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

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MILK-MAN.

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

Frank McCallum's
Variety Store,
 John Day City, - - - Oregon.

—DEALER IN—
 CHOICE GROCERIES,
 TOBACCO,
 CIGARS,
 STATIONERY,
 NUTS AND CONFECTIONERY,
 ETC., ETC.
 Would respectfully solicit a share of the patronage of the citizens of John Day and surrounding country.
 MAIN STREET, JOHN DAY, - - - OREGON.

PHIL METSCHAN & CO.

Announce that they have received a full and well assorted Stock of

GENERAL MERCHANDISE,
 which they offer
CHEAP FOR CASH.

Having bought for Cash we are prepared to sell our Goods cheaper than they were ever before sold in this Market.
 Canyon City, Jan. 16, 1880.

Hotels.

CITY HOTEL
 CANYON CITY, OREGON,
 N. RULISON, A. H. GROTH.

RULISON & GROTH, - - Proprietors
 Beg leave 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.

GOLDEN EAGLE HOTEL,
 Canyon City, Oregon.

The undersigned takes pleasure in announcing to his Patrons and the general public that after a trial of nearly a year, he feels confident of success in Hotel business.
 I shall endeavor to gain the esteem of my guests, and give them their money's worth.
 Terms of Board and Lodging, Invariably Cash:
 Board and lodging, per single day, \$1.50;
 " without lodging, per single day, \$1.
 Board and lodging, per week, \$7.
 " without lodging, per week, \$5.
JOHN SEGERDAHL, Proprietor.

Grange Hotel.
 PRAIRIE CITY, OREGON,
 J. H. Hardman, Proprietor.

The accommodations at this 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.

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.

I. X. L. TOMATOES.

Put up expressly for Family Use, in three pound cans.— [Warranted, finer, better and cheaper than the Imported Tomatoes.] By G. W. Houston, Canyon City, Oregon. For sale by Phil. Metschan & Co., Gundlach & Bro and the Proprietor.

General News.

Miss Kate Field brought from Stratford a slip of Shakspeare's mulberry tree, which she has presented to the Central Park commissioners. It is to be kept in a green house until April and then planted with proper ceremony—probably upon the poet's birthday. The Park commissioners sent for the slip on Miss Field's arrival, and it is now in their care.

Mrs. Hannah Simpson Grant, the mother of the General, is now, at the age of eighty, living with her daughter Mrs. Corbin, in a small house on the heights above Jersey City. She is a quiet and dignified old lady, with a small straight figure and regular features. She has bright dark eyes and a kindly smile, and she moves about with usual vigor and activity.

A large ferry boat is about to be built for crossing the British Channel. The dimensions are: length, 650 feet; width, 150 feet; draft of water, 8 feet. This boat will contain a whole railway station of 180 tracks, and will be propelled by a number of paddles and screws, and will form a connection with the railroads running from the coasts to London and Paris.

Herbert Spencer is a delicate looking man, with a fringe of beard around his throat in the style of Horace Greely. He is nearly sixty years old, and has never made much money, having been at times pinched by poverty. He has gone to Egypt to complete his recovery to health.

The population of the chief cities of the United States in 1794 were: Philadelphia, 42,520; New York, 39,000; Charleston, 20,000; Boston, 18,000; Baltimore, 13,503; Newport, 6,000. At that time the entire population was less than 4,000,000.

Miss Yeoman, a school teacher of Kittitas valley, Oregon, has taken up a land claim fenced it, built a house, and this year raised 612 bushels of grain besides teaching her school. She says she does not mean to marry until she can support a husband.

Sydney Smith used to say that the common practice of the clergy in his day was to endeavor to draw sin out of men as Eve was drawn from Adam's side, by casting them into a deep sleep.

To add realistic effect to "Uncle Tom's Cabin," at Logansport, Ind., a live blood hound was introduced, and the brute heightened the realism by breaking his chain and biting an actress seriously.

The first instance in history of a coroner's jury composed exclusively of women, lately occurred at Cheyenne, Wyo. T., in the case of the death of Mrs. Theresa Gneek.

The negroes of Sabine parish, Louisiana, are wild on the subject of Kansas.—The parish is threatened with a sable depopulation.

Miss Alice Longfellow, daughter of the poet, has become the Massachusetts Vice-Regent of the Mount Vernon Ladies Association.

A sentimental young man thus feelingly expresses himself: "Even as nature benevolently guards the rose with thorns so does the endow women with pins."

Young Alfano is most unfortunate in his wives. The second is attacked with epileptic fits, and the promise of lineal heirs for the throne is not bright.

A lady voter of Boston found too late that she had voted her curl papers.

The only way in which the czar can escape assassination is to kill himself before somebody else does.

Oliver Wendell Holmes calls a kiss a hissing consonant. He should have added also that it usually follows a vowel.

The Utah Legislature now in session at Salt Lake has 39 members, all of whom are polygamists with the exception of four. They draw their pay from the National Government, and during their session of 40 days enact "inspired" laws inimical to the interests of the American people.

A white deer was recently captured at King's Ferry in Florida.

The authoress "Ouida," is 40, homely, and wears her hair down the back.

Gen. Sherman is said to be the most persistent theatre-goer of all the public men in Washington.

The recent cold weather killed a large number of cattle in the prairies of Texas, where shelter could not be obtained.

Suspicious - A sausage maker advertises his wares as "dog cheap."

A Dublin newspaper says: "A number of deaths are unavoidably postponed."

A man seeing the sign "Hands off," innocently asked if they had gone on a picnic.

The Czar begins to feel like a target at a shooting tournament.

Charles Lamb remarked of one of his critics, "The more I think of him, the less I think of him."

The great trouble with professional ball clubs is to find a pitcher that will hold water—only.

Professor Post alludes to the earth as a mere mustard seed. The Buffalo Express says that this is because it is hot inside.

We learn from Lord Lorne, who got the news from Bacon'sfield, who gave Queen Victoria as his authority, that Sara Bernhardt is making a pair of slippers for Talmage.

Pedagogue—"What is the meaning of the Latin verb ignoscere?" Tall student (after all others have failed to give the correct definition)—"I don't know."
 Pedagogue—"Right; go up to the head."

An exchange says, "Napoleon loved a man who could die." This accounts for his purchasing Louisiana from the Spaniards.—Boston Transcript.

There may be men who would willingly search the Scriptures if they thought they could find anything to steal in them.—Boston Transcript.

Speaking of Senator Bayard's boom, the Chicago Tribune chidingly remarks that little States like Delaware should be seen and not heard.

It is a mean man who would fool a fish by wearing a white choker and clerical coat when strolling along the banks of a brook on Sunday.—Boston Post.

The following signs, handed down by tradition are yet believed in many parts of America:

White specks on the nails are luck.
 Whosoever reads epitaphs loses his memory.

To rock the cradle when empty is injurious to the child.
 To eat when a bell is tolling for a funeral causes toothache.

When a mouse gnaws a hole some misfortune may be apprehended.
 He who has his teeth wide asunder must seek his fortune in a distant land.

Whosoever finds a four-leaf trefoil—shamrock—should wear it for good luck.
 Beggars' bread should be given to children who are slow in learning to speak.

If a child less than twelve months old is brought into a cellar it will become timid.
 When children play soldier on the roadside, it forebodes the approach of war.

A child grows proud if suffered to look into a mirror while less than twelve months old.

He who proposes moving into a new house must first send in bread and a new broom.

Whosoever sneezes at an early hour either hears some news or receives some present the same day.

The first tooth cast by a child should be swallowed by the mother, to insure a growth of teeth.

Buttoning the coat awry, or drawing on a stocking inside out, causes matters to go wrong during the day.

By binding the head to the hollow of the arm, the initial letter of one's future spouse is represented.

Women who sow flax-seed should, during the process, tell some lies; otherwise the yarn will never bleach white.

When women are stuffing beds, the men should not remain in the house; otherwise the feathers will surely come through the ticks.

When a person enters a room he should be obliged to sit down, if only for a moment, as he otherwise takes away the children's sleep with him.

If a dog scratches on the floor or howls in a peculiar manner, or an owl hoots in the neighborhood of the house, it is an omen of death.

Blaine is to have an ovation tendered him at Washington.

The friends of the Northern Pacific Railroad have begun to work in earnest to secure the passage of a bill extending the time for the completion of the road and feel confident of success.

The Democrats of the Senate all voted to reject the nomination of Kutchin for collector of Wisconsin, on the ground of the violence of language used by his paper in denouncing Democrats.

The disappearance of Dr. S. Dana Hayes, State Assayer, is announced. It is said that after settling up all matters of business on the 20th inst. he left Boston, leaving a letter stating that he should not return. His business was in a prosperous condition. The cause of his sudden disappearance is domestic trouble.

A co-operative colony is forming in Brooklyn for the purpose of settling upon government land in the vicinity of Puget Sound. A meeting to promote the movement was held in Union Hall; which was addressed by Dr. P. H. Vaudeyweyde, editor of the Practical American, and E. V. Smalley.

On the 29th, in the Maine Senate, seven fusion Senators appeared. They were cordially received and took their seats. Atwell and Potter of Pennebscot; said that the interests of their constituency required their presence at the head, and however much might be said in regard to the position of affairs, their duty was plain. In the House 22 fusionists took their seats.

STALLION BOUGHT.—Webb Anderson of Grant county has bought Wynowski, Nat Westfall's stallion and race horse, well known to the turf in this county, for \$400. Anderson has a large band of horses in that county—Hillsboro Independent.

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 30.—Several additional Fusionists took their seats in the House to-day, and there are but four empty senatorial chairs. The Auburn light infantry departed this morning and no military or extraordinary police force are at the State House now.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 30.—At a meeting of the Western Union Iron Association held in this city to-day the price of iron was advanced to four cents.

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—Chicago wheat was tided and lower at \$1 18½ cash; \$1 18½ for February and \$1 20 for March.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The Time's Washington special says the removal of Commissioner Hayt did not come a pay too soon, and now, that incompetent obstruction having been put out of the Indian Bureau, we shall expect to see a more enlightened policy adopted toward the Indians.