yet be the language of the entire civilized world.—Exchange.

Man as a Machine.

It is a little startling to learn that man is superior to all mechanisms. In the best artificial machines the efficiency is only 14 per cent. The human machine gives a profit of from 25 to 30 per cent on the fuel in other words, on the food consumed. A man always wastes energy during the first five minutes of work. Monday's labor in man is the worst, and Tuesday's the best in the week—that is, according to a large number of experiments made by a distinguished professor. Man, he considers, is more liable to make mistakes in the afternoon than in the morning. Is this the reason banks close early?—Pearson's Weekly.

Sugar as a Nerve Restorer.

One of the greatest values of sugar, apart from its high steaming power, is the rapidity with which it can be absorbed and burned in the bodily engine. The careful and exhaustive researches of Lee, Mosso, Harley and Schumburg showed that there was no food which would restore working power to fatigued muscles of both men and animals as quickly and effectively as pure sugar. Indeed, it was suggested by Professor Lee that tired business men carried beyond their regular lunch hour would find a few lumps of pure sugar one of the best of temporary restoratives and "pick-me-ups," far superior to alcohol.—Dr. Woods Hutchinson in Woman's Magazine.

Helpless.

It was a dark morning, and Mr. Dorkins was groping around in the basement when somebody suddenly flashed a dark lantern on him.

Mechanically he threw up his hands. "I'm the gas meter inspector," explained the intruder.

Whereupon Mr. Dorkins held his hands up still higher.—Chicago Tribune.

The Bojars of Russia.

Bojars held exclusively the highest military and civil offices in Russia and were so universally looked up to by the mass of the people that the most powerful rulers, even Ivan the Cruel, considered it prudent to use this form of expression in their ukases: "The emperor has ordered it; the Bojars have approved it."—New York Telegram.

How She Spelled Alice.

When Alice Jones was eighteen she became Miss E. Alyse Jones. When she went to enter a normal school she was asked her name by the dean.

She replied: "Miss E. Alyse Jones—A-l-y-s-e."

"Yes," said the dean. "And how are you spelling 'Jones' now?"—Ladies' Home Journal.

The Shame of Defeat.

"Dear professor," wrote a mother to a schoolteacher, "please excuse Freddie when he ought to be at school. Yesterday he contracted a black eye, and he is ashamed. Yours, etc., Mrs. A. Sharp."—Lippincott's.

Her Method.

Stella—So she married him to reform him? How did she begin?

Bella—By spending a lot of money. You know how hard it is for a rich man to enter the kingdom of heaven.—Harper's Bazar.

Busily Engaged.

Father—Well, Julia, if I allow young Smithers to marry you will be willing to work and support you? Julia—Oh, papa, how can he when he has promised to do nothing but think of me all the time?—Pittsburg Press.

Superstitious as Ever.

Superstitious are as numerous and as absurd today as during the middle ages. But instead of burning our sorcerers, fortune hunters, palmists and crystal gazers we pay them. Remarkable progress!—Vienna Zeitung.

Local Brevities

Hot drinks and hot lunches at Heynes.

Call at the Wilson tent for your photographs. Corner Mill and Main.

A. L. Kelly of Thomas left Monday morning for Prineville for a visit of a few months.

R. L. Devaney went to Lebanon Tuesday night, and Wednesday morning received 100 tons of oats at Tallman. Mr. Devaney is buying for a Portland firm.

Alfred Goin had both legs broken last Friday near Jefferson. He was engaged in pulling stumps when the sweep broke with the aforementioned result.

In the bills announcing the public sale of Mrs. W. C. Simmons Jr., next Tuesday, mention was omitted of a Hercules all steel stump puller, with two extra cables, all in first class repair.

The express car on the down train Wednesday morning contained about 100 dressed hogs for the Portland market, about 35 being furnished at Scio, and the balance at Lebanon and other points up the line.

The Linn County Court met the Scio and Shelburn delegations at Albany today at 1 p. m. to discuss matters pertaining to a bridge across the Santiam near Shelburn. A report of the result of this meeting will be given next week.

At the meeting of the Scio Hook and Ladder Co. held Wednesday evening the following officers were elected: John Leffler, Pres., L. E. Heyne, Vice-Pres., R. M. Cain, Sec.-Treas., Joe Oupor, Foreman, Henry Stam, Asst. Board of Delegates: Roll Morris, O. M. Shelton, Don McKnight, Walter Stam, Joe Wesley.

Aunt Matilda's Journey.

"The curious effect sometimes produced in telegrams by want of punctuation or the omission of a single word," says a reader, "cannot fail to have struck every one. I had a female relative living in the north from whom I had 'expectations.' She had been ailing for some weeks, when one morning came a telegram asking my wife to go at once as she—my aunt—was much worse. She accordingly went.

"During the evening of the following day I received this disconcerting announcement: 'Aunt Matilda went to heaven at 3:30 returning by 11:50 tomorrow morning.'"—New York Mail.

Old Dutch Customs.

In the fishing districts and on the farms of Holland the old time Dutch customs are still to be found. The quaint costume of the women, with the ancient headdress and the full skirts, remains the pride of the Holland housewife (housewife), and the men, with their wide, baggy trousers, are no less picturesque. The milkmaid, with her two milk cans, polished like silver and swung from a specially built shoulder yoke, is a feature of the street scene in any village.

Why Trees Are Tagged.

If the observant foreigner abroad observes an expert setting out trees in a public square he will discover that attached to a leaf on one side of each tree there will be a bit of white tape. It is at once apparent that the marking is in no sense distinguishing. But as the gardener goes about setting the trees in the holes prepared for them the traveler will observe that each tag of white is brought around to face the east. Upon inquiry the foreigner will be told that unless the tree, say a palm-tree uprooted from the nursery, had the same eastern exposure of the same part in transplanting it would fail to take root and flourish.—Exchange.

Well Along in Years.

Justice of the Peace—How old are you?

Illiterate Prisoner—I don't adzackly know, squire, but I kin rec'lect when everybody called India rubber "gum elastic."—Chicago Tribune.

Gladiators of Old.

A man who had once been a gladiator was always regarded as disgraced. If a combatant were vanquished, but not killed, the people decided his fate, turning down their thumbs when they wished him to be killed. Contestants were taught the postures to be assumed in falling and in dying, and such food was eaten as would thicken their blood in order to give the spectators a more leisurely view of their death. Combats of gladiators continued until the reign of Honorius, first christian emperor, in 404 A. D., when Telemachus, a monk, rushed between two adversaries at Rome and by his self sacrifice occasioned the decree for their abolition.

"Nice and Snug."

Duckworth was such a delicate courtier he could afford to jest with a queen on a very unpleasant subject even. Once he was showing Queen Victoria over Westminster abbey. When they came to the spot where kings and queens lie Queen Victoria shivered a little and said, "I should not care to be buried here—it seems so cold and damp." "Madam," replied Duckworth, "I assure you it is perfectly dry. You would be quite nice and snug."—London Saturday-Review.

Irish Women.

A cosmopolitan critic, lately deceased, after surveying womankind from China to Peru, gave the palm for attractiveness to the women of Ireland. He dwelt rapturously on their beauty and their naivete, averring as a final compliment that they are pre-eminently the femmes dangereuses. That they have infinite charm none can deny, even the cockney whose profound knowledge comes of a galloping holiday trip to Killybeg, Wicklow or the Giant's causeway.—London Chronicle.

Touching.

Mr. Newlywed (reading letter from his wife at seaside)—My own darling—a thousand kisses—could you send me \$50 at once? Thank you so much. I won't ask for any more until I write again. I will try and make that last until I need some more. If you could send me \$75 instead of \$50 it would save me writing before next week. I have to pay 2 cents for every stamp I use. The extortion of these hotel keepers is something frightful. Good-by, lovey.—Brooklyn Citizen.

Tommy Agreed.

Tommy had been tardy at school, and this was the excuse he handed in: "Miss McInerney please excuse Tommy for being late he was kept out on account of Sixness in the Family yours Respect Nicodemus Tucker."

"Thomas," said the teacher after she had read it, "I have serious doubts about the genuineness of this. It looks very suspicious."

"I know it, ma'am," he replied, sniffing. "I told paw I could write better'n he could, but he would do it."—London Answers.

A Bird Woman's Eye View.

The aviatrix's wife was taking her first trip with her husband in his airship.

"Wait a minute, George," she said. "I'm afraid we will have to go down again."

"What's wrong?" asked the husband. "I believe I have dropped one of the pearl buttons off my jacket. I think I can see it glistening on the ground."

"Keep your seat, my dear," said the aviatrix. "That's Lake Erie."—Youngstown Telegram.

You Never Can Tell.

Braggs—You never know what you can do till you try. Waggs—That's wrong. You never know what you can do till you succeed. Braggs—Well, perhaps that's better. Waggs—And then you're wrong. You never know what you can do when you succeed. You only know what you have been able to do.—Life.

Preparing Him.

"You're goin' to marry sister, ain't you?" her little brother inquired.

The young man blushed. "I—I don't know," he replied.

"That's funny," said the terrible infant. "Pa has looked you up in the rate books, ma has found out all about your grandfathers, and sister has begun her shoppin'. Gimme a nickel, won't you?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

PORTLAND NEWS LETTER

New Railroads Across Oregon to be Started At Once—Oregon Apples Capture Big Prize

Portland, Ore., Dec. 5 (Special)—Announcement of a new railroad across Oregon from east to west was appropriate news for Thanksgiving week. President Lovett of the Harriman system has authorized the construction of the Oregon Eastern from Vale to Dog Mountain, a distance of 140 miles. The road will not stop there but will be built to Burns, then presumably on to Bend and very likely south to connect with the Natron-Klamath line.

Work on the project will be rushed and it is expected to get the first link under way before the end of the present year. This new mileage will be of great value to Eastern Oregon, a country now undergoing rapid development, and will give modern transportation to a district now isolated.

A Redmond bank has made arrangements to bring in several carloads of good dairy stock for ranchers of that section, following the same plan as that of Bend capitalists in furnishing brood sows to farmers in that locality. Redmond, with a large area of irrigated alfalfa growing all about it should make an ideal dairy center.

Four big realty deals during the past week in different parts of the state, involving over \$1,500,000, show the faith Eastern capitalists have in Oregon. A tract in Southern Yamhill County, embracing 2300 acres, brought \$350,000; 50,000 acres in Klamath county sold for \$300,000; 1200 acres in Baker county brought \$250,000 and a big tract of timber in the Sumpter Forest Reserve sold for \$500,000.

Good roads throughout Oregon will be the chief topic discussed at the annual convention of County Judges and Commissioners of the state, which will be held in the Portland Commercial Club convention hall, December 12-14. Road legislation will be considered with a view to permanent highway construction throughout the state.

Condon will get the fair to be held by the Tri-County development league next Fall. Thereafter the fair will be held in a different one of the three counties each year.

Alfalfa seed has become one of the profitable crops of the Ontario region. More than \$30,000 has been realized from the sale of seed this season. Most of the product goes to Eastern markets.

Pres. Chas. C. Moore of the Panama-Pacific Exposition, will soon visit Oregon cities to impress upon them the importance of the coming fair and to urge their co-operation and assistance. Pres. Moore looks to the Pacific Northwest for valuable assistance in making the Exposition a success.

Oregon apples grown at Talent by Houston Bros., captured a big prize at the recent National Apple Show at Spokane. These growers got first prize for a carload of Yellow Newtown apples. They carried away \$300 cash, merchandise worth \$200 more, besides banners and cups.

Lumber

No matter what you build we want to furnish the lumber, rough or dressed. Let us figure with you about prices and terms of payments. We also handle sash, doors, brick, plaster, and cement. The Scio Planing Mills Co., Scio, Oregon.

Keep your feet warm and dry by getting your shoes and woolen hose at Hibler & Gills.

Public Sale

I will offer at public auction at my residence two miles southeast of Scio, on Tuesday, December 12, at 11 a. m. sharp, the following listed personal property: 2 work horses, ages 6 and 7 years, weight about 1200 lbs.; 3 milk cows; 5 dozen chickens; 2 sets of double harness; 1 saddle, bridle and pair of shafts; wagon, single buggy, plow, cultivator and other farming tools; hay, potatoes and other vegetables; 1 kitchen cabinet; 2 cupboards; extension table; 2 iron beds; 2 sets springs; mattress; baby beds; rockers; chairs; canned fruit and many other articles too numerous to mention. Terms of Sale: All sums of \$10 and under, cash in hand; over \$10 a credit of 10 months will be given on bankable note at 6 per cent interest. Five per cent discount for cash on sums over \$10. All property must be settled for before being removed from the ground.

Mrs. W. C. SIMMONS, JR.

Frank Shores, Auctioneer, R. Shelton, Clerk.

Now is Your Chance

The Evening Telegram until January 1, 1913 and the News at \$4.50. Regular price \$6.50. You save \$2 by acting NOW.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,

Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

At the Churches

Services at the Christian church on second and fourth Sundays of each month.

Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday evening.

Services at the Baptist church on the first and third Sundays of each month. Union Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Art Exhibit Postponed

The art exhibit intended for Scio has been lost by the express company and will not now be here until sometime in January.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior

U. S. Land Office at Portland, Ore.

October 14, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that Fred A. Strode, whose postoffice address is 1386 Rodney Ave., Portland, Oregon, did, on the 31st day of May, 1911, file in this office Sworn Statement and Application No. 03087, to purchase the N½ of NE¼, Section 24, Township 10 South, Range 2 East, Willamette Meridian, and the timber thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 3, 1878, and acts amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law," at such value as might be fixed by appraisement, and that, pursuant to such application, the land and timber thereon have been appraised, the timber estimated 460,000 board feet at 50 cents per M., and the land nothing; that said applicant will offer final proof in support of his application and sworn statement on the 30th day of December, 1911, before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office at Portland, Oregon.

Any person is at liberty to protest this purchase before entry, or initiate a contest at any time before patent issues, by filing a corroborated affidavit in this office, alleging facts which would defeat the entry.

H. F. HIGBY
Register