

For the Argus

Broken Vows.
Oh! how often vows are broken
In this changing world of ours,
Vows that carelessly were spoken,
But have darkened many hours.
Vows of friendship, which were fondly
Stood in trusting hearts away,
Till at last we saw how blindly
We had trusted nought but clay.
Till we found that friends were seldom
Even what they seemed to be,
That the bonds of interest held them,
And those broken, they were free.
Vows to love, and be forever
True to one, and one alone,
Deeming that no fate could sever
Hearts that into one had grown.
Old false man, and changing woman!
Your own hearts are little known;
Time can moulder all that's human;
Time has many hopes o'erthrown.
Many hearts are around us
Sadly smothering their pain,
Pearing with their grief to wound us,
Or to be betrayed again.
They those who bow in sorrow
Over the graves of broken vows,
Feeling that bright to morrow
Ever will shine upon their brows.
Let us seek, by fond endeavor,
With new hopes their hearts to fill.
Let us strive to promises, never,
That which we may not fulfill.
Marshfield, June 25, 1862.

VIRGIL.

Weights and Measures for Oregon.

We publish the following table of weights and measures, taken from the Statutes of Oregon:
Wheat, and Clover.....60 lbs. to the bushel.
Rye, and Indian Corn.....56 " "
Oats.....36" "
Barley.....46 " "
Buckwheat.....42 " "
Potatoes.....60 " "
Dried Apples.....28 " "
Dried Peaches.....33 " "
[See Statutes 1855, page 334, sections 4 and 5; Session Laws of 1857, page 38.]

The Statute says 33 lbs., but this is a mistake. We have been shown a letter from the Secretary of State, dated Dec. 13, 1860, stating that it is a mistake, and that 33 lbs. is correct.—Sentinel.

MARRIED:

In Multnomah County, June 26, by Justice C. B. Comstock, Sylvester Potter to Mrs. Alice Southmayd.

In East Chehalie, Yamhill county, June 13, by L. Root, J. P. Mr. Israel T. Mansby to Mrs. Martha A. Burton.

At Vanney's Ferry, June 24, by T. J. Perkins, J. P., Henry Bailey to Miss Julia A. Johnson.

At Williamsburg, May 29, by Rev. L. T. Hawkins, Edwin Smith to Miss M. V. Fuller.

In Jacksonville, June 25, by Rev. M. A. Stearns, Amos Hull to Miss Jane Booman.

In Bear Valley, Cal., May 19, Mr. David K. Meacham to Miss Saphy E. Adams.

DIED:

At Astoria, June 25, Catharine H., youngest child of John M. and Anna Brock, aged 9 months and 27 days.

In Jacksonville, Samuel L., son of Abraham C. and Rebecca Loudon, aged 5 years, Sennens, and 6 days.

In King's Valley, May 24, Lucretia, wife of H. S. Halleck, aged 33 years.

Greenbury Jones Starz was drowned in Alsea Bay, W. T., March 22, 1862, aged 27 years. His body was found forty-eight days afterward.

Mr. Margaret L. Hedge, aged 32 years, and Mary Treadwell, aged 5 years and 6 months, were drowned in a creek near the home of Mr. Hedge, Clatsop Plains, on the 18th June. It is supposed the child fell from a bridge over the creek, and that Mrs. Hedge lost her life in endeavoring to save that of the child.

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April 16, 1859.

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...making...

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