

Battles and Diseases.

This is the story of one who participated in many naval and infantry engagements during the war. From wounds received then he suffered for years, but to-day, rejoices in renewed strength.

There is a distinctly peculiar halo that invests the being of an old soldier in the eyes of the present generation. The sight of him arouses a feeling of admiration for his brave deeds and heroic achievements. Among those who bravely fought was Dr. L. J. Clark, who, when but a beardless boy, heard the tocsin of war sounded. It fired his patriotic spirit to a fervency that found relaxation only in his realization of fighting in the battles. To the call of President Lincoln for troops in the latter part of '61, young Clark promptly responded. There was need of men in the navy, and he joined that service in the mortar fleet of Admiral Porter, which soon after began operations on the Mississippi River. At the terrific bombardment of the Vicksburg forts, the hero of this story fell on the deck of the Juliette with a shattered arm from a charge of shrapnel. He lay in the hospital for months, and when he had recovered sufficiently to be moved, was sent to his home at Warren, O. Though partly incapacitated for active service, his patriotic zeal got the better of him, and when the call for more troops came, young Clark enlisted in a company formed by Capt. Joel I. Asper, at Warren. It became Co. H. of the 7th Ohio Volunteers and was sent to the Army of the Potomac under General Grant then campaigning in Virginia against General Robert E. Lee. In a skirmish near Richmond, he was wounded again and was sent to the hospital. He remained there for some time,

but finally recovered, and went home. Shortly after, he began the study of veterinary surgery, and, when completed, went to Chicago, where he has resided for thirty years, and is now one of the leading surgeons of that profession in the city. His old wounds began to trouble him several years ago. He grew weak, emaciated and thoroughly debilitated. His friends began to despair of his life. He was but a shadow of his former self, weighing only 90 pounds, a loss of nearly 50 pounds. He had the best medical attention, but it did not benefit him. Finally a friend gave me a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People," said Dr. Clark. "After taking the pills I was so much benefited that I purchased a half dozen boxes and took them. They were of more benefit than the ablest physicians' treatment. By their aid alone, I soon regained my strength. I weigh 120 pounds now, and except for injuries that can never be remedied, I am as well as ever. I consider Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People the best remedy I know of to build up a run-down system." To-day Dr. Clark is a picture of health. He is 59 years old, an active member of Hatch Post, G. A. R., and resides at 4935 Ashland Ave., Chicago. Many veterans have found Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People of inestimable value in counteracting the unhealthy effects of army life. All druggists sell these pills and highly recommend them.

LOCAL DIRECTORY

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E. W. KING, Pastor.

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Services in the Christian church: Preaching every Lord's day at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday, 7:30 p. m.
F. A. POWELL, Pastor.

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T. BIRDY, Pastor.

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LOCAL NEWS.

J. H. Nelson, dentist.
N. E. Keggs left Monday morning for Albany on business.
A new line of tobacco and cigars just received at Beltman & Warren's.
The Grange & Farmers' Co. carry the Salem woolen goods. 15-4
Mrs. M. Catlin, dressmaker, departed last week for Chicago.
Surveyors Maloney and Branson went up to Amity on Monday to do some surveying within limits of that town.
Hoskins will repair your harness or sell you new, and put you in good shape for spring work. See him.
Jim Sharp spent the first four days of the week at home, returning to Portland yesterday.
In the spring is the time to paint your house. Let R. M. Wade & Co. figure on your paint bill.
Mrs. W. H. Logan and daughter went up to Dallas Monday to visit Mrs. L's parents.
F. W. Spencer will give you the inside on price if you wish to purchase a new buggy this spring.
Frank Wiseover took Monday morning's train for Josephine county, to further develop the mine in which he is interested with other McMinnville citizens. He will probably remove his family to that county during the summer.
Children and adults tortured by burns, scalds, injuries, eczema or skin diseases may secure instant relief by using De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is the great pile remedy. Hill's Pharmacy.
Saturday, the 9th inst., was the seventieth birthday of Rev. Joseph Hoberg, and was the occasion of a visit from his daughters, Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. Metzger, who each baked him a cake. It was also Elsie Wright's birthday, and he was out about a dollar for cigars.
School district No. 13 southwest of town, celebrated arbor day on Friday. Miss Stilwell and pupils, and a number of the patrons of the school, with appropriate ceremonies, planted a tree and buried a bottle containing interesting data of the current era.
Don't annoy others by your coughing, and risk your life by neglecting a cold. One Minute Cough Cure cures coughs, colds, croup, grippe and all throat and lung troubles. Hill's Pharmacy.
A report is in circulation that a party of hunters recently discovered a gold-bearing ledge on the southeast side of Mary's Peak. Many persons who have prospected the Coast Range believe there is considerable gold somewhere on the peak, and that in time it will be uncovered. Several legends concerning Mary's Peak gold are handed down from the early civilization of the county. One is that in the dim past, a party of prospectors took out a large quantity of gold by means of sluices on Shot Pouch, a stream which flows westward from the peak. A story is also told to the effect that when Fred Robinson conducted a sawmill in Corvallis his workmen at various times discovered nuggets in the ends of sawlogs that had come out of Rock creek, one of the Mary's river tributaries, which heads on the mountain, the supposition being that the gold was embedded there when the logs would strike the banks on their way down the stream. Tradition also says that the early settlers on Rock creek frequently found gold nuggets in the crops of chickens which had fed along the banks of the stream. More recently the formation in which is located the Dutton mine, in Lincoln county, is said to be traced to the peak.—Corvallis Times.

Miss Mercy Fleisher has been quite ill this week.
Miss Etile Manning will return home from California this month.
J. E. Hubbard of Lafayette, candidate for county judge, was in the city Tuesday.
Cold water alabastine, mixed paints, leads and oils of all kinds. Hodson sells them cheap.
Will Johnson, of Bishop Scott academy, spent Easter Sunday with his parents in this city.
At the Cumberland Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and evening Sherman Wallace will fill the pulpit.
Garden seeds of all kinds, carrot and beet seed in bulk from 30 cents per pound up. Hodson sells them.
Married, April 9th, 1898, C. W. Quigley and Mattie McCune of Carlton, Rev. W. E. McCutcheon officiating.
Up-to-date jewelry is now displayed at Wm. F. Dielschneider's. The very prettiest novelties obtainable, and very cheap.
Rev. E. E. Thompson, who for a short time was pastor of the Methodist church in this city, has become editor of Pith and Push, an educational and scientific paper in San Francisco.
What pleasure is there in life with a headache, constipation and biliousness? Thousands experience them who could become perfectly healthy by using De Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. Hill's Pharmacy.
The ladies' debate which was to have been held tonight at the college chapel, has been postponed until Wednesday night, April 20th. The question will be ably handled and will prove of interest to all who may attend. Admission 25 cents.
Our shirts, collars and cuffs are unsurpassed. Most of the business men in McMinnville will confirm this. Those who haven't had work done by us, send in your laundry and be convinced.
Wm. Lambert,
Bicycle drummers are making their appearance on the road. They each carry two bicycles in a sample case, and it constitutes a queer looking package, much resembling a coffin for a double-turreted camel.—Corvallis Times.
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A very pretty act of fraternity was that performed toward Fred Bertram of Dayton on the 6th inst., by his brethren of the A. O. U. W. and their wives. Owing to a broken ankle, Mr. Bertram's spring work on the farm was delayed. The brethren united their forces and plowed 25 acres for Mr. Bertram, while the ladies invaded the home and prepared a sumptuous dinner.
Those suffering from neuralgia, rheumatism, or any other disease, should give T. M. Neal, the magnetic healer, a trial and be convinced of his power to relieve suffering. Found at his residence at east end of Third street in the Todd property. 15ml
The annual meeting and election of officers of the ladies' guild of the Episcopal church was held at the residence of Mrs. Heath on Easter Monday, April 11. Miss Clara Turner was elected president; Mrs. Gallentine, vice president; Miss Alice Eborall, secretary; Miss May Eborall, treasurer; Mrs. Heath and Mrs. E. C. Apperson were appointed work directresses. The ladies contemplate starting a rectory fund.
The McMinnville Steam Laundry does washing far superior to that done in Portland or by the cheap China laundries, and we sprinkle our laundry by hand, not by filling the mouth with water.
Twenty thousand young chinook salmon from the Clackamas hatchery were turned loose in Wilson river last week. Those who had charge of the fish made the trip to the river by wagon from Forest Grove. A foot of snow was encountered on the mountains, and many fallen trees had to be cut out of the road. The fish were in good condition when released. At the hatchery there are now feeding 200,000 young chinook salmon on raw beef liver.
The early bird, etc., explains the poison oak cure, at once relief is certain, and a cure guaranteed. 50 cents a bottle.
Rogers Bros., McMinnville.
The Masonic cemetery association is preparing to put in a water tank on the west side of the cemetery for use in irrigating and beautifying the grounds. The pipe was laid last season from the Hemlock spring, a mile west of the grounds, and it only remains to dig out and wall up the spring and make the end connections. A spot of ground 40 feet square about the spring, cost the association one hundred dollars.

WEEKLY CROP BULLETIN.
Week ending Monday, April 11, 1898.
WESTERN OREGON.
Weather.—Showers were frequent during the past week. The total rainfall ranged from one-half inch in the southern portion to one inch in the northern; along the coast over one inch fell. The heaviest precipitation was on Saturday, when it rained almost continuously. The temperature averaged 50 degrees, which is 2 degrees cooler than the corresponding week of last year. The maximum temperature averaged 58 degrees, and the minimum 42 degrees; the highest temperature during the week was 68 degrees, and the lowest 38 degrees. The winds were generally southerly. The sunshine was about normal in amount for this season of the year.
Crops.—Along the coast the season is well advanced. Grass is growing; fruit trees are in bloom. Farmers are about done seeding. Grain sown in February already has a good stand. In Curry county the bloom has dropped from the almond trees and the fruit is as large as peas. The March frosts apparently did no injury. In the Willamette valley the conditions are well stated by one of our correspondents in the following words: "I do not think that April 11th ever found farmers in better shape or more hopeful than at present."
Fall and winter sown grain are doing remarkably well. Correspondents, as a rule, report an increased acreage. On the higher lands spring seeding is about finished, while the bottom lands will be seeded as they dry out. Peach, apricot, almond, cherry, pear, prune and plum trees are in full bloom. With rare exceptions, the correspondents report no appreciable injury by the March and early April frosts; and unless more frosts occur, considerable hand-pruning will be necessary. Garden making is about done. Vegetables sown in March are up and growing well.
Lambing is in progress and no loss reported. Angora goat shearing has commenced and the fleeces are heavy, with an unusually long and strong staple. Sheep shearing has commenced, and the wool clip promises to be excellent.
Hops are making slow growth. Work is active in all hop yards.
In the Umpqua and Rogue river valleys the rains were of benefit, and more rain would be welcome. The frosts appear to have injured the peach crop in some sections while in others there is no damage so far. All fruit trees are now in full bloom and unless frosts or cold rains occur, the fruit crop will be large. Plowing and seeding are finished. Fall and winter sown grain have made good growth. Corn planting will be pushed this week. Garden making is done, and in early planted gardens the vegetation is making good growth.
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