

A Fatal Illness.

For about three weeks Mr. Abe Mansfield, of San Francisco, has been lying ill at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Louis Kuhn. While traveling in the pursuit of his business for the house of Friedlander, Koch & Co., of San Francisco, he was taken ill in Portland with what proved to be typhoid fever. He greatly desired to be with his relatives, and on reaching his sister's home in Salem, thanked God that he was under her roof and loving care. Their brother, Mr. Theo. Mansfield, hastened to his bedside and has shown all a brother's care and attention to the last. Drs. J. N. Smith and J. N. Reynolds, too, have done everything in their power to alleviate suffering and restore health. But watchful care and tender nursing of friends and the skill of physicians were powerless to avert death which took place last night. The body will be embalmed and taken to San Francisco for burial. The deceased was yet in his young manhood, being barely twenty-two years of age. The relatives desire the JOURNAL to express their gratitude for general sympathy and evinced to the doctors in attendance for their more than professional services. Mr. Theo. Mansfield says that in all his travels and contact with sickness he never saw a deeper personal interest manifested towards a patient than by Drs. Smith and Reynolds who not only prescribed, but in their friendship often took the matter of administration and application into their own hands notwithstanding the constant presence of regular nurses. The sympathy with the bereaved family is widespread.

Wedding.

Mr. L. R. Stinson, a young man of Salem well known among printers, formerly a member of the firm of L. E. Stinson & Co., on Wednesday took to himself a better half, Miss Lizzie M. Ley, of Clackamas county. Those who have the pleasure of acquaintance with the bride speak highly of her. She is a graduate of the Portland High school and an accomplished teacher. She received the nomination for County Superintendent at the hands of one of the political parties, and would have received a large vote, but being nominated for matrimony and being sure of a unanimous election thereto in Clackamas county, she declined. Mr. and Mrs. Stinson were not lonesome at their wedding as Miss Lexxie Ley, the lady's sister, and Mr. L. H. Cook of Little Nestucca, stood up with them and were married at the same time. Mr. Stinson and wife have gone to house-keeping in a cozy cottage on front street near Chemeketa. The double ceremony took place at Highland, Clackamas county, at the residence of the parents of the bride, Rev. Mr. Heroy, of Portland officiating.

"As You Were!"

After much changing and experimenting over the stewardship of the insane asylum, W. J. Irwin, over whose retention Gov. Penneyer and Mr. Lane had a long wrangle last winter, is re-appointed. He proved himself to be the right man in the right place, and it might have been best to have retained him now it is well that the order goes forth "As you were." Any man in so responsible a position as that of superintendent of an insane asylum should be allowed large latitude in choosing his responsible employers. And a man's being a republican or democrat proves nothing as to his fitness for positions of great humanitarian institutions. There have been thrown out as to the incompetency of some of the re-appointed, but a correction of error is published establishing the fact that G. M. Wilkins and J. A. Howell are all right and stand well with the authorities.

Much That Way Here.

A Tillamook writer says: A California man, who lately visited this county, was so charmed with our green hills and luxuriant herbage at a season when his own state was so dry and dusty that he openly stated he should go home once and bring some from the Santa Clara valley where he lives. "Why," said "should a man pay \$300 per acre for land in that valley when he can get better land in Tillamook county for \$25 per acre?" And inquired why should he?

A Hint to Zens.

The West Side correspondent of the above desirable settlement suggests that the abundance of good fruit in that neighborhood calls for an erection of an evaporator and intimates that H. S. Jory & Son, of Salem, who make the machines should put one up and run it. This is a plan that Salem people could not object to if the manufacturers were not so exceedingly busy making and erecting driers for other people. A similar suggestion was not long ago made to the writer by a resident of Aurora who spoke of the low rate at which fruit could be bought there and dried at a profit. But the JOURNAL feels moved to ask why is there not enterprise enough both in these and other communities to induce individuals or small co-operative companies to purchase one of the driers spoken of and dry their own fruit and that of the neighborhood. Then the money spent in labor and material, and the profits made would be kept at home.

Driving Them Down.

J. B. Fithian, editor of the Vidette, was seen this morning with coat off and sleeves rolled up, diligently driving down the dangerous, protruding nails in the plank crossing on Liberty street. This was supposed to be an act of pure public spiritedness, but enquiry developed the fact that the motive was higher and grander than that. The Colonel has resolved himself into a society for the prevention of profanity. And since editorial and other toes have been stubbed times without number and at least one pair of brand new shoes wrecked on the sidewalk spikes, he determined to attempt to reduce the growing blueness of the lower stratum of the atmosphere by this labor of love. It is to be hoped that this work of philanthropy and high moral reform will be prosecuted wherever needed over the city. But if so, editorial matter in the Vidette is likely to be short for some weeks since he would have a big contract on hand.

Made Happy.

On Wednesday evening at the residence of the parents of the bride, in the presence only of the immediate friends, Dr. L. L. Rowland, an old friend of the family of the groom, legally united in the bonds of matrimony Miss Viola Her, of Salem, and Mr. O. C. Matlock, son of Hon. N. N. Matlock, ex-member of the legislature for Marion county. The young lady is the last of three sisters married within a short time, and will make a true helpmeet to her husband, a well to do farmer of Crooked Finger, beyond Silverton, in this county. After the ceremony hearty congratulations were extended and the company were entertained at supper. The young couple have gone to house-keeping in their rural home, and are in every way worthy of the happiness wished them by their friends.

An Embury Town.

Quite a settlement is being made across the river near the Wallace fruit farm. A good many tracts of land for small fruit farms have been sold. This means what so many parts of Oregon need, subdivision of the large farms, and more homes near together. That insures better social, school and church privileges. It also raises the price of land by bringing it into demand and will lead to improved roads. As Salem is the nearest town with a good road and a free bridge making access easy, a market will be found here and our merchants, colleges and other interests will be benefited.

In California.

E. B. Piper of the Statesman office is enjoying his visit in California. From San Francisco he reports the arrival of Wm. Dumars and W. J. D'Arcy. Ted declares that some of the things he witnesses in that state of vim, sunshine, wealth and fertility are like a revelation to him. But he evidently remains loyal to Oregon in general, and the Willamette valley and the Oregon colony of school marm in San Francisco in particular.

Finding Favor With Kansas.

Not only Oregon generally but, it would seem, Salem particularly is attracting residents of Kansas. Meet an intelligent new comer and the chances are more than even that he hails from the Jayhawker state. And many of them have bought or will buy property or go into business here. We should not be surprised to hear of a Kansas re-union before the summer is over.

The governor has appointed C. A. Freeman, of Portland, a notary public.

LOCAL NOTES.

Call on Winters & Thomas for the best groceries in town
Painless dental operations at Dr. T. C. Smith's, 82 State street.

Cream soda, ice cream soda, milk shakes, lemonades, at Strong & Co.'s
Mr. Skinner has the flag at the depot at half mast in memory of the late Charles Crocker.

Prof. Ben Childers succeeds O. A. Condit, county treasurer, as principal of the Gervais school.

The interior of the Presbyterian church is being thoroughly renovated during the summer vacation.

Yesterday parties were in enquiry for hop pickers. The vines will be ready to work on in about three weeks.

Several lower rooms in the state house are to be fitted for use as committee rooms before the legislature meets.

The latest campaign canes. You open the end and pull out a bandanna or flag, which may be securely fastened like a fish rod to the cane proper.

At Albany the board of trade and citizens treated the traveling school teachers handsomely and were thanked in appropriate resolutions. Albany people are wide awake and up with the times.

In another column mention is made of Mrs. De Prais, a teacher of Christian science, who will visit Salem to-morrow, and hold a class here one week. The lady has met with gratifying success in Portland, and comes here strongly endorsed.

In laying down some of the new sidewalks wire spikes instead of cut nails are being used. This is an improvement as it is believed they will not bob up later in the season for the stubbing of unwary toes and the marring of light shoes.

Salem's advantages in the matter of water power, fuel and wool at hand, river and railroad transportation and other special advantages should be well written up and mailed to manufacturers, investors and capitalists in the east, Canada and England.

The state board of immigration proposes to send out a car full of produce exhibits and descriptive literature. Besides passing through different states it will go to Columbus, Ohio, and be visited by hundreds of thousands at the state fair and G. A. R. national encampment. Marion county should contribute samples and documents.

We are glad to learn that Mr. G. R. Wolfe, an architect, of Kansas City, who arrived here recently will go into partnership with Mr. Robert, so soon as he can dispose of his property in the East. It is the intention of the new firm to devote their time entirely to architecture and to withdraw from the business of contracting and building.

Fred Dimler who makes occasional trips to Big and Little Nestucca thinks the advantage is somewhat in favor of the latter as it saves about seven miles traveling out of the total seventy-seven, and prices of horse feed and other necessities are cheaper. These things are worth enquiring about before hand by campers before deciding where to go.

The senior partner of the firm of E. E. McKinney & Co., of Turner called in yesterday. As will be seen by the advertisement they are increasing their capacity for storing the new crops of oats, being prepared to handle 200,000 bushels. Those who have any to sell can govern themselves accordingly, by communicating with them at Turner or Aumsville.

Illustrated Lecture.

Rev. Geo. B. Rieman of California but lately from Minnesota, will deliver a highly interesting lecture on the Jewish Tabernacle, at the Baptist church, on Sunday night. As the Sunday School lessons have lately been in the Old Testament, largely on this subject, and as the lecture will be illustrated by a large model, so much better than a picture, it will be entertaining and instructive. Take the children and go.

Calls For the Oregon Pacific.

The steamer Willamette Valley which arrived yesterday at Yaquina bay, brought up about 500 tons of steel rails which will at once be hauled to the front, and track laying will commence at once.

Fresh Every Day.

Farrar & Co. have a fresh stock of fruits, vegetables and berries every day, and their fancy and staple grocery department is constantly replenished.

Monmouth Threatens to Boom.

If all we hear of our neighboring educational center is correct, Salem must look to her laurels. Our correspondent writes: "The outlook for the State Normal school is gratifying indeed. Everything goes to show that the attendance will be much larger next year than ever before. We have now the largest school in the state and more graduates this year than all the other schools together. We are about to have a boom in Monmouth. President Stanley is laying out his place into business lots and giving them away to business men to put up business houses, and the offer is being accepted. We shall have some fine business houses go up this fall and next spring. A large new building that is to give space for an agricultural implement and hardware store, a book store, a bank, a printing office, a millinery store, and an opera house, is now contracted for, to be completed by December 1st. Other buildings will follow. We mean business and want some more good business men."

In Their Fathers' Tracks.

James G. Blaine, jr., is a clerk at the national republican headquarters in New York, his duties embracing the compilation and distribution of protection tariff literature. Young Blaine has made a study of the tariff question under his illustrious father, Logan Carlisle, son of Speaker Carlisle, will be placed in charge of the tariff reform literary bureau at the national democratic headquarters. Young Carlisle is said to be almost as well informed on the tariff as his father. These two young men, sons of the most conspicuous exponents of the two great theories of protection and tariff reform, will thus be pitted against each other throughout the campaign.

Consistent.

The Salem Statesman, though quite radical, has an editor who not only has the intelligence to understand the platform of his party, but the courage and candor to defend it. He says: "If the choice should have to be made of taking the tax off whisky or relinquishing a part of the protective duties, then, we say, retain the duties for protection." The Statesman deserves credit for this frankness, honesty and consistency. That paper would do just what the republican platform pledges its party to do—"the entire repeal of internal revenue rather than surrender any part of our protective system."—Albany Democrat.

PERSONALS.

Col. Morgan and family are back from Newport.

J. W. Howell and wife left for Sodaville to-day.

Mrs. Abergast and daughter are home from Nestucca.

Hon. M. L. Chamberlin returned to-day from The Dalles.

Grandma Atkinson and daughter Mrs. Forstner went to Portland to-day.

Rev. Geo. B. Rieman, of Oakland, Cal., is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Medbury.

Elder P. R. Burnett and daughter Florence came in from Albany and went on to Monmouth to-day.

Mrs. F. Lockley returned to-day after a pleasant visit to friends in Butte, Montana, Seattle and Portland.

Assistant State Treasurer Slater and wife will shortly take a vacation in visiting friends at Eugene.

There is much musical talent in Salem, and the facilities for its development are unusually good as there is a number of excellent teachers here. Pleasure is taken in directing attention to the advertisement of the Conservatory of Music, Willamette University, under the direction of Prof. Z. M. Parvin; musical director. Last year one hundred and fifty pupils attended, and preparations are now being made to accommodate even more, the prospects for a large attendance never having been better. The writer has known Prof. Parvin as a successful teacher of music, in California and Oregon, for the past eight years.

BORN.

GLANDON.—At Zena, Polk county, on Thursday, August 16, 1888, to the wife of Seymour Glandon, a son.

DIED.

BOONE.—At her home near Bethel, Polk county, Thursday, August 16, 1888, of consumption, Miss Mary E. Boone, aged 21 years.

MANSFIELD.—At the home of his sister, Mrs. Louis Kuhn, in this city, Thursday, August 16, 1888, at 6:50 p. m., of typhoid fever, Mr. Abram Mansfield, of San Francisco, aged 21 years and 11 months.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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Board of Equalization.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Board of Equalization for the county of Oregon, will meet at the court-house in Salem on Monday, 27, 1888, and continue in session one week, for the adjustment of claims.

Subscribed for the CAPITAL... SALEM.