The Grant County News.

ONLY PAPER IN GRANT COUNTY.

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

NEUTRAL IN POLITICS UNDER ALL CIRCUMSTANCES.

E. S. McCOMAS, of the Mountain Sentinel, says, in his last issue, that he is now convinced that no evidence can be produced that would in any way implicate Mr. Ison with dishonorable transaction in connection with his official duties. Mac. also withdraws all accusations or insinuations that he has heretofore made against Hon. Luther B. Ison. The Sentinel has made many accusations against Mr. Ison in the last two years; and we are glad to see Mac. repent, as we have always found Luther true to the duties of his office, and as a friend to both of the gentlemen we are glad the hatchet is buried.

A Thorny Road to Destruction.

The royal road to newspaper honor is very steep and very rocky. Take the case of an aspirant who comes to the managing editor of a certain metropoli tan paper. He is referred to the city editor. That autocrat questions him about his experience and finds it nil. If his appearance pleases and there is room in the office, he is told to come the next day, and that he will be given work on "space"—that is, paid for what he writes at so much per column. He reports at the office twice a day for a week, perhaps gets one assignment or detail each day, and finds on pay day that he has earned $10 and has spent $3 for car fare. If news is scarce and he does not possess unusual energy, his bills may not average more than this amount for an entire Summer. In such a case he generally abandons the business and takes up some occupation which does not demand so much of its followers. If he is really in love with the work and feels the stimulus which comes from eager rivalry with competitors for the best reports of local incidents, he will soon make a "hit" and get more work, or else be placed on a regular salary. Then his further progress is only a question of ability, health and time. Changes will occur in the office, and promotion, though slow, will be sure to him who bides his time and does his work well. But there is no romance about the business. The successful reporter may become special correspondent, or city editor, or night editor, or editorial writer. But whether his work is to write or revise other men's writing, he will be compelled to labor hard, and generally under pressure. His hours of labor are constantly menanced by sudden demands for extra work. Often he sits eight hours under a gaslight at the most exciting task of revising the hastily-written manuscript of local reporters. He must see that, there are no lapses in the grammar, that no inacurate statements are made, that any libelous assertions are excised, that all expressions of opinion are cut out. He must remove all irrevelant details, and give the articles attractive head lines. To follow this work six nights in the week tests the strongest constitution. On all the great daily papers in the leading cities the case of the man who comes into journalism a novice and takes any position above that of reporter is as one in a thousand. The fact that a man does escape this necessary drudgery is against his future usefulness as an editor. He will never know the relative value of news, and be constantly led to underrate the importance of local matters. And the paper which neglects local news and is persistently beaten by a more enterprising rival is sure to lose heavily in the circulation. Despite the hard work and late hours there is a singular attraction about newspaper work. Journalism possesses a stimulus unknown in more staid professions. The fondness of its members for Bohemian life and their devotion to the business resemble the passion of actors for the stage. Men will stay in journalism, though they make far less money than they would in other pursuits which require far less exertion. A notable instance of this perversity was furnished by the New York World, which used to boast of the brightest staff of any paper in that city. The men were all college graduates, and their daily meetings were seasoned with wit and humor. But the standing joke for newcomers was that a man must do some outside literary work, as the office was a club, the expenses of which were heavier than the salaries paid by the paper to the members.

The Monumental and other mines in Grant county are yielding well, although the great depth of the snow in that vicinity has, to some extent, interfered with mining operations. As soon spring opens there bids fair to be quite a rush to that camp. There are several ledges in the immediate vicinity of the Monumental that are regarded by their owners as good property, and the bullion yield from that section will be quite heavy during the coming summer. The mill recently erected there is steadily crushing rock, and most of it is of a good quality.—Idaho Avalanche.

An accident occurred to the down stage on Monday, about a mile and a half this side of Old's Ferry on Snake River. The grade gave way and let the stage slide down the bank and in to the river, but went so slow that the passengers all got out without getting wet; but the horses were pulled in and three of them drowned. It was one of those unforseen accidents that could not be guarded against, and no blame could be attached to any one.

Good Cider Vinegar FOR SALE,

By the barrel, keg or gallon,
AT FRUIT RARCH
Three miles East of Canyon City, Ogn., Cheap for Cash.

ALSO

APPLES and CIDER
In quantity at the lowest rates —for cash.

FISK & RINEHART.
Fruit Ranch, Oct. 4th, 1879.

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Mrs. James F. Cleaver has just received from San Francisco a well selected supply of

WINTER HATS.

A fine assortment of Jewelry and Toys for the Holidays.

She always keeps a full stock of Embroideries, Laces, Corsets and Ladies Underwear, Etc. at prices that DEFY COMPETITION. Orders accompanied with cash filled promptly and satisfaction guaranteed.

Prairie City, Nov. 21st, 1879.

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This Inkstand produces MORE ink than is contained in TWENTY FIVE bottles, commonly sold at ten cents each. It contains both liquid ink and dry ink material; producing the best of ink of rich black or violet color The stand is made of handsome, highly ornamental metal, and is very durable. The ink is made by the consumer by simply filling the fount with water.

Regular retail Price, 50 cents each. We will send one of the above inkstands, postpaid, to every subscriber remitting 30 cents for one annual subscription to our 'FASHION GUIDE,' which is issued semi-annually, and contains in each number over 300 beautiful illustrations of the latest and most desirable fashions in Ladies' and Gents' wear, besides the lowest quotations of different goods in nearly all branches of trade.

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The undersigned, wishing to engage in other business, will sell cheap for cash the following property:

A Well Situated Ranch

one mile from Canyon City, on the Harney road, good dwelling house, milk house, cellar, stable and other out buildings. Fencing good; also 40 head of

BROOD MARES AND COLTS,

more or less; some of the best blood in the county. Also one 5 year old Stallion, sired by Johnny Moore.

Also an improved mower for sale.

150 HEAD OF STOCK CATTLE; about fifty of them good Dairy Cows, also a lot of Work Horses and Mules, together with freight and light wagons, harness, and other fixtures. Concord Buggy and harness. The above property will be sold in bulk at a reasonable price for half cash down balance on time with good security. For further particulars inquire of the undersigned or W. H. Clark. PAT MULCARE.

Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John Manwarring deceased, all persons having claims against said estate will present the same duly verified to me at my residence in Grant County, Oregon, within six months from march 4th, 1880.

SAMUEL FRENCH,
n48-52. Administrator.

Administrators Notice.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to the Estate of Moses Zook, deceased, are hereby requested to call and settle; and all those having claims against said estate will present the same properly vouched for to the undersigned at Prairie City, Grant County, Oregon.

JOHN MARSHALL,
n48-52. Administrator.

NOTICE.

W. H. Clark of Canyon City having assigned and set over to me under certain conditions all his real and personal property, all persons having legal claims against the said W. H. Clark, and willing to comply with terms of assignment, will present their accounts to me at once; and all parties indebted to said W. H. Clark will please call and make arrangements for prompt settlement of same to avoid costs of collection. All settlements must be made with me or my authorized agent.

B. N. BARNETT,
n49-tf Assignee.
Canyon City March, 9th, 1880.

SNIDER & STEVENS,

DEALERS IN

DRY GOODS AND Clothing,

BOOTS AND SHOES, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, LIQUORS AND SUTLERS' GOODS Of Every Description.

CAMP HARNEY,
GRANT COUNTY, OREGON.

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NOTICE.—All political communications from either party, or from any one interested in politics must be accompained by the cash or the equivelant or said communications will not appear. Remember that the NEWS is as free for one as for the other. It knows no party.

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.

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A. HACHENEY,

Is still at his post, at John Day City, dealing out the very choicest Groceries, also keeps a full stock of Boots, Shoss, 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.

Selling off at Cost.

The Stock of Goods lately belonging to W. H. Clark, of Canyon City Grant County, Or.

TERMS, CASH ONLY: B. N. BARNETT,
Canyon City, March 20th. 1880. Assignee.

All parties indebted to W. H. Clark, will call and settle their accounts as soon as possible.

FOR SALE—One Span Dun Colored Horses, wagon & harness.

STOVES —AND— TIN WARE —BY— MAX METSCHAN,

CANYON CITY, OREGON,

Keeps constantly on hand a good assortment of

STOVES AND TINWARE,

And such other articles usually kept in a first class

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AT MODERATE PRICES.

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Machinery, Wagons, Buggies, Plows and all kinds of work in my line made and repaired in a workmanlike manner at reasonable prices. Special attention paid to the shoeing of interfering and unruly horses.

I will be found opposite Wood & Church's Livery Stable where horses will be cared for at reasonable rates.

Give me a call. C. W. BONHAM.

Fresh Garden Seeds for sale BY JOHN A GARRISON,

Canyon City, Oregon.

List and Price of seeds as below:

Onions, Yellow Danvers, per lb $2.50.
Parsnips, Long, per lb $1.
Carrots, Long Orange, per lb $1.
Beets, Long Smooth, per lb $0 75.
Cabbage, Winter, per lb $2.
Mustard, White, per ounce $0 50.
Kale, Scotch, per ounce $0 75.
Beans, Giant Wax, per lb $0 25.
Corn, Crosby's Early, per pint $0 25.
Peas, McLean's Premier Long per pint $0 50.
Turnips, Early Flat Dutch, per lb $1.50.
Onion Sets; per lb $0 35.
Squash, Hubbard, per paper, $0 25.
Radish and Lettuce, per paper $0 25.
Rutabaga, White Russian, per lb $1.50.

All orders Promptly filled for cash.
n41-tf JOHN A. GARRISON.

The John Day Mills are in full operation now, and are turning out the very best brands of Flour, Graham Flour and Mill feed. All orders left at the Mill or with Gundlach & Bro., will be promptly filled. tf.

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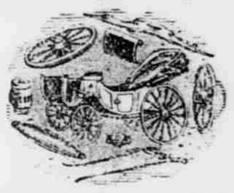
OVERHOLT & JACOBS,

Wagon Making & Carpentering.



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Lager Beer
Superior to any in the State.

FINE WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS ALSO, MALT, MALT VINEGAR, AND CHOICE CALIFORNIA HOPS AND LAGER BEER—WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

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