

# The Grant County News.

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## Local Notices.

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## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Call and see Butz & Stansell's Picture Frame Moulding.

The sheriff is preparing to start out on a tax-collecting tour.

Canyon Creek is thinking of raising if this warm weather holds on.

Rev. G. M. Irwin preached last Sunday night to a goodly congregation.

Mrs. Wm. Murray and Miss Minnie Swank, were up from Dayville last week.

Miss Mascall, sister of Willie Mascall of South Fork, was visiting Mrs. Perkins last week.

There is talk of reviving the Brass Band at this place to counter-balance the music made at the semi-weekly cat concerts.

One night last week some dogs killed three of Bill Gray's fat mutton sheep, and the next night Bill slayed a whole band of dogs.

Misses May Valade and Birdie Lewis, of Dayville, who have been visiting at the residence of Dr. Horsley, returned home last week.

Judge Olmsted and District Attorney Clifford have taken their departure for Pendleton, at which place Court commences next Monday.

Mr. Peter McIntyre, traveling for the firm of George Pope & Co. of Portland, arrived in town last week. He is doing some good work for the company.

The weather for the past few days has been very agreeable—but then a blizzard might be upon us before the NEWS has been run through our big sweat-power press.

Rev. Father Hillebrand has been very much pleased by receiving from Mrs. Sweck a nice and very suitable likeness of the Catholic church and expresses his best and sincerest thanks to the esteemed lady.

There will be a Social Dance at Masonic Hall, Canyon City, next Friday evening, Jan. 29. Every body come. Bring along your sister, your cousins and your aunts. And don't forget to be on hand promptly at 8 o'clock sharp. Will have good music, good order, and a good time.

The Dalles Mountaineer reports the snow two feet deep in that city. A passenger train which left there Friday morning got stuck in the snow at Hood River. They have been having a shed of a time all down the Columbia river and in the Willamette valley with the snow, and Eastern Oregon alone is left to tell the tale.

In another column will be found the ad. of Geo. Pope & Co., of Portland, wool and commission merchants. Mr. McIntyre is here in the interest of this firm, and is doing considerable business for them. He has appointed James Wallace agent at Long Creek, and will probably appoint other agents. The firm is well recommended, and gives the best of references.

It would surprise some of our eastern friends who have lately been enjoying blizzards and snow blockades to be here now and take a look at cattle feasting on green grass, which can be seen from the News shop window. We can have a whole lot of snow when we want to, but the warm chinook soon carries it away, and this winter the grass was growing until after Christmas.

The editor of the News heard it very pointedly insinuated one day last week that editors never go to Heaven. No, my dear, everybody knows that journalists never go anywhere except to Sunday school. They don't get the chance. They just sit up nights thinking how to do good until after a while the tops of their heads wear holes in their hair, and their knees punch through their pants. No, they don't go to Heaven very often.

## HAMILTON CORRESPONDENCE

EDITOR NEWS:—As we are having some little winter at present I will try and give your many readers a few items from this part of the vineyard.

Stock of all kinds doing well, and stock men all seem to think the snow will soon be gone—which is about six inches deep. Cold has not reached as low as zero yet.

The debating club is in a flourishing condition at present. Meets every Saturday evening, when all points of political interest will be handled with care. So if any one wishes to take a hand now is the accepted time.

Rev. F. M. Vanderpool is holding a series of meetings at the school house, which are growing very interesting to some of the oldest inhabitants.

H. H. Davis, of Long Creek, has been driving his fastest team around these parts. He says he thinks he is overmatched, but the widow says Mr. D. is such a nice young man, so we expect him back soon. Nothing like it, Henry; all will give you the right hand of fellowship.

Viewing and locating the new county road from Long Creek to the Unatilla county line, to commence the 20th of this month, is what is bothering the minds of some of the citizens of this neighborhood at present. The County Court must be short sighted to have men establish a road while the snow is so deep over the country through which it goes that it is impossible to tell where the rocks are.

More News.

HAMILTON, Jan. 17, 1886.

## MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's father Mr. J. W. Moody, in Canyon City, Wednesday evening January 20, 1886, Mr. John Solinger and Miss Xara Moody, both of Canyon City.

The knot was tied secure and strong by the Rev. G. W. Grannis, and after every one had offered to the united couple their congratulations and words of advice supper was announced, and preceded by the bride and groom and officiating clergyman the guests found their way to the dining room where was waiting a repast both pleasing to the sight and taste, and after near two score souls had been filled the stock of good things still held out.

As is usually the case the newly wedded pair were the recipients of a great many valuable presents. We have not been furnished with a list of the wedding presents, and it is impossible to enumerate them here, but somebody who probably knew something about going to housekeeping and the needs pertaining thereto, very considerably presented them with a gallon of sauer kraut.

The recent thaw has caused a great many slides to occur on the grade up the creek.

Secretary Lamar has arrested seventy-two persons in New Mexico for illegal entries of land.

An actual count of the inhabitants of Sitka, Alaska, shows the civilized population to be only 297.

A Chinaman attacked a white wood sawyer in Portland last week. The result was a badly used up Moagol.

Born, Jan. 7, 1886, to the wife of E. F. Tucker above Prairie City, two sons. This makes two pair that Mr. Tucker has at his house.

Rev. Father Hillebrand will be absent for two or three Sundays. He will make his trip to Dayville, where he will give a lecture Sunday Feb. 7. The lecture will treat on the necessity of confession.

The Victoria Times claims that an enormous quantity—as much as \$60,000 worth—of opium has been smuggled into the United States from that place during the past four months.

## BOUNDARIES OF PRECINCTS.

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It is further ordered that the boundaries of Shoo Fly Precinct be re-established as follows: Commencing on the west line of this county where the same is intersected by the John Day river, thence run easterly up said river to a point where the same is intersected by the Township line between Ranges 24 and 25 East, thence south on said line to SE corner of Tp 10, S R 24 E, thence west to the west line of the county, and thence north on said line to place of beginning.

Boundaries of Haystack Precinct: Commencing at the NW corner of this county and thence running southerly along west line of the county to John Day river, thence up said river to the range of mountains between Haystack valley and the settlements of the North Fork of said river, thence northerly along summit of said range to north line of the county, and thence west to place of beginning.

Boundaries of Fox Precinct: Commencing at a point on the summit of the range of mountains between Long Creek and Fox valley five miles easterly of the point where the county road from Fox valley to Long Creek crosses said summit, and thence run westerly along said summit to the falls on Fox creek, thence run due south to summit of mountain range between John Day valley and Fox valley, thence easterly along said summit to a point due south of place of beginning, thence north to place of beginning.

Boundaries of North Fork Precinct: Commencing on the north line of the county on summit of the mountain range between Haystack valley and the settlements of the North Fork, and thence run southerly along said summit to the main John Day river, then up said river to a point due west of the falls on Fox creek, thence east to said falls, thence easterly along summit of mountain range between Fox valley and North Fork of the John Day river to a point on said summit due south of what is known as Junction Bar, on the North Fork, thence north, past said Junction Bar to north line of the county, and thence west along said line to place of beginning.

Boundaries of Long Creek Precinct: Commencing on the north line of the county at a point due north of Junction Bar on North Fork, and thence run due south to the summit of mountain range between Long Creek and Fox valley, thence run easterly along said summit to a point thereon five miles east of where the county road leading from Fox valley to Long Creek crosses said summit, thence due south to summit of mountain range lying next north of the John Day river, thence easterly to Graham's place on Middle Fork, thence down said Middle Fork to a point midway between said Graham's place and Susanville, thence north to north line of the county, and thence west along said line to place of beginning.

Boundaries of Silvers Precinct: Commencing at the SE corner of Tp 16, S R 29 E, and running thence east to summit of mountain range between Silvers river and the Middle Fork of the Malheur river, run thence southerly along said summit to the NE corner of Tp 20, S R 32 E, thence west to the SE corner of Tp 19, S R 30 E, thence north to place of beginning.

## CHAS. ST. LOUIS.

Watchmaker, opposite Post Office, Baker City, Or.

Persons wishing their watches repaired, can, by leaving them with Mr. W. H. Clark, Agent for W. F. & Co., at the Express Office, have them forwarded to me, and repaired in a workmanlike manner, and promptly returned by express. I will pay return Expressage. CHAS. ST. LOUIS.

Bill Gray went to church Sunday night.

It is intimated that some of the friends of General Grant in the senate will make a vigorous effort to prevent the confirmation of General Rosecrans as register of the treasury. It is asserted by them that General Rosecrans has seized every opportunity before and since the date of General Grant's death to give vent to his personal grievances against him. Such conduct, they insist, is not in good taste, and will justify their opposition.

## NOTICE, PENSIONERS.

If you want to get an increase of pension, and if those who have had long standing or rejected claims want them completed on short notice, and increases without any trouble to themselves address at once E. B. BELL, Claim Attorney, Camden, Hillsdale Co., Michigan.

Persons desiring "Watson's Illustrated Atlas of the World" may have a copy delivered to them by dropping a line to the agent, J. G. Chesebro, at Canyon City or John Day. Price, \$6.50.

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## REFERENCES:

Ladd & Tilton, Portland National Bank, London & San Francisco Bank. Or any Commercial Agency.

Mr. JAMES WALLACE is our agent at Long Creek.

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