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Your railroad fare both ways will be paid if you purchase in any or all the stores named below, goods to the amount of \$20.00 or over. All that we ask is that you save the sales slips from the different stores and present them to the Secretary of the Commercial Club, ground floor, Albany State Bank Building, and the money will be paid you for your Transportation.

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There is no class distinction here. Every customer is treated just the same. You will find that the prices are absolutely as low as consistency and first class goods will permit. All questions will be answered as correctly as thoroughly trained and competent salespeople can do so. Place your confidence and trust in merchants that will treat you honestly.

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ALBANY, OREGON

LETTERS FROM OUR COUNTRY CORRESPONDENTS

Santiam Farm Topics

W C Miles an old time resident of Providence passed away Friday of Bright's disease. The relatives all have the sympathy of the neighbors.

J W Gaines of St Johns, a brother of W. was visiting with us Saturday for a few hours. He was on his way home from Lebanon where he spent the past month visiting his daughter and out on his old farm.

Cecil Crumes and wife of Providence were visiting Saturday with Mrs. Crumes parents, G W Billyeu.

Dave Billyeu and wife are confined at home with chicken pox.

We are all anxiously waiting for the weather to settle so we can join in with our new supervisor and repair the road from Franklin Butte to Scio by grading and getting on crushed rock, as no road in the district needs it worse. If people will open their hearts and donate a few hundred yards of stone on the Lock farm where the rock is handy, the rock is handy, the crusher will move and crush the rock to fix the road from the Crabtree bridge east to the Lebanon road, as our new supervisor wishes to help the country as well as the people. I assure you Billy means business, if the people don't balk.

Arch and Ross Ray, with their mother, were Albany visitors Monday.

Oscar Fillpot and Geo Billyeu started Monday for a trip to the Bend country looking for a home as that part is blown up to be a small heaven on earth.

The continued cold rain is throwing farmers quite late with their spring seeding, and gardens will be too late to be appreciated, as people will lose all their patience waiting for some vegetable and when it comes they will be so

greedy they will eat it up so quick they cannot realize how good it is.

Al Plummer was visiting Sunday with his most intimate friend, Lawrence Faindexter.

Cecil Crumes came down to take his father-in-law Geo Billyeu to the station Monday, as George's boys are sick.

Mrs Lee was taken violently ill Monday and had to call in the doctor.

PIE EATER.

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Thomas Topics

Mr and Mrs Frank Sommer and son, Robert, were Stayton visitors Thursday.

Will Mespelt made a business trip to Crabtree Monday.

W A Cox came out to E C Reiley's last week after a short visit with relatives in Albany.

J F Sommer was a business visitor at Albany Saturday.

W A Gilkey and wife were in Scio Tuesday on business.

R L Glasgow returned to his home in Albany Saturday.

Mr and Mrs A R McDonald visited Sunday with relatives near Lebanon.

J G Holt, Cletus, Vada and Mrs Lester Holt were trading at the Hub City Saturday.

Mrs Minnie Smith who has been working at the Scio Hotel

for several weeks, returned home last week.

Will Moore has been visiting at Wm Serfling's the past week.

W Cletus Holt got his watch from Albany Saturday where he had left it for repairs. Now he has no excuse for staying so late on Sunday evenings that he is afraid to pass a pond near the road.

The Oakview school closed Friday. A program was given and light refreshments were served. It was well attended, there being people from four school districts present.

B.R.L.C.

Rheumatism Quickly Cured

"My sisters husband had an attack of rheumatism in his arm," writes a well known resident of Newton, Iowa. "I gave him a bottle of Chamberlains liniment which he applied to his arm and the next morning the rheumatism was gone." For chronic muscular rheumatism you will nothing better than Chamberlains liniment. Sold by all dealers.

Grand Ball at Wesely-Cain hall, Saturday evening, May 24. Given by newly organized Z C B J lodge. Music by Scio National band. A short program will be given in the Bohemian language commencing at 8:30. Everybody cordially invited. Dance will commence at 9 p m.

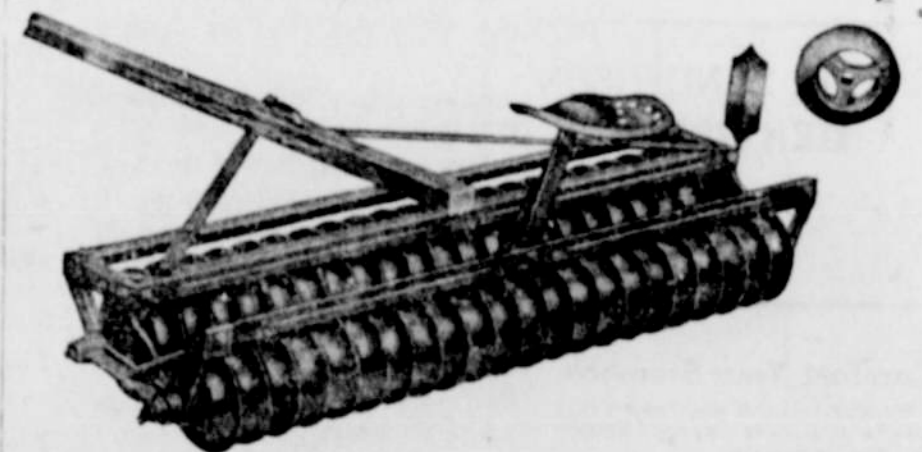
BIDS WANTED

By Scio School District No 95 for material and labor, separate or combined, to finish High School room, equal to and same style as present High School room. Bids close June 10, 1913. Work to be completed by August 1, 1913.

J F WESELY, Clerk.

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