

SANTIAM FARM TOPICS

Mrs. Thomas Small is quite low with nervous prostration and is under the care of Dr. Prill.

Mrs. Clara Griffin is improving and is now able to be up part of the day.

Martin Bilyeu of Albany is over visiting with his brother George and having a good time hauling gravel. He also made a call at Scio among his old friends.

David Hosburgh and M. C. Gaines have been making some repairs on the Crabtree bridge near Hosburg's by hauling some large stone and refilling the abutment which had washed out and left the bridge in a condition liable to wash out during the winter. Mr. Hosburgh contemplates cutting the creek across a bend above the bridge so as to save it from cutting across and leaving the bridge on dry land.

Oscar Philpott has returned home from his two weeks trip to Missouri bringing with him his wife's father and his sister, who are old, to make their home with him. He is a generous man, more than most children of today would do with their own parents.

John Shimanek and wife of east of Scio, made a business trip to Crabtree Saturday, returning by way of Brother A. J. Sutherland's, where they visited over night, enjoying a good old fashioned visit and talking over minor topics.

Uncle Tom Haley of Olustee, Okla., sent by parcel post a sweet potato to S. W. Gaines which weighed over five pounds. Uncle Tom is often mindful of his old friend as he sent him 75 fine sweet potato plants last spring which did fairly well owing to the dry season and raised quite a nice lot of potatoes. So the old man very much appreciates his accommodation and past favors.

PIE EATER.

Best Cough Medicine for Children.

"Three years ago when I was living in Pittsburgh one of my children had a hard cough and coughed dreadfully. Upon the advice of a druggist I purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it benefited him at once. I find it the best cough medicine for children because it is pleasant to take. They do not object to taking it," writes Mrs. Lafayette Tuck, Homer City, Pa. This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic, and may be given to a child as confidently as to an adult. Sold by all dealers.

DISCHARGING A BUTLER.

Nerve Racking Experience of a New York Society Woman.

While obtaining a satisfactory servant is an increasingly difficult matter generally, especially if one has certain standards of efficiency, getting rid of an unsatisfactory one is not infrequently attended with much embarrassment on the part of the mistress of a household.

William was a satisfactory butler, as butlers go nowadays, but his manners in the servants' hall of a well known New York woman were much criticised by those who were beneath him in rank. When one day he blacked the eye of a housemaid it provoked such a storm below stairs that his mistress decided he must go.

On the day appointed for the butler to depart he was called in and paid off. He asked the lady of the house to write a reference for him, and this she did.

After he had carefully pocketed the envelope containing it the butler said, his manner changing:

"There is a small bill you owe me. It is for money I have paid out for messengers and parcels. It amounts to \$18.75."

The lady of the house could not remember any occasion when she had not personally met any small bill of the kind. However, rather than provoke a dispute, she silently counted out that sum from her purse and handed it to him.

Still he did not go.

"I have another small bill," he announced, still more boldly. "In the fire that burned down your country house I lost all my effects. I have made out a bill for them."

The woman looked at him aghast. She knew he had saved everything he had. "What is the amount?" she finally found voice to say.

"Fifteen hundred dollars," he replied coolly.

The two were alone in the room. Fearing violence, the woman made an excuse of going upstairs to get her check book. Once in her own room she called up her lawyer on the phone and laid the case before him.

"It looks like an attempt at blackmail," he said. "He has absolutely no claim upon you."

Summoning her maid the lady hurried downstairs again, went bravely up to the butler and quietly told him to leave the house immediately. He went. Then the woman fell back into her maid's arms.—New York Times.

A King's Escape.

During his service as a private in the foreign legion, King Peter of Serbia fell into the hands of the Prussians. This mishap occurred on Oct. 11, 1870, at Salbris, a small town on the banks of the Loire, where a detachment of the legion was surprised by the enemy and forced to surrender. Prince Kara—to give the name under which he enlisted—happened to be wearing a belt stuffed with £400 in gold. When his captors discovered this they started disputing about the division of the spoils and in the confusion the prince managed to give them the slip. He reached the river bank and, plunging in, got safely to the other bank, none of his pursuers caring to risk drowning in order to recapture him.

Sickness and Superstition.

For the cure of epilepsy or the falling sickness numerous were the charms that were invoked long ago. A very common remedy among the poor people about London, and particularly in Essex, was to cut the tip of a black cat's tail in order to procure three drops of blood, which were to be taken in a spoonful of milk and repeated three days successively. If the patient was informed of the composition it lost its efficacy. The patients also were to creep head foremost down some three pairs of stairs three times a day for three successive days.—London Answers.

NOTICE OF ROAD MEETING.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, resident tax payers of Road District No. 16 of Linn county, Oregon, being more than ten per cent of the tax payers of said Road District, that a meeting of the tax payers of said Road District will be held at James Blacksmith Shop in Scio, Oregon, in said Road District, on Saturday, the 28th day of November, 1914, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of levying such an additional tax on all the taxable property in said Road District as may be deemed advisable by the majority of such tax payers at such meeting to improve the roads of said Road District.

This notice is posted this 4th day of November, 1914.

W. A. Gilkey, H. L. Sutherland, J. E. Kelly, J. G. Holt, M. R. Kelly, W. T. Lee, Fred Mespelt, T. M. Holt, F. McDonald, L. H. Conser, L. W. Charles, Joe Borovicka, A. R. McDonald, N. Crabtree, V. Prokop, Arch Ray, Jos. Boyanovsky, Ardee Powell, K. Platt, A. T. Powell, C. W. Kelly, H. C. Miller, J. R. Young, Mike Svoda, W. H. Young, F. T. Bilyeu, Henry Ray, Wm. J. Beron, Nat Doulek.

NOTICE OF ROAD MEETING.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, resident tax payers of Road District No. 15 of Linn county, Oregon, being more than ten per cent of the tax payers of said Road District, that a meeting of the tax payers of said Road District will be held at Scio City Hall in said Road District on Saturday, the 28th day of November, 1914, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of levying such an additional tax on all the taxable property in said Road District as may be deemed advisable by the majority of such tax payers at such meeting to improve the roads of said Road District.

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E. C. Peery, W. F. Gill, M. C. Gill, J. N. Long, P. H. MacDonald, C. A. Warner, Florence Shelton, E. L. Bilyeu, G. E. Rodgers, T. J. Pettit, A. Fleming, J. L. Calavan, R. Wesley, Chas. Wesley, A. E. Randall, Dean Morris, O. B. Cyrus, J. F. Parker, J. A. Bilyeu, G. A. Morgan, F. T. Thayer.

Despondency Due to Indigestion.

It is not at all surprising that persons who have indigestion become discouraged and despondent. Here are a few words of hope and cheer for them by Mrs. Blanche Bowers, Indiana, Pa. "For years my digestion was so poor I could only eat the lightest foods. I tried everything that I heard of to get relief, but not until about a year ago when I saw Chamberlain's Tablets advertised and got a bottle of them, did I find the right treatment. I soon began to improve and since taking a few bottles of them my digestion is fine." For sale by all dealers.

I am in the market for fat live stock, also stock hogs and milk cows on orders. For any information call Scio telephone central.—Thos. Large.

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Special Sunday dinners at the Scio Hotel.

Too much trouble to go to church and get dinner the same day? Get Sunday dinner at the Scio Hotel.

Bring your fresh vegetables to the Scio Hotel.

Try our hot tamales, fresh oysters in any style, and fresh crabs at Sticha's.

NOTICE OF ROAD MEETING.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, resident tax payers of Road District No. 25 of Linn County, Oregon, being more than ten per cent of the tax payers of said Road District, that a meeting of the tax payers of said Road District will be held at Jordan Store in said Road District on Saturday, the 28th day of November, 1914, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of levying such an additional tax on all the taxable property in said Road District as may be deemed advisable by the majority of such tax payers at such meeting to improve the roads of said Road District.

This notice is posted this 3rd day of November, 1914.

John Bender, Tyvoh Whitman, R. C. Pepperling, Ed. Dougherty, Nich. Appe, W. R. Ray, F. H. Pepperling, E. F. De Long, J. W. Frost, T. H. Thomas, Haman Shelton, G. M. Wirth, J. D. Grimes, Frank Lindeman, C. M. Williamson, F. B. Frost.

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