

## LOCAL BREVITIES

Films developed free at Peery's drug store.

Carl Cyrus, of Pendleton, spent Christmas with homefolks in Scio.

W. M. and James Abbott drove down to Jefferson yesterday.

Merl Cyrus, of Portland, spent Christmas with home folks in Scio.

It is reported that C. C. Wade is now the proprietor of a pool hall in Oregon City.

J. L. Calavan steps high lately. A new boy at their house, born last Saturday, is the cause.

For Sale—Close in acreage to Lebanon, acre tracts, highly developed. Easy terms, interest 6 per cent. Write Helen V. Crawford, Lebanon.

Uncle Isaac Bates was in town Tuesday for the first time in several weeks. He has been out helping his son Charley run the farm for a spell.

A postal inspector was here looking over the Scio postoffice, last week. He found everything in first class shape and gave Miss Buckner the highest rating.

The Tribune is informed that J. D. Densmore, who took a car load of heifers and milk cows to Montana some two weeks ago, is sick up there which has delayed his return.

Jas. A. Abbott and his little niece Dorothea Eshelman, of Estacada, came up Sunday evening to spend the holidays with the Scio hotel people and other relatives and friends.

The weather clerk tried very hard to give us a "white" Christmas, but the fellow who runs the heat business below, beat him at the game. The snow melted about as fast as it fell.

A private letter from E. C. Peery now in Portland, states he is now sojourning in the Portland Medical hospital and will be confined there for another ten days, when he expects to be fully recovered. His trouble is not as serious as he feared when he left home.

A few changes will be made at the court house in Albany next week. Superintendent Jackson, Recorder Froman and Surveyor Geddes will retire. Geddes has held office for the past four years but Froman and Jackson have been drawing county salaries since Carlo was a pup.

Cities and towns with paved streets can get along without cross walks nicely. But with the material we have used to improve Main street, cross walks are almost as necessary as when in former condition. It is not pleasant to wade in mud when crossing the street. Cross walks should be restored.

The Lebanon debaters proved to heavy for our high school debating team last Friday evening in this city. Anyway, the affirmative side of the question is difficult to handle in that it is theoretical and rests upon no well established basis of fact. In point of delivery, however, our debaters are superior to those who came over from Lebanon.

It was, probably, necessary to charge an admission fee to the school debate, Friday night. But all such propositions should be free. There ought to be some other plan to pay the expenses. We want to encourage these young debaters and, voluntarily, most of us will contribute liberally. A door charge when we go as simply an encouragement to our school boys and girls, does not appeal to many of our citizens.

After next Monday it will be Mr. Mayor Thayer.

Lamp year will soon be gone girls. You had better get busy.

Something is liable to happen. Walt Bilyeu is wearing a cap.

If Scio desires to retain the Linn County Fair, it is simply a question of "dig."

All indications point to an unusual activity in the mines above Gates when spring opens.

Roger and his better half say they are succeeding admirably in raising a little Cain.

Balls and other social meets have been so frequent this week, that The Tribune has lost count.

R. Norris Morris, a resident of Albany for many years, died at his home near Roseburg Monday.

Rev. Her has a high opinion of Scio people. They remembered him handsomely with Christmas presents.

We make a specialty of Friendship, Engagement and Wedding Rings. F. M. French & Son, Albany, Oregon.

Jim Platt reports that he has traded for the Lucas place, in Richardson Gap. W. E. Arnold was the owner.

Frank Gill says he is not guilty of eating turkey in Lebanon Christmas day, as is stated in this paper in another item.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Bowerman and children, of Portland, are spending holiday week with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Sutherland.

Scio post office cannot make any great boasts, but there is a gradual increase in the business all the while nevertheless.

Mrs. Thomas Laird left last Saturday for a holiday visit with home folks at Florence, down on the coast in Lane county.

For pedestrians our Main street is in worst condition in the history of Scio. Our city council should get busy in some way.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Gill and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gill, eat Christmas turkey at the home of their son and brother, Dr. John Gill, of Lebanon.

John Davenport, of the upper Crabtree country, was in town last Thursday, separating himself from his filthy lucre for Christmas goods.

Christmas day was very similar to an ordinary Sunday, in Scio. Only a few people were in town except at night when a dance was liberally attended.

The Christmas tree festivities at the Christian church last Saturday evening, drew a crowded house. Almost everybody present carried away one or more Christmas gifts.

Good printing can be obtained only where the proper types, presses, material and expert workmanship is found. The Tribune office possesses all of these requisites and the prices are right.

Miss Ruth Copeland, of Pendleton, is visiting at the homes of Mrs. Sarah Morris and P. H. MacDonald. This is her first visit to the Willamette valley and she is delighted to see the green things growing.

Most Scio housewives are out of humor these days. Be as careful as you can and you will carry more or less mud into the house. If divorce trials result, the city council will be to blame.

The Tribune is in receipt of a postal card from J. W. Miller, of Shelburn, who appears to be in Oakland, Cal., under date of Dec. 24. Mr. Miller states that his father-in-law, Geo. Gibbons, also of Shelburn, had suffered a stroke of paralysis in his left side. Mr. Gibbons is in Providence hospital at Oakland and will remain there for a few days. He is very anxious to return home.

## Where Ideas Came From

Prohibition has come from the West east. The progress of ideas in the United States seems generally to be in that direction. North of Mason and Dixon's line and east of the Mississippi there are but two prohibition States. One of these is Maine, which has been a historic anomaly for over fifty years. The other is Michigan, which came into the dry column only at the recent election. The area of prohibition coincides almost exactly with the area which elected Wilson president. Most of the ideas which have had any potency in American politics during the present generation have originated in the west and traveled east. Certainly this is true of all issues that arose after the group of issues bound up with the Civil war disappeared. The Australian ballot came that way, the direct primary came that way. Is there any important issue, indeed, which has not come that way? In this identity of the birthplace of ideas with the area which elected Mr. Wilson there is a good deal of ground for contemplation on the part of the leaders of the republican party.—Colliers.

## Farm Loan Banks

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