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A Brooklyn man proposes to import monkeys and train them to become bootblacks. Would the public put up with such monkey shames?—Texas Siftings.

"Beware!" he cried with a voice sur charged with anguish. "If you refuse me I shall die." That was forty years ago, and the heartless girl refused him. Yesterday he died. Girls, beware.

In order to keep ahead of St. Paul, Minneapolis parties are about to erect a building twenty-eight stories high. The man who walks to the top floor of such structure will naturally look around to see where the angels are.

They say that Daniel Webster proposed to Miss Fletchier while aiding her to unravel a skein of thread. "Grace," he remarked, "we have been untying knots; let us see if we cannot tie one which will not untie in a lifetime." This is given as a pointer to timid young men.

There are now twenty-seven companies of militia in the state which is made up of between 1500 and 1600 men. In the first regiment there are eight companies, in the second nine and in the third eight. Besides this there is one company of artillery and one of cavalry.

"Papa," said a rich and beautiful girl, who has many, many beaux, "what is your idea in building our new mansion so near a graveyard? It will seem so ghostly after dark."

"That is exactly the idea," responded the old man; "I want to try and have the house closed before midnight."

John Dunn, the renegade, Zulu leader, has entirely renounced civilization and has taken two or three dozen Zulu wives. By birth he is a Scotchman. His father was a trader in Natal. John went out to South Africa when very young and has never returned. He traded among the Zulus for his father and took such a liking for the people and the country that he could not leave.

Zion's Herald, a leading Methodist newspaper of Boston, resents the statements which are afloat as to what the "Methodist denomination" is to do in the presidential campaign, and says: "The Bishops have no authority in the matter, nor would they control the action of the humblest voter. Indeed there is no unanimity of opinion among the Bishops in the pending campaign. The individual Methodist, therefore, is as free in his political action as the Episcopalian, Congregationalist or Baptist. In fact the majority of Methodist voters are republicans, a respectable minority are political prohibitionists, and a smaller proportion are loyal democrats. The Methodist is a political freeman, and will continue to exercise his freedom."

J. DURKHEIMER & CO.

PRAIRIE CITY & CANYON CITY, OREGON.

Price List for October, Subject to Market Changes:



Coal Oil, Best Quality, per case of 10 gallons	\$4.50
" " 2nd " ---Pearl---	4.00
Stock Salt per 100	2.25
Liverpool " "	2.75
Fine Table " "	3.50
Sugar per pound	09
Coffee---Good---per pound	20
Tea " per pound	30
Flour, 1st Quality, per 100	3.00
do Burr	2.50
Nails per hun pounds	6.00
Barbed Wire	6.75

We Carry the Largest Stock in Eastern Oregon!

**DRY GOODS,
CLOTHING,
BOOTS & SHOES
HATS & CAPS,
CARPETS,
WALL PAPER,
ETC., ETC.**

We wish to impress on your mind the fact that we are selling goods at retail prices, cheaper than other merchants can land them. Our mottoes are:

Square Dealing and One Price to All!

Prices in Canyon City 1/4 cent per pound additional to Prairie City prices on all heavy goods—all other goods same price at both stores. We Respectfully solicit your trade.

Yours Truly:
J. DURKHEIMER & CO.

SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT

Of the amount of money received for Delinquent Taxes, and money paid to the County Treasurer by the Sheriff of Grant County, Oregon, for the six months ending on the 30th day of September, A. D. 1888, and commencing with my official term, July 9, 1888

TO AMOUNT RECEIVED DURING THE MONTHS OF
Date 1888.
In Coin and Currency:
July, \$749.32. August, \$1871.13. September, \$1,724.07

BY AMOUNTS PAID DURING THE MONTHS OF
Date 1888.
To County Treasury:
Aug. 6, 7, 8, 17, 31 \$2,572.09. Sept. 7 & 28 \$1,772.43

STATE OF OREGON,
County of Grant } ss
I, W. P. Gray, Sheriff
of said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct and true.
Witness my hand this 1st day of October, A. D. 1888.
W. P. GRAY, Sheriff.
N. B.—Reference is hereby made to the report of A. C. Dare for the months of April, May and June and to, and including July 9, 1888.
W. P. GRAY, Sheriff.

SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT:

Of the County Treasury of Grant County, Oregon, for the three months ending on the 31 day September, A. D. 1888, of money received and paid out, from whom received and from what source, and on what account paid out:

1888 AMOUNTS RECEIVED:	FROM WHAT SOURCE	GENERAL FUND	SCHOOL FUND
July 5—To amount on hand from last report: Rec. of Ex-County Treasurer	E. Hall	\$ 5,612.68	\$ 4,859.89
To amt recd from Sheriff	Taxes	3,755.29	1,108.46
" " " " Treas. School Fund			2,812.50
" " " " Williams Office Rent		20.00	
sucker	Judg on Costs	707.84	
To amt recd from Dr. Orr	Opium license	1.00	
" " " " J. Bern-			
baum	Peddler	10.00	
To amt recd for	Whisky	350.00	
" " " " from Sch'l Spt	Teachers Ct	10.00	
" " " " J of P	Fines		35.00
" " " " Clifford vs			
Ramsby	Forfeiture		260.00
		\$10,466.81	\$ 9,075.85
AMOUNTS PAID OUT.			
By amount paid out on County warrants	Gen'l Fund	\$ 1,462.58	
" " " " School Supts "	School Fund		\$ 4,534.45
" " " " Balance General Fund on hand		7,679.23	
" " " " School " "			4,541.40
" " " " Amount paid State Treasurer		1,325.00	
		10,466.81	9,075.85

STATE OF OREGON,
COUNTY OF GRANT, } ss
I, N. H. Boley, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the amounts received, paid out and remaining on hand, in the County Treasury of said County for the three months ending on the 30th day of September, A. D. 1888.
Witness my hand this 30th day of September, A. D. 1888.
N. H. BOLEY, County Treasurer.

SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT.

Of the County Clerk of Grant County, State of Oregon, showing the amount and number of claims allowed by the County Court of said County, for what allowed, amount of warrants drawn, and amount of warrants outstanding and unpaid from the 1st day of April 1888 to the 30th day of Sept, 1888
o Sept, 1888
Both inclusive:

ON WHAT ACCOUNT ALLOWED.
Date Current Expenses
May 16, \$12,644.96 July 14, \$7,285.69 Sept 13 \$6,065.82.

AMOUNT OF OUTSTANDING WARRANTS UNPAID
Date September 30th, 1888, \$64,084.71, Interest thereon \$2000.

SEMI-ANNUAL SUMMARY STATEMENT

LIABILITIES.
Date 1888
To Warrant drawn on the County Treasurer, and outstanding and unpaid \$64,084.71
To estimated amount of interest occurred thereon \$2,000.00
Total resources \$22,007.52

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon
September 14th, 1888.
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 that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Grant County, Oregon, at Canyon City, Or., on November 12, 1888, viz: FREDERICK GUION, Hd. No. 2567, for the S half SE quarter, Sec 11, and N half SE quarter Sec 14, Tp. 13, S. R. 25, E.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: G. T. Powell, T. Conner, G. Pratt, A. Brown, all of Harpeth, Or.
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