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UPPER SANTIAM EVENTS

Candidates from both Linn and Marion counties are as thick as bees in summer.

Mr Hessiman, a resident of Niagara for about thirty years, is going to build a fine bungalow on his ranch. Mode Davis is the architect and builder.

Carter Bros. are going to add to the acreage of their ginseng ranch on Mad creek, and set out several thousand more plants. A barrel of ginseng that was recently sent to Fort Wayne, Indiana, from Clackamas county sold for \$800. No more trouble to raise it than parsnips except it must be shaded with lattice work. Our young farmers ought to plant a patch.

Mike Riene is superintendent of the John Schroeder ranch while the latter is looking after his mill operating at Gates. Mike was for a long time in the mercantile business at Niagara, Gates and Brownsville.

Rev McLeod preached the annual sermon for the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of Mill City Sunday, April 26. A large crowd attended.

It is interesting to watch and talk with Mr Lees, who is superintending the placement of machinery and building of the intricate frame work on which a thousand different wheels, belts, carriers, etc. are to run. His home is in Minneapolis and he goes all over the United States and Mexico doing things in the changing and building of big mills.

Chas Sullivan, born and reared at Gates, invented and patented a hook used in logging. He contracted with a Portland firm to make them and give him royalties. He received money up to \$56. He went to Portland to see why the royalties stopped and found the firm had infringed on his patent and were making his hook with a slight change and claimed it as their own. He has sued them for infringement on his patent and \$20,000 damages.

Commissioner Butler has covered the DeFord creek bridge and road boss Shephard is filling the approaches.

Fruit buds are not much damaged as yet. If Jack Frost thins them out a little it will be good for the trees and fruit.

Start a co-operative cannery at Scio. Nothing difficult about it. Look out for outside promoters who would hatch out a big nest egg for themselves.

I, at times, hear it said that home merchants are partly to blame for the high cost of living. They have no more to do with it than the man in the moon. They buy as cheaply as they can from manufacturers and wholesale houses. They make on some things, neither make nor lose on some things and lose on some things. Dunn's and Bradstreets directories say that sooner or later 95 per cent of business houses fail. I suppose they mean that many per cent go into the receivers hands or close out for lack of profits.

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Miss Pauline Liska returned to Albany Monday after a short visit at the home of her parents.

E C Smith and family have moved from the Hotel to their farm at Thomas, and W E Brown of Portland has assumed the management of the Scio hotel.

M E Arnold is home for the summer vacation, having recently closed his school near Brownsville.

Stock foods, lice killer, sheep dip, veterinary remedies, for the protection of your live stock, at Peery's drug store.

You make no mistake when you buy a Willamette Silo. They are the best yet. See Morrison.

Mrs Grism and Mrs Unger came over from Lebanon last Saturday to be with their mother Mrs Mary Bilyeu, who is critically ill.

Our shoes for men, women and children please both your purse and your feet.—Hibler & Gill Co.

George Gibbons has painted the interior of the bank and the postoffice.

Mrs W M Abbott and Miss Cora Merritt were passengers to Albany Monday to attend the Sunday School convention.

All farmers who are intending to build this season, should see us in regard to shingles. We are making up a car and are in a position to save you some money.—Blatchford Bros, Shelburn, Oregon.

Merle Cyrus went to Springfield last Thursday, where he has a job for the summer.

Mr and Mrs R L De Vaney went to Albany today on a business trip.

Chas Wesely left today, Thursday, on a business trip to Albany, Salem and Portland.

It is now house cleaning time, so when you need a little varnish, paint, polish, oil or linoleum varnish, see Morrison about it. He handles the famous Ch-Namel varnishes and stains, also Sherwin-Williams paints, the best yet—it covers the earth. 41

Mr Editor: I wish to express my opinion of the present tax law. My vocabulary is limited and I cannot find words competent to express my contempt for such a law. It is beyond me. I fear I might say something to offend some fastidious person, so I leave it alone.

NICK.

Eighth Annual Linn County Fair

September 23, 24 and 25

1914

OFFICIAL

RACE PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

2:40 Trot, 1 mile, 3 heats.....\$125.00
2:35 Pace, 1 mile, 3 heats..... 125.00
1/4 Mile Dash..... 75.00

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

2:35 Trot, 1 Mile, 3 heats.....\$125.00
2:30 Pace, 1 Mile, 3 heats..... 125.00
1/4 Mile Dash..... 75.00

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

2:30 Trot, 1 Mile, 3 heats.....\$150.00
2:25 Pace, 1 Mile, 3 heats..... 150.00
1 Mile Dash..... 100.00

EVERY HEAT A RACE.

RUNNING RACES—10 pounds under weight. American Trotting Association and California Jockey Club Rules to govern.

HORSEMEN'S BADGES AND STRAW FREE.

SPECIAL PURSES EACH DAY FOR
BUCKING CONTESTS.

Entries to Races Close Sept. 12

CONDITIONS TO RACES

Entries to harness races close September 12, 1914. Running races close 12 o'clock noon day before race.

Entry fees to all races 5 per cent when entry is made and 5 per cent from money winners.

Horses entered and failing to appear, will be held for balance of entry fees, unless prevented by sickness or accident, when proof of same must be furnished.

Positively no entries will be received unless conditions are fully complied with.

Nominator may enter two horses from the same stable in any one race by the payment of 1 per cent additional for that privilege, due when entry is made. Only one of the two horses so entered to be started in the race, except when proper transfer is made according to rules and full entrance fees paid on each entry.

Money divided in harness races at close of each heat 60, 25 and 15 per cent. Running races 70, 20 and 10 per cent. A horse is entitled to one money only in any one race.

The Association reserves the right to declare off any race not filling satisfactorily, or on account of the weather, and may substitute other races, and have a right to change the order of the program.

Five horses to enter and three to start, a less number may be started with the reduction of extra entries.

All races to be raced under the American Trotting Association rules and California Jockey club rules as far as practicable.

Make your entries with the Clerk of the Race Course.

T. K. SANDERSON, Scio, Oregon
Linn County Fair Association.

Possibly About You



AND DON'T MAKE YOUR ONLY STOP IN PORTLAND

Steve Philippi went to Portland Friday to visit his son Clyde who is very low with tuberculosis at the Portland Sanitarium.

Dr Prill reports the birth of a son to the wife of Earl B Gooch of Shelburn, on April 29.

Mrs R E Hibler of Seattle, Wash, arrived last Saturday for a visit at the home of her parents Mr and Mrs M C Gill.

The Scio mohair pool was sold today to Mr Sander of Albany for 28 and 3-8 cents per pound. The pool will be delivered at Munkers next Tuesday.

Marion F Wood of Tangent, who is a candidate for County Recorder on the republican ticket was in town Saturday. This is the third time Mr Wood has run for this office and he seems confident of winning out this time.

Don't throw that baby buggy away on account of the rubber tires being worn out. Just call on Hagey, the jeweler, and he will put on a new set and make your buggy as good as new, or do any other repairing that the buggy may need, as he has the latest improved machinery to work with.

Services every second and fourth Sunday in each month at the Church of Christ. Morning service at 11 o'clock, Christian Endeavor at 7 p m, preaching at 8 o'clock. Subjects for next fourth Sunday—morning, "The Lifted Christ," evening, "Billie's Oat Patch. Come and hear. —V K Allison, minister.

If you want a range watch the price on the \$55. one, which is being reduced 50c a day. Some one is going to get a bargain in a first class range at Morrison's hardware.

A moonlight dance will be given at the Scio Fair grounds Saturday, May 9th. Good floor, good music and every body invited. Lunch at midnight. No liquor allowed on the grounds. All dances allowed except ragging.

"Political Parties in Oregon" should be in every public and school library in the state. A High School history teacher praises the author for the ease with which one can follow and understand the various phases of the subject, rendering it valuable and interesting alike to the mature scholar and the young student. It is likewise indispensable to the private library, whose owner assumes an interest in Oregon history. Two dollars a copy at News office.

The News is getting up a club for the Yellow Jacket. Bring or send your dime to this office at once if you want the Stinger for a year.

If your subscription to The News is due, better pay up now and get four big magazines, all one year, for only 18 cents extra.

For the next thirty days I will give you some bargains on linoleums and rugs.—N I Morrison.

Lost—A new buggy robe with burnt hole patched with black cloth. Suitable reward if returned to E A Easton or left at News office. 41