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Citizen—"Well, Mr. Isaacstein, whom are you going to vote for?" Mr. Isaacstein—"Benjamin and Levi. Ah, dot was a fine dicket. Texas Siftings.

"Look here!" she exclaimed. "This is terrible. You charge me 25 cents for that card of buttons, and back East I could get them for ten cents."—"Yes, ma'am, but just think of the elegant climate you get thrown in with every card of buttons."—Santa Barbara (Cal.) Press.

"Those woolen stockings are all wool, I presume," she said, as she requested the clerk to wrap her up a half-dozen pairs. "O, yes, miss," he answered in thoughtlessness, "they're all wool and a yard wide." "Sir!" she exclaimed, indignantly, and before he fully realized what he had said she whisked out of the store.—Washington Critic.

Philadelphia Press: The Chinese government in the past six months has been brought by the action of Australian legislatures face to face with the strong probability that its subjects will be denied admission everywhere. The Hawaiian Islands passed an exclusion act last year and have added to its stringent conditions this spring. All the Australian colonies long since began a modified policy of exclusion.

Niva Van Zandt, the young woman who was married by proxy to August Spies, the Chicago Anarchist, has taken off mourning and has gone back into her circle of society. The Chicago Herald says that she is once more the bright, sunny, happy girl that a good many remember her to have been before the cloud of Anarchy passed over her life. She speaks and writes fluently English, French, German and Italian. She has become reconciled to her rich aunt in Pittsburg and will not be disinherited, as was expected.

The report of the commissioners sent by the Canadian government to examine into the resources of the Great Mackenzie Basin, in the Northwest Territory, is an interesting document. There are 5,000 miles of coast in the Basin, and about 6,500 miles of the continuous lake and river navigation. Of the whole area, 656,000 square miles are suitable for the growth of potatoes, 407,000 for barley, 316,000 for wheat; while the pastoral country is set down at 860,000 square miles. Of the mines nothing very definite is known; but there seems little doubt that the Great Mackenzie Basin is, in parts at any rate, very rich in mineral deposits of all sorts, including the auriferous strata and the coal formations. More important than all, it is said that a petroleum area of vast extent has been found, and that Canada will thus be able to supply the world with the fuel of the future.

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 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. Dore 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:			
of Ex-County Treasurer	E. Hall	\$ 5,612.68	\$ 4,859.80
To amt recd from Sheriff	Taxes	3,755.29	1,108.46
" " " Treas. School Fund			2,812.50
" " " Williams Office Rent		20.00	
" " " Hunsucker	Judge on Costs	707.84	
To amt recd from Dr. Orr	Opium license	1.00	
" " " J. Bernbaum	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.		Gen'l Fund	School Fund
By amount paid out on County warrants	School Supts "	\$ 1,462.58	\$ 4,534.45
" " " Balance General Fund on hand	School "	7,679.23	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 both inclusive:

ON WHAT ACCOUNT ALLOWED.			
Date	Current Expenses	July 14,	Sept 13
May 16,	\$12,644.96	\$7,285.69	\$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 \$22,607.32

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 commute and 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 GUYON, for the S 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec 11, and N 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec 14, Tp. 13, S. R. 20, 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 Dayville, Or.
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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Thomas Conner, Fred Guyon, W. C. McDonald, Wm Geary, all of Dayville, Or.
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