LOCAL BREVITIES.

Miners wear a look of pleasure not

noticeable before the late storm, Hickson the sheep buyer is again in the county with more money than

So-many Long Creekers are brought to the county jail that the prejudice against Canyon City increases over

All Sanday night and the following morning the rain came down to bless this illabe-rain and snow mixed, judge Thanks; let's have more.

Some tackmen in the county have not fed a ton of hay yet. Therefore they are prepared for stormy weather should we have it later in the season. serve the grass grow.

The coal bests in Gilliam and Umatilla counties are being developed. Grant county no doubt has just as fine transit a body of coal, but the railroad and foreign capital are not near us.

Cy Miller our erstwhile blacksmith, talks like returning to this place and engaging in the hardware business. next spring, providing the county seat question terminates to his satisfaction.

Birds have been singing all winter, They don't have to wait till spring comes gentle Annie. But we never boast of our climate-not till after March; it isn't safe to even in Grant county.

They want to 'move the county seat and break up that nest of scrip buyers," forgetting that competition warrants.

With abundant precipitation of ty will have almost recovered from ance of winter. the blow the loss of stock gave her one

year ago. before our legislators. On account of there being so many wagon road appropriation bills it is doubtful if any of them pass. Grant county certainly

needs money for her public roads.

The Grand Army boys will camp for a pleasant time and have their anniversary ball at Prairie City this year. We believe it is right for this worthy organization of veterans to thus honor the different towns in our valley. See

"ad" for further particulars. Johnny Zeph informed us last week that there was a calf then several days old at his ranch east of town that was quite a curiosity. The calf was all right except its tail, which had been put on wrong-that is, it curled over the calf's back instead of hanging

miners will make things hum up himself about Granite and Greenhorn. Baker county wants that rich section of country, but we can't afford to lose it. Let us of Grant county get in and content to stay with us,

Old Grant-enabling act or otherwise-would take upon herself a boom of no restricted dimensions if the Sumpter valley railroad were built to the John Day next summer. Land Cabell mine, which has been pend- in the legislative halls. But the town buyers would come in, cash would be invested in mines, and many new enterprises would spring up to bless the future. This mine is, without the that the town should be named after

George Rader of Long Creek circulated a remonstrance against an enabnames, representing \$36,470 of taxable. Creek-visited the county seat last tised in another column under the

John Shrier, one of the prosperous settlers of Fox valley, recently butchered over forty fat swine, and has several more on the way to the smoke house. That it pays to produce becomand lard there is not a doubt, when these articles are shipped into this county by the ton every summer. The profitable industry.

One of our neighboring writers upon the enabling act question says: "The Canyon, think you can say that much even to the present time? Dear Canyou pays no attention to the insinuation, but the NEWS, which objects to such alanderous articles concorning Grant county's heaviest taxpayers, takes up the subject and says that taxpayers on the remonstrance, each obtaining signatures!

LEGISLATIVE LAWMAKING.

No End to the New Bills -- Some that will Interest our Readers

By Dustin-For \$5000 for a bridge at Monument.

By Willis-To regulate the observance of Sunday.

for Grant. By McCall-To prevent railroad

accidents By Tracy-To punish profanity. By Matlock—To provide for an insane asylum in Eastern Oregon.

By Hirsch-To permit justices of the peace to examine the insane and almost a year. idiotic in the absence of a county

By Dustin-For \$3000 for a road from Smith valley to Prairie City.

Take a stroll on the avenue and ob-

Stage drivery encounter new snow

on the mountains, impeding rapid Frank Metschan and Jim Ferrel are

out in Bear valley busily engaged in fencing their ranches. Senator Blackman has the thanks of the News for a copy of his Mon-

ument-John Day wagon road bill. Deputy Sheriff Yorgenson is book keeper and chief jailor during Mr. Southworth's business trip to Moun-

tain creek. Rev. Mr. Luce has been conducting religious meetings at John Day, and

Ed Walton who used to be Canyon among capitalists makes it better for City's barber, has been getting married the juror to realize on his county at Burns. Miss Mina Brink was the happy bride.

Fred Miller has closed the doors moisture to insure good crops and of his butcher shop at Burns and range grass next summer, Grant coun- come over home to spend the bal-

Potatoes are a never failing crop in New bills by the score are piling up sections without irrigation. Irish immigration solicited.

> A bill to prevent railroad accidents is the latest legislative wrin-A law to prevent teams getting frightened is now in order.

Subscribe for the NEWS and have your stock brands published. The country is full of strays, and this may save expense in looking yours up.

Judge Sels when interviewed by an Oregonian reporter at Portland expressed his willingness for a division of Grant county. True, the territory is sufficient, but where is the taxable

been found. His sister wrote Lawyer Denning last week that he was down about The Dalles. His disappearance though quite sudden, was therefore at-When the robins begin to nest the tended by no disastrous results to

help them build roads so they will be cently, after being helpless for over a ther as it comes. year. He was cared for by the I. O. O. F. relief committee by virtue of his mem raised this county seat question as an bership in Holah Lodge.

B. Cabell informs the Baker ing for several months past, will by any other name would get the likely be consummated in the near county seat as quick. Who was Long, properties in the northwest.

C. F. Goff and Bill Rudio-both ling act and secured twenty-eight jolly fellows and merchants of Long property. These men were residents Thursday. They hung around the head of "Patents," certainly needs of Long Creek, Hamilton and Ritter Court house as though their design no one to "sing its praises," but, precincts, exclusively. This is aside was to test its movability. When they from the heavy taxpayers of North thought no one was looking the jail Fork and Haystack precincts who re boys said Rudio took hold of the north west corner of the Court house and lifted. Of course it still pressed the Mr. Goff was called to help him. They both lifted with the same result. it was that heavy?"

The Oregonian has the largest circulation of any Daily, Sunday or only wonder is that more of our farm weekly paper West of the Rocky tions received. increase its circulation they have selected with great care, a large list of valuable books, and other useful petitioners in this matter have reso ted articles, and are offering these as to no unfair means, and do you, dear premiums to each subscriber to any of its several issues for yearly subscriptions. The Oregonian should be in every household. Send for

premium list to the Oregonian Publishing Co., Portland, Or. Our journalistic relative the Eagle man, seeks to drum up recruits impresses one that you are cowardly when such men as P. Thomas volunta- for Long Creek's prejudiced agita- and only expect to gain sympathy rily come to Canyon City, ask to see a tors by gross misrepresentations. by exagerating and misrepresenting remonstrance, sign it and then go be In an article last week he accuses matters as they really are." fore an officer and make affidavit to M. S. Heliman of being the author creature then signs the name "Mt. the effect that he signed the petition of a letter published in this paper, under a "misapprehension, etc.," it be and dated "Monument." Our read- intend now to hit him over the holgins to look like there was an Ethiopi- ers shall not be treated to a great low head with the tail end of his an in the fuel receptacle outside of volume of unnecessary newspaper equally hollow communication pub-"Dear Canyon." Many other taxpay- discussion tiresome in the extreme. lished in the Eagle. Why did you ers down the river stated that they We will, however, emphasize what not, Mr. "Mt. Vernonite," sign your signed the petition through misappre | we have already said in this con- own name to your chaffy article! hension, and they afterwards signed the remonstrance. Mr. W. R. Cun- News is a tool for nobody, does not one that you are cowardly, and only nington, secured the names of thirty publish bogus communications, and expect to gain sympathy by exagcan prove what it says Neither garating and misrepresenting matof them stating that he was induced does it resort to misrepresentations ters. Nearly every one in this part to sign the petition under misappre- to do an injustice to its neighbors. of the county believes that you hihension, and that it was not their desire for an enabling act. Mr. Cuncieved" by the Long Creek Eagle poorly paid tool of the clique and nington made affidavit that this was Mr. Hellman has written to the ed- clan and one of the component parts the statement of thirty men, made to liter denying the authorship of the of the ring ever there, anxiously you will be as consummate rascals as him. Now, where lays the fraud in letter referred to and requesting an waiting for the treasurer's safe to "amende honorable." be brought within your reach.

PRAIRIE CITY NEWS.

PRAIRIE CITY, Jan. 27. The roads are getting very muddy since the rain.

We have not lost anything by thieves for a few weeks.

ance of Sunday.

By Dustin—For an enabling act sick. So is little Maude Young. The citizens are talking of laying out a race course near this

> Miss Sarah Jane Donaldson returned home Sunday evening from

Shores was in town last week and lost one of the wheels from his hack. He says the boys are too fly for him in Prairie.

Henry Bohna is improving very slowly. The physician tells him that he will have to move from

this part of the country soon. The Friday night dance given by the Prairie City Dancing Club was a success. Given every Fri day evening at the Grange Hall.

Jess McMurdo was taking a sleighride on the bare ground for a change. He will not be fooled out of a sleighride even if there is

Mr. Bates has a stone mason at work on his cellar. He would they have helped me. Less than have squared one rock today if it two months ago I began taking had not rained. But he will make their medicine and electric treatreports much interest being taken by it all up in the spring. He is ments. Before one week had passslow, but sure.

A few of the boys have organized a choir. They sing every Sunday evening. Dave is the leader. Anyway you would have feel pleased and grateful, and want thought so had you seen him a few others who are sick and miserable evenings ago.

little cottage. He would have Portland, corner Fifth and Alder. built a mansion, but he was afraid that the Placer Mining Co. would undermine and ruin his structure. Al is a good fellow, but he will try to jump a ranch. He thinks that he will move to the place up above the spring next summer, for

Jon Lors.

Card of Thanks.

On the occasion of my late bereavement and during the long illness of myself and family we were comforted by many acts of kindness on the part of the people of Canyon City and vicinity. To all who ex- patient. The lost Hamilton Shepherd has tended to us their aid and sympathy I tender my sincere and heartfelt thanks. Miss. O. C. MILLER.

Next Sunday is the proverbial "groundhog day." If the animal comes out and sees his shadow he C. S. Pierce who left this county a is frightened and immediately ornumber of years ago for the east, died ders six weeks of cold weather. If in the hospital in St. Paul, Minn., re- no shadow is seen we take the wea-

Perhaps those Long Creek fellows advertisement for their town. If so, ent, as business of importance will it is having the desired effect and shadow of a doubt, one of the finest him and the people paw the air and imagine a vain thing! And the little creek is hardly worthy the name.

The Scientific America, advernotwithstanding this fact, we feel it an absolute duty to the general public, at least that portion which has never seen or heard of the pafoundation like fallen humanity, and per, to tell them that such a cone is published" at the low price of at the head of all publications of Red Front Billiard Hall, its kind. A file of the paper may Sandy Olds who kille be seen at this office and subscrip gambler in Portland a few years

> One of Long Creek's writers who dates his letter at Mt. Vernon, accuses a Canyon City man of being the author of various communications published in the News and remember the firm of Coffin & Mcwinds up his tirade by saying: "Your veil business, signing an assumed name to your would-be truthful articles, don't enhance your bravery express charges on same to any in the minds of the people. Come out, sign your name to your chaffy articles. The path you now pursue Vernonite" to his argument. We

THREW AWAY HIS CRUTCHES.

Eogineer W. Hayes, of the Southern Pacific R. R., Joins the Long List of Patientscared by Electri-

city by Dr. Darren. 914 Fifth st., East Portland, Jan.

Editor Oregonian-Dear Sir: hold it to be a duty as well as a pleasure to make known through the press that which of all things is most essential, viz: The way to cure pain and sickness. From Dec. 1st to the 29th I was confined to my house with sciatic rheumatism, Washington, where she has been kidney trouble, inflammation of neck of the bladder and general indisposition. Could not sleep more than an hour at a time. All means I tried proved unavailing. I was promptedto visit Dr. Darrin through the advice of many of my friends who had been cured by him, though, I must say, I had but little faith that electricity would cure me. I came to the doctor on crutches. Two weeks' electric treatment has cured me, so I have thrown away my crutches, and my other complaints have all disappeared, so I take command of my engine today.
W. HAYES.

How Mrs. Miller Gained Eight Pounds.

East Portland, Jan. 11, 1891. Mr. Editor: As others are telling what wonderful cures Drs. Darrin have made for them and their friends, I want to tell how much ed I began to improve, and now and like a different person. I can walk anywhere I wish to go, and weigh eight pounds more than I did when I began doctoring with them. I to know what they can do for them. Can be referred to at my home at Al. Gillette has moved in his any time, Irving addition, East

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Beware of anyone representing himself Dr. Darrin traveling throuh the country, as they are frauds. Drs. Darrin have closed all outside

GRANGE MEETING.

There will be a meeting of Canyon City Grange at the Grange Hall, John Day, on Saturday, February 7th, at one o'clock P. M. All be transacted. By Order,

E. S. PENFIELD, Sec.

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NOTICE TO PAY UP.

All office practice and medicine must be prompt cash. Also all persons indebted to me for medicines or professional service must settle their accounts at once, or costs will be added, G. W. BARDER M. D. Canyon City, Or., Jan. 28, 1891.

... Mrs. J. H. Blake of this city is seriously ill with fever.

Go to the Red Front Billiard Hall, Canyon City, for fine wines, liquors and cigars. The Pacific Brewery's Celebrated

\$3 a year, and that its true value Beer, the best in Eastern Oregon, is Bill exclaimed: "My! I didn't think cannot be overestimated. It stands now kept constantly on tap at the

> Sandy Olds who killed a fellow ago, has been granted a change of venue to Washington county, and will soon be tried the fourth time upon the same charge.

> When you send away for goods Farland at Heppner. They not only guarantee you first class goods at lowest prices, but they pay mail or stage office in Grant or Harney counties. See their new "ad" for further particulars.

Miss Stark who became Mrs. Shores last mild September did not tarry long on the shores of the matrimonial sea, but left the Shore and wouldn't return any more (The disconsolate husband told us to just print a verse of poetry about it, telling the people she had run away from him. Our poet is away, but we've done the best we knew how.)

Two or three communications which were published in the Long Creek Eagle last week, dated at different places but containing the ear marks of one and the same writer, denounce Canyon City simply because it is Canyou City. The people are called role bers, etc., just because they happen to live in Canyon City. Well, when you fellows get the Court house over there any of us-all you lack is the opportunity. May 74b, 1890.

A BRAZILIAN LUXURY.

Apt to Kill If Exten and to Burn If Han

died, Yet Very Refreshing. A Sun reporter found himself in a crowd that stood staring into a fruit atore window the other day. In the window, hanging by a string, was some-thing that locked like a big Bartlett pear, except that its color was deep red. on the big end of the fruit was a pulpy tooking protuberance. Pushing his way into the store and pointing to the strange fruit in the window, the reporter asked the dealer:

"What kind of a pear is that?"
"It's no kind of a pear," replied the fruit man. "It's a Brazilian caju."

"Oh, indeed!" said the reporter, "Yes," replied the dealer, "that's a caju, and it's the only one in the city, I guess. It's a curious kind of a fruit, too, for while it is one of the most delightfully cool and refreshing of delicacies it will make you deathly sick, and may be kill you, if you eat it. The Brazilian eaju wasn't made to be eaten. You have to drink it to properly enjoy it. "Ah!" said the reporter. "What are

"Well," said the custodian of the

the habits of this peculiar fruit?"

caja, "that one in the window is what they call a garden caju because it is a ultivated one, but it grows wild, very wild. They make a claret wine out of the wild caju down in Brazil that the natives dote on. It will stand you on your head in less than ten minutes. The cultivated fruit sometimes turns out red like that one, but it is also apt to be yellow, and perhaps pink. The ways of the caja are in no way in fluenced by its color, though. A red one can't discount a pink one, and a yellow one is an much of a thoroughbred as either of the others. The pulp of the most lusclous orange isn't half as tempting as the inside of the caju, but the caju pulp is poison. Julee is what the caju is for. I'll bet that red one yonder has more than a pint of juice in it, and if you ever tasted it you'd never let go until you engulfed the whole of it. There's nothing fluer. The swell Brazilian sucks the juice out of a caju every

morning before breakfast." "What does the caju wear that re-sette for on its big end?" asked the re-

"Well, that isn't exactly a resette," replied the fruit-dealer, "but it looks like one, doesn't it? That is the seeds of the fruit. They are put on the outside to make room for more julco inside, I suppose, and for another very important reason. If they grew on the inside the sucking of a caju would be followed by the instant and complete annihilation of the sucker's stomach. You can't see the seeds because they are covered up by pulp. That pulp has a juice of its own, and wherever it hap flesh like the burning head of a parlor match. They don't seem to mind it down in Brazil; though."

"Do you intend to introduce the caju in our markets?" asked the reporter, FWell, we had thought of it some, said the fruit dealer, "but I have an Idea that we can't hope to make a lan ry popular up here that is liable to tal you if you eat it and burn you up if you handle it. I'd like to have a quart of cajo juice right now, though, all the

Frank McFarland of Heppner writes a letter to the Oregonian showing good reasons why the legislature should appropriate money to mild wagon roads in this part of the state.

Call and Settle At Once.

This is to give notice that I have members are requested to be pres- placed all my accounts in the hands of S. S. Denning for collection. So. come settle the same at once and save costs. Huon Smith. Canvon City, Or., Jan. 10, 1891.



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	John H. Buker	Caleb
	John C. Luce,	
	John Blackwell,	Long Creek
	Woods Carter	
	Wm. Hall	Prairie City
	R. S. Blackwell,	Hamilton
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DETITION FOR LICENSE

TO THE HOS. COUNTY COURT OF THE) STATE OF URLEON FOR GRANT COUNTY.

We the undersigned your pe itioners most respectfully represent that we are each and all residents and legal voters of Granite pre einct in said county and State, and wo ask that a license be granted to J. H. Hilliard of said precinct to sell and dispose of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in less quantities than one gallon, in sail precinct for a period of six months from the 4th day of March, A D 1891.

Dated at Granite, Or., Jan. 19.

Names-AOBurch, Aug Bachman, JOC Mosnes, JL Gallejbay, AG Tabor, PESkogland, Neil Niven, OV Brown GCPervin, GHGutridge, AJDickison, PHanlon, NWilliams, EEThornburg. TAHeninger, NTTisdall, WWLooner John THays, W Moris, LNFord, JW Tabor, Grant Thornburg, OOBenson J B Cabell, F E Cabell, J S Hughes,

J N Ditmars. Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday the 4th day of March A D 1891 the undersigned will apply to the Hon, county court of the State of Oregon for Grant county, for the issoance of the license above mentioned. J. H. Hilliano, Applicant.

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Land Office at Borns, Oregon.

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149. J. B. RUNTINGTON, Register.



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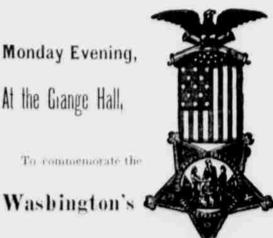
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Feb. 23, 1891.

Prairie City, Or.

Birthday.

Will be served by the Ladies of Prairie City, assisted ty members of the Post, from 5:30 to 7:30 o'clock in the evening, of which every one, larga-

Grand March at 8 o'clock.

Committees: -ARRANGEMENTS-Hiel A. Hyde, Sam Hough, Chas. Cooley, Thos. Perkins, Jas. Fry. RECEPTION—H. Hunter, Jas. Hutchings, John Zeph. FLOOR—Chas. Cooley, Martin Lucas.

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