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Allyn, T. J., Ione, Or. Horses GG on left shoulder; cattle same on left hip, under bit on right ear, and upper bit on the left; range, Morrow county.

Armstrong, J. C., Alpine, Or.—T with bar under it on left shoulder of horses; cattle same on left hip.

Allison, O. D., Eight Mile, Or.—Cattle brand, O D on left hip and horses same brand on right shoulder. Range, Eight Mile.

Adkins, J. J., Heppner, Or.—Horses, JA connected on left flank; cattle, same on left hip.

Bartholomew, A. G., Alpine, Or.— Horses branded 7 E on either shoulder. Range in Morrow county.

Bannister, J. W., Hardman, Or.—Cattle branded B on left hip and thigh; split in each ear.

Brenner, Peter, Gooseberry Oregon—Horses branded P B on left shoulder. Cattle same on right side.

Burke, M St C, Long Creek, Or—On cattle, MAY connected on left hip, crop off left ear, under half crop off right. Horses, same brand on left shoulder. Range in Grant and Morrow county.

Brosman, Jerry, Lena, Or.—Horses branded 7 on right shoulder; cattle B on the left side. Left ear half crop and right ear upper slope.

Barton, Wm., Heppner, Or.—Horses, J B on right thigh; cattle same on right hip; split in each ear.

Brown, Isa, Lexington, Or. Horses IB on the right stifle; cattle same on right hip; range, Morrow county.

Brown, J. C., Heppner, Or.—Horses, circle C with dot in cen ter on left hip; cattle, same.

Brown, W. J., Lena, Oregon. Horses W bar over it, on the left shoulder. Cattle same on left hip.

Boyer, W. G., Heppner, Or.—Horses, box brand on right hip cattle, same, with split in each ear.

Borg, P. O., Heppner, Or.—Horses, P B on left shoulder; cattle, same on left hip.

Brownlee, W. J., Fox, Or.—Cattle, J H connected on left side; crop on left ear and two splits and middle piece cut out on right ear; on horses same brand on the left thigh; Range in Fox valley, Grant county.

Carsner Warren, Wagner, Or.—Horses branded O on right stifle; cattle ∈ (three bars) on right ribs, crop and split in each ear. Range in Grant and Morrow counties.

Cain, E., Caleb, Or.—Y D on horses on left stifle U with quarter circle over it, on left shoulder and on left stifle on all colts under 5 years; on left shoulder only on all horses over 5 years. All range in Grant county.

Cate, Chas. R., Vinson or Lena, Or. Horses H C on right shoulder; cattle same on right hip. Range Morrow and Umatilla counties.

Clark, T. H., John Day, Or.—Double cross on each hip on cattle, swallow fork and under bit in right ear, split in left ear. Range in Grant county. On sheep, inverted A and spear point on shoulder. Ear marks on ewes, crop on left ear pouched upper bit in right. Wethers, crop in right and under half crop in left ear. All range in Grant county.

Cook, A. J., Lena, Or.—Horses, 90 on right shoulder; Cattle, same on right hip; ear mark square crop off left and split in right.

Currin, R. Y., Currinsville, Or. -Horses, 76 on left stifle.

Cox Ed. S., Hardman, Or.—Cattle, C with 8 in center; horses, CE on left hip.

Cochran, R. E., Monument, Grant Co, Or.—Horses branded circle with bar beneath, on left shoulder; cattle same brand on both hips, mark under slope both ears and dewlap.

Chapin, H., Hardman, Or.—Horses branded C on right hip. Cattle branded the same. Also brands CI on horses right thigh; cattle same brand on right shoulder, and cut off end of right ear.

Douglass, W. M., Galloway, Or.—Cattle, R D on right side, swallow-fork in each ear; horses, R D on left hip.

Ely, J. B. & Sons, Douglas, Or.—Horses branded ELY on left shoulder, cattle same on left hip. hole in right ear.

Emery, C. S., Hardman, Or.—Horses branded C [reversed C with tail] on left shoulder; cattle same on right hip. Range in Morrow county.

Florence, L. A., Heppner, Or.—Cattle, LF on right hip; horses F with bar under on right shoulder.

Florence, S. P. Heppner, Or.—Horses, F on right shoulder; cattle, F on right hip or thigh.

French, George, Heppner, Or.—Cattle branded WF, with bar over it, on left side; crop off left ear. Horses, same brand on left hip.

Gentry, Elmer, Echo, Or.—Horses branded H. S. with a quarter circle over it, on left stifle. Range in Morrow and Umatilla counties.

Hiatt A. B., Ridge, Or.—Cattle, round-top A with quarter circle under it on the right hip. Range in Morrow and Umatilla counties.

Hinton & Jenks, Hamilton, Or.—Cattle, two bars on either hip; crop in right ear and split in left. Horses, J on right thigh. Range in Grant county

Hughes, Samuel, Wagner, Or.—⊥F (T F L connected) on right shoulder on horses; on cattle, on right hip and on left side, swallow fork in right ear and slit in left. Range in Haystack district, Morrow county.

Hale, Milton, Wagner, Or.—Horses branded O (circle with parallel tails) on left shoulder Cattle same on left hip also large circle on left side.

Hall, Edwin, John Day, Or.—Cattle E H on right hip; horses same on right shoulder. Range in Grant county.

Howard, J. L., Galloway, Or.—Horses, ⊣ (cross with bar above it) on right shoulder; cattle same on left side. Range in Morrow and Umatilla counties.

Hughes, Mat, Heppner, Or.—Horses, shaded heart on the left shoulder. Range Morrow Co.

Hunsaker, B. A. Wagner, Or.—Horses, 9 on left shoulder; cattle, 9 on left hip.

Humphreys, J. M. Hardman, Or.—Horses, H on left flank

Huston, Luther, Eight Mile, Or.—Horse H on the left shoulder and heart on the left stifle Cattle same on left hip. Range in Morrow county

Jones, Harry, Heppner, Or.—Horses branded H J on the left shoulder; cattle branded J on right hip, also underbit in left ear. Range in Morrow county.

Junkin, S. M., Heppner, Or.—Horses, horse shoe J on left shoulder. Cattle, the same. Range on Eight Mile.

Johnson, Felix, Lena, Or.—Horses, circle T on left stifle; cattle, same on right hip, under half crop in right and split in left ear

Kenny, , Or.—Horses branded KNY on left hip cattle same and crop off left ear; under slope on the right

Kirk, J. T., Heppner, Or.—Horses 69 on left shoulder; cattle, 69 on left hip.

Kirk, Jesse, Heppner, Or.; horses 11 on left shoulder; cattle same on right side, underbit on right ear.

Kumberland, W. G., Mount Vernon, Or.—I L on cattle on right and left sides, swallow fork in left ear and under crop in right ear. Horses same brand on left shoulder. Range in Grant county.

Lofton, Stephen, Fox, Or.—S L on left hip on cattle, crop and split on right ear. Horses same brand on left shoulder. Range Grant county.

Lisenallen, John W., Lexington Or.—Horses branded half-circle JL connected on left shoulder. Cattle, same on left hip. Range, near Lexington

Leahey, J. W. Heppner Or.—Horses branded L and A on left shoulder; cattle same on left hip, wattle over right eye, three slits in right ear.

Lord, George, Heppner, Or.—Horses branded double H connected Sometimes called a swing H, on left shoulder.

Minor, Oscar, Heppner Or.—Cattle, M D on right hip; horse, M on left shoulder.

Morgan, S. N., Heppner, Or.—Horses, M J on left shoulder; cattle same on left hip.

Mitchell, Oscar, Ione, Or.—Horses, 77 on right hip; cattle, 77 on right side.

McClaren, D. G., Brownsville, Or.—Horses, Figure 5 on each shoulder; cattle, M2 on hip

McGirr, Frank, Fox Valley, Or.—Mule shoe with toe-cork on cattle on ribs and under in each ear; horses same brand on left stifle.

McHaley, [illegible] mington, Or.—On Horses, 8 with half circle under on left shoulder; on Cattle, four bars connected on top on the right side Range in Grant County.

Neal, Andrew, Lone Rock, Or.—Horses A N connected on left shoulder; cattle same on both hips.

Nordyke, E., Silverton, Or.—Horse, circle 7 on left thigh; cattle, same on left hip.

Oliver, Joseph, Canyon City, Or.—A 2 on cattle on left hip; on horses, same on left thigh, Range in Grant county.

Oller, Perry, Lexington, Or.—P O on left shoulder.

Olp, Herman, Prairie City, Or.—On cattle, O LP connected on left hip; horses on left stifle and wattle on nose. Range in Grant county.

Pearson, Olave, Eight Mile, Or.—Horses, quarter circle shield on left shoulder and 24 on left hip. Cattle, fork in left ear, right cropped. 24 on left hip. Range on Eight Mile.

Parker & Glosson, Hardman, Or.—Horses 1P on left shoulder.

Piper, Ernest, Lexington, Or.—Horses branded —E (L E connected) on left shoulder; cattle same on right hip. Range, Morrow county.

Piper, J. H., Lexington, Or.—Horses, J E connected on left shoulder; cattle, same on left hip, under bit in each ear.

Pettys, A. C., Ione, Or.; horses diamond P on —shoulder; cattle, J H J connected, on the left hip, upper slope in left ear and slip in the right.

Rood, Andrew, Hardman, Or.—Horses, square cross with quarter-circle over it on left stifle.

Reninger, Chris, Heppner, Or.—Horses, C R on left shoulder.

Rush Bros., Heppner, Or.—Horses branded X on the right shoulder; cattle, IX on the left hip crop off left ear and dewlap on neck. Range in Morrow and adjoining counties.

Reaney, Andrew, Lexington, Or.—Horses branded A R on right shoulder, vent quarter circle over brand; cattle same on right hip. Range Morrow county.

Royse, Wm. H, Dairyville, Or—HR connected with quarter circle over top on cattle on right hip and crop off right ear and split in left. Horses same brand on left shoulder. Range in Morrow Grant and Gilliam counties.

Rector, J. W., Heppner, Or.—Horses, JO on left shoulder. Cattle, O on right hip.

Spicknall, J. W., Gooseberry, Or.— Horse branded 31 on left shoulder; range in Morrow county.

Sailing, C C Heppner, Or—Horses branded on left shoulder; cattle same on left hip.

Swaggart, R. F., Lexington, Or.—Horses with dash under it on left stifle. cattle H with dash under it on right hip, crop off right ear and waddled on right hind leg. Range in Morrow, Gilliam and Umatilla counties.

Swaggart, A. L., Athena, Or.—Horses brande[illegible] on left shoulder; cattle same on left hip. Crop on ear, wattle on left hind leg.

Straight W. E., Heppner, Or.—Horses shaded J S on left stifle; cattle J S on left hip, swallow fork in right ear, underbit in left.

Sapp, Thos., Heppner, Or.—Horses, S A P on left hip; cattle same on left hip.

Shrier, John, Fox, Or.—NC connected on horses on right hip; cattle, same on right hip, crop off right ear and under bit in left ear. Range in Grant county.

Smith Bros., Susanville, Or. Horses, branded B Z, on shoulder; cattle, same on left shoulder.

Squires, James, Arlington, Or.; horses branded JS on left shoulder; cattle the same, also nose waddle. Range in Morrow and Gilliam counties.

Stephens, V. A., Hardman, Or.; horses SS on right stifle; cattle horizontal L on the right side.

Stevenson, Mrs A. J., Heppner, Or.—Cattle, S on right hip; swallow-fork in left ear.

Swaggart, G. W., Heppner, Or.—Horses, 44 on left shoulder; cattle, 44 on left hip.

Sperry, E. G., Heppner, Or. —Cattle W C on left hip, crop off right and underbit in left year, dewlap; horses W C on left shoulder.

Thompson, J. A., Heppner, Or.—Horses, 2 on left shoulder; cattle, 2 on left shoulder.

Tippets, S. T., Enterprise, Or.—Horses, C on left shoulder.

Turner R. W., Heppner, Or.—Small capital T left shoulder, horses; cattle same on left hip with split in both ears.

Thornton, H. M., Ione, Or.—Horses branded HT connected on left stifle; sheep same brand.

Vanderpool, H. T., Lena, Or.—Horses HV connected on right shoulder; cattle, same on right hip.

Walbridge, Wm., Heppner, Or. Horses, U L on the left shoulder; cattle same on right hip. crop off left ear and right ear lopped.

Wilson, John Q., Salem or Heppner, Or.—Horses branded Jq on the left shoulder. Range Morrow county.

Warren, W. B. Caleb, Or.—Cattle W with quarter circle over it, on left side, split in right ear. Horses same brand on left shoulder. Range in Grant county

Wade, Henry, Heppner, Or.—Horses branded ace of spades on left shoulder and left hip Cattle branded same on left side and left hip.

Wolfinger, John, John Day City, Or—On horses three parallel bars on left shoulder; 7 on sheep, bit in both ears. Range in Grant and Malheur counties.

Woodward, John, Heppner, Or.—Horses, UP connected on left shoulder.

Watkins, Lisbe, Heppner, Or.—Horses branded UE connected on left stifle.

Wallace, Charles, Heppner, Or.—Cattle, W on right thigh, hole in left ear; horses, W on right shoulder same same on left shoulder.

Whittier bros., runnington, Baker Co., Or.—Horses branded W B connected on left shoulder

Williams, Vasco, Hamilton, Or.—Quarter circle over three bars on left hip, both cattle and horses. Range Grant county.

Williams, J O, Long Creek, Or—Horses, quarter circle over three bars on left hip; cattle same and slit in each ear. Range in Grant county

Wren, A. A., Heppner, Or.—Horses running A A on shoulder; Cattle, same on right hip.

Young, J. S., Gooseberry, Or.—Horses branded TS on the right shoulder

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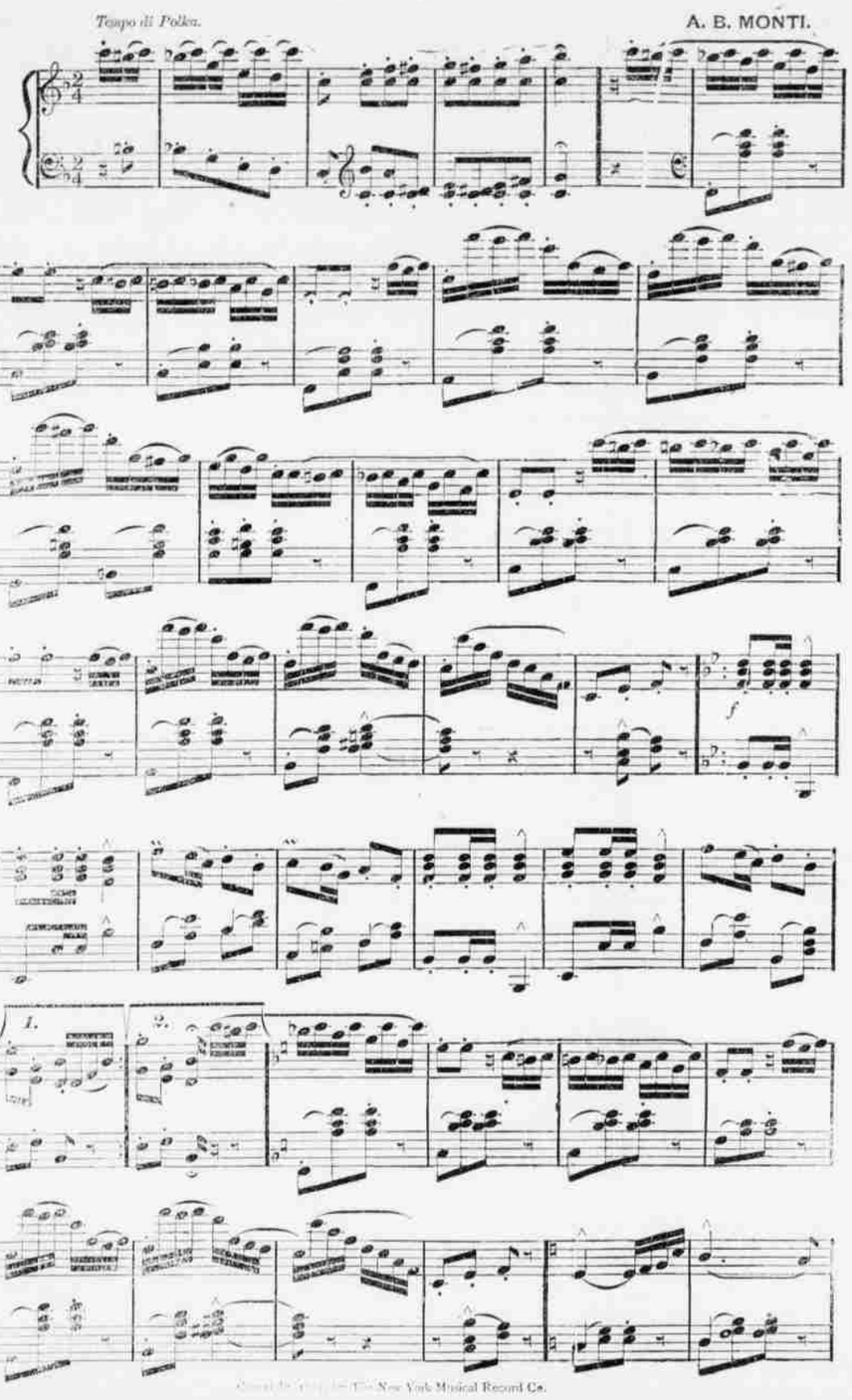

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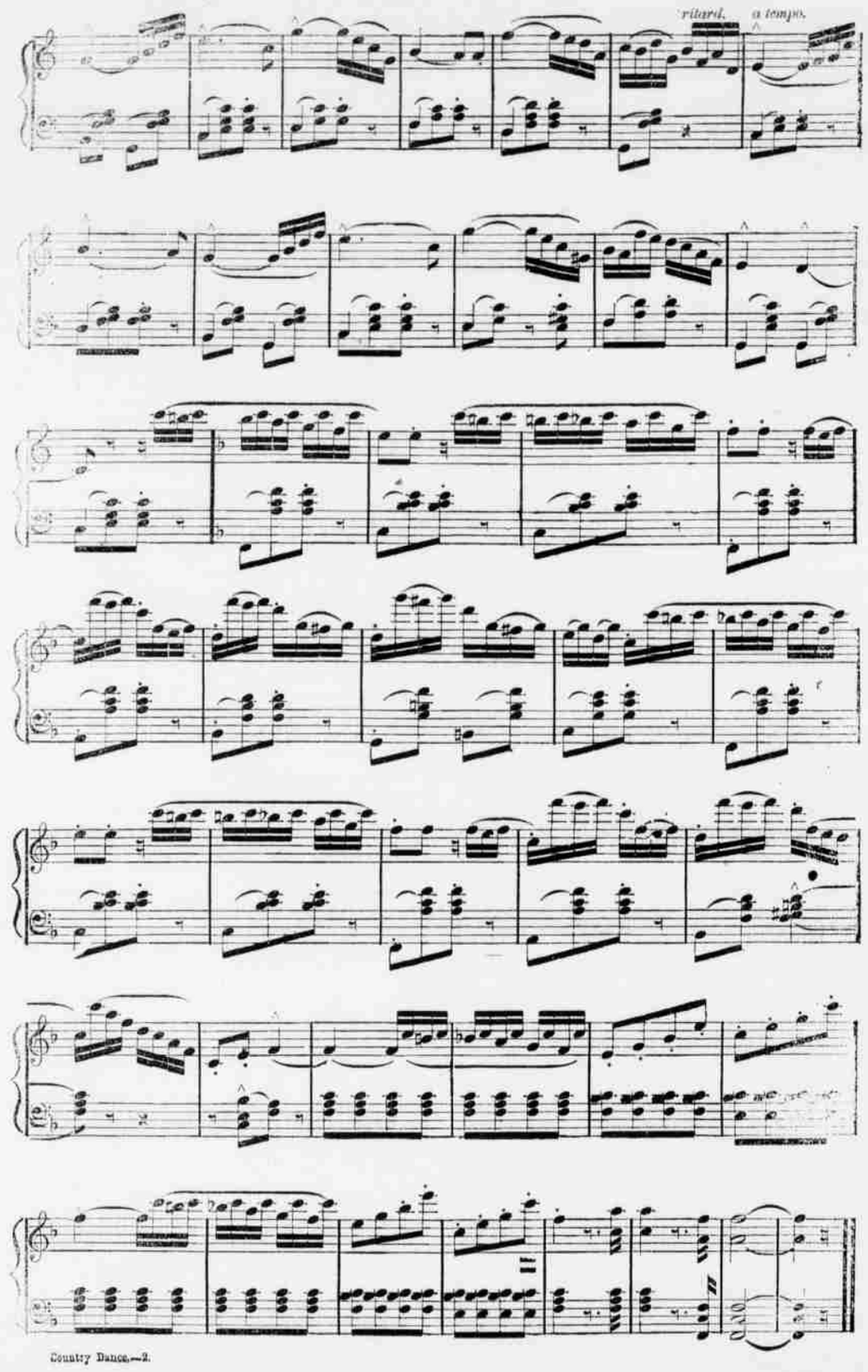

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Brief State News.

The Annie mine is working day and night, about $400 in gold being taken out daily.

The Fossil Mill Company recently bought 8,000 bushels of wheat at 15 cents per bushel.

The Elk Creek Company has sent a $3000 clean-up from Susanville into Baker City.

Hazing operations are said to have been inaugurated at Willamette university, Salem.

Something like 100 tons of grapes will be gathered this fall from one vineyard in the Rogue River valley.

Mr. T. L. Stewart, of Fossil, has gathered and broken a carload of horses, which he will ship to Texas.

The new stamps have begun dropping at the White Swan. Some 300 tons of ore are in the bins ready for reduction.

A Umatilla firm has a pumpkin weighing 158 pounds, but that has already been beaten by 178 pounds in Southern Oregon.

Sherman county owes $23,072 in warrants and interest. Cash on hand and unpaid taxes cut this down to a net debt of $10,000.

Hon. A. J. Zumwalt, of Irving, is going to St. Louis to represent Lane county at the trans-Mississippi congress, which convenes November 26.

At Pendleton, T. F. Rourke, one of ex-Treasurer Folsom's bondsmen, has just paid $5000 into the county treasury on account of the shortage.

William R. Adair, who died at Silverton last week, was 70 years old, crossed the plains to California in 1852, and came to Oregon in January, 1859.

I. L. Campbell, of the Eugene Guard, has been granted judgment for $250 and 8 per cent interest, as the result of a suit against J. E. Noland, ex-sheriff of Lane county.

Z. B. Owens, a highly respected citizen of Umatilla county, residing at Pilot Rock, was killed by a falling tree on Wednesday of last week. His remains were buried at Pendleton.

While William Evans, of Eagle valley, was chasing a coyote on horseback, the horse stumbled and fell, throwing him violently to the ground. He had one arm broken and the other violently torn.

John Maddock last week sold 3610 head of his sheep at Condon to Ernest Seekamp, receiving therefor $1.25 per head for 2333 old ones, 90 cents per head for 1257 lambs, and $6 per head for 20 bucks.

Jack Reef, a young Salem scapegrace, has been bound over to the grand jury for the ruin of a 15-year-old girl. She is the only child of poor, hard-working parents, who are almost frantic with grief.

Mrs. A. Root, of Mohawk, Lane county, during the past year, besides tending to chores and housework and looking after her children, has made and sold 200 pairs of gloves, which netted quite a handsome profit.

The Wallowa Telephone Company, which is successfully operating a line between Joseph and Enterprise, has advertised for bids for poles and other supplies for the continuation of the line from Enterprise to Elgin.

Colonel Lane, the special Indian inspector, began paying off the Indians at the Siletz last week. The census roll shows about 315 Indians qualified to receive payment at the present time. This will distribute nearly $24,000 among the Indians on the reservation.

J. W. Cook, of Woodburn, has a patent clothesline invented by him, which is so constructed that the clothes can be placed on the line in the house, moved into the air and brought back without going out doors. He claims to have sold $10,000 worth already.

The Fossil flouring mills are doing an immense exchange business just now. One day last week more than 37 teams were on the yard loading and unloading. they came from all over Gilliam and from Grant, Crook, Wasco and Morrow counties. The company's plan of giving 20 pounds flour and 20 pounds mill feed is giving universal satisfaction. Many who are not farmers are buying wheat at 15 cents from the farmers and bringing it to the mill for exchange, thus getting the best flour on the market at $1.50 per barrel, with the mill feed thrown in.

Friday afternoon last, about 2 o'clock, the freight train under charge of Conductor Byrnes and Engineer Ryan picked up a man on the upper side of the Union Pacific track, one mile west of Coyote station, who had been injured by a passing train. One hand and one leg had been cut off, and the other limb was fractured in a horrible manner. He gave his name as George Pearce, and said he came from New York, and was en route to Portland. In attempting to get on a passing train he had fallen and the wheels passed over him. When asked how long he had lain by the track, he said about two hours, and that it was a silly act on his part to attempt to get on the train. The man was about 45 years of age, of respectable appearance, and appeared to be well educated.

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The girls in Cromwell, Iowa, have formed an organization, pledging themselves never to marry a man who is not intelligent, honest and industrious, good natured, cleanly in person and apparel, healthy, sober, a church member and a total abstainer from liquor, tobacco and profanity. Gewhittens, what a crop of old maids there will be in that town, if the organization don't "bust."—Ex.

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PUZZLED MONKEYS.

A Caterpillar Invades Their Quarters with Tragic Results.

One of the cages in the menagerie was inhabited by an ateles, or prehensile-tailed monkey from Central America, and a dog-faced monkey from western Africa. Each held the other in supreme contempt. The African mused silently over his own strength and looked scornfully at the spider-like arms of his cousin in captivity, while the American didn't think much of a monkey who had such a short stumpy tail as his companion.

One day a caterpillar, a long brown hairy one, crept into the cage. Where it had come from no one knew, but there it was treading its quiet way across the cage. The ateles spied it, and stopping in his gymnastic exercises dropped to the ground to investigate the newcomer. For a short time he looked quizzically and wonderingly at the woolly object, which went quietly along. Then the right hand was thrust out timidly, and as the fingers touched the caterpillar it curled up into a hairy ball. The monkey jumped back, blinked his eyes as if to be certain of what was what, gibbered and then with the aid of his tail drew himself up to one of the horizontal bars and looked down wonderingly. The dog-faced monkey looked on from above with apparent scornful unconcern. The little act was rehearsed again and again, whenever the caterpillar uncoiled itself and started for some untold goal. At last a happy thought struck the ateles. There was a small stick in the cage, and grasping this with both hands the valiant monkey, with many a grewsome look upon his face, started in to "do up" the uncanny intruder. He jabbed down at the unoffending visitor several times with a sadly inaccurate aim, hopping back after each attempt and making such comical faces that the unlookers were fairly convulsed with laughter.

The dog-faced monkey alone was still, silent and circumspect. At last, after many attempts, the stick came down flat on the caterpillar, crushing out its life. The ateles bent forward to seize the defunct crawler, and was just about to make a meal of its poor victim when there dropped from the upper perch, on the spider-legged simian, the dog-faced monkey, who quickly demolished the remains of the caterpillar, while the ateles gave vent to his disappointment in plaintive cries, ugly grimaces and acrobatic performances which "brought down the house," the spectators of this small tragedy.—

THE czar is amused, it is stated, at the spectacular reception accorded to the Russians in Paris. Czardonic smiles, no doubt.

THE family with the longest known pedigree is that of Confucius, which forms the aristocracy of China. Confucius lived 550 years B. C.

WHEN the duke of Monmouth was executed for treason his duchess ordered every oak in the park to be cut on the fateful morning. The new growth, belonging to Lord Ebury, is one of the finest forests in Britain.

PROF. BLACKIE, of Edinburgh, is eighty-four years old, but he has never worn glasses, and, in spite of his white hair, is as lively as a schoolboy. It is said of him that he quotes Greek to his friends one minute and Highland dialect the next.

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