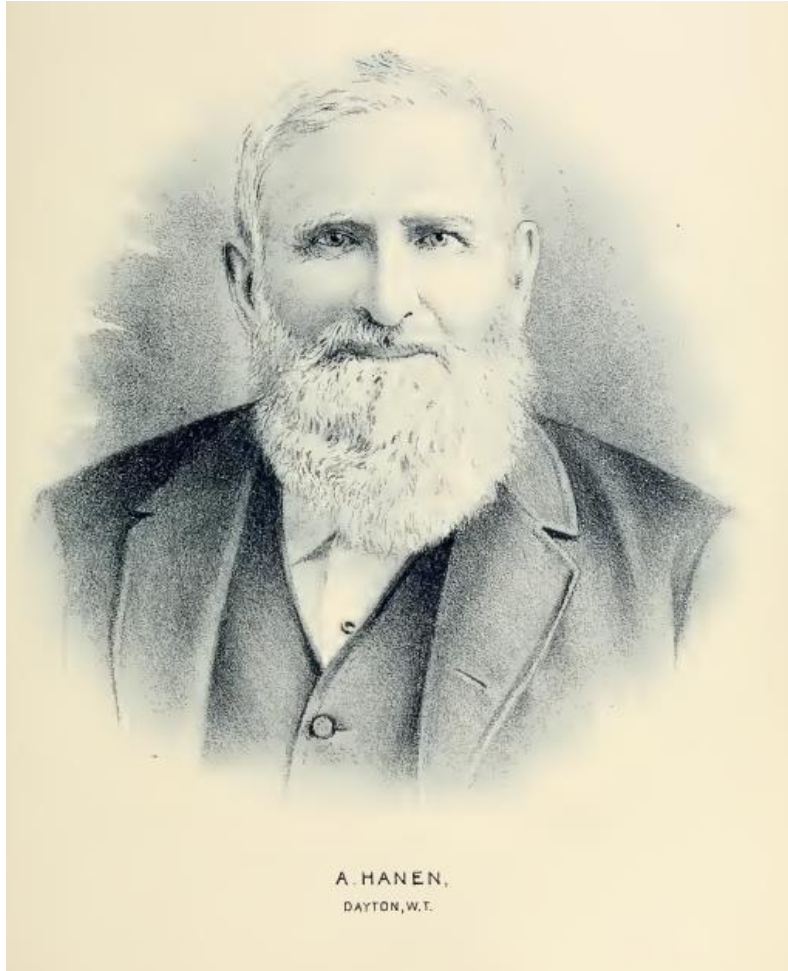


Archimedes Hanan

Pioneer of 1852

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Archimedes “Meade” Hanan

b. 09 Nov 1810 Harrison County, Kentucky

d. 02 Feb 1902 Dayton, Columbia County, Washington

s/o James Marshall Hannon and Margaret “Peggy”McFall

m. 26 Jan 1837 Canton, Fulton County, Illinois

Anna Maria VanWinkle

b. 29 Jul 1817 Manhattan, Kings County, New York

d. 28 Apr 1880 Dayton, Columbia County, Washington
d/o Helmagh Isaac VanWinkle (1777-1830) and Antje VanHouten (1785-1851)

1850: Henry County, Illinois, October 22, 1850; Archimedes Hanan, 37, farmer, \$500, KY;
Anna, 29, IL; Julia [hard to read], 8, f, IL

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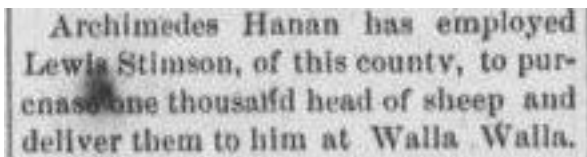
1854: Linn County, A. Hanon, Tax Roll, Provisional and Territorial Record #14113

1855: First Lt in Co H, Oregon Mounted Volunteers in Indian Wars

1857: Linn County, A. Hanon, Tax Roll, Provisional and Territorial Record #14121

1870: Albany, Linn County, Oregon, June 6, 1870; Archimedes Hanan, 59, farmer, \$4000
\$7500, KY; Ann M., 53, keeping house, NY; Archie H.Katchen, 8, OR

1871: sold out concerns in Oregon and moved to Whiskey Creek, Washington Territory



Archimedes Hanan has employed
Lewis Stimson, of this county, to pur-
chase one thousand head of sheep and
deliver them to him at Walla Walla.

[The Democrat, Albany, Oregon, February May 22, 1874 p.3]

1878: moved to Dayton, Columbia County, Washington

1900: Dayton, Columbia County, Washington, June 11, 1900; Archimedes Hanan, head, Nov
1810, 89, wid, KY KY KY

ARCHIMEDES HANAN.—This venerable pioneer, whose portrait appears in this work, was born on the 9th of November, 1810, in Harrison county, Kentucky. The early years of his life were truly those of a wanderer. Illinois, Missouri, Iowa and Minnesota reckoned him as a citizen at sundry times and places up to the year 1852. In the spring of that year he started on the long and wearisome journey across the plains.

Oregon was his objective point; and after the usual trying though interesting incidents of the immigrants' career, he stopped at Albany in the fall of 1852. There he took a government claim about four miles from the town; and there he resided till 1865, when he sold his seven hundred and forty acres of land for ten dollars per acre, and went to the town of Albany, where he formed a business partnership with Beach & Montieth. The firm erected a large flouring mill; but, the business not proving a very successful investment financially, Mr. Hanan sold out, and in 1871 removed to a farm on Whisky creek, Washington Territory, whence he again journeyed on seven years later to Dayton. There he owned much valuable property, and had a pleasant home. Its happiness was irreparably marred, however, in 1880, by the death of his faithful wife. Her maiden name was Ann Maria Van Winkle. She became the wife of Mr. Hanan in 1837, and during forty-three long years had followed him through the varying fortunes and vicissitudes of his lot with the Spartan devotion which is nowhere better shown than in the lives of the frontier women of this coast.

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Among the other events of his active and varied career, Mr. Hanan was a prominent actor in the great Indian war of 1855. He was first lieutenant of Company H of the First Regiment of Oregon Mounted Volunteers, and took a most creditable part in the fierce fight on the Walla Walla.

Mr. Hanan has no children, though he cared for and educated a girl who is now living near Cheney, Washington, and who is the mother of nine sons and one daughter.

In spite of his burden of years, Mr. Hanan is still hale and hearty, and enjoys in this autumn of his days the deserved esteem of a large circle of friends and acquaintances.