

do you know?

Scio is in the heart of the richest Dairying
Community in the Willamette Valley

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I pledge allegiance to
my flag and the Republic
for which it stands,
one Nation, indivisible,
with Liberty and Justice
for all.

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Facts Worth Knowing and Telling

Scio is the trading center of the north
forks of the Santiam.

Scio has population of about 500.

Scio is in the heart of the best dairying
section of Linn county.

Scio farms grow most anything that
can be grown from soil.

Scio owns its water and electric light
plants—plenty of power at a cheap rate
for any number of enterprises.

Scio has a milk condensery, and no
better milk is canned anywhere.

Scio has a flouring mill, and its product
finds a ready market at all times.

Scio is close to billions of feet of
standing timber, and soon big mills will
be busy making it ready for market.

Scio has a hospital second to none.

Scio—if you want to know more about
Scio and the surrounding country, write
to the bank, the mayor or to the editor
of this paper.

DON'T forget the school meeting
Saturday. Two directors to elect
you know.

THE primary is only a month off.
The candidates are all so good we're
afraid we'll make a mistake and select
the only poor one in the bunch.

THE idea of a community club, or
some such organization, seems to
have struck a popular chord. We
have heard no objections, but may have
lauded the purpose.

SEVEN thousand miles farther
north, say scientists, is the cause of
the coolness all over our fair land.
Probably a way the North Pole has
of showing its coldness for us.

Scio is paying higher taxes than
any other place in the county, but
she eclipses the rest of the county
in results, too. She boasts that she
gets her monies worth as they are
expended.—Halsey Enterprise.

WE were surprised to find the
Halsey high school notes in the Scio
Tribune last week. The only thing
we have to say is we are sorry Scio
and Halsey aren't closer.—High
school notes in the Halsey Enterprise.

YES, Bill, you'll make a success
of your undertaking, but you'll have
to wake up. Your word "success"
is only found in the dictionary.—
(Our answer to a lovelorn youth
who wanted to know how to let his
best girl know he loved her, and if
he would be successful.)

THERE is a brisk campaign on for
a federal Sunday law. It is a step
towards the same old union of
church and state which has wrecked
so many nations. As Turkish bigots
would compel people to keep Friday
so bigots here compel them to keep
Sunday. Religion crammed down
anybody's throat by law never sets
well on the stomach and in time
comes up again.—Halsey Enterprise.

THE promoters of the Brownville

Jubilee on April 21, in honor of the
opening of the woollen mills, have
received word that Col. Geo. A.
White and state Senator Norblad
will be present and address the people.
Looks like a real old fashioned
political meeting with a booster
program. Good men, 'tis true, but
politics has no place in cementing
a community together. Should
have one later.

WELL, well! The Oregon Voter
couldn't wait with its political thunder
against Walter M. Pierce for
governor, because he is a member
of the tax investigating commission,
and therefore asks him to resign.
We hold no brief for Walter,
and wouldn't if we could (nor for
any other gubernatorial candidate),
but unless the Voter is intensely
partisan it should also demand the
resignation from office of all candidates
who are receiving a salary, as
well as one who is not? Be fair,
Mr. Chapman, and then we're with
you.

ACCORDING to records of the federal
foresters on the 23,572,793
acres of national forest lands in
Washington and Oregon, 1206 fires
occured during the year 1921. Of
this number 469 fires, or 39%, were
started by lightning, which no man
could possibly prevent. The next
highest number was 434, or 36% of
the total, and these were due to
careless, thoughtless or ignorant
campers, mostly our own people.
Frank Branch Riley is now preaching
to the east the gospel of the
scenic glory of the northwest. The
northwest is asking the world to
come and see, and come again, but
will blackened mountain sides and
smoke covered peaks attract the
world tourist? Eternal watchfulness
and thoughtfulness regarding
the use of fire in the forests are
essential if we may expect the tourist
dollar to roll northwestward.

DURING the past month improvement
of conditions in several basic
industries has furnished a more
hopeful prospect for the trade of
the coming months. This better
outlook has in some measure been
offset by labor and other difficulties
in the textile industry which
have resulted in reduced activity in
that branch of business. Fluctuations
in the price of raw materials
have subjected the textile trade to
still further difficulty, while in that,
as well as in others, the lack of forward
orders has made it difficult to plan
policies far in advance.

In iron and steel, varying opinions
exist as to the situation and outlook.
It is to be noted, however, that
there has been distinct increase in
the activity of the plants of the
United States Steel Corporation, as
well as some increase in the activity
of independent mills. The net outcome
of these changes has been to diminish
the irregularity and unevenness noted
in the movement of industry during 1921;
textiles and allied lines, which have been far
in advance of others, are losing their
relative momentum. The evening
tendency thus evident by current
readjustments is reflected in the fact
that the Board's price index remains
unchanged at 138. Wholesale and
retail trade indexes are disposed to
show recession of buying in most
parts of the country save for seasonal
activity in special lines, such as
drygoods. The volume of employment
(another important factor in influencing
demand for goods) shows but little

modification. As compared with
last year the volume of building is
very much larger. January permits
being more than double what they
were a year ago. Financially the
month has shown continued reduction
in the volume of credit required by
the community. Foreign exchange
has shown a decidedly stronger
tendency, the highest levels for a
long time past having been reached in
sterling, francs, and some other
European currencies. Business failures
are on a materially higher level than
1921 while the month of February, as
previously predicted by commercial
agencies, also shows an increase in
commercial failures as contrasted with
January.

DANTE'S INFERNO OUTDONE IN ARMENIA

Wails of Starving Children Assault
the Ears of Relief
Workers at Erivan.

The tragic progression of famine
conditions in Armenia is strikingly
shown in the personal reports brought
back by State Director J. J. Handsaker
of the Near East Relief when he
visited that section last August, and
in the letters that have been received
at intervals since.

"When I was there in the late summer,"
said Mr. Handsaker, "The conditions
were truly appalling, despite the fact
that the orphanages were filled to their
utmost capacity and everything possible
was being done. I myself selected a
little naked girl with nineteen others
from among hundreds of starving
children to fill the only possible
vacancies in the orphanage at Erivan
at that time. However, the weather
was warm, and the refugees could
manage in some way to keep alive.
Reports from Erivan in late September
told of the coming of the cold
weather, and how the reserves were
drawn upon for the opening of
additional soup-kitchens. Starving
men women and children from all
sections were flocking desperately to
the Near East Relief stations in the
hope of getting work, food and clothing.
Two months later, under date of Nov.
29, we have news of the frightful
situation that followed. This news came
to Dr. Esther Lovejoy, of Portland,
Oregon, who is national chairman of
the American Women's Hospitals, from
Dr. Mabel Elliott, in charge of the
American Women's Hospitals in the
Near East section. This organization
is co-operating with the Near East
Relief, and is handling the medical
work of the latter at Erivan. Below
is an excerpt from Dr. Mabel Elliott's
letter to Dr. Lovejoy:

"I cannot begin to tell you, doctor,
of the misery here in spite of the enormous
amount of work being done. Since I
have been here 852 is the lowest
number of cases we have had in our
hospitals at any one time, and yet
they are dying on all corners of the
city. Last Sunday we went out on
horseback to see how things were
beyond the town; we passed a dead
horse by the side of the road, and
three wretched human beings were
sitting beside it, taking the flesh off
with their hands. It was a most
repulsive sight.

"All day long you can hear the
groans and wails of little children
outside our building in hopes we can
and will pick them up. If the sun
shines for a little while they quiet
down, and then when it rains they
begin again. One day the rain turned
into snow and it was awful to listen
to them. The note of terror that came
into the general wail was distinctly
perceptible, although my room was
upstairs and the window was closed.
They well know what a single night
out in the snow would mean to them.
We are picking them up as fast as possible.

"You can see by my report how
many more patients we have than
beds, and the same holds good in the
orphanages. There is no use crowding
them in so that they will all die."

Harrisburg to be Host

The Linn county Christian Endeaver
convention will be held in Harrisburg
April 21, 22 and 23. All Endeavors
of Linn county are urgently requested
to attend this convention.

The watchword is: So as much
as in me is, I am ready. Roman 1:15



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