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M'LAIN BACK FROM KANSAS

T. D. McClain, who has been visiting in Kansas for the past few weeks has returned home and reports that the weather in the East is anything but comfortable. We will not question the truthfulness of your report T. D. We have been there.

J. K. Neal, our enterprising merchant, is taking a few days outing enjoying the healthful breezes of the Cascades.

J. M. Prather, accompanied by his wife and two daughters Mildred and Marie, are at Belknap Springs one of our famous health resorts.

C. H. McClain, of this city has taken unto himself a bride; we wish the young couple a long and happy career.

The farmers are all through baling hay and have turned their attention to other crops that will have to be cared for within the next thirty days.

J. C. Kays has been in poor health for the past few months.

F. M. Donaldson & Son are making preparations to serve the hop-pick-

ers with provisions here during the picking season.

M. N. Prather and wife accompanied by H. M. Nash and J. C. Donaldson, are expected home in a few days from their hunting and fishing trip in the Cascades.

H. G. McCain, pastor of the M. E. Church, has been assisting G. A. Wells in his hay-harvest and is said to be a good hand at the business. Who said ministers won't work?

Miss Hammersley of the Siletz country is visiting at the home of Jacob Nash.

Miss Bertha Winn of Albany has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fisk for the past two weeks.

The hum of the threshing machine can be heard once more in our vicinity.

In the death of Harvey Scott, Oregon has lost an able Journalist and a good citizen. It is true that he did not come up to the requirement of some of our curb-stone critics but where is the man that can? He is yet to be born.

J. D. Winn was transacting business in Independence one day last week.

W. S. McClain has just completed his new hay barn, in which another substantial improvement has been added to our city.

BOWERMAN HAS GOOD PLATFORM

The declaration of intention of Acting Governor Jay Bowerman was filed in the office of secretary of state yesterday and the next Governor outlines his platform. He declares that if he is elected he will favor the assembly method of recommending candidates and the direct primary for making party nominations. He favors combining the purchase of all supplies for the state institutions in the largest quantities under specification, insuring the most general competition and is in favor of engaging employees for their special fitness.

He wishes to improve the standard of schools, to improve the highway systems to have control of state lands solely in the interest of the state, to abolish all valueless offices and to consolidate boards and commissions in the interests of efficiency and economy. A generally good business administration along the lines of progress, guided by true economy in public expenditures, he sets down as one of the efforts he will make to secure while in office. He desires that the following be placed after his name on the nominating ballot: "Republican assembly choice. Conduct affairs on business principles." — Salem Statesman.

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Mike Goetz Meets Accident the river when the accident occurred. Mike was brought over to the hotel where he was attended by an independent last Tuesday when a load of hay dence physician and so well did his tipped over with him, bruising him up injuries respond to treatment that he considerably. He was coming down was able to be out on the streets the to the ferry from the other side of following day.

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