

FAMOUS COUNTY FAIR of The WILAMETTE VALLEY SCIO, SEPT. 8-9-10, 1915

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KNIGHTS of PYTHIAS BAND of Scio

Amusements and Attractions

RACE PROGRAM

Wednesday, Sept. 8	Thursday, Sept. 9	Friday, Sept. 10
No. 1. 2:30 trot, 1/2 mile heats, 3 in 5 \$125.00	No. 7. 2:30 trot, 1/2 mile heats, 3 in 5 \$125.00	No. 12. 2:18 trot, 1/2 mile heats, 3 in 5 \$150.00
No. 2. 2:25 pace, 1/2 mile heats, 3 in 5 125.00	No. 8. 2:18 pace, 1/2 mile heats, 3 in 5 125.00	No. 13. 2:15 pace, 1/2 mile heats, 3 in 5 150.00
No. 3. 1/2 mile dash 75.00	No. 9. 1/2 mile dash 75.00	No. 14. 1 mile dash 100.00
No. 4. 1/2 mile buggy race for farmers, race horses barred 25.00	No. 10. 1/2 mile pony race, racing stock barred 10.00	No. 15. 1/2 mile saddle horse race for farmers 10.00
No. 5. 1/2 mile pony race, racing stock barred 10.00	No. 11. 1 1/2 mile relay race at 10:30 a. m.	No. 16. 1 1/2 mile relay race, purse three days 100.00
No. 6. 1 1/2 mile relay race at 10:30 a. m.		

County School Fair and Baby Show

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OUR PUBLIC FORUM

PETER RADFORD,
On Church and State.



The recent action of one of the leading churches of this nation, in annual convention, demanding that the laymen vote only for candidates for office whose views coincide with those of the clergy on one of the leading political issues and direct and indirect efforts of other church organizations to interfere with the freedom of the ballot make one of the greatest perils of this age, and present a problem that should receive thoughtful consideration of both laymen and citizens.

Suckling babes may well squirm in their cradles when ministers in convention assembled release the hearts of men and grab them by the throat, for Christianity has broken down, religion has become a farce and the pulpit a failure. When the church substitutes force for persuasion, command for conviction and coercion for reason the sheriff had as well pass the sacrament, plain clothes men take charge of the altar and policemen bury the dead, for why a church?

It is as distasteful a crime against government for a minister to undertake to deliver the votes of his parishioners to a candidate, as it is for a ward heeler to deliver a block of voters to a political boss, and both ought to be prosecuted, for the law should be no respecter of persons.

It is as objectionable for a convention of ministers to seek by canonical law to control the votes of church members as it would be for a convention of manufacturers to issue orders for their employees to vote for a certain candidate. Such conduct is of itself a crime against society. Any convention, whether composed of saints or sinners, rich or poor, white or black, that seeks to prostitute power and coerce conscience ought to be broken up by the police and its leaders arrested for treason.

A crime by any other name is a crime just the same. An ecclesiastical robe cannot sanctify treason, authority to preach does not carry with it license to become a political ringster, or the right to teach us how to pray give a permit to tell us how to vote. No man in joining the church should sacrifice his citizenship, forfeit his constitutional liberties or subordinate his duty to state. The earth many times has been drenched with the blood of our forefathers, fighting to throw off the ecclesiastical yoke from the state, and the suggestion of a return to these medieval conditions with their horror and their torture should not be tolerated for a moment.

Laws should be passed prohibiting any preacher, or combination of preachers, from delivering or attempting to deliver their membership or congregation to any candidate for office and suitable legislation should be passed preserving the sanctity of the pulpit from political vandalism. It is as much a menace to church and state for a politician to occupy the pulpit as for a minister to preach a political sermon. He has no more right to preach his politics from the pulpit than a teacher has to teach his politics to his pupils. A preacher cannot make political trickery righteous by usage any more than he can make profanity respectable by practice. It is one of the ironies of fate that a preacher may become a scandal as well as a glory to civilization.

Recommends Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy

"I never hesitate to recommend Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy," writes Sol Williams, merchant, Jesse, Tenn. "I sell more of it than of any other preparation of like character. I have used it myself and found it gave me more relief than anything else I have ever tried for the same purpose." Obtainable everywhere.

Team of good sound mules for sale, 5 and 6 years old; weight 1,000 and 1,100; price \$250.—Elmo Sims, Scio.

Ice cream social given by the ladies of the Farmers Union Saturday night. The cream was good as was also the program and everyone seemed to enjoy the evening.

T L Sanders and son Donald came over from Stayton Saturday for a visit with friends and relatives. "Fayte" returned Sunday, but Donald remained for a longer visit at Grandpa Nolan's.

Miss Helen Lee of Albany is visiting at the Lee Gaines home. Saturday night she contributed a solo to our program which was well received.

Railroad Time Table

Arrival and Departure of Passenger Trains

Woodburn-Springfield Branch
WEST SCIO

North 7:55 p m
South 5:31 p m

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Possibly About You

Buck tail flies at Morrison's. Get one.

Old papers 5 cents a bundle at the News office.

Willis H Jenkins, traveling passenger agent for the S P Co. was a Scio visitor Tuesday.

Threshing will soon be over in this part of the country. It has been a record year for a bumper yield, and weather conditions have been ideal for saving the entire crop.

Prof O V White was over from Albany today to arrange for some booklets for the High School. He intends moving his family here in the next few weeks, and has rented the Bilyeu property, at present occupied by T L Dugger.

Best typewriter carbon paper made, two sheets for 5c at the News office.

The section near Kingston was visited by a light shower Monday morning. It seemed rather odd to hear heavy peals of thunder here in Scio when the sun was shining bright and the air heavy with dust and smoke.

Ed Daley is selling peaches this week of the Charlotte variety, raised right here in town which are beauties. Ed says he weighed seven of them which tipped the scales at over 4 1/2 pounds. And the flavor is fully up to the size and color.

Beans of the Kentucky Wonder variety grown in our home garden are a wonder for size and flavor. The writer picked one at random a few days ago which measured 9 1/2 inches in length and 2 1/4 inches in circumference and there are plenty more just as large on the same vines.

Farmers Take Notice

In putting your machinery away look it over and see what extras you will need to put them in condition to use next year. No matter what make I will get them for you so you will not be to any extra expense when you get ready to run.

N I Morrison.

The Clerk Guaranteed It

"A customer came into my store the other day and said to one of my clerks, 'have you anything that will cure diarrhoea?' and my clerk went and got him a bottle of Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy and said to him, 'if this does not cure you, I will not charge you a cent for it.' So he took it home and came back in a day or two and said he was cured," writes J H Berry & Co, Salt Creek, Va. Obtainable everywhere.

LACOMB NEWS ITEMS

Threshing is about all done around the Ridge.

Many are now beginning to prepare for the hop yards.

Ed Payne and wife went to Waterloo Sunday and sampled the soda water.

Mrs Sarah Bloomer of Minnesota is visiting with relatives and friends here. She is E N Soule's mother.

Mr and Mrs Henry Rohl and her aunt, Mrs Blatchley, visited at C E Soule's Sunday.

A large crowd attended the