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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.

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N. H. BOLEY,
DENTIST,
Dental to the first door south of Howard's Drug Store.

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CANYON CITY, 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. n12t.

WOLSEY & HOUSMAN,
CANYON CITY, OREGON.

THE BAR is supplied with pure Wines and Liquors, Beer, Ale, Bitters and Cigars.
FINE BILLIARD TABLES
In the Saloon. Give us a call.

McDOWELL & RAN
PROPRIETORS JOHN DAY SALOON,
John Day, Oregon.

The Bar is supplied with pure wines, Liquors, Beer, Ale, Bitters and Cigars. A fine BILLIARD TABLE in the Saloon. Give us a call.

Hotels.

A. H. GROTH, M. V. THOMPSON.
CITY HOTEL

CANYON CITY, OREGON,

GROTH & THOMPSON - Proprietors

Begin 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.

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.
W. W. JOHNSON, 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.

Hotel And Restaurant,

JOHN DAY, OREGON.

WM. H. KELLY, Proprietor.

The Table is supplied with the best the market affords and every attention paid for the comfort of guests.

Meals at all hours. Board, \$7 per week, single meal 50cts.

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 & McDERMITT



STAGE LINE,

FRANK McBEAN, - - Proprietor

Departs from Canyon City for Ft. Harney, McDermit and Winnemucca Daily.

Arrives from same points daily.

1880. SPRING. 1880.

Mrs. James Cleaver would announce to the public that she is just receiving from San Francisco, the finest assortment of Ladies and Misses Hats, ever opened in Grant County, and they will be sold, for cash, at prices that defy competition.

She also keeps a full stock of Embroideries, Laces, Corsets, and Ladies' Underwear, which she sells lower than those who sell at cost and freight—explanation, she buys exclusively for CASH.

The best assortment of Jewelry and Silver Plated Ware ever offered in these mountains. Terms Cash. Call, examine and be convinced.

THIS PAPER may be found on file at Geo. F. Rowell & Co's Newspaper Advertising Bureau, 10 Spruce St., where advertising contracts may be made for it IN NEW YORK.

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 2 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 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, \$3, 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 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.

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 boys 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.

Mr. J. W. Mack, of Prairie City, met with quite accident on last Monday. It appears that he was out on Bear creek hauling wood and having started home with a load the wagon was turned over and he was thrown some distance and severely injured. His ankle was thrown out of joint besides he received other bruises. No one was near at the time and he suffered severely for some hours before he was able to get home.

The Brass Band surely deserves a great deal of credit for the very rapid improvement they have made in their playing. Very few bands can be found that have only had two months practice that can hold a card with the boys. We are told that the Prairie City Band are also well up. If such is the case it certainly reflects great praise on the teacher, Mr. Baldwin.

THE GRANT COUNTY NEWS comes to us this week as a forty column paper. Evidently Grant County is going ahead and Brother Shepherd intends to keep up with the times.—La Grande Republican.

Ah! Brother Wilson, you spoke too true, Grant County is going right up, as our exports and imports prove.

THE GRANT COUNTY NEWS has recently been enlarged and improved, and is seemingly in a prosperous condition. Glad to hear it.—Avalanche.

Garfield and Hancock.

The fight between Garfield and Hancock will be a bitter and determined one, and how it will end no one can foretell, but any one can foretell the result of a fight between the worst case of backache or kidney complaint and the Oregon Kidney Tea. The latter never fails to conquer. Sold everywhere.

Notice of Final Settlement.

John Marshall, Administrator of the Estate of Moses Zook, deceased, having filed in the County Court of the County of Grant, State of Oregon, his final account in the matter of said Estate, all persons are hereby notified that said final account will be heard and considered on Tuesday, Nov. 2nd, A. D., 1880, all persons are hereby notified that unless objections are filed on or before 10 O'clock, A. M. of said day, the report will be deemed correct.

JOHN MARSHALL,
Administrator.
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Circuit Court convened in this city last Monday with a light docket. The following are in attendance: Judge McArthur, Judge Whitten, J. Ballery, D. Bailey, and Curry, Partish, Dustin and Olmstead of Canyon City.

The best tonic and appetizer—Dr. Mott's Dandelion Bitters.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

Taken up by the undersigned on or about the 11th of September, 1880, one dark bay horse, four years old, star in forehead, branded J T on the right thigh; is a vicious ridgling. One bay horse with white strip down the nose, four years old, branded J T on the right thigh, right fore foot and left hind foot white up to pastern joint. Any person owning the above stock will find them at the residence of Prior Wilson on North Fork, Monument P. O., Grant County Oregon. PRIOR WILSON.
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HANCOCK SAVED BY AN OREGONIAN.

—At the battle of the Wilderness, Col. John Lane, son of Gen. Joe Lane, was in command of a large Confederate battery which was concealed and its presence in no manner known to the Union forces. Gen. Hancock and staff rode out to view the surroundings, and unknown to them Col. Lane turned his whole battery on the party. Hancock at the time was riding a handsome grey charger and his staff were in a group around him. While the General was "taking in the situation" through his glass, Col. Lane ordered the gun loaded and intended dealing his deadly missiles on the party, but taking a second look and admiring the handsome appearance and commanding presence of Hancock, said to his men, "He is too brave and handsome to be killed in this manner," and revoked the order. The gallant Colonel had never seen the General except upon the field and being a true soldier would not murder him and his staff in cold blood. Gen. Hancock is not at the present time aware of his narrow escape and the matter has never been mentioned by Col. Lane except to his intimate friends, one of whom gave us the particulars as related above. Col. Lane now resides in southern Oregon and as to the truth of the foregoing statement there can be no doubt.—Daily Bulletin.

The party which left Lakeview, says the Examiner, in search of J. Venator, found his body about six miles from where the last party lost his trail. The spot is about sixteen miles from Albert Lake and about three miles from South Alkali Lake, the nearest available drinking water being about sixteen miles from where he sank for his last rest. His body was first discovered by one of the Indians with the party. He had apparently died very tranquilly. One of his boots was off and placed under his head to answer for a pillow. It was the opinion of those who saw the body that he must have been dead two weeks. His remains were decently interred and a verified statement of the facts placed in the hands of the proper authorities. J. Venata was 84 years old, a native of the United States, and leaves a wife and eight children. He had the respect and confidence of his neighbors, and the love and affection of his family whom he leaves comfortably provided for.

The First Annual Fair of this County which is to be held on the 13th, 14th and 15th of next month promises to be one of the grandest affairs ever held in Grant County. Nearly every one has some thing to exhibit. The boys are willing to bet their horse can win the race.