

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Threshing machines will be humming next week.

Miss Agnes Soucek returned from a visit to Portland last Thursday.

Shelton & Co., of the Sanitary Market, want your veal and will call for it.

Scio plumbers are putting the fixtures into the J. L. Rodgers home this week.

The Tribune is indebted to Mrs. Mary Hodge for a bucket of very fine raspberries.

Steve Philippi and George Daly drove down to Salem Sunday in Steve's tin lizzie.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones and Rol Morris returned last Friday from a visit to Coos Bay.

George Bilyeu and wife will go to Cascadia this afternoon intending to stay as long as camping out is pleasant.

Patrons of School District No. 65 are glad that Mrs. J. L. Rodgers has been employed for another term.

The wiring of our city telephone

system onto the company's own poles will be about completed this week.

Manager Johns, of the Red Crown mills, Albany, thinks wheat will rate at \$1 per bushel this year at country points.

Sell your cream to Swift Produce Co., Scio, Oregon, and get honest test and top price. Present price of butterfat is 36c.

Dr. Richardson and Rev. Appleberry, of Jefferson, spent last Saturday in Scio. Rev. Appleberry is the Christian minister at Jefferson.

A poultry demonstration (culling) will be held at Mrs. C. A. Everett's home in Scio on August 8th. It is hoped everybody interested will attend.

Mrs. Julia Bilyeu, grand chief of the Pythian Sisters of Oregon, is officially visiting the lodges of that order in Portland and vicinity this week.

It is said that rapid progress is being made on the power dam up at Jordan, and which will probably be completed this week or early in next week.

A display of grains, grasses and legumes is being prepared for exhibition at the Oregon building in Portland by the O. A. C. farm crops department.

Charles Brant came up from Salem Sunday to bring I. V. McAdoo, a brother printer, to sub for his father, J. A. C., who is now off enjoying his annual vacation. Mr. McAdoo is a distant relative of Mr. Wilson's secretary of the treasury.

Henry Stepanek and Joe Bartu spent five days up on the headwaters of the South Santiam and caught so many trout it ceased to be sport and they really got tired and came home. Henry said the roads were in excellent shape now, the only really bad place being a stretch of loose sand near Seven-mile hill.

Lime lessens plant disease such as rust, smut and clubroot, and it also makes available for plant growth such food elements as potassium, phosphorus and other mineral elements in acid soils available for plant growth. The lime also increases the moisture content of the top layers of heavy soils. Lime should never be plowed under because it works downward and naturally leaches into the lower layers of the soil.

Some One Always Pays.

We get nothing in this world free of charge except air, and it costs money nowadays to get fresh air in many instances.

One of the political manias of recent years has been to give the people something for nothing at government expense.

Witness the Federal Farm Loan Act, whereby farm loan bonds to raise money to loan the farmer at low rates of interest are exempted from all forms of taxation.

As a result hundreds of millions of dollars of these bonds are now owned by wealthy tax dodgers. But the farmer and the wealthy bond holder must pay double taxes on other property or increased prices for whatever they eat, wear or buy to make up for double taxes paid by some one else to cover the taxes lost on tax free bonds which were to give some one something for nothing.

The more tax exemptions we get the higher the tax bill grows for the remaining tax payers and the higher commodity prices rise to cover the cost of increased taxation.

A return to the principle of equal taxation would be one of the greatest steps toward a proper readjustment from the cost of living.

Best Way to Kill Poultry.

Sticking the fowl from inside the mouth is now practiced by leading poultrymen and poultry merchants, according to G. F. Bell, of the O. A. C. department of poultry husbandry. Best results are obtained by using a thin sharp bladed knife. The fowl is first hung up by the feet on a suspended cord, the knife is inserted in the mouth and a diagonal slit made across the upper corner of the mouth. This cuts the large artery of the head and allows the fowl to bleed to death quickly. Simultaneously with the cutting of the artery the knife may be turned and the point pierced through the roof of the mouth into the rear brain cavity. This piercing of the nervous center causes a relaxation of the skin muscles and the feathers may be dry picked. The picking must be done rapidly for the period of relaxation is brief. Thus it may be seen that the method not only produces a better appearing product, but economizes on the time taken in doing the work as well.

Evergreen Blackberries Wanted.

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THOMAS LARGE.

All Hail to God Gompers.

The press and the American people are very kind to the great labor God Gompers and strikes have almost shut down our remaining industries.

What do we not owe the great God Gompers, a Canadian importation, who has never invested a dollar in American industry and pays no taxes?

He backed the policemen's strike in Boston, which was repudiated by Governor Coolidge and by the American people in sending Coolidge higher.

Gompers backed the passage of the Adamson bill which held a pistol at the head of Congress and gave it four hours to comply with its demands.

Gompers is honorary head of the Plumb Plan that asks the nation to turn the railroads over to the employees a la Russian-Soviet system.

Gompers advocates general amnesty to all seditious agitators who resisted the draft and backfired our army and navy.

Great is God Gompers and the American people owe him a crown.

Veal and Poultry

Sell your veal and poultry to the SWIFT PRODUCE CO., Scio, Oregon, and get top price. We call for veal or poultry free of charge.

Prof. Tobie Expresses

(Continued from page 1.)

Those people who continue to find fault with schools have plenty to find fault about. There is no doubt about that. What these folks cannot do is to prove that children are better without than with an education. I have U. S. government figures to prove that the average high school graduate has 87 times the chance to make a record in life; and that they are on the average enough better off financially to make every day of their twelve years in school worth \$9.25. (These figures do not refer to investments. Any hard headed man can be fortunate in that way. Most uneducated men of means got their wealth that way,

but the educated man has the same chance, too.)

What have the people mentioned above to offer in place of what they condemn? While they are thinking, let the rest of us continue to boost the school. I am writing this because I have been told of some young people who are not going to school beyond the compulsory age because some grown-ups have told them that school is no good. I will myself join with any one in criticism that is meant to help; but I feel sure that we should keep things moving even if we are somewhat disappointed at times. Financially and in every other way it would be better to be boosters.

I said that school-boosting paid financially. Scio's per capita tax was \$9.60, while Linn county's was \$15.66. Out of 116 towns in the state there are only 18 that have a lower per capita levy than Scio. What does this mean? It means that Scio has built up enough wealth. What is there to attract wealth and put Scio on the map but the Condensary and the school?

Let us consider the High School a moment. 66% of the High School attendance last year came from outside the district. That means that over half the expense for the High School is paid by the county. The more students, the more help from the county. Which policy will be best, boosting or knocking?

Suppose there were no High School in Scio. Does any one think he would have no High School to support? The Albany school published a report in the Albany Democrat recently showing that it had received from the counties of Linn, Lane and Marion, chiefly Linn, \$9,009. How much more was owed them I do not know. All districts not supporting their own High School are supporting some other. Will it be Scio or Albany?

How is the play coming that the Scio young people are presenting? I wonder how many other communities work hard for their school summer and winter? The voluntary work done on the school grounds is something finer than I have heard of elsewhere. What little opposition there has been in Scio was because of too many burdens. As a rule we boost our school.

Yesterday was the hottest day of the season here—90 degrees. I lost 1½ pounds playing two sets of tennis and playing center in a basketball game in a coaching class. We have been arguing about Geography teaching in my other class.

I meet Miss Muller here occasionally. She is taking work here in another department. Miss Humphrey is attending the Portland session of the summer school. I have talked quite a bit here with Mr. English, the new principal at Halsey, and Mr. Baker, the new principal at Brownsville. I like both of them very much.

I take my examinations next Friday and will be home ready for work next Saturday or Sunday (and glad to be back). Till then goodbye with the very best wishes.

Yours pestiferously,

H. E. TOBIE.

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