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SENATOR CHAMBERLAIN CORDIALLY RECEIVED

A Large Crowd of Both Political Parties and Many Women Hear Senator.

Senator Chamberlain did not need an introduction to the people of Scio for all know him personally, that is to say the old settlers do. They were out to greet him and give him a cordial handshake.

After Senator Chamberlain arrived and a half hour spent in personal greetings, the Peoples theatre was filled to capacity to hear at first hand what their former Linn county citizen, and whom the people of Oregon delight to honor, had to say.

E. C. Peery served as chairman and called the meeting to order. Grandma Leffler was introduced and recited in a very agreeable manner a war poem.

Senator Chamberlain, when taking the rostrum, expressed sorrow at the absence, caused by death, of so many of his oldtime Scio friends. He then said he would name a few of the reforms accomplished by the present administration, as he would have time to name but few. He explained the workings of the farmers land bank and what great benefit it had been to farmers, and how the money sharks were now trying to have the law pronounced unconstitutional.

The Tribune would like to give an exact report of the speech, but cannot afford the expense to have the copy made. Suffice to say this first meeting of the political campaign was a success in every way. Republicans in numbers were out to hear the senator, thus showing they are willing to hear both sides of the political issues discussed. Fully one-half of the audience was women.

See our Window Display this week

EARLY ARRIVALS IN STATIONERY FOR CHRISTMAS

We have just received a large shipment of the finest of stationery for our Christmas trade. Of course it's

SYMPHONY LAWN

the finest paper made. It's packed in dainty boxes and may be had in the various desired shades and colors.

We also have—
ENVELOPES, EVERSHARP
PENCILS, FOUNTAIN PENS
ETC.

Kelly's Drug Store
YOURS FOR SERVICE

In Memoriam.

Leone Rebekah Lodge No. 84.
I. O. O. F.

Whereas, the Great Ruler of the Universe has removed from our lodge our beloved Brother T. H. Boynton, by the messenger of death, we bow our heads in sorrow as we submit to the will of Him who holds the destinies of us all in his hands. Be it therefore

Resolved that the lodge has lost an upright, and faithful member and brother, his daily walk and actions truly exemplifying friendship, love and truth.

Resolved, that we do truly sympathize with the grief stricken family in their bereavement and we commend them to our Heavenly Father who doeth all things well.

Resolved, that these resolutions be spread on the records of this lodge, a copy thereof transmitted to the family of the deceased brother, and a copy published in the Scio Tribune. Committee.

Explains His Vote.

I guess, according to the Tribune, that I am an enemy to Scio. Time will tell. I have always been in favor of a power plant at Jordan, but not at Wilson Park. We could have built the plant at Jordan for \$25,000 and had twice the power for 10 or 11 months of the year that we will ever have at the park. We are spending nearly \$50,000 for a little extra power for one month's use.

If our city council would consider the matter and change the site to Jordan, where it belongs, it could be done yet and have a few thousand dollars left out of the \$60,000 already voted. It will not be completed as planned by the council without voting other bonds; and before there is anything paid on the principal we will have to vote more bonds to rebuild the flume, besides \$1000 per year for the upkeep.

We are in the same fix as Medford, only a little worse, if this project is completed at Wilson Park. Why continue a project that can't possibly pay out? We had better lose what has already been spent on the flume than continue it. I knew where we were going to get off at the first time I saw what was being done the 4th of July, and can see where we are going.

Only about \$18,000 will be realized on the \$20,000 voted and another issue will depreciate still more. Are we going to build up other communities at our expense? Consider these matters before it is evenlastingly too late. Don't complain on 75 to 100 mill taxes; that is what we voted on. Cut out the unnecessary salaries and put it in charge of one competent man who has the interests of Scio at heart.

Whoever wrote the different items in previous issues of the Tribune was ashamed to put his John Henry as author of the same.

N. I. MORRISON.

[Most of the items were written by The Tribune editor, making a signature unnecessary.]

showing that they are deeply interested in the issues to be decided next Tuesday.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The Scio high school boys basketball team won its first contest Thursday evening last by defeating Turner high school 44 to 5. The game was more interesting than the score indicates and Turner put up a good fight all the way through. The low score of Turner proves the effective guarding of Scio players, and the large score made by the locals shows good work on offense learned in four nights' practice. Every Scio player did well. The community is to be congratulated on the crowd of supporters such as would make any team win. The boys expect to play Crabtree this Thursday. No girls games have yet been scheduled as outside teams are not yet ready.

The new science equipment for the high school has arrived, most of it, several fine, highly sensitive instruments are included, also models of engines, and trunk and skull models.

This week marks the end of the attendance contest in the high school. Who will win?

The teachers training class presented a much appreciated program on Frances E. Willard day.

The kiddies in the grades are preparing for hallowe'en.

JORDAN ITEMS

E. Spatz moved to the house formerly occupied by Bert Bilyeu.

Gene Thomas visited at Henry Phillips' Sunday.

Mrs. K. M. Chromie called on Miss Clara Jungwirth Friday.

Bert Bilyeu, who has been working for the light company, moved to Jefferson Friday.

Joe Jungwirth moved to the house formerly occupied by Mrs. H. C. Foltz.

Miss Elizabeth Schwint is helping Mrs. Combs at housework.

Frank Combs is cutting silage for Mr. DeLong.

Clair Thomas marketed a fine load of cascara bark Saturday.

J. H. Goswick of The Dalles is visiting at the home of his parents here.

Quite an excitement prevailed on upper Thomas creek Saturday by the finding of articles supposed to belong to escaping convicts. Officers were notified; they soon responded, but no clue to convicts or owners of the property has so far developed.

OREGON MIST.

O. P. Coshov of Roseburg is a candidate for attorney general. "Ped," his boyhood nickname, still sticks to him, for he is a product of Brownsville and all of the old settlers know him. He is a good lawyer and would make an excellent attorney general. Write his name in for it is not of those printed on the ballot.

At The Peoples Theatre.

For this week, Saturday and Sunday evenings at the Peoples Theatre Bill Hart in "The Toll Gate."

Advertise in The Scio Tribune and get results.

J. D. Isom.

J. D. Isom, candidate for county commissioner, is a pioneer of this county and a successful farmer, stockman and road builder of wide experience. He has been solicited by representative business men to become a candidate. He was nominated at the last primary election.

The post of county commissioner is one of the most important in the county government. It cannot be successfully filled by anyone not possessing the qualities of a keen business man and with a vision broad enough to serve the interests of all the people. He must be determined to make every dollar count to the best ends of the county community.

This Linn county is a great business organization in which every taxpayer is a stockholder. The county court is comparable to a board of directors. The county has an assessed valuation of \$30,000,000, and a population of nearly 25,000; and it has several thousand miles of public roads and approximately 2,000 public bridges and culverts over its streams. The annual overhead expense of this concern is more than half a million dollars. A large proportion of this expenditure comes under direct supervision of the county commissioners.

What business firm would employ any but the most efficient managers to have charge of such a responsible work?

The business calibre of J. D. Isom is broad enough to meet the public demands in keeping Linn county in the column of progressive counties of the state at the minimum expense. Well known and commendable is Mr. Isom's experience as a road man. He advocates the policy of every dollar going to the district or road in the county for which it is voted. He favors the policy of having material at hand to repair the roads when most needed. A vote for Mr. Isom means economy and progress.—Albany Democrat. Pd Ad

Some high school boys ordered some basketball bills printed in a hurry last week. They are uncalled for as yet.

SHELburn ITEMS

The Bates boys were hauling wood to Shelburn last week and loaded two cars.

Alfred Powell and family of Turner were visitors here Tuesday.

Dr. Hobson was called Thursday to attend Mrs. H. O. Shilling, who was quite ill.

Carl Follis and wife of Stayton are visiting at the home of Lee George.

Mrs. W. A. White of West Scio and Mrs. Clair Allen of Roseburg were visiting friends near Shelburn the first of the week.

Mrs. R. M. Russell of Albany is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones.

Dr. Browne was called to attend Blanche Churchill Sunday.

The new station agent moved into the A. Shanks house.

Rev. Blair of Albany will hold services here next Sunday.

SCIO WILL NOT RECEDE BUT PRESSES ONWARD

Votes 81 to 25 to Continue Improvement—Expresses Confidence in Management.

Last Saturday the citizens of Scio gave our present city council a vote of confidence. While the council may be fairly criticized for some of their actions, and many say "it might have done better," there is no disposition on the part of the people to block the completion of the power project by refusing to authorize more money.

No question of dishonesty or graft has been raised, and most people with whom we have talked favor reelecting the same council next Tuesday so that it can complete the work it has begun.

It would hardly be fair to give the council the vote of confidence, given last Saturday, and then turn them out of office. They, individually, can complete the work better than new men can. They (council) are in touch with all the contracts made. They will know if the contractors have made good. New men cannot know these things. Hence the election of the old council, to a man, is the only course. They will then have to assume all responsibility.

The Tribune is indebted to the Scio mills for samples of whole wheat and fine flour. They are all O.K. The Scio mills purpose to make as good flour as the market affords, hard wheat not excepted.

James A. Van Winkle was in Scio Friday morning en route to Mill City. Incidentally he was doing some electioneering for his brother who wants to be elected attorney general.

SALE

You will find the lumber needed for that new building at real low prices.

Special Prices on All
Stock in Yards

Bring your wagon when you come because the price will suit you.

Scio L. & L. Co.