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Possibly About You

Ten mouse traps for ten cents at Morrison's hardware store.

Born—Friday, Dec 15, to Mr and Mrs R M Cain, a 9 1-2 pound son.

Special attention given to teachers orders of Xmas candy. —J S Sticha.

Dick Pruitt of Antelope came in Monday for a visit with his brother. Frank and family.

The High School debate will be held in the school auditorium Friday evening, December 22.

Fred T Bilyeu went to Portland Friday and returned Saturday, driving back a new model Ford.

When renewing your subscription to the News, don't forget to remind us of the big magazine offer.

We make a specialty of Friendship, Engagement and Wedding rings—F M French & Son, Jewelers and Engravers, Albany.

TH Laird has a damaged eye this week as a result of coming in contact with a stick of wood which he was splitting at his home last Sunday.

John Rhoda of Pullman, Wash, left for Elkhorn last Friday morning after visiting here with his brother Wm for a week, where he will make an extended visit with his mother.

Owen Garland and Roy Stone went to Portland Sunday morning, expecting to fit themselves out with second hand cars. The boys evidently intend to be prepared for spring when it gets here.

Make Scio your shopping city December 23, purchase your Christmas goods and enjoy the free picture show for a couple of hours, and then get home in good time. Given by Bilyeu and Morrison.

The Parent-Teachers Association will not meet this week as announced, but will hold their next meeting early in January, when a very interesting program will be given. Every one should plan on being present.

EC Peery, who is suffering from a nervous breakdown and stomach trouble, went to Portland Monday to consult a specialist, after which he intends to recuperate for a few weeks at the farm home of his mother near Dayton.

BRACELET WATCHES never were so popular with the ladies as they are at the present. We are showing a large variety of styles and have some attractive bargains. Come and see our wonderful display of Christmas gifts.—F M French & Son, Jewelers and Engravers, Albany.

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TWO SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS
Get Busy Quick!

P. S.—The Scio stores have well selected stocks at popular prices.

Our Christmas Gift to You

On Saturday, Dec 23, the News will allow a ten per cent discount on all subscriptions paid for the one day only. This applies to either new subscribers, renewals or delinquent accounts. No Magazine clubs will apply on this discount. Those living at a distance may take advantage of this offer by mailing their remittance on that date.

Saturday, Dec. 23

Don't forget the big free show which begins at 1 o'clock and runs continuously for the benefit of out of town people. All school children who call on that day at Morrison's Hardware Store will be given a free ticket. All those who have purchased Ford cars of Fred T Bilyeu will be admitted free with their families. All others that make any kind of a purchase at N I Morrison's store will receive a ticket free, and also will receive ten per cent discount as a Xmas present on all purchases of \$1.00 or more. We have Erector sets, Tinker Toys and a thousand and one things that will make a nice present for the kiddies and the grown ups. Come early as we will be rushed. We will have several extra sales people.

N. I. Morrison,
Scio, Oregon.

1000 pounds Xmas candy just arrived at Sticha's.

Mrs C A Parker, who bought the old hotel building south of the bridge and had it wrecked, is arranging to build an 8 room modern bungalow at once on the corner north of her present home.

LA VALLIERS and neck chains command the attention of all well dressed ladies. Our stock never was so complete for the holiday trade as it is just now. We have solid gold ones from \$3.00 up.—F M French & Son, Jewelers and Engravers, Albany.

Oregon News Notes

Oregon Development News in Line of Industries, Payrolls, and Products of Labor and Enterprise.

Oregon, California & Eastern Ry will receive \$300,000 bond issue from Klamath Falls beside \$75,000 in terminal grounds; Burns gives \$100,000, Lakeview \$20,000, Bend \$35,000, Prineville \$100,000, Bonanza will grade seven miles and land owners give 200 miles right of way. Mr Strahorn announces that actual construction work will start in 30 days.

Croquet balls and mallets may be made of local myrtle wood by Vermont firm at Coos Bay.

The latest proposition of a professional politician in Portland is for the city to vote \$2,000,000 bonds for a light plant. Portland's taxes are not yet high enough and this would also furnish jobs for a lot more ambitious politicians.

Rich strike in Ben Harrison mine, Sumpter district, shows \$1 a lb ore.

Oregon City Moose to build two story \$20,000 lodge building at once.

A true conservation measure is one which allows fullest use of natural resources, such as water power, for light, heat and power, thus really conserving coal, oil and wood now used for these purposes and utilizing water running to waste.

Albany Commercial club launches move for open river from Salem to Corvallis.

A leading engineering and construction company is authority for statement that there will be 100 and probably 200 grain elevators built in Columbia river basin to handle 1917 crop thus doing away with old sack system.

Florence—Contract let to cut and deliver 35,000,000 of logs will keep large crew at work several years.

Ontario—Central warehouse to be erected by Idaho-Oregon honey Producers Ass'n either here or at Caldwell, Idaho.

Oregon's dairy production in 1916 totals \$20,000,000.

Estacada News: First, it is general taxes, then special taxes and still some of us are lucky who do not own an automobile.

Roseburg—Hereafter all county road work of \$1000 or over to be let by contract. Present system too costly.

Reedsport ships 2 cars cattle. Large amount of stock being shipped out of Lower Umpqua country since new railroad came.

Lane Co Fruit exchange ships car of apples to Chico, Calif.

Coos County's 1917 budget to include \$25,000 for court house expenses.

Coos Bay—Business of getting out ship knees giving employment to many and proving profitable here.

Ritter is 35 miles closer to market than ever before with completion of road to Heppner

Albany Gleanings

All sections of the country were represented at the road meeting held at Albany Saturday. The report from the representatives who conducted the meeting in Portland was to the fact that all Road Associations of the state were joining with Linn County in an effort to indorse one bill which will embody a complete road code for the state. It is not expected that the new code will concern itself particularly with what have been known as State roads but will lay particular stress upon the needs of building and maintaining of each road that is open in the county and that all roads may be passable and uniformly constructed.

Attention was called to the fact that under the present state road law Linn County pays 1-4 mill tax each year into the state road fund and receives nothing in return. This year the amount paid in was \$7540.21.

Elks from all over the County will meet in their Temple on Xmas Day to entertain all youngsters from the ages of four to twelve. A special program, Xmas presents and free picture show will be provided for the benefit of the children.

Lane and Marion Counties have made a success of the flax raising and are sending East to secure experts who will open factories in Salem and Eugene. Linn County growers are taking this matter up at a meeting to be held at Albany next month and if it is found that the industry is profitable in the nearby counties it is probable that it will be fostered here.

For Sale for \$500.—Good four room house; small barn; lot and one-half of ground; north of flour mill; belongs to Mrs Clara Griffin. Enquire of EC Shelton.

and bridge across the John Day river.

Mt Scott Herald: The adoption of the single item veto measures and the Tax Limitation Bill will save the state thousands, yes millions.

Oswego—Pipe foundry is expected to resume operations within few days. Foundry furnished employment to about 30 men and contributes greatly to city's welfare.

Famed Mac Rae ranch of 8000 acres in Grants county sells for \$200,000 cash and includes 10,000 sheep, 100 horses, 100 cows and poultry, all registered.

Portland business men will draft bill with purpose to amend laws of state to permit a community to tax itself to raise funds for the support and fostering of shipping—would be great aid to shipbuilding industry.

The proposition of railroad men and their employes to settle their own troubles without a strike is of more importance to industries than any news appearing in papers recently and is to be credited to the good judgment of both sides.

Golden Wedding

Mr and Mrs E J Daley entertained twenty guests at dinner last Saturday, the occasion being in honor of their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

December 16, 1866, E J Daley and Sarah Elizabeth Cusick were united in marriage at the old Cusick home, seven miles from Scio, Rev Sam Miller, father of Mrs A E Randall, officiating. Last Saturday the house was decorated and a bounteous repast was served, the table decorations being yellow chrysanthemums, and a beautiful wedding cake. Mr and Mrs Daley are well preserved and Ed says they will celebrate their diamond wedding in the course of time.

Those present to extend their best wishes for many happy returns of the day and partake of the hospitality of the "newly-weds" were: their children, Fred and George of Scio, Miss Dolly of Lebanon and Mrs Reynolds of Portland, their granddaughter Miss Reynolds, Mrs Belle Daley of Medford, Mrs Nelle Gunsauls and son Lyle of Lebanon, J A Bilyeu, wife and daughter, Miss Nita, Gale Jones, Mrs Sarah Morris, Mr and Mrs P H MacDonald and Mr and Mrs G W Morrow, of Scio.

Xmas Tree Program

The following program will be given by the Sunday School at the Federated church Saturday night, December 23:

Music,
Scripture Lesson,
Prayer,
Song, Cheerful class,
Drill, Sunbeam class,
Dialogue "Waiting for Santa,"
Recitation, Robert Bauman,
Solo, Miss Forbes,
Recitation, Louella Lukenbach,
Recitation, Annah Compton,
Song, Cheerful class.

Miss Mae Crabtree came down from Mill City Wednesday to spend the Christmas holidays with Scio relatives.

Miss Dolly Daley was over from Lebanon last week attending the golden wedding of her parents, Mr and Mrs E J Daley.

Mrs C A Parker is a firm believer in the fact that it pays to advertise, as the stolen pipe which she advertised in the News last week, was returned to its place sometime during Tuesday night.

Basketball is now the order of the day and so far Scio has defeated all comers. Friday evening of last week, the Scio H S boys team defeated the Corvallis H S team, with a score of 22 to 21, and Tuesday evening of this week, the H S girls gave the Riverside girls to the tune of 8 to 1. Good crowds and lots of enthusiasm at both games helped to put "pep" into the players and kept the interest up to fever heat until the finish.