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SCIO, LINN COUNTY, OREGON, THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 1915

## Editor Uses Stick

Editor "Tip" Humphrey, of to the postal clerks of Albany for some time past. The men in the local office assert that the Jefferson journalist does not address his letters with a pen or even a pencil, but that instead he uses a spike or sharp stick with which the destination of any mail sent by him is cratched on envelope or card.

To save eye strain and to eli- City franchise minate the temptation to indulge Elec light and water plant ... in vitriolic language in the en. Fire apparatus davor to discern the inscription of Mr Humphrey's missives, the Albany clerks clubbed together today and purchased a hort indelible pencil. They wound a tamp carefully aroud their purchase, while on one side of a card attached was written Mr Humphrey's address and on the other, the following communication:

"Kindly throw away that hardwood stick that you use to write addresses on your papers, and accept a piece of soft penci for the purpose. Or else use softer paper so that the imprint will be easier to read." - Albany Democrat.

## Notice

Any Person or head of family, Expenses Light and Water Plant having any contagious disease in the family, and who fail to report the same to the City or County Health Officer with in ten honrs, are subject to a fine.

No person having such disease or recovering from such disease are allowed to appear in any Public place or Gathering under penality, untill fully recovered, State Laws and City Ordinances.

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Annual Report

Recorder's report, city of Scio, year bia jetty next year. ending Dec 31, 1914.

\$ 2,000.00 10,000 00

Hose	
Engine	
Wagon	
Hose cart	
City park	
City hall	1,
Elec supplies	
Accounts due city.	
Extension of lines	
	15,
Linhilities	

City bonds. Warrants ..

Total. ..... Net resources of city ..... 10,416.38 Electric Light and Water Plant Cash receipts for service ....

Service for city 3-500 watt lights ..... 56 Inc. lights ...

16	hydr	ran	ts
			city hall
Li	ghts	at	Milling Co
Li	ghts	at	school bldg

Total Supt. Salary ..... Supt. extra..... Power. Inspection Int. on bonds . Repairs ....

Oregon News Notes Telephone Meeting

Industries, Payrolls, and Products of Labor and Enterprise.

Portland Baggage and Omnibus Transfer Co. has bought a block and will erect a large the ensuing year. plant here.

a box with refigeration.

500.00 592.00 the new \$100,000 gymnasium more accurately six months from 160,00 with the most completely equipp- now. 300.00 ed boxing and wrestling rooms 250.00 .000.( on the coast.

357.70 Gresham-Nine buildings de-

115.78 stroyed by fire are to be rebuilt. 192.90 Hood River-Planning a new 508.38 courthouse.

Mayor Simpson of North Bend 4,500.00 proposes that the federal govern-592.00 ment take over all Coos Bay im-5,092.00 provements in future.

Bandon- a Supreme court de-1,931.28 cision releases \$25,000 to be expended on this harbor.

54.00 The ice cutting season in East-1,128.00 384.00 ern Oregon is a month earlier 24.00 than usual.

24.00 From Jan. 30 to Sept. 30, 1914 24.00 3,569.28 \$3,369,788 on roads.

Plans and estimates of cost of 800.00, irrigating 200,000 acres of land 1.00 in the Upper Deschutes River 180.00 2 00 279.35 the government, estimated cost under the doctors care at Parker ery's hop crop, paying 17 cts. 17.15 \$2,929,000. The Portland Railway and 79.02 Power Co. predicts that with the no hope is held out for the little 22.94 decisive defeat of radical legisla-1,524.11 tion at the last election and with 2,045.17 the 5 percent advance in freight 407.17 rate, 1915 will be a prosperous out of Oregon this season. year in Oregon. Nebergall Bros. will erect a 136.81 meat packing plant at Albany. Chas. Putney of California is preparing to manufacture a patent window ventilator at Eugene.

News,

The annual meeting of the Scio Mutual Telephone Company was held at the City Hall last Saturand J N Weddle was re-elected ed now. manager of the central office for It is said "A new broom

Bids have been taken for 450,- year, it was thought best to levy new proverb. 000 tons of rock for the Colum- at assessment of \$3.00 for the steamer via Panama at 35 cents sessment what ever is needed to cover the bills for the balance of Corvallis-OAC is proud of the year, which can be figured

Mrs Frank Smith who has been iu poor health for several months, was removed to the Parker hospital Wednesday for medical attention.

all the teachers and most of the edition is an effort worthy of a pupils present, after a two weeks great paper. vacation.

John Chytl of east of Scio was granted naturalization papers by the county court at Albany. Monday. Mr Chytl is a native of Austria.

Mrs C A Parker has been enthe counties of the state spent joying a visit the past few days of your money. with her brother W A Davis of Centralia, Washington.

The 9-month old baby of Mr basin are being considered by and Mrs Chris Burmester who is Wm Faber bought Jeff Montgomhospital suffering with dropsy is per pound for them. in a very critical condition and

## TWENTY-TWO YEARS AGO

Scio Press, Jan. 6, 1893

Mayor Munkers, Recorder day when J B Couey was elected Shelton and Marshal Dilley, is president to sccceed E C Shelton, the way they should be address-

sweeps clean." Wonder if the As there was a deficit last new city officers will verify the

Now that the Oregon case has first half of the year, and leave been decided, the following is Hood River-Fourteen carloads it to the discretion of the di- the electoral vote for each candiapples went to New York by rectors to make the second as- date; Clevelend 276, Harrison 144 and Weaver 24.

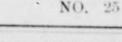
> If you made good resolutions on last Sunday (Jan, 1.) stick to them. When a man violates resolutions made in good faith. he has lost a portion of his manhood that he never will or can regain.

The Oregonian as usual issues a fine 20-page (standard size) edition, filled with statistical information and descriptive of School re-opened Monday with Portland and her business. The

> So little attention is paid to the law against gambling in this locality, that it is carried on openly. Report says that the play has been running high this week. Boys, this class of speculation is very uncertain, and may cause you trouble besides the loss

Oregon now has within her borders I.484 miles of railroad. exclusive of her street railways.

Last week E J Daly acting for

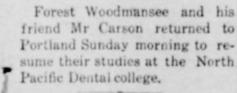


Country sausage wanted. Scio Hotel.

R W Gott came over from Albany Wednesday to help Mr and ing Dec. 31, 1914. Mrs Barnes put on the big sale for M Sternberg & Co.

L W Wood of White Salmon. Washington was here on business the first of the week, accompan- Cash for supplies and service ied by his daughters.

Furnished housekeeping rooms wanted-Leave word what you have at the News office.



C C Wade and daughter Mis Rolla went to Portland Monday morning on a short business and pleasure trip.

Saturday and little hope was held out for her recovery as she has several months.

Call at the People's Store and see the valuable premiums given free with cash purchases.

Wiring Wood, etc. Total..... Net revenue from plant .... Net income above expenses.

Net profit made on supplies handled by Recorder for J. S. Sticha, Recorder.

City treasurer's report for year end-

Receipts Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1914. Licenses and fines..... Taxes Service, light and water ..... Electric supplies ..... by R Shelton .....

> Total ..... Disbursements

Paid as per vouchers ..

Ral. on hand Dec 31, 1914 ... Bal distributed in 3 funds Light and Water ..... General fund..... Sinking fund for redemption of bonds ...

Roy V Shelton, Treasurer.

Dr W H Dale of Harrisburg was called here Tuesday in consultation with Dr AG Prill in the Mrs G A Griffin was operated case of Mrs Wm Young who is on at the Albany hospital last suffering with dropsy. The doc- probably for Eureopean armies, road ties, tors hold out encouragement for her recovery with rest and pro- both been offered a \$650,000 beet issued for the new \$37,333 arbeen in a critical condition for per attention. She is under the sugar plant if each town will mory at Eugene. care of Dr Prill at the Parker raise \$250,000. hospital now.

> Roy V Shelton transacted business at Salem Monday.

A phone line is being promot-774.88 75.00 ed from Medical Springs to 1,000.00 Baker.

1,931.28 \$1.30 per bushel for club 404.60 wheat breaks the record.

The Spokane Spokesman Re-23.00 view in speaking of the coming 4,203,76 sessions of the Oregon, Wash-3,498.21 ington and Idaho legislatures says "Economy" must be the 710.55 watch word. The legislators 91.55 will do well to remember always 349.50 that they represent not themselves but their constituents. The 269,50 people are likely this winter to 710.55 Keep close tab on their legislatures. It is their duty and their last year. advantage to do so.

Oregon Counties will be represented at the Panama Fair.

press from Pendleton to Denver, mills for 22,000,000 feet of rail-

Alsea county starts sawing.

sufferer's recovery.

Much mistletoe was shipped

We don't mind giving the Railroads a five per cent increase since they have been so nice (Heppner Herald)

vented a land and water boat.

Richmond is working to get a hospital.

The time has arrived when big business is going to investigate the government and see why two bit politicians are allowed to expend public money in a reckless manner and charge the government 20 cents a mile railroad fair when traveling. If regulation is good for business why not produce, livestock, hides, sheep for government.

Taxes all over the state of Oregon generally are lower than

Cottage Grove levy is lowered 2 mills.

England is asking for bids 56 horses were shipped by ex- from Oregon and Washington

Eugene and Grants Pass have A building permit has been

Don't forget to ask your repre-Grading on the Willamette sentative to the legislature to ning at the picture show? First Pacific will be finished by Feb.1. vote for a resolution limiting the class films, good music, and ad-Spencer's shingle mill in the number of bills that may be in- mission price 15c and 10c. Show troduced by any member to five. starts at 8:00 sharp.

This week the state solons are assembling at the capital city and by Saturday all will be there. The idea is rapidly gaining favor, that the Oregon legislature is an expensive luxury, with which the state could well dispesne.

If you will subscribe to the about hauling the contributions News or renew your subscription for the starving Belgians free, we will include three standard magazines, all one year, for only VC Gorst of Marshfield has in- 25c extra. Write or call at this office.

> L H and David Rice of Portland visited from Friday evening until Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr and Mrs David Rice.

Scio Produce Co.

Cash buyers for all kinds of and goat pelts.

Thos. Large, Manager.

The mask ball at the Wesely Cain hall on New Year's eve was a decided success. Many comical as well as pretty costumes were in evidence, the music was first class and all seemed to enjoy themselves to the limit.

Picture Show Sunday Night

Why not spend Sunday eve-