

The Grant County News.

ONLY PAPER IN GRANT COUNTY.

Official Paper For Grant County.

Canyon City, Saturday Dec. 6, 1879.

S. H. SHEPHERD, - - - - - EDITOR.

NOTICE.

All accounts due the Bedrock Democrat at Canyon City, Independence and The Dalles, must be paid to S. H. Shepherd, of the GRANT COUNTY NEWS.—Bedrock Democrat.

I desire parties owing the Democrat, at the above named places, to send the amount to me immediately thereby saving costs, as I need the money. Having taken the above accounts at par I must have them settled without delay.

S. H. SHEPHERD.

General News.

The Riverside, at Independence says A large area of land has been sown to wheat this Fall, nearly or quite double the amount sown in any previous year. Alarmed by the rust which affected many fields of Spring wheat, our farmers have taken advantage of the beautiful weather and have, almost without exception, sown large fields of wheat, which now look in splendid condition.

The Mountaineer says: Thomas Fargher, Horatio Fargher, W. N. McCoy, Julius Rittenhouse and Lewis Canyon were arrested and brought to town on Monday for killing 74 head of sheep, said to have the scab, on the 16th instant, belonging to Chicken Spring Ranch, situated on the Canyon City road fifteen or twenty miles from town. They were bound over to appear in the sum of \$400 each.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—A Tribune special from Washington says that the aspect of political affairs in Virginia attracts close attention there among all parties. On Wednesday next the Legislature is to elect a Senator to succeed Withers, and it is claimed that the Democracy is so divided that the Republicans hold the balance of power. An alliance with the Republicans is sedulously courted by the debt payers and readjusters, but the Republicans claim to be able to defeat the latter and name the Senator by holding together solidly.

WALLA WALLA, W. T. Nov. 29.—The trial of Mrs. Brewster, the woman who was arrested in August last, on a charge of poisoning her husband, by giving him whisky containing strychnine, at Wallula, was finished this afternoon. The jury returned a verdict of acquittal and Mrs. Brewster was liberated.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—For the forty seats of the New York Stock Exchange which were offered for sale to-day, there were 103 proposals received. The bids averaged \$12,683. The forty highest bids averaged \$13,622, making a total, inclusive of initiation fees, of \$564,904.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—It has leaked out that the publication of Secretary Sherman's report in only one of the New York papers, which obtained the document, was secured by unfair means, and causes much comment. The appearance of the report in such a manner provokes the question as to whether it was obtained through favoritism, or by theft.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The second bicycle race between the English and American riders closed at 1 o'clock to-day. English—Cann, 744 and Stanton, 710 miles. Americans—Harrison, 766 and Rutland, 760 miles. This is the second victory for the Americans.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Wheat to-day is higher: \$1 22 cash, \$2 22 1/2 for December, \$1 23 1/2 for January.

THE Smith family are out of luck. A person by the name of Smith received a blow over the left optic Tuesday evening with a fiddle. Cause, too much wet groceries; the fiddle is ruined; the eye will heal in time.

NEW GOODS!

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GEO. GUNDLACH & BRO.

Have just received and are to receive a full Stock of General Merchandise, comprising in part a complete Line of Mens and Boys CLOTHING AND FURNISHING GOODS, LADIES & CHILDREN'S under

WARE. A FULL LINE OF BUCKINGHAM & HECHT BOOTS AND SHOES.

OVER SHOES, SNOW EXCLUDERS, RUBBER BOOTS, [Crack Proof Hayward's.] A FULL LINE OF DRESS AND STAPLE

DRY GOODS, QUILTS, COMFORTERS, Blankets, & MATTRESSES, CROCKERY, LAMPS AND Glassware of all kinds, Groceries, Cigars

AND TOBACCO of the very best Manufactures.

POCKET and TABLE

CUTLERY, ALBUMS

MEDICINES, HATS and CAPS, HARDWARE,

IRON and STEEL, AMMUNITION of all

Kinds and Calibres. A full line of

SADDLERY, BRIDLES,

BITS, SPURS, STIRRUPS, ETC., ETC.

Wagons, Buggies and Plows, and a great

Many other articles not mentioned here. The best place to obtain

nice and Substantial Holiday Presents, all of which they offer

at a small advance on Cost. Be sure and give them a Call

before Purchasing elsewhere. It will be to your advantage.

A GAZETTE TYPO TO MARY ANN.

LA GRANDE, Ogn. Dec. 1st, 1879.

MY DEAR MISS MARY:—An ex Cow-Boy, now on the Staff of the "La Grande Gazette," admires your natural and womanly preference for cattle-men, and trusts to have the pleasure, at some time, of thanking you personally for the glowing manner you delineate the life of the "Vaqueros" and defend him from the abuse of the wool-witted mutton-producers. On afterthought, photographs cheerfully exchanged.

MR. EUGENE BRACKETT, a student in the law office of C. W. Parrish, Esq., made his maiden speech in Judge Dustin's Court on last Monday. Mr. Brackett has all the modesty necessary for the make up of a good lawyer, and no doubt he will succeed in the profession he has chosen.

THE unsophisticated Jew peddler who a few days ago procured a license to sell "fiddle dings, in this county bought a specimen of quartz for which he paid one dollar, and no doubt thought he had a good bargain, had his mind disabused by a friend telling him that he had been cheated as the orifices in the rock had been filled with gold foil, and consequently the specimen was of no value. The poor fellow shook his head and exclaimed "dat vas hell."

CHRISTMAS TREE.—The ladies of Canyon City will erect a Christmas tree at Masnie Hall and invite all those who desire to present their children or friends with presents to have them at the hall early so the tree can be arranged systematically. A general invitation is extended to all.

IT appears the show did not draw very well last night, but the boys had lots of fun beating the triangle all the same. The show is one of instruction and should be well patronized.

THE examination before Justice Dustin of Chas. Smith for drunk and disorderly conduct took place at the Court house on Monday, and resulted in Smith being put under bonds.

LAURANCE & SHEARER,

Prairie City, - - - - - Oregon.

Would most respectfully announce to the Public that they have received a large stock of

FALL & WINTER goods, and keep constantly on hand a full line of choice family GROCERIES,

DRY GOODS, READY MADE CLOTHING, HATS and CAPS, BOOTS and SHOES, HARDWARE, CROCKERY,

GLASSWARE, CIGARS and TOBACCO, SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY, PATENT MEDICINES, OILS, PAINTS, NOTIONS, &c.

We keep a large and well selected stock of General Merchandise. Call and see for yourselves.

LAURANCE & SHEARER, Prairie City, July 3d, 1879. n131f.

E. BECK,

Watchmaker and Jeweler, The Dalles, Oregon.

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of The Dalles and surrounding country that he has just received a full New Stock of Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Etc., From San Francisco, which he will sell at the very lowest living prices. He has moved into his

NEW STORE,

on Second Street, near Washington, where he will be pleased to see his many friends and customers. The Dalles, Oct. 15th, 1879.

PHIL. METSCHAN & CO. Announce that they have just received a new and well assorted Stock of "General Merchandise"

Consisting in part of MEN'S and BOYS CLOTHING, DRY GOODS, BUCKINGHAM and HECHT BOOTS, LADIES and CHILDREN'S SHOES, and SLIPPERS, COCKEY GLASSWARE, and CHILDREN'S TOBACCO.

A large assortment of Christmas Goods suitable for Holiday presents. Also a full assortment of Choice family Groceries and other articles usually found in a First Class Store. All of which we offer

CHEAP FOR CASH,

Having bought for Cash we are prepared to sell our Goods Cheaper than they were ever before offered in

CANYON CITY, OREGON.

Our old Stock we will continue to sell at COST PRICES.

NEW DRUG STORE.

MAIN STREET, CANYON CITY, OREGON,

J. W. HOWARD, M. D., - - PROPRIETOR.

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Having recently received a full and carefully selected stock of Drugs, and Medicines I am fully prepared to furnish everything usually kept in a First Class Drug House, at reasonable Prices. Also a full Stock of the Standard Patent Medicines on hand. Call, everybody, and see, and buy of my fresh goods. J. W. HOWARD, M. D., Proprietor.

A. HACHENEY,

Is still at his post, at John Day City, dealing out the very choicest Groceries, also keeps a full stock of Boots, Shoes, Clothing, Calico, Tobacco, Crockery, Granite-Ware, fancy Cups and Saucers, and General Merchandise.

My Store is always welcome to everybody whether they come to buy or merely to see the goods.

Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given that J. L. Cummings, Administrator of the Estate of C. H. Black, has filed his final report and account in the matter of said estate. All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified to be and appear at the court house in Canyon City, Grant County, Oregon, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the 6th day of January, 1880, and show cause, if any there be, why said account should not be approved, and the said Estate fully settled, and the administrator discharged. 34-38 J. L. CUMMINGS, Nov. 25th, 1879. Administrator.

Notice for Publication.

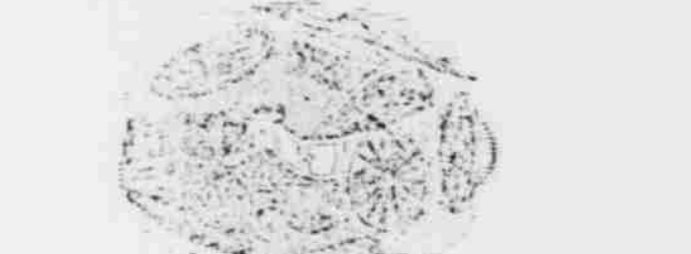
LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, Oregon, Nov. 25th, 1879. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, viz: ALEXANDER MURRAY for the SE 1/4 Sec. 4, T 13 SR 273, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: F. L. Wood, of Grant County, Oregon, and Eli Lester, of Grant County, Oregon. HENRY W. DWIGHT, Register.

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OVERHOLT & JACOBS,

Wagon Making & Carpentry.



Wagons and Buggies repaired at reasonable rates—Spokes, Brakebars, Axles, Felles, Plow Beams, Etc., for Sale.

Building and Jobbing promptly attended to.

Doors, Sash, Etc.,

Constantly on hand and made to order.

W. F. PRUDEN,

ELECTRIC PHYSICIAN. Residence—John Day, Grant County Oregon.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CHRISTMAS BALL.

The Members of Prairie City Lodge, No. 60., A. F. & A. M., will give a Social Ball, to which the Public are invited, on CHRISTMAS EVE, Wednesday Evening, December 24th, 1879, at THE GRANGERS HALL, Prairie City.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.

Wm. J. Settlemier, Jerry Dasey, George Dollina.

FLOOR MANAGERS.

Jos. B. Johnson and James Finigan.

Tickets, (without supper) \$2. 50.