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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.

Baird, D. W. and son.—Horses branded D B on the left hip; cattle the same on left flank, crop off right ear, undercrop in the left. Range in Morrow County.

Bartholamew, 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 center 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 B 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.

Corrigall, M M, Galloway, Or—Cattle crop out of each ear and underbit, wattle in forehead; horses half circle C on left stifle. Range Morrow and Umatilla counties.

Curl, 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 markon ewes, crop on left ear punched 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, 22 on left stifle.

Cox Ed. S., Hardman, Or.—Cattle, C with E 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, Bros., Douglas, Or.—Horses branded ELY on left shoulder, cattle same on lefthip. hole in right ear.

Emery, C. S., Hardman, Or.—Horses branded O— [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., Ridee, 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—⊤ (T P 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- (cattle with parallel tails) on left shoulder. Cattle same on left hip also large circle on left side.

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.

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

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, Mike, Heppner, 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.; horse 41 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.

Loften, 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.

Lieuallen, 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.

Maris, M. C., Heppner, Or.—Cattle branded circle on right hip; horses same on right stifle. Range in Morrow county.

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

Morgan, S. N., Heppner, Or.—Horses, M) 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., Hensonville, Or.—Horses, Figure 5 on each shoulder; cattle, M2 on hip

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

McHaley, [illegible], Or.—On horses, [illegible] 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.—Horses, circle T 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, Olaus, 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 & Gilmore, Hardman, Or.—Horses IP 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, JE 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 off 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.

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

Rush Bros., Heppner, Or.—Horses branded 3 on the right shoulder; cattle, IX on the left hip crop off left ear and dewlap on neck. Range in Morrow and adjoining counties.

Rooney, 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.

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

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

Shrier John, Fox, Or.—SC 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.

Sayers, Robert, Douglas, Or.—Cattle ▯ on right hip and S on right shoulder; horses, S on right shoulder. Range in Morrow county.

Smith Bros., Susanville, Or. Horses, branded H. 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, Z 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 braid 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 Malhuer counties.

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

Watkins, Lisle, 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 some same on left shoulder.

Whittier bros., nunumgnon, 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 on shoulder; Cattle, same on right hip.

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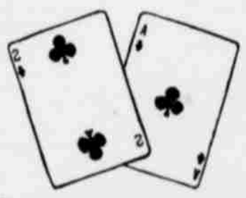

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THE GREYBANK DIAMONDS.

"My dear aunt," said Mr. Loftus Blackacre to Lady Grissell Greybank, "and if not, why not?" He had recently answered "interrogatories" in an action against the firm which he honored with junior partnership; hence the form of the question which her ladyship appeared unable to answer.

"Of course," she said, with a sigh, "if you will not help me!"

The assistance she required was the investment of the funds settled upon her on her marriage by her husband in the ordinary shares of a gold mine of highly doubtful geographical situation. As her trustee he had declined to accede to her request, and had suggested that if a season in London was a necessity for her daughters she had better introduce a young American lady into society in their company and let her pay the piper. The choice lay between that and letting 400 Eaton square and spending the summer at Bournemouth.

"I could not advertise," sighed her ladyship.

"Of course not, and if you did you would only be answered by the newspaper people looking for something to write about. I have the very girl—Miss Loftinia McNease—I know she wants something of the sort."

"What will she pay?" asked her ladyship. The commercial instincts of her maternal grandfather, which accounted for her nephew's success in the city, were evidently coming out in her.

"Two thousand for the season and a percentage on marriage into the peerage—that is what I shall suggest. You constitute me your agent; of course I shall take no commission—from you," said Mr. Blackacre.

"Is she very dreadful?" said Lady Grissell.

"Well, she's American," said her nephew; "that covers a multitude of sins; and till her father died they lived quite quietly; high tea, you know, and cooked it themselves. Since I met them at Florence I expect she got quite accustomed to a clean plate for each entree, and she's really a very nice sort of girl."

"But is she rich?"

"Enormously; old McNease died before he quite realized what a pile he had made, and for years she has had no mother."

"Isn't there some proverb about being born lucky as well as rich?" said Lady Grissell. "You might put us in correspondence, and then we will have an interview; are you sure she is not very bad?"

"She's an American, my dear aunt, of the plain type, with—well, we'll call it an intonation," said her nephew. "The rest you must really find out for yourself."

As the business man of the family, he found his relatives a little irritating.

"What shall you tell her about me?" said his aunt, meekly, as he took up his hat to leave.

"I shall tell her that you combine the blood of the oldest families in England, with the oldest country seat, the oldest plate and the most magnificent diamonds in Bunkshire. I know that will fetch her. By the way, I fancy you might, perhaps, get leave of the court of chancery to sell these diamonds, and have the proceeds invested by your trustees; you'd get an income out of them."

"Never," said Lady Grissell Greybank, turning pale at the suggestion. "Noblesse oblige—I should say noblesse defend, if I thought you understood French, or if the commercial principles of the city would permit you to appreciate the honor of your family."

"Well, it's no good getting shirty, my dear aunt," said her nephew. "Simple faith combined with Norman blood is all very well as long as you haven't daughters to marry."

Her ladyship gave a little sob. "Won't she—won't this young woman interfere with the dear girls' prospects?"

"Of course you'll have to give her the refusal if there's a belted earl on offer," said her nephew. "That's what she wants; she will hardly look at me since I explained to her that I was not the Honourable Loftus Blackacre, and even if I was she need not mention it in introducing me to her friends."

"Good heavens!" said Lady Grissell.

"You see, she knew the governor was Lord George, and she had no one but her lady's maid to teach her English customs; she is quite unsophisticated."

"Poor girl!" said Lady Grissell, kissing him on the forehead. "I feel so sorry for her. I am prepared to quite like her."

"Which is about as near thanking me for putting two thou. in her pocket as the old lady is likely to get,' reflected her nephew, as he ran downstairs.

Three days later her ladyship 'was sitting in the drawing-room when the butler announced:

"Miss Loftinia McNease."

The manner of Lady Grissell Greybank as she rose to greet her visitor was a marvelous combination of aristocratic hauteur with semi-maternal condescension; and the very charming young lady who held out her hand with a diffident smile and a becoming blush of obvious pleasure upon her face evidently appreciated it.

"You need not call me 'your ladyship,'" suggested Lady Grissell Greybank, after a few minutes' conversation, in which she also had been most favorably impressed. "Lady Grissell would be more usual; and I shall call you—"

"Loftinia—Lofty for short," said her visitor.

"I am sure we shall get on charmingly together," said Lady Grissell. "You will let me advise you as to your choice of clothes. What you have on is charming—most costly. I am sure; but—"

"some one slightly fairer," added her ladyship. "You see I have great experience in such matters."

It might have been suggested that Lady Grissell was unselfish in not lavishing the results of her experience upon herself; her visitor certainly gave rather a critical glance toward her.

"But is there nothing that you would like to say to me," said Lady Grissell. "I ought to say at once, by the way, how pleased I am that you do not talk like an American at all."

It was an unfortunate suggestion, for it evidently made Miss Loftinia McNease nervous, and produced in the next sentence that she uttered a nasality that was quite alarming. It was only an inquiry about the time at which the meals of the household took place, and it was the only question that she asked during the whole interview; but whatever the look of terror that passed into Lady Grissell's eyes as she answered froze her blood—which it was quite calculated to do—or not, at that precise moment Miss Loftinia McNease fainted.

It was not a dead faint; there was nothing undignified or unpleasant about it; it could hardly be said that her features were invaded by an unbecoming pallor; but her expressive dark eyes closed, she held a perfumed lace handkerchief to her rosy lips, and with a low moan sank back in her chair. One of her ladyship's own daughters would not have succumbed to indisposition in a more becoming manner than this unsophisticated daughter of a Yankee mill-owner; it really was one of the most winning incidents of the whole interview, and Lady Grissel Greyback bent over her with the tenderness of a mother and her own smelling bottle in her hand.

"May I lay down?" she murmured faintly.

"You shall lie upon the sofa," whispered Lady Grissell, slightly accentuating the "lie."

"But some of your swell friends will come in," murmured the graceful being, dropping in the arm-chair.

"I will conduct you to my bedroom, and order the carriage to take you home," said Lady Grissell. "My maid shall help you upstairs."

"If I may be quiet for a quarter of an hour I shall be all right. I think I can get there by myself; please don't ring, your ladyship—Lady Grissell."

So she herself accompanied her upstairs, and with her own hand drew down the blind, while Miss Loftinia, in spite of the gold-topped smelling-bottle in her hand, apparently fainted again, with her head on the lace-bordered pillow, and her ladyship returned to the drawing-room to send a message to her coachman.

Ten minutes later Mr. Loftus Blackacre called, and was duly concerned to learn of what had occurred.

"She is so charming! I am so sorry for her; she looks delicate," said Lady Grissell.

"Does she?" said her nephew. "Well, I'm glad you like her anyhow."

"She is wonderful," said his aunt. "If she did not call my friends swells and if she always talked with as little accent as she did when she was at her ease, I should hardly know that she was not English."

"Women are so wonderfully adaptable," said her nephew.

"Excuse me," said his aunt; "I told them to bring in any letters that came. I am expecting an answer to an invitation I only sent out last night." And she took a couple of letters from a silver salver.

"I don't understand," she said. "'Dear Lady Greybank, I am sorry not to call on you to-day, but some friends of mine who are going back to America right away insist on my going with them to see the Tower of London. Yours sincerely,

"LOFTINIA MCNEASE.'"

"But she's here," said her ladyship.

"I suppose she changed her mind," said Mr. Blackacre.

"Some women do sometimes. By the way, who was the pretty girl I met on the stairs? I know her face, somehow."

"You met no one on the stairs," said his aunt. "No one has been here but Miss McNease."

"A lovely girl with light blue ribbons all over her hat. Miss McNease has one rather like it," said Mr. Blackacre.

"But that was Miss McNease," said Lady Grissell.

"Skittles," said her nephew. "It was not unlike her maid, who is one of the best-looking—"

But his aunt had rushed past him, and was displaying an activity in ascending stairs unsuspected in so dignified a lady.

Five minutes later he was ringing her bell for her maid, while she lay weeping on her bed with an empty jewel case in her hand.

Five days later he feared that the anxiety over the failure of the police to recover the Greybank diamonds was unhinging her mind.

But her maid thought differently. In the privacy of the housekeeper's rooms she confided to the butler: "It ain't the fear of not getting them back that's keeping the old lady awake at nights; it's the fear that if they are got back folks 'll find out she sold them long ago, and they're all paste." And the police declared that, called in so late and supplied with such indefinite information, pursuit was useless. And so it was; and the Misses Greybank lost their London season.—Black and White.

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