

# The Grant County News,

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**CANYON CITY LODGE, NO. 34.** A. F. and A. M., holds its regular communications on the Saturday evening of or next preceding the full moon in each month, at seven and half o'clock P. M.

**HOBAN LODGE No. 22, I. O. O. F.**, meets every Thursday evening at their Lodge Room in Canyon City. Visiting brothers are invited to attend. By Order of N. G.

**MOUNTAIN VIEW LODGE, No. 33, I. O. O. F.**, Prairie City, Oregon, meets every Saturday evening. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of the N. G.

## COUNTY NEWS.

**DROWNED.**—On last Monday evening about half past five o'clock the citizens of this city were startled by the report that Alonzo Lockwood was drowning in the swimming hole below town. Many citizens were soon at the place and every effort was made to find the boy, as he had sunk to the bottom before aid could be called. It seems that Chas. Dustin, a typo of this office, Geo. Currey, Jr., and Alonzo Lockwood had gone to the hole to take a swim. George did not go in the water, but Charlie and decessed I did. They had hardly entered before, from some unknown cause, perhaps the rupturing of his lungs, as the water was very cold, Alonzo began to sink and had gone down before the other boys knew what was the matter, at which time George rode up to town for help and Charlie proceeded to aid his companion, and was taken down once with the drowning boy. When aid arrived he was no more. A number of the citizens made vigorous efforts to dive and find him, but until Geo. Gundlach rode up to his store and procured a grab hook and returned, and by dragging the hole with it, was he found and brought to shore. Dr. Howard was on hand but after examination he was fully satisfied that life was totally extinct. The boy was taken to the Masonic Hall and was there worked with, but to no purpose. It was a sad affair as his father, deputy sheriff of this county, was, and is yet lying very low, and the boy was only a few days before summoned home to see his sick father. He was about 17 years old and was his mother's pride and his father's hope. He leaves a father, mother, three smaller brothers and a sister, as well as many friends to mourn his untimely death. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the whole county.

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Will enlarge on or about the 4th of Sept., and to enable us to tell just how much to enlarge we hope all those persons that are doing business in this county now, without advertising will take sufficient interest in the county to at least give the News a small adv. All we ask is a living; we are willing to work for patronage, but must have enough patronage to sustain the paper, so if you want a large paper come in immediately with your ads. Small ones thankfully received and larger ones doubly so.

Mr. R. C. Williamson, Superintendent of the Overland Stage Company, informs us that daily mail service has been ordered on the line between The Dalles and Canyon City, and between here and Baker City. He also says that a daily mail line will be established on the McBean line from here to Camp McDermitt, on the 1st of August. The same company have reduced the fare from here to The Dalles from \$25 to \$20, also made a reduction of \$5 on the fare from The Dalles to Baker City. The above company have done much for this county in the way of increased services in mail matter.

John Muldrick took his departure last Sunday evening for a few months visit East. He has been in the mountains for years and now feels that he ought to take a trip, and intends to visit Chicago and other Eastern cities. John promised us a letter or two during his absence. Bon Voyage.

Misses Shaw and Middlesworth called at the News office last week, to see how newspapers were made. While they were in, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Peffer stepped in. Call again ladies. It does a printer good to have people call in to see the internal workings of the office.

Rev. R. G. Hawn will soon take his departure for conference and as he will go to some new place, perhaps, we take pleasure in saying that wherever his lot may be cast the people will find him and his family very pleasing and good people.

Rev. C. W. Shepherd filled President Weaver's appointment to speak at the Troy celebration, and a right good speech he made, too. There were about 1,500 people present, and a very pleasant time was enjoyed.—Democrat.

We have no objection to our brother filling Gen. Weaver's appointment at a 4th of July celebration, but we should be disappointed to hear of his filling an appointment for a political Greenback speech for the Presidential nominee.

After August 1st, 1880, persons can go from The Dalles, via Canyon City, to Winnemucca on a daily line of stages and, also from The Dalles, via this place, to Kelton on the same lay out. People coming from the East to the Columbia River should adopt either the route from Winnemucca or Kelton, via Canyon City to The Dalles as the quickest, cheapest and most direct one.

D. B. Rinchart was in town this week with a load of apples of the White Winter Pearmain and Roxberry Russett varieties. Owing to the lateness of the season we think that that is saying a good deal that cannot be said in many counties in Oregon, what do our exchanges say to that?

In another column will be found the advertisement of the Grant County Agricultural Association. Read it. Make up your mind which purse or premium you will contest for and then fit out for the end that you will have the best on exhibition and the Fair will be a success.

Mr. Spaulding, travelling agent for Hodge, Davis & Co., of Portland, made us a pleasant call last week. He says on account of the great call for Kidney Tea, they had to build an addition to their already large store.

Leander Davis and Mr. Warfield were in the city yesterday with a large collection of fossils that they had found in an old mound about 30 miles below here. They are collecting for Prof. Marsh and will be engaged about three months steady.

F. Grindel and wife have been engaged by Frank McBean to take charge of the Soda Springs Station. Frank will have good cooks.

J. F. Peffer has purchased and moved to the ranch formerly owned by Sutton, on Bridge Creek. We understand the price paid to be \$8,000.

C. Bonham and family paid Bear Valley a visit this week and returned home last Wednesday.

A. A. Nicolas and Henry Bryer have been spending a week at the Warm Springs.

\$500 Reward for a case of Liver complaint Dandelion Bitters will not cure.

Mr. Austin Birge has our thanks for a ham of venison.

Prof. Baldwin is in the city to make arrangements to teach the band.

Read the new "ads."

**RABBIT METAL.**—We have a large lot of first class Rabbit Metal for sale. Saw-mill men, mill men, mow mowers, reapers, thrashers, take notice. We have to sell it to make room for new type. So call in.

## FIRST ANNUAL FAIR OR MEETING OF THE GRANT COUNTY AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION,

To be held on the Fair Grounds at Mt. Vernon, on Wednesday, October 13th, 1880.

### First Day's Programme.

FIRST—Running Race, half mile heats best 2 in 3 for 3 year olds. Purse, \$50; first horse \$35, second \$15 third saves entrance.

SECOND—Single Dash one mile, free for all 3 year olds. Purse \$50; First \$35, Second \$15, Third saves entrance.

### EXHIBIT.

Best Stallion of any age or breed, \$25 First \$15, Second \$10, Third saves entrance.

Best Brood Mare and foal \$25; First \$15, Second \$10, Third saves entrance. Best Bull of any age or breed, \$25; First \$15, Second \$10, Third saves entrance. Best Milch cow, \$25; First \$15, Second \$10, Third saves entrance. Same Day, Annual Address.

### SECOND DAY.

RACE—Running mile heats best 2 in 3; free for all. Purse \$75; First \$50, Second \$25, Third saves entrance.

TROTTING RACE—Free for all 3 year olds. Purse \$50; First \$35, Second \$15, Third saves entrance.

WALKING RACE free for all. Purse \$50; First \$35, Second \$15, Third saves entrance.

### EXHIBIT.

Best span of draught horses by actual test—Premium \$25—First \$15, Second \$10, Third saves entrance.

SHEEP—Best Ram of any age or breed. Premium \$25. First \$15, Second \$10, Third saves entrance. Best Ewe and lamb, \$10. Best pen of 5 sheep—Premium \$15—First \$10, Second \$5, Third saves entrance.

Best display of Mechanical works of all kinds. Premium \$25. First \$15, Second \$10, Third saves entrance.

GRAIN—Best bushel of Spring wheat \$5, First \$3, Second \$2. Best bushel of Fall wheat \$5, First \$3, Second \$2. Third saves entrance. Best bushel of barley \$5; First \$3, Second \$2, Third saves entrance. Best bushel of oats, same as wheat. Best bushel of Timothy seed same as grain.

Best 2 lbs of butter with process of making, \$5; First \$3, Second, \$2, Third saves entrance.

Best loaf of bread with process of making, \$5; First, \$3, Second, \$2, Third saves entrance. Best sack of flour, \$5; First, \$3, Second, \$2, Third saves entrance.

### THIRD DAY.

RUNNING RACE, free for all, \$100; First, \$75, Second, \$25, Third saves entrance.—Single dash of one mile.

TROTTING.—Best 3 in 5, free for all, \$100; First, \$75, Second, \$25, Third saves entrance.

### EXHIBIT.

Best boar hog of any breed, \$15; First, \$10, Second, \$5, Third saves entrance. Best sow and pigs of any breed, \$15, First, \$10, Second, \$5, Third saves entrance. Best lot of 5 hogs or more, \$15; First, \$10, Second, \$5, Third saves entrance. POULTRY.—Best pair of chickens, \$5; First, \$3, Second, 2, Third saves entrance. Best pair of ducks, 5; First, 3, Second, 2, Third saves entrance. Best pair of geese, 5; First, 3, Second, 2, Third saves entrance. Best pair of Turkeys, 5; First, 3, Second, 2, Third saves entrance. Best display of poultry, 5; First, 3, Second, 2, Third saves entrance.

VEGETABLES.—Best display of vegetables, \$10; First, 7, Second, 3, Third saves entrance. Best display of fruit, 20; First, 13, Second, 7, Third saves entrance.

Best display of needle work, 10; First, 6, Second, 4.

Best lady equestrian, 25; First 15, Second, 10, Third saves entrance.

Entrance in all cases to be 10 per cent. of premium. All entries to be made with the Secretary by 9 o'clock on the day before the exhibit or race.

Subscribe for the News.

## RULES:

1st. All races shall be run by the rules of the Oregon State Fair. 2nd. Season Tickets, \$2, day tickets, \$1 Ladies free, and boy between the age of 10 and 14 half price.

3d. All members of the Association shall pay an annual fee of \$1, which admits members of their families between the ages of 10 and 16 to the grounds of the association.

4th. The annual meeting of the Association shall commence on the 13th of October, 1880, and continue three days.

5th. The election of officers shall be held on the fair grounds on the second day of the fair.

By order of the board of directors.

B. C. TROWBRIDGE,

PRESIDENT.

W. ARMSTRONG,  
Secretary.

## NOTICE.

As I will be absent from home for some time, parties having legal business with me will please call upon Judge M. Dustin, with whom I have made arrangements to act for me in my absence in all cases where he has not been employed on the other side. I shall be home to attend the September term of the Circuit Court. Persons wishing to retain me in new cases will please call upon Judge Dustin. GEO. B. CURREY. July 22, 1880.

## GEO. GUNDLACH & BRO.

Dealers in General Merchandise, have just received a new Assortment of

BOOTS and SHOES,  
NEW PRINTS,  
SUMMER HATS,  
SCYTHES, CRADLES,  
PITCH FORKS,  
BARLEY FORKS,  
HAND RAKES,  
FORK HANDLES.

A full Assortment of Cartridges. A lot of Colby's Washing Machine; the best in use, and many other reasonable Goods.

Call and see them before purchasing elsewhere. Orders for Flour and Mill Feed promptly filled. Canyon City, July 23

## GRAND BALL

To be given by the Prairie City Brass Band on FRIDAY, AUGUST 6, 1880

At the Grange Hall, Prairie City, Oregon. Music will be furnished by the Brass Band at the door at 7 1/2 o'clock.

Committee of Arrangements: J. W. Mack, Jules LeBret, F. Flageolet.

The Floor will be managed by the Band. An Orchestra Band of five Pieces in attendance.

Tickets [without Supper] \$2.00. All are invited to attend. Positively no spectators allowed.

The Brass Band organized last Thursday evening and elected F. C. Sels, President; Max Metschan, Treas.; E. A. Brackett, Sec.; and C. Macy, Leader. It is not known where they will practice yet, although many suggestions have been made. We would suggest that the Band rent some of the tunnels on the opposite side of the creek. No difference where they toot so we have a band. Before long sweet music will make the streets of Canyon City cheerful.

Dan'l Levans, a prominent citizen of Douglas County, passed through here a few days ago en route for Harney Valley, where he has some cattle.

Jas. Cleaver has gone to Portland on business.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION:

LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, OREGON, July 23, 1880.

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: Bracket Johnson, Homestead No. 655. Proof will be made before the County Judge of Grant County at Canyon City on Monday, August 9th, 1880, for the W 1/2 NW 1/4 SE 1/4 NW 1/4 and SW 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 22, T. 13, S. R. 33, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Henry McIntire, Tila Pruitt, James Pruitt and William Olp, all of Prairie City, Grant County, Oregon.

HENRY W. DWIGHT,  
n14n18\* Register.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, OREGON, July 9, 1880.

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, Homestead No. 673. Proof will be made before G. I. Hazeltine, County Judge, at Canyon City, Grant County, Oregon, on August 16, 1880, for the SE 1/4, Sec. 4, T. 13, S. R. 273, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Ely Lester, F. L. Wood and Burt Snow, of Dayville, and J. N. Brackett, of Canyon City, Grant County, Oregon.

HENRY W. DWIGHT,  
n15-n19\* Register.

## Notice.

Stolen or strayed from near Jenkin's Springs, Grant County, Oregon; between the 6th and 16th of June, 1880, 70 head of sheep. A liberal reward will be paid for the delivery of the above sheep, or for information that may lead to their recovery.

SCHMIDT & JENKINS,

Canyon City, July 15, 1880. n15-16

FOR SALE.—Five head of horses; two horse of the ages of four and three years, one mare 9 year old, one filly one year past and one sucking colt. The yearling and colt are Blue Mountain stock. The mare is a Dimeado and R. H. man, the two horses are Johnny Moore stock. The above stock will be sold on time and no pay asked till Hancock & English are elected President and Vice President.

HENRY DODSON, Sr.

Dr. D. M. Jones and wife, of Albany, have been up in Antelope Valley, Wasco county, for some time, and about two weeks ago, while they were out driving, the buggy upset and Mrs. Jones was thrown so violently to the ground as to cause a fracture of both bones of her right leg.

## The Oregon Kidney Tea.

Read the following testimonials, not from persons 2,000 miles away, whom no one knows, but from well-known and trustworthy citizens of Oregon, whose names, written with their own hands, can be seen at our office:

Goldsdale, W. T., March 31, 1880: I have had the diabetes for thirty years. Have had many physicians prescribe for me, but failed to get relief. I tried the OREGON KIDNEY TEA, and the first dose gave me relief. I am now a man well, and would recommend it to any one suffering from this disease. MOSES PIKE.

SEVERE ACCIDENT.—Word comes to us from Palouse City, that Mr. G. F. Van Patten, one of the sawmill proprietors at that place, met with a very severe accident last Saturday. While engaged in removing saw-logs he was so unfortunate as to be caught between two heavy logs, which broke his left leg just above the knee, besides bruising him up considerably.—Bee.

Many of our readers will regret to hear of Col. H. C. Paige's troubles and hope that he may prove himself innocent, but it looks very dark at present.

We received a call last Thursday from J. W. Mack, Prof. Baldwin and C. F. Cleaver. See the "ad." they brought in.