

Personal Mention

R. O. Young and wife, of Corvallis, are visiting in the city. F. Sherman, of Salem, was an Oregon City visitor last Monday. J. O. Russell, of Molalla, was transacting business in town last Monday. A. S. Bady, of Canby, was looking after business affairs in this city last Monday. T. J. Mahan, of Gervais, was shaking hands with Oregon City friends during the week. Charles Logus, of Portland, was in the city during the week visiting relatives and friends. A. W. Cheney and wife returned last Saturday from an extended trip through the south. J. W. Smith, of Macksburg, was conducting business with pleasure in our city last Monday. E. Sadie White, daughter of Mrs. Martin, of this city, is visiting relatives and friends in Oregon City. Frank Patterson of the 2nd regiment, who has been in Oregon City, is in Albany.—Albany Democrat. John P. Page, T. M. Foster, J. E. Wittig and John Fick, of Stafford, were in Oregon City during the week. Mrs. J. B. Lober, of San Francisco, arrived in this city Wednesday and will visit with relatives several weeks. J. J. Cooke, sheriff of Clackamas county, is in town visiting his brother-in-law, Dr. A. L. Beattie.—Pendleton Tribune. Mrs. Walter Little, who has been sojourning through California for the past month, returned Monday evening to her home in this city. Mrs. York A. Barrington, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce C. Curry for the past two weeks, left for her home in Seattle Wednesday. Frank J. Louis, of the Parke-Davis Co., who has been visiting in this city for the past two weeks, left Wednesday for points in Washington and Idaho. Henry Meldrum, a prominent republican of Oregon City, was in the city yesterday. He was taking his boy to Mt. Angel college.—Woodburn Independent. George Case, W. A. VanWay and A. M. Griley left the city last Monday westbound for Salem. They went by way of Mt. Angel and Silverton, and report the roads in splendid condition.

Local Events

William Surfus, aged 30 years, was committed to the insane asylum last Monday. The names of John Morris, Harry Moody and Meldrum McCown are mentioned as nominees for constable. At their last meeting the Order of Foresters granted certificates of Past Chief Ranger to T. F. Rogers and S. Billman. Hon. R. A. Miller will deliver a lecture to the students of the O. A. C. March 23. His subject will be "Alexander the Great." John Bullard, of Currinsville, Clackamas county, aged 46 years, was examined for insanity and committed to the asylum last Saturday. The passenger traffic is becoming so large that the Southern Pacific Company will put on a local train between Portland and Salem commencing about the first of April. A. Wuest, of Alhambra, California, has disposed of his orange grove in that state and will move to Oregon City. He became impressed with this city while traveling through here last year. Hon. Geo. C. Brownell, will address the citizens of Oregon City on the political issues of the day, at the armory, Friday evening, March 23. Music will be furnished by a Portland quartette. D. Bussard, of Albany, stopped off in this city to transact business while enroute to Portland. Mr. Bussard is a brother of M. L. Bussard, of this city, formerly proprietor of the Oregon City feed stables. A grand oratorical contest for a beautiful gold medal, will occur at the M. E. church Friday evening, March 23, at 8 o'clock. This promises to be one of the most interesting and instructive events of the season. The Y. M. C. A. Debating Society is preparing a public debate on the question "Resolved That the United States Should Retain the Philippine Islands", for 8 o'clock p. m. Monday, March 26. The judges chosen are Prof. Wilcox, Attorney C. H. Dye and Rev. A. J. Montgomery. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend. Rev. Bollinger will speak at the Congregational church next Sunday morning on "The Outlook for a Universal Religion." The evening service will be especially attractive. A score of young ladies will represent the various fields of mission work that is being carried on under Congregational auspices. The offering for this work will be received during the day.

John Erlon, who was committed to the asylum from Damascus in 1897, escaped in 1899, and has been absent ever since until yesterday, when he was retaken to that institution. Sheriff Cooke informed the authorities of the asylum that he was again at Damascus, still insane, and they came and took him back.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewthwaite were given a surprise party on last Friday evening in honor of the anniversary of their silver wedding. Mrs. R. D. Wilson and Mrs. A. J. Lewthwaite were the instigators of the affair and a very pleasant time was enjoyed by those present. A handsome fruit dish was presented to Mr and Mrs. Lewthwaite by their many friends, Gilbert Hodges making the presentation address.

LESTER P. SMITH.

Urged as the Logical Republican Candidate for Justice of the Peace.

The name of Lester P. Smith is upon the tongue of almost every republican of this district, pronouncing him the logical candidate for justice of the peace. When the Enterprise hears of a man who has every qualification morally, mentally and physically, for the office for which he is urged, we intend to tell the people. Such a man is Lester P. Smith. Mr. Smith is strictly a home production, being born in this county 32 years ago.

Eight years of his life have been given to educational work in Tillamook county, where he served two years as county school superintendent.

When a call to arms was issued by President McKinley he was among the first to respond, enlisting with Company I, Second Oregon, and served a year in the Philippines, participating in all the engagements in which his company took part. Mr. Smith was admitted to the bar in 1895, which profession he is at present engaged in. He is a staunch republican and a faithful party worker.

Second Oregon Dead.

Assistant Adjutant-General Willett, telegraphed Captain F. A. Metzner last Saturday, that the bodies of the unclaimed members of the late Second Oregon, would pass through this city for burial in Portland on Monday morning's train. The captain immediately notified the members of Separate Co. F, and on the above mentioned morning, the company paid their respects to the dead heroes by their military presence at the depot.

Following is the list still unclaimed: Bert J. Clark, Co. A; Ralph A. Odell, Co. A; John H. Fenton, Co. B; Michael P. Crowley, Co. D; Fred J. Norton, Co. F; Frank G. Roleno, Co. G; George Eichamer, Co. G; James Kelly, Co. G; William McElwain, Co. H; Charles R. Rubart, Co. L; L. V. Strawderman, Co. L; Robert B. Hoffman, Co. M; Henry Payne, Co. M.

Death of a Pioneer Woman.

Mrs. Mary Burns, a pioneer of Oregon, died peacefully at her home, 248 Grant St., Portland, Ore., at 11:30, a. m., Monday. Mrs. Burns was born in West Meath, Ireland, September 1815, and went to New York in July, 1845. She crossed the Isthmus of Panama, July, 1850, and arrived in Oregon City, in September of the same year. She went to Portland October 11, 1887, and has resided in that city since that time. Her funeral took place from St. Lawrence's church, Wednesday morning at nine o'clock, and the remains were brought to Oregon City for burial.

Cake Walk.

The jolliest bit of the season will be the cake walk given by the Y. M. C. A. All the county officials will participate. A Portland instructor has been engaged, and many prominent society ladies of this city will take part. The event promises to approach swiftness. The date has not yet been fixed.

Presented a cane.

Before his departure for the Philippines, Wm. Block presented his cousin, W. L. Block, of this city with a beautiful cane that he secured while serving with Gen. Shafter, in Cuba. The walking stick is made of ivory and carved upon it a snake representing Spanish rule, a starving Cuban, and the Goddess of Liberty coming to the rescue. Mr. Block prizes it very highly.

Death of Alfred Lewellen.

Alfred E. Lewellen died of pneumonia at his home in Springwater last Monday afternoon. The deceased was 32 years of age, and was well and personally known throughout this county, having been born and raised in Springwater.

He leaves a wife and three children, Alfred, Ethel and Edna.

He was prominent in the Masonic and Maccabee lodges, carrying a policy of \$1,500 in the latter order.

He was buried from the family residence at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon Rev. A. D. Soper officiating. The services at the grave were conducted by the Masons.

Large stock of tin and granite ware just received at Golden Rule Bazaar. Get our prices.

An organizer wanted for the Ancient Order Red Cross. Address D. C. Rogers Box 404, Oregon City, Or.

ACKNOWLEDGE GIFTS.

Card From Company C, Fourteenth Infantry, to Oregon City Women.

Last October when Meade Relief Corps Auxiliary wound up its affairs and ceased to exist, the volunteers having all returned from the Philippines, the Relief Corps decided to continue the work by supplying Company C, Fourteenth Infantry, with needed articles. This company was selected for the reason that many of the soldiers were personal friends of Company I, ex-volunteers from Oregon. In November, the Relief Corps sent to Manila Christmas boxes, containing 100 jars of fruit and 100 volumes of reading matter. On Monday each member of the Corps received a handsomely printed card from Manila, addressed to Mrs. Rosina Fouts, president of the Women's Relief Corps at Oregon City, and reading as follows: "Company C, Fourteenth Infantry, has just received the very courteous and substantial Christmas box so kindly forwarded by you on November 11 last. It arrived in good condition, and was the source of much bodily and mental cheer to the men of the company. We return you most hearty thanks for your generosity and thoughtfulness. The gift was thoroughly appreciated, coming, as it did, from your worthy association and from the locality with which we of the Fourteenth were so long identified. The noble women of America made Christmas a glad one for the soldiers in the Philippines. It cheers us in our work to feel that the sympathies of the dear ones at home are with us. With renewed thanks to all your members, and the hope that in the not far distant future we may be able to express our gratitude in person.

Very respectfully, "MEMBERS OF COMPANY C, "Fourteenth Infantry."

Hand Lacerated.

Prof. O. H. Byland, of the Maple Lane school, had the misfortune to severely lacerate his hand with an ax while engaged in carpentering at his house last Tuesday. He was sharpening some small sticks when the handle of the ax struck the wall, causing the blade to glance and strike the back of his hand, inflicting a deep gash several inches in length. The cords of the index and middle fingers were severed, which may render those fingers almost useless. Dr. Seamann dressed the wound, and says it will deprive him from teaching for several weeks. His daughter, Miss Blanch, is filling the vacancy caused by his accident.

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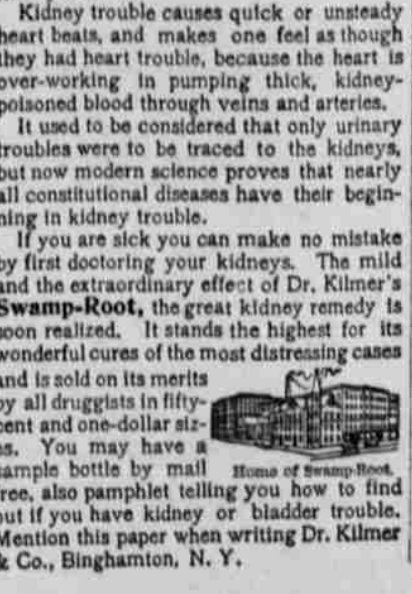
Good second hand wheels for sale at Huntley's Book Store. Old wheels taken in exchange for new Columbias, Hartfords and Crescents.

The Farmers and Mechanics store of Oregon City invites your inspection of their new line of dry goods, clothing, etc.

Over-Work Weakens Your Kidneys.

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The kidneys are your blood purifiers, they filter out the waste or impurities in the blood. If they are sick or out of order, they fail to do their work. Pains, aches and rheumatism come from excess of uric acid in the blood, due to neglected kidney trouble. Kidney trouble causes quick or unsteady heart beats, and makes one feel as though they had heart trouble, because the heart is over-working in pumping thick, kidney-poisoned blood through veins and arteries. It used to be considered that only urinary troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all constitutional diseases have their beginning in kidney trouble. If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.



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