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F. C. HORSLEY, M. D.
GRADUATE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, April 8, 1848.
Canyon City, Oregon.

Office in his Drug Store, Main Street. Orders for Drugs promptly filled. No professional patronage solicited unless directions are strictly followed.

J. W. HOWARD, M. D.
CANYON CITY, GRANT CO., OREGON.

O. M. DODSON, M. D.
Prairie City, - - - - - O n.

N. H. BOLEY,
DENTIST,
Dental Rooms, Opposite the Methodist Church.
CANYON CITY, OREGON.

G. I. HAZELTINE,
Photographer,
CANYON CITY, OREGON.

GEO. SOLLINGER,
CANYON CITY
MILK-MAN.

The best of Milk furnished to the citizens of Canyon City every morning, by the gallon or quart; at reasonable rates.

JOHN SCHMIDT,
CARPENTER AND WAGON MAKER,
Canyon City, - - - - - Oregon.

Dealer in HARDWOOD, SPOKES and FELLOES, FURNITURE, CHAIRS, PAINTS, GLASS, and WINDOW-SASH.

Hotels.

N. RULISON, A. H. GROTH.

CITY HOTEL

CANYON CITY, OREGON.

RULISON & GROTH, - - Proprietors

Be glad to inform their friends
And the Public Generally!
That they can be found at the

OLD STAND,

And are always ready to furnish good
Board and Lodging
AT MODERATE PRICES.

STEINER HOUSE,

The undersigned takes pleasure in announcing to the general public that they have opened a FIRST CLASS HOTEL in the building known as THE GOLDEN EAGLE,
Canyon City, - - - - - Oregon,

Where you can find the

BEST TABLE

North of Portland,

The Beds

Are all new, and the rooms have been furnished new throughout.

Board, \$5. per week; \$1. per day

Meals, 50 cents.

SEGERDAHL & ROBERTS, Proprietors.

Grange Hotel.

PRAIRIE CITY, OREGON,

J. H. Hardman, Proprietor.

The accommodations at the above Hotel are good, and every care will be taken to make guests feel at home.

Comfortable beds, and as good a table as the market affords furnished at reasonable rates.

HARNEY HOTEL

Fort Harney, Oregon.

N. OLIVER, Proprietor.

Having completed my Hotel I am prepared to entertain the traveling public with care and comfort. The table is supplied with the best the market affords. The beds are neat and clean.

STRAWBERRY VALLEY

FLOURING MILLS,

MOREHEAD & CLEAVER

PROPRIETORS.

Manufacturers and dealers in Flour of the Best Brand, Graham Flour, Corn Meal, Shorts, Bran and Feed. For a Superior Article

OF FLOUR go the Strawberry Mills. These Mills are located in Strawberry Valley, in the upper John Day Valley, Grant County. Accommodations a speciality. Reasonable prices. Give us a call.

DALLES AND BAKER CITY



STAGE LINE,

Vaile & Co., - - - Proprietors.

Departs from Canyon City for the Dalles and Baker City, Daily.

Arrives from the same points, Daily.

R. C. WILLIAMSON, Supt.

CANYON CITY & McDERMIT



STAGE LINE,

FRANK McBEAN, - - Proprietor

Departs from Canyon City on Monday, Thursday, and Saturday of each week.

Arrives at Canyon City on Sunday, Wednesday and Friday of each week.

How the Errors Creep In.

A lady who recently published some verses on "Autumn," in these columns, writes to ask, "who is responsible for the typographical errors in your paper?" Lean down here, while we whisper in your ear:—sh; nobody is. The editor writes so plainly that even a blind man could spell out his words, the compositors are college men who have edited papers of their own, and they set up the matter exactly as it is written and correct what mistakes the editor makes; the proof reader is a professor of rhetoric and philology in an Iowa college, and never made a mistake in his life, and he corrects what few mistakes the compositors may make; the foreman is a Göttingen graduate, who has nothing to do but to see that the matter is perfect when the forms go down. There isn't a mistake in our paper when the type reaches the press. But we'll tell you, as a professional secret, how the mistakes creep in. The pressman told the manager, and the manager told us; it's the ink—it's the ink. We pay out thousands and thousands of dollars a year for good ink, and we can't get an article that won't fairly meale the paper with typographical errors.—Hawkeye.

How to BECOME RICH.—You can probably be rich my son, if you will be. If you make up your mind that you will be a rich man, and stick to it, there is very little doubt that you will be very wealthy, tolerable mean, loved a little, hated a great deal, have a big funeral, be blessed by the relatives to whom you leave the most, reviled by those to whom you leave less, and villified by those to whom you leave nothing. But you must pay for it, my son. Wealth is an expensive thing. It costs all it is worth. If you want to be worth a million dollars, it will cost you just a million dollars to get it. Broken friendship, intellectual starvation, loss of social enjoyment, deprivation of general impulses, the smothering of many aspirations, a limited wardrobe and a scanty table, a lonely home because you fear a lovely wife and beautiful home would be expensive, a hatred of the heathen, a dread of the contribution box, a haunting fear of the woman's aid society, a fretful dislike of poor people because they won't keep their misery out of your sight, a little sham benevolence that is worse than none; oh, you can be rich, young man, if you are willing to pay the price. Any man can get rich who doesn't think it is too expensive. True, you may be rich, and be a man among men, noble and Christian and grand and true, serving God and blessing humanity, but that will be in spite of your wealth and not as a result of it. It will be because you always were that kind of a man. But you want to be rich merely to be rich if that is the breadth and height of your ambition, you can be rich, if you will pay the price. And when you are rich, son, call around at this office and pay for this advice. We will let the interest compound from this date.—Hawkeye.

A subscriber to a southern paper died recently, leaving four years subscription unpaid. The editor appeared at the grave and deposited in the coffin a palm-leaf fan, a linen coat and a thermometer.

For the Sharon reception to General Grant, one San Francisco jewelry firm sold \$26,000 worth of gems. The dresses and gems at the Croker reception were estimated at \$5,000,000.—Exchange.

The Junction Republican says J. E. Houston, Wm. Houston, David Houston, Frank Cummins and Wm. Roper, all of Junction City, left on Tuesday morning to try their fortunes in Eastern Oregon.

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THE MONUMENTAL MINE.—Several gentlemen connected with the Monumental Gold and Silver Mining Company returned to this city Saturday night from the mines in Grant County, and bring important information concerning the progress recently made. The new quartz mill, said to be the finest on the Pacific coast, was put in operation on the 11th instant, and run on waste ore. They suffered two or three break downs, usually incident to starting new machinery, which delayed the regular work on good ore until the 17th. On that day they worked 12 hours on good ore. An assay was made from the battery and showed \$126 60 to the ton, which is \$33 better than Consolidated Virginia during its bonanza days. There are 600 tons of ore on the dump as good as that crushed on the 17th. The ore is the accumulation of two years' development in the tunnel and drifts. A shaft has been sunk from the tunnel level, the bottom of which is 340 feet from the surface. Specimens of average ore brought by Mr. J. W. Stearns from this depth, show richer quartz than has ever been found in the mine before, and warrants a permanency which assures a golden future for its owners.—Mountaineer.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—The U. S. auditor of railroad accounts received a communication from the vice president of the Central Pacific Railroad Company, enclosing a check for \$609,680, which settles all accounts of the road with the government up to the 31st of last December. The cash payments for the year 1879 will not be so large.

General News.

Vesuvius is again active.

Jean Joseph Gerome, French theologian, is dead.

Two colored criminals were executed in South Carolina yesterday.

Ten persons were killed yesterday in Hamburg by an explosion of gas.

There are about \$4,000,000 in specie en route from Europe to New York.

Professor Baird says that California salmon will thrive in the south Atlantic States.

The Afghan leader in the battle of Chara Saib has taken refuge with the Russians.

The crew of the schooner Mercury, wrecked near Pentwater, Mich., have been rescued.

J. Boyd & Co., boot and shoe manufacturers of Boston, have failed. Liabilities, \$60,000.

Mrs. Hayes will attend the Methodist Orphanage Fair now in progress in Philadelphia.

Gortchakoff is reported as suffering from mental depression. There is little hope of his recovery.

The Swiss cotton operatives have requested the Federal Legislature to increase the duty on foreign fabrics.

Captain Williams, of New York, has been acquitted of the charge of clubbing an inoffensive citizen at a political meeting.

The loss on the cream of tartar factory, burned in Greenpoint, N. Y., on Thursday night, was \$200,000; insurance, \$155,000.

The Indians call General Grant "John Grant."

If care killed a cat, care can throw a bootjack straighter than most people.

A woman's head is turned by the outside of a bonnet—a man's by what is inside of it.

An advertisement in a Scotch country paper reads:—"Two sisters want washing. Apply."

By taking revenge, a man is but even with his enemy; but in passing it over he is his superior.

Baron Lossar, the eminent Austrian Liberal, is dead.

The Archducess Marie Christine has arrived in Paris.

The Czar will return to St. Petersburg from Livadia on December 4th.

The Berlin state of siege will be renewed on the 28th for one year.

There were \$2,400,750 in specie received at New York from Liverpool yesterday.

Prince Orloff is spoken of as successor to Baron D'Obrill as Russian Ambassador to Germany.

The Russians refuse to allow the Kashgar rebels to draw supplies or men from Russian territory.

Several students of the St. Petersburg University have been arrested for creating disturbances.

The ships Rosie Welt, Thomas Dana and Continental have arrived in Europe from San Francisco.

Baconfield refuses to publish the papers found in Cabul, comprising the Russian Foreign Office.

The man who tried to run a newspaper to suit everybody died in an eastern poor house eighty years ago.

Too much braces in a grate kuss to a man; it is something like too many fleas on a dog, more than he can attend to.

A Sandy Hook fisherman recently killed a forty-foot whale with a scythe. It was a good scythed whale.

Two twin brothers are said to be so much alike that they frequently borrow money of each other without knowing it.

"The parting gives me pain," sighed the man who was combing his hair for the first time after a week's spree.

It is wonderful how silent a man can be when he knows his cause is just; but how boisterous he becomes when he knows he is in the wrong.

"I rise for information," said a member of a legislative body. "I am very glad to hear it," said a bystander, "no one needs it more."

"Don't you mean to marry again, Deacon Jones?" asked Widow Simpkins. "No," he growled, "I'd rather lose what ribs I've got than to take any more."

The Spanish troops have killed the Cuban insurgent chief Manis and made prisoner of another chief.

The war ship Grosser Kurfurst cannot be raised the present winter. Work will be resumed next Spring.

Reed & Sons, of Chicago, music dealers, have failed for \$134,000; assets \$167,000, chiefly in real estate.

By the burning of a house in Rome, belonging to Prince Charles Bonaparte, three persons were burned to death.

The principle Labor and Greenback men will meet in Washington on January 8th to call a national Convention.

The first case under the Massachusetts Civil Damage law has resulted in verdict of \$2000 against a saloon keeper.

Mrs. Mary Jones, of Brownsburg, Ind., imprisoned for administering poison to her babe, has been declared insane.

The disaster to the steamer Alabama, wrecked in the Seine, was caused by running aground during a dense fog.

A writ of attachment has issued against the Bayless-Wilkes Varnish and Printing-Ink Manufacturing Company of Montreal.

The marriage of Alfonso and Marie Christine is fixed for the 29th. There will be bull-fights and other gala performances in Madrid.

At the meeting of the American Geographical Society in New York on Tuesday night Dr. Hayes expressed his confidence in the Jeannette expedition's success.