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## RIDDERS SELLS HIS SHOP TO THE COUNTY

**Auto Machine Shop Will Be Used to Repair Trucks and Road Machinery.**

Ben Ridders, well known machinist, Saturday sold the Albany Automobile and Machine Shop to Linn county, says the Albany Democrat. The shop will be operated by the county court for the care and repair of auto trucks and road making machinery.

Linn county is going into the road making business on a large scale and an adequate repair department is necessary to keep the machinery in order.

### On their Honeymoon.

Captain and Mrs. Charles Roemer (Jessie Hibler) arrived from San Francisco Saturday morning on their honeymoon tour and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Gill, grandparents of Mrs. Roemer, until Monday morning. Captain Roemer is a naval officer, stationed at San Francisco, and commands the coast guard ship Unalga.

### Denies the Row.

A correspondent out at Richardson Gap says The Tribune was at fault in stating that a row had occurred at a dance held there early in January. He says there was no dance held there on the date specified. The Scio boys who were reported to be in the mixup, deny the charge, so we guess we were simply victimized by Dame Rumor and let it go at that.

Ben Gooch, a former pharmacist in Scio, now at Mount Angel, had his store robbed last week.

## Stop That Bark

**A. D. S.  
White Pine Cough  
Syrup Will Do It**

Price 25 and 50 Cents

**Kelly's Drug Store  
YOURS FOR SERVICE**

### JORDAN ITEMS

Born to the wife of Lem Lambert January 20, a fine 11 pound boy.

Miss Clara Jungwirth visited Lizzie Schmidt Wednesday.

A. W. Arbuckle and family and Mrs. J. H. Wortman were Lyons and Mehama visitors Sunday.

Hal Shelton and wife attended the Jordan dance Thursday night.

John Rowen and Miss Anna Bouer were married in Salem January 17. We join their many friends in wishing them a long and happy life.

Aunt Evaline Shelton fell from her couch Sunday, inflicting quite a bruise to the forehead. She is unable to be up.

T. Thomas came down from Stayton Monday to see how the ranch was flourishing under the care of Alvin Pepperling and Alfred Brotherton. Thurston says they are typical bachelors.

### OREGON MIST.

Enoch Shelton drives a new stem-winder, self-starter Ford.

George Brock has sold his portable sawmill to E. E. Evans.

Mrs. Walter Bilyeu and Mrs. J. L. Kelly were Albany visitors Friday.

There will be preaching at the Federated church Sunday, both in morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Christie came up from Portland Tuesday for a visit at the Fred Giselman home.

Rev. Silas Williams, 1852 pioneer of Tallman, died at his home last week. The burial occurred at Salem.

C. A. Richardson and Ed Bilyeu were business visitors in Portland last week.

J. F. Wesely was looking after business matters in Albany Thursday of last week.

Mrs. C. C. Jackson of near Halsey, and formerly well known in the Scio country, submitted to an operation last Saturday.

Mrs. Hazel Powell and little daughter are living at Mabton, Wash., where she has bought a home.

Mrs. Ed Bilyeu is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. T. Lee. Ed says this batching business is getting old and he wants to sell his farm.

Jesse Hildreth passed through the city yesterday with a wagon load of fine Duroc Jersey hogs for shipment to Portland.

Miss Agnes Wesely, who went to Portland Monday, expects to visit there for three months.

A revenue officer will be at the city hall in Scio February 16 and 17 to assist taxpayers in making up incomes for 1919.

R. M. Cain is enclosing the shed on the north side of his store in which to keep machinery, vehicles, etc.

D. C. Thoms reports that the Jefferson Review has changed hands, the Gervais Star man being buyer. Goodbye, Tip.

Tuesday Vilas Philippi, Charles Warner, George Balsiger and a man from Jefferson went to Portland to undergo the trials and tribulations of the neophyte who essays the 32d degree in Masonry.

### The Veto Ax.

Governor Olcott has been busy this week wielding his veto ax. 11 road measures which specified and sought to add certain roads in many counties to the state road system; the iniquitous straight party ballot; release of sureties on bonds, etc. Governor Olcott should have refused to sign the fish and game bill as well and give it the ax. He would have saved the people much trouble, for when they get a chance at it they will repeal the entire law.

Linn county's experiment with lady officials has proven a splendid success both in efficiency and economy. They have dispensed with the services of four deputies or assistants at annual salaries totaling \$4200. All of the deputies in the several offices are now ladies.

Clair McLain, who was in Uncle Sam's service, doing duty in the medical department of the navy, has returned to his home at Shelburn having received his discharge. He was last stationed at Haiti on shore duty. Claire has gone to Portland and entered an auto school.

George Griffin came to town Monday looking worried and very much harassed. He lays all his troubles to a multiplicity of widows in his neighborhood. He tried to get our printer to go home with him as a protector, offering all sorts of alluring inducements.

Everybody should attend the bond election to be held next month. You are simply asked to loan the credit of Scio. With the increased patronage which the increase of power will enable us to take on, the earnings of the plant will pay off the bonds in 15 years and will make your property worth 25 per cent more, for Scio will begin to grow then, as she never has before.

A motion picture that will thrill audiences wherever it is shown, not only because of its absorbing story, but also because of its powerful heart appeal, is "The Miracle Man," a new Paramount-Artercraft feature, which has been booked at the Peoples Theatre for Saturday and Sunday nights, Jan. 24-25.

When the special session of the legislature adjourned Sunday morning after 3 o'clock, it left a record of passing favorably on 34 bills, and a miscellaneous assortment of memorials and resolutions. Following are the constitutional amendments and other measures to be submitted to the voters of this state at the special election May 21: Extending road limitation indebtedness from 2 to 4 per cent; relating to debts and liabilities of counties, enabling counties to fund their debts; relating to succession to governorship, providing president of senate succeeds; restoring capital punishment; providing additional tax levy for operation of soldiers', sailors' and marines' educational aid act; levying annual tax of 2 mills for support of public elementary schools; levying special tax for erection, equipment and maintenance of institution for blind; providing tax of 1.2 mills for support of University of Oregon, agricultural college and Monmouth normal; relating to acquiring of private lands for public purposes.

### Eyes Examined and Tested.

Eyes scientifically examined and accurately fitted with glasses. Latest frames and lenses carried in stock. All kinds of broken lenses replaced. None too difficult. Particular attention given to mail orders on all kinds of optical work.

F. M. FRENCH & SONS  
Jewelers, Engravers, Opticians  
Albany, Oregon

### SANTIAM FARM TOPICS

Our ideal weather, so unexpected, is paying us back for the snow storm and bitter cold. This is the longest warm spell in January we've known and everything is growing nicely.

Lester Bilyeu killed a fine lot of porkers Monday.

Our school, 77, is overrun with new pupils; the teacher had to call on the directors for more seats.

Elmer Griffin got tired trapping mice and Monday pulled out for the John Day country.

Most every farmer is spreading himself plowing while the weather is good and the ground in such fine shape.

Seed potatoes are up. The old man ordered 200 pounds from Portland; cost \$14.

Uncle Tom Small is clearing the brush out of Crabtree creek to open a new channel and save the bridge from being washed out.

Received a letter from Mrs. Brodie daughter of Thomas Hayley, formerly of this neighborhood. She tells me she has a fine young son; also that two years ago her father paid \$10,000 for 10 acres near Walla Walla and this season took off a \$5000 crop.

Gene Pomeroy of Idaho is visiting his sister, Mrs. Small. Uncle Tom was so interested he forgot the telephone meeting Saturday night.

PIE EATER.

Albany will stage a \$2700 race program at the Linn county fair next fall. The old roundup grounds is the probable selection for the fair.

Miss Wells, who spent the holidays at her home in Portland, came back Friday evening and went out to the Scio Logging & Lumber Co. mill where her father is manager.

E. C. Peery, Varde Shelton, Chas. Bartu, J. G. Holt, J. T. Brock, John Frost, O. E. Shelton and S. H. Goin of Scio and vicinity, attended the good roads meeting in Albany Saturday.

Wouldn't it be a good idea to pave Main street and that part of Mill street east from Main? When the paving outfit finishes the Scio-West Scio road it would be easy to induce the pavers to come here. A street free from mud ought to appeal to us to put in this permanent improvement. In the end it will be cheaper than caring for the mud on Main street by scrapers and the disgraceful condition of Mill street.

Good authority states that the wool, trimmings and cost of manufacture of a \$75 suit is not more than \$25. The cost of shipping and selling the suit is double the cost of making; that is to say 200 per cent is absorbed in shipping and paying the manufacturer's, the wholesaler's and the retailer's profits. Surely there is profiteering along the line of at least 100 per cent.

### At The Peoples Theatre

Saturday evening and Sunday evening Mrs. Wesely will present that wonderful picture, "The Miracle Man," so highly spoken of and all should see.

## ADMIRALS DIFFER ON MEDAL AWARDS

**Mayo Takes Direct Issue With Sims' Views—Sea Duty Is Held Deserving.**

Washington, Jan. 20.—Direct issue with Rear Admiral William S. Sims on the two leading controverted points in the naval decorations dispute was taken today by Rear Admiral Henry T. Mayo, war time commander of the United States fleet, in testimony before the senate sub committee investigating the medal award controversy.

Reading his letter to Secretary Daniels giving his views on the decorations awards, which views he said were not presented as a protest, Admiral Mayo first disagreed with Admiral Sims as to the relative importance of sea and shore duty. Admiral Mayo explained that he wrote to Secretary Daniels because he did not believe the Knight board of award or Mr. Daniels had given sufficient consideration to the importance of the duties performed by officers who served at sea with the Atlantic fleet.

Admiral Sims contended that too much importance was attached to the service of officers who served at sea as compared with those who administered important posts on shore.

### Masquerade Ball.

A masquerade ball will be given at the Richardson Gap hall Saturday, January 31. Cash prizes will be given as follows: 1st, best representation, \$3; 2d, best appearance, \$2; 3d, most comic, \$1. Good music will be furnished and the usual good time is assured. Everybody welcome.

### Agricultural Lime.

The lime manufactured for agricultural use in the United States in 1918 amounted to 391,047 tons, valued at \$2,698,848. The raw limestone pulverized and sold for land dressing amounted to 1,091,918 tons, valued at \$1,626,292. Compared with 1917 these figures represent a decrease of 20 per cent in quantity of lime and an increase of 5 per cent in quantity of limestone used in agriculture.

### Basket Ball.

The Scio high school basket ball girls went to Silverton Friday evening. An interesting game was played, resulting in a score of 11 to 9 in favor of Silverton. Come to see the return game Friday evening, January 23. Admission 15c & 25c.

### Substitute for Paris Green.

Additional experience confirms the conclusion reported last year by the bureau of entomology of the U. S. department of agriculture that arsenate of lime may be used in all situations as a substitute for paris green, and that for pomaceous fruits—apples, pears and quinces—it may prove a satisfactory substitute for arsenate of lead when used with lime or fungicides containing lime. A less expensive substitute for nicotine sulphate also is being sought.