

PERSONALS.

The sick baby of Mr. and Mrs. W. Skipworth that has been so long sick is no better.

Mrs. E. DePrans arrived from Portland on Saturday, and is staying at Mrs. Riely's.

Superintendent McElroy has gone to Eastern Oregon, to attend county institutes at Pendleton, Baker City, Canyon City, and Joseph.

Mrs. Clara S. Foltz, a California lawyer, formerly of Oregon, is to open the democratic campaign in Santa Barbara, Cal., next Saturday. Each of the three great political parties has lady orators in some parts of the United States.

Rev. Fred'k. H. Post and wife, Miss Minnie Holman and Miss Sjoberg will left to-day for Big Nestucca, on a camping trip. As will be seen in our advertising columns, Mr. and Mrs. Post will resume the St. Paul's Episcopal school in this city on their return.

Back From California.

Mr. A. K. Wilson, who owns a farm west of Salem has just returned from a tour of many of the other states. The last he visited was California. After all he prefers Oregon for a home and will remain here unless business calls him to our sister state on the south. But he complains of the heat and partial drouth in some portions there. At Colusa he experienced the hottest day of his life. There will not be more than half a crop owing to the insufficiency of rain. He finds people talking freely about Oregon, making enquiries and starting to look for themselves. He found the most of these to be Kansas people. Two were on the train intending to return here from Portland. On his way west he conversed with others from that state, at Salt Lake, who assured him they would soon meet him in Salem as they intended to examine the Willamette valley. Evidently the wide distribution of advertising matter is bearing fruit. Let the good work go on.

Arrested for Murderous Assault.

Word comes from Silverton about a case similar to that at Ballston, Polk county. In that case one William Davis, owner of a threshing machine, struck a white man named Layton Tindall over the head with a club in a fit of anger. At last accounts the man was likely to recover. In the second case, Charles Smith, near Silverton, feafully struck a Chinaman, who was working with Smith's thrasher, on the head with a pitchfork handle. He was arrested and was to have his preliminary trial to-day. It is said that Smith's boy and the Chinaman got into altercation and that the latter called him a liar with an oath, and the father took it up. He will probably be brought to the county jail to-night.

Christian Science.

Mrs. E. DePrans (of Portland), metaphysician and teacher of Christian Science, is at Mrs. Riely's on High street, where she will be glad to see all persons interested in the Healing Power of Mind, an understanding of which cures the so called incurable and enables every one to become his own physician. Through the kindness of Mrs. Ass McCully, who has tendered the use of her parlors, Mrs. DePrans will hold an evening class during the week beginning this (Monday) evening at 7:45 o'clock. Private instructions during the day if desired. Consultation free.

Get a Copy.

Frequent enquiries are made about state matters that are fully answered by the large pamphlet compiled by Hon. J. T. Gregg, ex-speaker, and secretary of the state agricultural society, and published by order of the legislature for free distribution. Parties desiring to use the work can call at this office and obtain a copy for themselves or to send out of the state enquirers.

West side: The harvesting is through here. Wheat hauling is now in order; then for another crop. The rains before harvest prevented many farmers from working their summer fallow properly, and the wild oats have such a start that it will puzzle many farmers as to what is best to do. We know of one farmer who cut a crop of hay from his summer fallow.

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A CHILD WITH GREAT NERVE.

The recent accidents with firearms recalls touching incident that occurred a week ago at Evansville, Ohio. And since so many of maturer years fail to handle pistols and guns with safety, it may be remarked that it is almost criminal to leave one where a child can possibly reach it.

Cressie, the seven-year-old son of Austin Coombs, took a revolver from his father's desk yesterday while in the house, and while playing with it accidentally discharged it, the ball took effect in his abdomen. On his mother's return she questioned the boy, who admitted having discharged the revolver, saying nothing of the injury to himself. Having been forbidden to touch the revolver he was chastised, standing the punishment without a whimper. Shortly afterward he slipped away to a room upstairs and changed his clothes, the ones he wore being clotted with blood from the pistol wound.

Toward noon he began to feel sick, and going to a side room lay down upon the floor. Upon being called shortly afterward to get some wood, he replied that he could not and that he was sick. His mother going to him, noticed for the first time that his clothes were saturated with blood. After an examination she surmised the truth, and upon close questioning the boy admitted that he had shot himself. This was not until some three hours after the accident, and the boy at last reports was sinking.

Portland Mechanics' Fair.

The CAPITAL JOURNAL acknowledges receipt of complimentary tickets to the Portland Mechanics' fair, which will open on the 4th and close on the 27th of October. The management evidently understands the use and the power of the press for in its circular to editors, it says:

"The management will feel honored by your attendance, and will duly appreciate any act on your part tending to create an interest in the fair, as an advancer of the industries of the Pacific Northwest."

Doubtless, as in other years, Salem and Marion county will furnish many visitors and considerable exhibits. We shall have more to say later. For the present the state fair here, will claim our first attention. Meantime the enterprise is heartily commended.

Why American Labor Want Protection?

When the four Congressmen on Investigating Immigration affairs met recently in New York, Paul Wolff, the Washington correspondent of the New York Staats-Zeitung, submitted a printed report showing that societies existed in Germany and especially in Bavaria for the purpose of sending discharged criminals to this country. The reports of one society showed twenty-seven discharged convicts sent in 1883. The report said that the worse the men are and the larger families they have, the better fitted they are to be sent. In 1886 15,000 marks were expended by these societies, nearly all of which was applied to assisting this class of immigrants. The societies give the immigrants tickets to any point in America they desire.

Fine Prunes.

The Portland News, speaking of fruit left there by D. D. Prettyman, says: "There were some splendid dried prunes which were raised by W. B. Simpson, of Salem, and cured in the Jory dryer. These cannot be beaten for flavor and quality anywhere." Mr. Prettyman has just arranged two additional Oregon grain and grass exhibits for the National G. A. R. encampment and state fair at Columbus, Ohio, and the bureau of immigration at St. Paul, Minn. The News further says that these may be taken to the Paris exposition.

Met an old Friend.

Col. W. H. Waters yesterday morning met at the California train an old Nebraska neighbor, Judge M. L. Hayward, of Nebraska City. It was the intention of the Judge to stay over and visit and talk of old times and old friends. But a company was waiting for him at Port, land for a trip to Yellowstone Park. However, he will return with a company of Nebraska people who desire to come west and who will not settle till they have seen this part of Oregon.

A Chance for Stayton.

J. J. Harden, of Stayton, has written to W. R. Struble, secretary of the Portland board of immigration, saying that he intends to engage in the fruit growing business near that place, and wishes the co-operation of fifteen or twenty men to engage with him in the same business.

A Good Showing.

Salem is justly called the city of churches. As families are returning from the seaside and mountain resorts and from other counties to be ready for the public and private schools and the university, the pastors and churches are preparing for a renewal of earnest work in all departments. Knowing that the annual Methodist conference is approaching, a JOURNAL representative has obtained a brief epitome of the work done by the M. E. church of this city. It will be interesting reading to many of its five hundred members and their friends, and to numbers of our eastern leaders. Some of whom may advantageously show it to those who yet ignorantly "wonder whether they have any churches out in Oregon."

This church which is about to finish up another ecclesiastical year has made a stride for which she may feel justly proud. The congregations for the year have been unprecedentedly large, and collections good. This week the finances of the churches will be adjusted and a fine showing will be made at the conference which commences at Eugene City next Thursday. The church and parsonage have been repaired at a cost of about \$1,000, nearly all of it paid. The collections for benevolences are as follows: From the church, \$470.00; Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, \$55.00; Young Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, \$84.00; the Woman's Home Missionary Society, besides supplying the needs of many poor among us, has quite a sum on hand for assisting needy churches near by. Next Sabbath will finish the present pastor's incumbency, but the prospects are that the JOURNAL's prophecy relative to his return will be fulfilled.

The Sells Brothers Hippodrome, Circus and Menagerie.

Among the exhibitions of the day, there are none that have received a prominence so pronounced as that of Sells Brothers; nor are we able to record an instance of any tented exhibition giving more general satisfaction. Its every feature is remarkable, and the majority can well be characterized as "phenomenal." As an adroit, sensational and entirely original act, that of riding and driving twenty-three bareback horses, by Mr. William O'Dell, will commend itself to all lovers of the difficult and dashing in equestrianism. Of Mr. Showles' elegant and artistic bareback riding, and of Mr. Wm. Sells' "hurricane hurdle riding," we have had occasion to speak in former seasons, and further commendation is superfluous. So it is with the graceful, bareback riding of Senorina Caroni. Of gymnastic and athletic exploits by a large company of aerobats and athletes, there is such a bewildering multiplicity that comment is nonplussed, and to speak of the merits of each in detail would transcend our limits. We can not close this article, however, without brief mention of the champion wing and fancy rifle shot of the world, Captain A. H. Bogardus, "The Man Who Shoots to Kill," and his four remarkable sons, each of whom exemplifies all the possibilities of the gun. The show will exhibit here Tuesday, August 28th.

Luxury-loving daughter—Oh, mamma, the paper says at Pills, Plaster & Co.'s drug store they are giving soda water free to all customers.

Practical mother—How nice that is. Tell your Aunt Sarah and Aunt Jane and grandma and the girls to get their hats on. We'll go around there this very morning and get a postage stamp.—Omaha World.

The world's conference of the Y. M. C. A. closed in Stockholm yesterday. It has been a very successful gathering, and will greatly advance the cause.

Judge W. T. McNealy, of San Diego, Cal., a friend of Dr. L. A. Port, is at the Chemekete.

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A good family named Rankin from Illinois has moved to North Salem.

Rev. Dr. Spencer will deliver an address on church extension on Wednesday night at the M. E. church.

Regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. to-morrow at 2:30 p. m. A full attendance requested.

Rev. Wm. Rollins will administer the ordinance of baptism by immersion on Saturday, the candidate being a young lady.

In Tacoma the St. Paul & Tacoma Lumber Co.'s mills are nearing completion. They will have a capacity of 630,000 feet daily.

As an evidence of newspaper enterprise it may be mentioned that the S. F. Examiner is printing some of its political articles in parallel columns, in English and German.

A few nights ago a Vilette typo was heard to remark to his best girl, "Bright * of my kistoe allow me 2m -- u." She made a -- at him put her ~~lip~~ between his lip and made him e."

Two professional crackmen were arrested in Seattle on Saturday, while in the act of robbing a roomer in the Commercial hotel. Their names are M. L. Walker and H. Douglass.

P. F. Orr, of Carmine, Illinois, writes a friend that he is about to sell his farm and come here. The Oregon Land Company has been corresponding with him, evidently with good effect.

Wm Patterson of Fox Valley, Linn county, sends in his subscription to the JOURNAL, as he wants the news. This paper circulates a good deal beyond the city and county in which it is published.

The latest news is that Layton Tyndal, who was knocked insensible by Wm. Davis, the proprietor of the threshing machine, at Ballston, is likely to recover. It would be a fortunate thing for both parties.

The prohibition club meets to-night at W. C. T. U. hall, at 8 o'clock. Important business. L. L. Orr, "the boy lecturer of Illinois" will deliver an address. Rev. Mr. Wieman will also speak if in town. B. J. Sharp secretary.

The secret organization and plans of the whitecaps in Indiana have been exposed by a detective who got into their secret councils. He describes it as on a par with the former Kukulux Klan. He promises to make a full revelation.

Dull as business usually is at this season of the year, Mr. Waite found that quite a rush of work had come into his steam printing office during his rusticiating. This office also lost a man owing to an increase of work in Cronise & Wilson's job office.

Secretary Gregg reports parties in considerable numbers already securing locations and renting ground for the coming state fair. This is earlier than usual, and portends a large attendance and a successful exhibition. Trotting stock in good numbers is arriving.

W. H. Savage brought in a box full of elegant, large peaches from the Bonner place, owned by himself and J. A. Albert. The JOURNAL man was invited to sample them, and found them as good as they looked. It is established beyond question that Salem can raise number one peaches.

Did this occur yesterday and, if so, where?

"Charles," said his fond wife, as she appeared at the bedside, "aren't you ashamed to lie there at this hour on Sunday morning?" "Well, my dear," he replied, as he very languidly opened one eye and let it softly close again, "I do feel mortified; but I hope to sleep it off before you get back from church."

Risks are too often run by travelers who leave their valises and other light baggage in the railroad cars while they temporarily leave, supposing that no thief will be bold enough to make off with the things. But some tramps at Albany did raid a train on Thursday while the passengers were eating supper. In the pursuit that followed two valises were recovered but one with good clothing and valuables they retained. So when you travel "look a leedle out."

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Board of Equalization.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Board of Equalization for Marion county, Oregon, will meet at the county court-house in Salem on Monday, August 27, 1888, and continue in session there for one week, for the adjustment of assessments. Dated July 31, 1888. T. E. PATTON, Assessor of Marion Co., Or. 8-17-dif-wil

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