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## PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

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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, - Ogn.

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

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

**W. F. PRUDEN,**  
ECLECTIC PHYSICIAN.  
Residence--John Day, Grant County Oregon.

**T. C. HYDE,**  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW,  
Baker City, Oregon.  
Office corner of Court Avenue and Liberty Street.

**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.

The cheapest place to buy  
**PAINTS, OILS, TURPENTINE, GLASS, PUTTY, VARNISHES And WALL PAPER**  
Is at Sam. Sired's, opposite the M. E. Church, Canyon City, Oregon. n12tt.


## Hotels.


**N. RULISON, A. H. GROTH.**  
**CITY HOTEL**  
CANYON CITY, OREGON,  
**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.  
A fire and burglar proof safe has been placed in the house for the accommodation of guests.

**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 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.

**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, Sup't.

**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.

## MY BOY.

What the stars are to the sky,  
What the light is to the eye,  
What the rivar's to the sea  
Is my darling boy to me.  
What the dew is to the flower,  
What the vine is to the bower,  
What the leaf is to the tree  
Is my darling boy to me.  
Sweeter than the violet,  
Pure as lily-bud, still wet  
With the early morning dew,  
Is my darling, good and true.  
When the dreams of youth are done,  
When the night of age creeps on,  
May I lean, with pride and joy,  
Upon thee, my darling boy!  
—Mrs. Ada A. Mix, N. Y. Independent.

**THE WIFE'S POWER.**—Miss Kate Field had an interview with Hepworth Dixon, the brilliant editor of the London Atheneum, shortly before his death. She says: "He was exceedingly fortunate in his domestic life. His home was one of the pleasantest in London. Once in conversation with him I asked whether he thought the majority of marriages were happy or unhappy. 'Happy, certainly,' was the reply. 'I think most men marry for love, and get the right woman, with whom they are perfectly satisfied through life. Of course, however, there are wives who fail to hold the hearts of their husbands.' 'Will you tell me,' I said, 'in what you think is the secret of a woman's lasting power—what quality it is in her which makes her hold her husband's heart forever?' 'That she should be a pillow,' answered Mr. Dixon, seriously. 'I mean that in her, as on a pillow, her husband must find repose. He gets hard knocks enough in the world; people stick their sharp corners into him; they hurt his pride or wound his sensibilities. Let him go home feeling that there, at least, is some one who believes in him utterly. He has no need to tax himself if he is tired. She will be contented even if he does not tell her his best stories, or tells her the old ones three times over. She asks nothing of him but that he will be himself. Do you think years make such refuge of less worth? No; a man will never stay long away from such companionship—the sincerest flatter, the most perfect rest.'"

**Where Printers Don't Go.**  
[Buffalo Courier.]  
A printer don't rush to the doctor every time he is "out of sorts."  
Nor to a baker when he is out of "pi."  
Nor to hell when he wants the "devil."  
Nor to a woodpile when he wants a "stick."  
Nor to the Bible when he wants a good "rule."  
Nor to the gunshop when he wants a "shooting stick."  
Nor to a cabinet-shop when he wants "furniture."  
Nor to a bank when he wants "quoins."  
Nor to his girl when he wants to "go to press."  
Nor to a lawyer when he has a "dirty case."  
Nor to a butcher when he wants "fat."  
Nor to an old cheese when he wants "live matter."  
Nor to a pump when he is thirsty and has five cents in his pocket.

The Yakima Record estimates that the losses of stock in Yakima county will not exceed ten per cent. of the whole. A remarkably good showing considering the severe Winter.  
Leroy Elwell, a lad 16 years of age, who lives about 4 miles from Dayton, had his leg broken by being thrown from a horse. His other leg was broken in a similar manner last Summer.

## General News.

Dayton bridge cost Columbia county \$2,179.  
A substantial two-story brick will be built in Dayton this season by Dusenberry & Stencel.  
The protracted meeting of the C. P. Church in Dayton resulted in six accessions to the church.  
Ed. Pomeroy was severely injured and rendered unconscious by his horse falling upon him while out hunting cattle.  
Bean & Farris are having a full section of land plowed on the Assotoin Flat, which they will sow with wheat in the fall.  
A man named Clark, teaching school near Rosalina post office, some thirty miles from Colfax, while attempting to cross Pine creek on the ice, was drowned last week.

The prospects for the erection of a \$10,000 mill near the mouth of the Assotoin are good. Mr. Reed, of Walla Walla, promises to build if the inhabitants of the region will contribute \$1,000; \$800 of which is subscribed.  
Lieut. Landis, of the 1st Cavalry, who is superintendent of target practice on the Pacific Coast division, is spending a short time at Boise barracks, drilling the boys in target shooting. The Lieut. is one of the crack shots of the army.  
Jacob Hammersly intends to put up a grist mill at Lakeview, Lake county.

While absent at Walla Walla, the residence of Mr. James Monaghan, in Colville valley, was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$5,090.  
Mr. Victor Trevitt, at Dalles City, has been confined to his bed for a week or more with a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.  
Mr. Samuel Klein has sold his beautiful cottage residence on West Fourth street, Dalles City, to Judge L. O. Sterns, of Baker City.

The Mountaineer says: We are told that in many localities of Eastern Oregon and Washington rain is much needed to insure crops of grass and grain.  
J. H. Miller, of Molalla, has just received word from his son, who was supposed had been killed, and from whom he has not heard for two years.  
The Astorian says: Mr. Isaac Smith, builder of the Willamette canal, passed through yesterday en route to Tacoma. He will have future charge of the Northern Pacific Railroad surveys.  
The Enterprise states the loss by fire at the Cliff House to the building has been computed to be \$768 43, and the loss on furniture at \$530 97. The house was insured in the Phoenix of Hartford, Conn.

A black substance, resembling coal, was brought to The Dalles by Mr. J. W. Allen, which was found on Mill creek, a short distance back of town. It burns freely, and is thought by many to be the croppings of a coal mine.  
The Junction Republican says: A few days more of such weather and Lane county will show more broad acreage of growing crop than ever heretofore. The winter wheat is spreading out and covering the ground with its vestune of green and most charming to behold.  
Mr. John Currins narrowly escaped being killed at a horse race, on Molalla recently. In riding fast the horse stepped into a mud-hole, the girth breaking, he was thrown over the horse's head and the horse fell over him. He was insensible until next day.  
The damage to the building at the recent fire in Mrs. LaRocque's residence at Oregon City has been computed at \$562, on the furniture at \$267, and on the piano, \$50. We understand that these amounts have been agreed upon as the damage incurred.

Mr. W. O. Hocken, one of our most enterprising men, says the Hillsboro Independent, left for Calio some time ago, where he has been employed for the season as inspector of railroad building material. Mr. Hocken is a thorough mechanic and receives the handsome salary of \$125 per month.

The Mountaineer says: Mr. Geo. F. Wells, of Portland, has recently purchased the sheep and premises belonging to Mr. W. Inverarity, situated on the south side of the Canyon City road, and about twelve miles east of the Canyon City road, and about twelve miles east of the Deschutes bridge. The consideration was \$6,000, each. This will make the second large band that Mr. Wells owns in this county.

The Astorian says: The Kinross has not sailed for Europe, the Oregonian to the contrary notwithstanding. The vessel is drawing 21 feet of water, and as there is but 17 feet on the bar her time of departure will depend somewhat upon the height of the highest spring tides. This is the truth of the whole matter in a nut shell, and the capacity of the tugs to tow her has nothing whatever to do with it.

It is the intention of the O. S. N. Co. to build a two-story dock on the bank of the river about one-fourth the distance down the incline, at which all the Dalles freight will be received and discharged. This will be good news for the draymen as well as for the traveling public generally. With a good plank walk reaching from the bridge to the dock, the improvement will be complete.

The Talk says: In passing through Salem we see signs of improvements going forward, such as building sidewalks, making new fencing, converting buildings anew, preparations for new houses, plowing along the streets on Piety Hill for grading and draining, etc. The certainty of the Salem and Silverton railroad coming down into town on Front street, and depot near Kinney's Mills, seem to enliven our folks.

The Lake County Examiner says: W. D. Peachy left Lakeview about the 20th of February, in company with Mr. Gibson for Prineville, Wasco county, in search of a place to locate. In crossing the desert they suffered greatly from the cold weather, and the snow being deep, they had frequently to get out of their wagon and break a trail for the worn-out horses. They arrived at Prineville on Saturday, February 28th, and on the following Tuesday, Mr. Peachy was taken ill from the effects of the overwork and hardships of the trip and died March 2d.

A lantern-jawed young man stopped at the post office recently, and yelled out:  
"Anything for the Wattses?"  
Our polite postmaster replied, "no, there is not."  
"Anything for Jane Watts?"  
"Nothing."  
"Anything for Ace Watts?"  
"No."  
"Anything for Bill Watts?"  
"No, sir."  
"Anything for Tom Watts?"  
"No, nothing."  
"Anything for 'Fool Joe' Watts?"  
"No, nor Dick Watts, nor Jim Watts, nor Sweet Watts, nor any other Watts, dead, living, unborn, native, foreign, civilized or uncivilized, savage or barbarious, male or female, white or black, franchised or unfranchised, naturalized or otherwise. No, there is positively nothing for any of the Wattses, either individually, severally, jointly, now and forever, one and inseparably."  
The boy looked at the postmaster in astonishment, and said:  
"Please look if there is anything for John Thomas Watts."  
Piece satin seems to be preferred instead of ribbons for bonnet ties.