

the comforter will not come, when he is come he will guide you into all truth. "Tarry ye in the city of Jerusalem until ye be endued with power from on high."

After this the Savior ascended the heaven of heavens in fulfillment of the prophecy: "Lift up your heads ye gates, and be ye lifted up ye everlasting doors and let the King of Glory come in." Jesus ascended and sat down at the right hand of God.

More anon.

T. M. MORGAN.

Fairview, Coos county, Or.

Reports from the Field.

EUGENE CITY, July 24, 1877.

D. T. STANLEY.

Dear Brother: I send the result of a meeting last Lord's day at Fir Grove, in the west part of this county. One made the good confession, and he and two others were immersed. The audience was large and attentive, and much good feeling was manifested.

As I fail to see any report from the Linn county annual meeting, I will say a few words about it. They report 21 accessions, mostly by confession. Bros. Barnes and P. R. Burnett did the most of the preaching, and they acquitted themselves like men. A great amount of good was done. To God be all the praise.

Your old brother in hope of eternal life,

PHILIP MULKEY.

DAMASCUS, OR., July 20, 1877.

Bro. Stanley:

On the fourth Sunday in last month, after an able discourse delivered by Bro. Rich, an invitation was extended, and one young lady came forward and confessed her Savior; and on the second Sunday in this month, in the presence of a large assembly of people, Bro. Rich immersed her into the body of Christ. May God bless her that she may hold out faithful.

Bro. K. Bailes was with us on the 11th and 12th in this month, and preached four discourses. The brethren were edified, and we hope much good seed was sown.

A DISCIPLE.

MOHAWK, OR., July 16, 1877.

Bro. Stanley:

I send you a card stating the result of our meetings the present month. Bro. J. F. Amis was with us on the 1st Lord's day and Saturday before, delivered two discourses. Yesterday, the 3rd, Bro. I. S. Mulkey was with us, delivered one discourse. The result, two confessions.

Your brother in one hope,

I. F. M.

Report from St. Helens.

Dear Bro. Stanley:

Permit me through the columns of the MESSENGER to report that I preached twice on Sunday, the 15th inst, and also on the 22nd, at this place, to large and attentive congregations. Three very excellent and noble women and one old gentleman of 75 believed with their heart, made confession with their mouth, and were buried by baptism into the likeness of Christ's death, in the grand and beautiful waters of the Columbia river. I feel impressed that other precious sheaves will yet be garnered. My labors, though not "abundant," were fully equal to my health and strength.

Yours in hope,

S. C. ADAMS.

St. Helens, July 23, 1877.

HARRISBURG, LINN CO., OR.,

July 29, 1877.

Dear Bro. Stanley:

We have begun work here and are getting under headway. We have our prayer meeting started; we meet on Thursday night. We organized our Sunday school on yesterday, and appointed half-past nine A. M. as the time of meeting for the present. We had two discourses yesterday, first at

11 A. M., by Bro. Phillip Mulkey, who set forth the Gospel with zeal in the love of it, and spoke with as much vigor and energy apparently as if he was not more than 30 or 40 years of age. The second was preached by myself, at half-past three P. M., at which time we had two additions by letter.

In the hope of heaven,

E. W. BARNES.

Obituaries.

Died, on the Luckiamute, July 28, 1877, of consumption, David Alexander Wilson, aged 22 years, 8 months and 10 days.

He was a young man, kind and considerate to all, a dutiful son and a loving brother. For eight long months he suffered, fading gradually away from earth and the ones who loved him well, but he made no complaint, going away peacefully at last, as a little child goes to sleep in its mother's arms. His last request to be buried by the side of his friend, Purley Hedge, in the Buena Vista cemetery, was complied with, and he now lies at rest beside those he loved while here.

At Rest.

OXFORD, IND., July 13, 1877.

At half past three on the morning of June 11th, the spirit of our dear Charlie was wafted to the happy home above, and all of him that was mortal lay silent, cold and still.

For some months past his health had been failing and he was obliged to quit work at Hoopston, and come home. While visiting Mrs. Rohrer's at Indianapolis, he was taken with a violent hemorrhage of the lungs, from which he never recovered. He was brought home—to die, and lived only two weeks after he got home. Unlike most persons with that terrible disease, consumption, he fully realized his condition, and knew that he must die. He was perfectly willing to go, and said he had no fear of death.

During his sickness he was rational, until the last few hours his mind was wandering, but we could call him back to consciousness by speaking to him. About half an hour before he breathed his last he seemed to wake up, and slowly repeated that beautiful verse in Longfellow's Balm of Life:

"Lives of great men all remind us,
We can make our lives sublime,
And departing leave behind us
Footprints on the sand of time."

He was admired and loved by all who knew him, and was indeed a noble youth.

Our once happy home is now dreary and desolate, and everything reminds us of Charlie; his watch and his books, his pictures, papers, clothes, and a thousand other things, all remind us of what he loved.

Our family is indeed broken and just half of us are "watching and waiting at the portals" for the other half who linger still on earth.

CLARA RAWLINGS.

The above, which is an extract from a letter written by Charlie Rawling's sister, Clara, has brought us the painful news of his untimely death. Five years ago Charlie was one of the brightest eyed boys in Christian College, quick to learn and ever ready for fun. It is hard, very hard to believe that his merry ringing laugh is hushed forever, and that this is the close of his life's short story, with only a memory of him in his fresh young manhood, left to his friends who remain behind. Yet while we tender our sympathy to the bereaved in Oxford, Indiana, who mourn his early loss, while we must never more expect to greet him upon the old familiar walks about Monmouth, we yet rejoice that so brief a life should depart in such great faith as to the rich inheritance awaiting him in the land beyond the skies.

M. S.

Bro. Stanley:

It becomes my sad duty to inform

you and many readers of you valuable paper, the death of our little son, Alva L. Toney. The diphtheria completed its fatal work on his body in the short space of six days. His spirit was called home on the 11th of June, at nine o'clock P. M., aged six years, four months and twenty days. He leaves his parents, one brother and three sisters to mourn his absence. His last words were, I am dying, and his spirit took its flight to the God that gave it. With pain and grief we followed his remains to the grave where his little body was confined to that narrow tomb to rest. Though we do weep and mourn, not as those that have no hope, for when sorrow and sickness ceases we shall meet to part no more.

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The Footlight says:

Over-sanguine people say that notwithstanding the hard times in San Francisco, business is just as good as ever—only there isn't enough money to do it with.

Peruvian Syrup.

Brooks, Me., Sept 7, 1870.

Dear Sir—From early youth I was in feeble health, troubled with humor in my blood, weakness and debility of the system generally; was unable to labor much, and only at some light business, and then only with great caution. Seven years ago last spring, I had a severe attack of diphtheria which left my limbs paralyzed and useless, so I was unable to walk or even sit up. Noticing the advertisement of Peruvian Syrup, I concluded to give it a trial, and to my great joy soon found my health improving. I continued the use of the Syrup until three bottles had been used, and was restored to complete health, and have remained so to this day. I attribute my present health entirely to the use of Peruvian Syrup, and hold it in high estimation. I cannot speak too highly in its praise. I have in several cases recommended it in cases very similar to my own with the same good results.

Yours truly,
CHARLES E. PEARCY.

From S. Thatcher, M. D., of Hermon, N. Y.

"Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry gives universal satisfaction. It seems to a cough by loosening and cleansing the lungs, and allaying irritation, thus removing the cause, instead of drying up the cough and leaving the cause behind. I consider the Balsam the best cough medicine with which I am acquainted." Sold by all druggists.

Female weakness cured without medicine. Trial Box free. Address Dr. SWAN, Beaver Dam, Wis.

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TAXPAYERS ATTENTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the last Monday in August, (Aug. 27th) 1877, the Board of Equalization will attend at the office of the County Clerk, at Dallas, and publicly examine the Assessment Rolls and correct all errors in Valuation, Description of Lands, Lots or other Property. It shall be the duty of persons interested to appear at that time and place.

N. GARWOOD,

Assessor.

Dallas, Polk County Or.,

July 21, 1877.

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SMALL STEAM ENGINE FOR SALE.

We are offering for Sale a Steam Engine in fair order, from three to five-horse power (we think). This will be sold for one-third the price of a new engine of same capacity and on easy terms. Address this office.

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EXTRA POPPLETON has constantly on hand,
Dry goods and groceries of the very best brand;

His hats and his caps as all will declare, Are best in the market for looks and for ware.

His boots and his shoes will show for themselves, And nothing but the best is allowed on his shelves;

In furnishing goods for the young and the old, The assortment is good and bound to be sold.

Of laces, flowers, ribbons and millinery goods, He keeps the best stock in the city of the plains;

Of crockery and glass ware his aim is to keep A line that is beautiful, good and cheap.

In future he intends to bestow more care, In the purchase and sale of farmers' hardware;

Such as shelf goods, ranges and stoves, In short, he will keep or will furnish for sale.

Any article called for from a goat to a whale, And at the same price all goods will be sold,

To the rich and the poor, the young and the old.

E. P. is determined by all that is fare To sell his groceries, dry goods and ware, At prices as low as the lowest can sell, And to call at his store all would do well.

If the times are so hard, you have not the cash, Bring in your produce and all kinds of trash,

Such as beeswax, tallow and dried fruit, His prices are such as will be sure to suit. Everything saleable as you may see, Will be taken for goods by

E. P.

is not easily earned in these times, but it can be made in three months by any one of either sex, in any part of the country who is willing to work steadily at the employment that we furnish. \$64 per week in your own town. You need not be away from home over night. You can give your whole time to the work, or only your spare moments. We have agents who are making over \$200 per day. All who engage at once can make money fast. At the present time money cannot be made so easily and rapidly at any other business. It costs nothing to try the business. Terms and \$5 outfit free. Address at once, R. HALLETT & CO., Portland, Maine.

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Dallas, Oregon, June 21, 1877. ly

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New Work a specialty.
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Allow me to thank you for past favor shown me, and to invite your patronage, assuring you satisfaction, both in goods and prices.

Awaiting your early order, I am

Yours, respectfully,

ADOLF WOLF.

P. S.—Although I have always paid the highest prices for wool, I am specially prepared to do so now, and it would be to your advantage to call on me before selling. 7-15

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