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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.,**  
 CANYON CITY, GRANT CO., OREGON.

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**DENTIST,**

Dental rooms first door south of Dr. Howard's Drug Store.

CANYON CITY, OREGON.

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**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.

J. W. WOOLSEY.

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**WOOLSEY & 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**

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.

**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 & McDERMIT**



**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. P. Rowell & Co's Newspaper Advertising Bureau (10 Spruce St.), where advertising contracts may be made for it in NEW YORK.

**IMMENSE**

Stock of new Clothing, DRY GOODS, BOOTS,

SHOES,

HATS,

FANCY GOODS,

Ladies and Gentlemen's

furnishing Goods,

TOBACCO,

GROCERIES,

OILS, &c.,

Just received. All our Goods are first class. We buy no damaged or inferior goods.

**Prices the Lowest!**

ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED.

Give us a call when you come

to The Dalles.

**BLUMAUER & SON,**

Second St., next door to French & Co's Bank.

Oct. 24, 1880, 1mo.

**PETER KUHLE,**

**FEED & SALE STABLE,**

Washington Street,

CANYON CITY, OREGON.

Horses boarded by the Day or Week on reasonable terms. All Stock left in our care receives the best attention and at most care.

In connection with the Stable you will find the

**BLACKSMITH SHOP,**

**OF KUHLE & MACY,**

Where work of all kinds in our Line is done at Prices that Defy Competition.

Hay and grain taken in Exchange for work.

**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.** n25-29\*

**BAKER CITY RACES.**

**MONDAY.**—The commencing race was for a saddle purse of \$60, a single dash of one mile. This was won by Garfield owned by Jas. Richardson of Malheur. Time, 1:51.

On the same day, race for three year olds. Entries—Pedro, by Orb. Elliott; Wreath, by Thomas Synthe; Frankie Devine, by A. La. Buff. The single dash was won by Wreath, of Boise City. Time, 1:48. Frankie Devine second; Pedro distanced.

**TUESDAY.**—The first race for this day was a free-for-all, three-quarter of a mile dash, for a purse of \$125. Entries, Queen, Tom McCarty, Pettyjohn, Billy Taylor and Wreath. Wreath won; time, 1:54. Pettyjohn second, Tom McCarty, third, Billy Taylor fourth, Queen last. The 50 mile race was won by N. G. Smith on the 44th mile by Hindman failing to come to time. The 44th mile ended the race. Time, 2h. and 2m.

**WEDNESDAY.**—The trotting race for three minute class was the first thing on the programme for this day. This was for a purse of \$165, mile heats, three best in five. Entries, Walla Walla Maid, Billy Barlow and Token. The race was won by Walla Walla Maid, Billy Barlow second. Token distanced. Time, 2:50, 2:42, 2:49.

On the same day there was a running race of a single dash of one and one-fourth miles. Acker, of Portland, entered Richard III, Crabbe, of Walla Walla, Trade Dollar, and Hodges & Barona, of The Dalles, Winters. Richard III won the race. Trade Dollar second. Time, 2:14.

**THURSDAY.**—The trotting race for the 2:40 class was the first race for this day; for a purse of \$250, mile heats, three best in five. Walla Walla Maid, Bashaw and Mystery contested for the supremacy. The race was won by Walla Walla Maid, Bashaw second. After the first heat the driver of Bashaw was removed and Mr. N. G. Smith put in his place, much to the indignation of driver No. 1, who said he could drive Bashaw a mile in 2:37, for \$500. Many believe if the first driver had not been removed Bashaw would have won the race, as he won the first heat.

The second race was for a purse of \$200. Half mile heats; two best in three. Entries, Rosa S. Queen, Tom McCarty and Wreath. Won by Rosa S. in two straight heats. Time, 50, 49.

**FRIDAY.**—This was the day on which the great trotting race came off for a purse of \$400; mile heats, three best in five. Entries, Lady Faustina, by Mrs. Laper, of Baker City, Sweet Home, by Hogboom of Walla Walla, Walter, by Aekner of Portland. Won in three straight heats by Lady Faustina, Sweet Home second. Best time made 2:30. Walters sold first choice in pools and bets on Lady Faustina were being sold at a great discount.

In the six hundred yard race Garfield, Sunshine and Davy Crockett were entered. This was for a purse \$125. The race was won by Davy Crockett, Sunshine second. Time, 33. Again the favorite was beaten, and many lost their entire gains when Sunshine came under the wire occupying second place.

**SATURDAY.**—On this day the track was visited by all who could attend, to see the two-mile dash, free for all, for a purse of \$800. Richard III, Winters and Trade Dollar, Trade Dollar won the race, Winters second. 3:35.

The race for two-year olds closed the horse racing for this season on the track. It was a mile dash, free for all two-year olds, for a purse of \$150. Dundrum, Buckskin and Lillie May were entered. Won by Buckskin in 1:52.—Bedrock Democrat.

**FAREWELL PARTY.**—On last Friday evening, in response to invitations issued by the committee, quite a large crowd, friends of the Poindexter family, assembled at Good Templar Hall in this city to pay their parting regards to the family of Mr. Thos. W. Poindexter. The Brass Band was out in full, and music was abundant. Dancing was the amusement of the evening, and one of the best lap suppers that has ever been spread in this city was passed around. The festivities of the evening were enjoyed perhaps better than on any occasion that has taken place here for years. The company was of the most elite, and each and all seemed to be determined that the Poindexter family should long remember their farewell party in Canyon City. They will be as kindly received when they return.

A bill has been introduced in the Senate by Col. N. H. Gates, joint Senator from Wasco and Lake Counties, for the creation of a new county called Ochoco, with Prinesville as County Seat. It takes off a portion of Grant and a part of Wasco. The bill has been read once. We are advised, however that the bill will not pass. It will be remembered by some, that we told them last Spring that such a plan had been laid by certain parties two years ago; but they thought we were talking for fun. We are for Grant County first, last and all the time, and shall guard her interests. The County is now so thinly populated that a decent road can hardly be found within the limits. It would be of more value to all concerned if a bill was introduced to force the D. M. R. Co. to work the road from here to The Dalles.

Several parties are very anxious to build houses in this place, and an effort should be made on the part of our citizens to have the slaughter houses removed from the opposite side of the creek so as to give room for building lots. We are informed that the Gray Brothers are perfectly willing to move their slaughter house to other quarters and if Mr. Herburger could be induced in some way to give his consent to move his then the lots could be staked off and ere many months not a few houses would be in course of erection and the town double in size and population. Let some one start the ball in motion.

It was our pleasure a few evenings since, to listen to some of the most delightful music that we have ever heard on the Pacific Coast. It was at Dr. J. W. Howard's and Mr. and Mrs. McCoy were the performers on the piano and violin. Mr. McCoy is the best violinist we have heard in a long time; while his wife is perfection on the piano. She is a thorough music teacher and will perhaps take up a class in this city. The pupils would undoubtedly soon be able to play many pieces if they should receive instructions from her.

**The Edison Electric Light**

Has thus far proved a failure as a practical light for family use, and the owners of gas works breathe more freely and see renewed dividends near at hand, but the Oregon Kidney Tea has been a success from the first, paying large dividends of restored health to all those afflicted with backache or any disease of the kidneys or urinary organs, and carrying constipation to the pockets of rival concerns with worthless nostrumsto sell. Ask for the Oregon Kidney Tea and take nothing else.

Frank McBean is pulling the new road through from here to Ft. Harney very rapidly. Mr. T. Whiting informed us last Sunday that he drove eight horses and two wagons through on the road a few days before. McBean means business.