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S. M. PETTENGILL & CO., 10 State Street, Boston, 37 Park Row, New York, and 701 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, are our Agents for procuring advertisements for the BEDROCK DEMOCRAT, in the above cities, and are authorized to contract for advertising at our lowest rates. n31f

JOB WORK.
We are now prepared to do all kinds of JOB WORK on short notice and at reasonable rates.
N. B.—All Job Work MUST BE PAID FOR ON DELIVERY.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

RELIGIOUS.—The Rev. Mr. Newton, of the M. E. Church, South, will preach at the following times and places: 1st Sunday in each month, at Eagle Creek, at 11 A. M., and Saturday night previous, Main Powder River, at Mr. Sanders'; Saturday night and 2d Sunday at Wingville; Tuesday night following, North Powder, at Riggs' school house; Wednesday at Wolf creek; Thursday night, Uniontown; Friday night, Iowa school house; Saturday night and 3d Sunday, 11 A. M., Russell's school house; night, La Grande; Tuesday night after, Liberty school house; Wednesday night, Forest Cove, Dixie school house; Thursday night, Kindall's school house; Friday night, Indian Valley; Saturday night and 4th Sunday at 11 A. M., Dry creek schoolhouse; night, Summerville; Monday night following, Uniontown; Tuesday night, Big creek.

RELIGIOUS.—Rev. A. J. Joslyn will fill appointments as follows, until further notice: 1st Sunday each month at Union, at 11 A. M., The Cove, at 3 P. M.
2d Sunday Summerville morning and eve'ng. 3d Sunday, Cove at 11 A. M.; Union 3 P. M.
4th Sunday, Pocatons at 11 A. M.; James' School House at 3 P. M., and Baker City at 8 P. M.
Monday evening following, Rye Valley; Tuesday and Wednesday evening, Mormon Basin; Thursday evening at Eldorado.

RELIGIOUS.—Rev. G. W. Clancy, of the Baptist Church at Wingville, will preach at the District School House, in Baker City, the second Sunday of each month at 11 o'clock, A. M.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

L. O. STERNS, T. C. HYDE,
NOTARY PUBLIC.

Sterns & Hyde,
Attorneys and Counselors at-Law,
BAKER CITY, OREGON.

L. O. STERNS will attend the Courts of the Fifth Judicial District, and of Idaho and Washington Territories.
Water Rights and Mining Litigation a SPECIALTY.
Collections promptly attended to.
June 18, 1873. n6y

LAWRENCE & DUGAN,
Attorneys-at-Law,
BAKER CITY, OREGON.

WILL PRACTICE IN ALL COURTS of the State. Mr. Lawrence, the resident partner, will attend to the business in Baker and Union Counties. n50y

I. D. HAINES,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW,
Baker City, Oregon. n1tf

LAW.

R. A. PIERCE,
BAKER, OREGON.
Advances made on good mortgages, bonds, notes and accounts, left for collection, when desired. n1tf

J. M. SHEPHERD,
Attorney-at-Law,
BAKER CITY, OREGON.

JAS. H. SLATER,
Attorney and Counselor at Law,
Will practice in the Courts of the Fifth Judicial District.
Particular attention paid to Collections.
April 2, 1873. n47y.

JOSEPH H. SHINN,
Notary Public
AND
Conveyancer,
Will attend to Conveyancing and making ABSTRACTS OF TITLE.
Baker City, Sept. 11, 1872. n18tf

Dr. E. P. Tierney,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
BAKER CITY, OREGON,
RESPECTFULLY INFORMS THE CITIZENS of Eastern Oregon that he has located in Baker City, and gives strict attention to his Profession.
Office at J. W. Wisdom's Drug Store.
Residence at the end of the street north of the Catholic Church.
Baker City, Nov. 5, 1872. n26tf.

T. N. Snow, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon,
BAKER CITY, OREGON.
OFFICE—At the City Drug Store.
MEDICAL EXAMINER
For the New York Life Insurance Co. n18tf

J. P. Atwood, M. D.
(Graduate of the Medical Department of the Willamette University.)
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
n23 Baker City, Oregon. n1tf

DR. D. D. STEPHENSON,
RESPECTFULLY INFORMS THE CITIZENS of Baker City and vicinity that he will soon be with them again prepared to do all kinds of
Dental Work,
in the most substantial manner.
Baker City, March 12, 1873. n44f.

PORTLAND ADVERTISEMENTS.

MILLARD & VAN SCHUYVER,
89 Front and 40 First street,
PORTLAND, OREGON.

IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS in Foreign and Domestic Liquors.—Also,
Doors, Windows, and Blinds
For Sale. n1

A. P. Hotaling & Co.
Sole Agents for the
J. H. Cutter Old Bourbon Whisky,
And Importers of
Fine Wines and Liquors,
431 Jackson Street, San Francisco,
AND
25 FRONT STREET, PORTLAND,
n46tf Oregon.

S. J. M'CORMICK,
Importer and Dealer in
Books, Stationary, Toys, Music And
NEWSPAPERS,
FRANKLIN BOOK-STORE AND SANTA CLAUS' Headquarters, Fire-proof Brick Building, 105 Front street, Portland, n17 Oregon. n1tf

DR. J. R. CARDWELL,
Dentist
DENTAL ROOMS, No. 89, First street, Portland, Oregon. The late and improved styles of work at reduced rates. Nitrous oxide for the painless extraction of teeth. n29tf

W. H. WATKINS, M. D.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
OFFICE, Odd Fellows' Building. Residence, corner of Main and Park streets, Portland, Oregon. Special attention to diseases of the Eye and Ear. n29

BUSINESS NOTICES.
Western Hotel.
MAIN STREET, BAKER CITY.
REID & FLETCHER, Prop'r.

THIS HOUSE has been enlarged and refitted, and is now the best Hotel on the Umatilla and Idaho stage route. Stages leave this House for above and below, and also for Clark's Creek Eldorado, Gem City and Sparta.
Connected with the Hotel will be found a first class
SALOON!
Liquors, Wines and Cigars of the best quality. Phelan's Improved Billiard Tables all in good order.
N. B.—Those indebted to either the Hotel or Saloon are requested to appear at the Captain's office and settle. n593tf.

GEORGE SALLY, PROPRIETOR.
OF THE
Bank Exchange,
West Side of Main Street,
Baker City, Oregon.

THIS SALOON IS SUPPLIED WITH the very best of BRANDIES, WHISKYS, WINES, CIGARS, &c., &c.
The Proprietor of this New Establishment will be pleased to see his Friends and the Public give him a call, and he will try to make them feel at HOME.
Baker City, June 12, 1872. n593tf

C. JACOBS,
Wholesale Dealer
IN
WINES and LIQUORS
AND
Manufacturer of the Celebrated Jacobs' Whisky,
AT
Boise City, Idaho.

HE DISTILLS HIS WHISKY FROM the very best of Corn and Rye. It is Pure and Unadulterated; and he can sell it at a price that will make it an object for Dealers in
Eastern Oregon
To give him a Trial. n18tf

NEW BARBER SHOP.
THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS LEAVE to inform the citizens of Baker City and vicinity, that he has opened a
BARBER SHOP
in Baker City, in the Baker City Restaurant building, where he hopes to receive a share of patronage.
He professes to understand his business, and is satisfied he can give satisfaction.
Shaving 25 cents, Hair Cutting 50.
n51tf R. E. BAUER.

\$5 TO \$20 Per day! Agents wanted All classes of working people, of either sex, young or old, make more money at work for us in their spare moments, or all the time, than at anything else. Particulars free. Address, G. Simson & Co., Portland, Maine. n319y

STONE MASONS & STONE CUTTERS WANTED.
THE UNDERSIGNED WILL PAY the Best of Wages for 10 or 13 Stone Masons. Work will last about three months.
ROBERTS & NELSON.
Baker City, April 28, 1873. n514f

New Drug Store.

EL. N. MCKINNEY,
Opposite Odd Fellows' Hall, Main Street,
BAKER CITY, OREGON,
Would respectfully inform the public that he has recently received a well selected and fresh Stock of

Drugs, Chemicals, Paints, Oils, Perfumeries, Patent Medicines, Soaps, Wines, Brandies, Whiskies and Cordials.

For Medicinal purposes. Family Medicines carefully prepared. Prescriptions accurately compounded, at all hours of the day or night. Give us a call. n5

DRUG STORE!
Two doors North of Western Hotel,
BAKER CITY, OREGON.

J. W. WISDOM TAKES PLEASURE IN informing the citizens of Baker county that he has a large, new and fresh assortment of—
Drugs and Medicines, Oils, Paints, Wines, And Liquors,
For medicinal Purposes. Groceries, Cigars Tobacco, Stationery, Toilet and Fancy Articles;
YANKEE NOTIONS, AND
And a general variety of Goods of that class.
Prescriptions prepared at all hours. City and country trade solicited. n1tf

T. HENDERSON
BAKER CITY, OREGON,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER
IN
Harness, Collars, Hobbles,
WHIPS,
SADDLERY,
Etc., Etc., Etc.
Prices reasonable. Repairing done at short notice. n17tf

BLACKSMITHING
F. W. Bunnell
TAKES PLEASURE IN INFORMING the Citizens of Baker City, and Public in general, that he is now running the
Blacksmith Shop
Lately owned and run by James Stewart.
He is prepared to do all kinds of Work in the Blacksmithing line as well as it can be done at any shop in Eastern Oregon, and at moderate prices. He pays particular attention to
HORSESHOEING,
and is satisfied that he can give satisfaction with his work. Call and try me.
F. W. BUNNELL.
Baker City, Jan. 22, 1873. n88tf

Blacksmithing.
THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTFULLY informs the Citizens of Baker County, and the Public generally, that he has opened
A BLACKSMITH SHOP
in the wagon shop of Frank Schlund, where he is prepared to do all work in the Blacksmithing line as cheap and as well as it can be done at any other shop in Baker City.
Give me a call and try my work.
W. J. CORDELLE.
Baker City, Jan. 27, 1873. n88tf.

Mitchell Wagons FOR SALE,
Enquire at the
Wagon Shop of
F. SCHLUND.
Baker City, June 4, 1873. n44f

BAKER CITY ACADEMY.
THE FALL TERM OF THE BAKER City Academy will open on the 9th of September, 1873, in the NEW BUILDING, under the supervision of
S. P. BARRETT, A. M.,
Late of Dalles City, Oregon.
The Directors feel warranted in saying that our School will fully retain its present high reputation under the management of PROF. BARRETT, and they assure the Public that no expense or pains will be spared to make it a first Class Institution.
Mr. Barrett will be assisted by
Mrs. BARRETT, AS PRECEPTRESS.

Terms:
Primary Department, per Quarter, \$10 00
Preparatory and Academic, " 15 00
Latin, Extra, " 3 50
French, Extra, " 6 00
Tuition invariably in ADVANCE.
A. H. BROWN, President.
Wm. F. McCrory, Sec'y. n17tf

WANTED. We will give energetic Men and Women
Business that will Pay
from \$4 to \$8 per day; can be pursued in your own neighborhood, and strictly honorable. Particulars free, or samples that will enable you to go to word at once, will be sent on receipt of two three cent stamps.
Address, **J. LATHAM & CO.,**
322 Washington Street,
Boston, Mass. n321f

A Startling Discovery.

From the San Francisco Examiner of June 21st, we take the following article, and if the matters therein stated are true, of which we have no doubt, persons using cigars should be very cautious or they may derive great injury from the smoking of cigars manufactured at the very same establishments spoken of below. The Examiner says:

"Within the past few days a most startling discovery has been made in the case of a certain gentleman who is much addicted to the use of tobacco, and, from what we can learn, it must have a decided influence on the trade in that article in this city. Some days ago the gentleman in question, who has been a great smoker for a number of years, noticed a tickling sensation in his throat at the base of the tongue and on the inside of his jaws. He found that smoking greatly aggravated the feeling, and he decided to leave off the practice for a time that he might recover from the ailment. The effort to abandon the 'weed' was great, but by force of an indomitable will he succeeded, and gave it up altogether.

"The condition of his mouth and throat improved for a time, but subsequently became worse, and in serious alarm he called upon an eminent physician of this city. An examination was made, and the medical gentleman at once pronounced the ulcers in the throat and mouth to be the effects of a loathsome disease. The patient was closely questioned, and proven satisfactorily that he had never been afflicted with the malady until it had made its appearance in his mouth. He said that he had supposed that the breaking out in his mouth had been caused by too much smoking. The physician enquired where the patient had been accustomed to buy his cigars, and was informed that he had been purchasing them of a firm of coolie cigar makers on Clay Street. The doctor suspected at once that he had found a clue to the seeming mystery, and, taking the gentleman with him, at once proceeded to the manufactory where the cigars had been purchased. They pretended that they were curious to see how cigars were rolled, and one of the proprietors of the place volunteered to show them thro' the working room. In this apartment they found about twenty coolies employed at tables ranged about the room. The doctor manifested great interest in the way in which the ends of the cigars were finished off, and requested one of the men to instruct him more minutely. The man at first hesitated, but the doctor insisted and he finally complied. While this operation was going on the physician had ample time to scrutinize the hands and fingers of the coolie before him. He found that the man was terribly afflicted with a disgusting disease that had not only broken out on his body, but had even made its appearance at the ends of his fingers. The base of the nails were running, festering sores, and the palm of the hand was covered with scabs of most offensive appearance. The doctor without more ado, boldly seized the hand, and examined it at leisure, though the coolie continued his protests at the action. He discovered to his thorough satisfaction, that the disease was the most horrible of all physical maladies. In the same shop were found other coolies who were afflicted with the distemper, though not in so aggravated a form as that in the case of the one first examined. The doctor gave it as his opinion that the gentleman had contracted the disease from smoking cigars manufactured in the shop which they had just visited. We have given these facts without exaggeration, believing that they should be made known to all who are in the habit of patronizing 'home manufactures.' We have not given the name of the gentleman who has been so unfortunate, for reasons which will be readily understood. The physician who is treating him gives it as his opinion that there are many shops in this city in which similar cases may be found among the coolies employed therein, and advised all prudent people to be careful in the selection of their cigars. It is well known that the organic poison of the ulcers, such as were on the hands of the coolie mentioned, coming in contact with the mucus membrane, is bound to induce infection, and there is no telling how many of our smokers may already be suffering from this terrible disorder, contracted in the way we have described. It is estimated that there are 8,000 Chinese cigar makers employed in this city. We give these facts for the benefit of all smokers. Be cautious in the selection of your cigars!

NEW YORK, June 28.—A Herald cable dispatch from Florence says Hiram Powers, the American sculptor, died at 7 A. M. to day, after a lingering illness.

CINCINNATI, June 28.—Fourteen deaths from cholera to day.

LATE NEWS.

The Indian Bureau today received from the War Department an official letter from Lieut. Colonel John R. Brook, commanding at Camp Supply, in which he states the Cheyene and Kiowa Indians are off their reservations. The letter is transmitted by Major General Pope to Lieutenant General Sheridan, who endorsed it, "Respectfully forwarded for the information of the General of the Army and the Indian Bureau. The Cheyennes and Kiowas are off their reservations."
Gen. Sherman endorsed the paper as follows:
Headquarters of the Army, Washington, June 24.—Respectfully submitted to the Secretary of War—These are the Indians to conciliate whom Santana and Big Tree are to be turned loose. I have no more faith in their sincerity than I should have in prairie wolves, and as I once risked my life to test their sincerity, I do not propose to again expose others to a like danger, and hope the Indian Bureau will manage them without the aid of the army.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—Hon. J. K. Luttrell, Congressman elect from the Third California District, writes to Commissioner Smith of the Indian Bureau an account of his recent visit to the scene of the Modoc war. He says he has only been able to arrive at one conclusion in reference to it, viz., that it was caused by wrongful acts of California white men. He is informed on what seems to him reliable authority, that the Modocs were compelled to slaughter their horses for food on the Klamath reservation, and having exhausted their means of subsistence, were then compelled to seek fishing and hunting grounds on their old reservation in Lost river. He regretted to say that there never was a time since the organization of the Government, when there was so much corruption and swindling, not only upon the Government and people, but upon the Indians, as there is today being practiced on Indian reservations on the Pacific coast.

June 28.—Mr. Luttrell, in his letter to Secretary Delano on the Modoc war, concludes as follows: "Mr. Meacham and Mr. Steel managed affairs to the satisfaction of the people and the Indians, and I regret they were not retained as Superintendants. I do not know who is to blame nor do I accuse any particular agent of corruption, but we know that much has been perpetrated and before launching these Indian chiefs into eternity let their testimony be taken in order that the guilty parties may be found. We have lost many valuable men in this war, and justice demands if any person or persons have been guilty of inciting the Modocs to war he, or they, should be punished. I am willing, if you can delegate the authority, to aid and assist in the investigation of all causes and charges which may be found or brought before the court martial as a representative of the people immediately concerned and who have suffered most by reason of the war. I feel that justice demands a thorough investigation, and if I can in any way serve the Government and people in aiding or assisting the investigation, command my services by telegraph at Fort Jones."

WASHINGTON, June 27.—The Secretary of the Interior has made the following important ruling: When a homestead is canceled, and the homestead claimant has found land at the date of such cancellation, with others who design taking lands under the pre-emption laws, the homesteader being legally upon the land his settlement right vests instantly on such cancellation; while claimants having gone on the land while it was covered by said homesteads were trespassers, and the homestead claimant is the preferred party under the pre-emption laws.

NEW ORLEANS, June 29.—A dispatch from Carrollton states that the jury in the Colin and Kellogg shooting case came into Court and rendered a verdict of not guilty.

NASHVILLE, June 28.—Eight deaths from cholera to day. Scarcely a new case reported.

NEW YORK, June 27.—The jury in the Woodhull, Claffin and Blood case, under instructions by Judge Blatchford, have returned a verdict of not guilty. The Judge decided that newspapers were not included in obscene publications in the act of 1872.

The two remaining indictments against Woodhull and Claffin being substantially the same as the first, are not to be prosecuted and the bail bond will be discharged.

CONCORD, N. H. June 27.—The House to day passed a resolution reported by the Committee on Federal Relations, censuring the last Congress for passing the bill raising their own salaries.

A dispatch from Washington says that a complete list of the Senators who have returned their increased salary, shows that quite a number who have been credited with such a disposition of their back pay cannot

truthfully claim the honor. Up to last night fourteen have directed the return of their money through Treasurer Spinner. Their names are: Anthony Bayard, Chandler, Casserly, Fenton, Ferry of Michigan, Frelinghuysen, Hamlin, Pratt, Schurz, Scott, Sumner, Thurman and Henry Wilson.

Subjoined is a complete list of members of the House of Representatives who, up to date, have returned their back pay into the Treasury. Quite a number of names of members who have been generally credited with returning this money, do not appear on the books of the Treasury. The real number is thirty-two, making, with the list of Senators already telegraphed, a total of forty six Congressmen who have made repayments: Barber, Wis.; Cox, of N. Y.; Crebs, of Ill.; Coburn, of Ind.; Cotton, of Iowa; Frye, of Maine; Finkelburg, of Missouri; Farwell, of Ill.; Garfield, of Ohio; Hill, of New Jersey; Halsey, of New Jersey; Hawley, of Connecticut; Hawley, of Ill.; Hale, of Maine; Holman, of Indiana; Hazleton, of Wisconsin; Kerr, of Indiana; Lynch, of Maine; McCrary, of Iowa; Monroe, of Ohio; Mitchell, of Wisconsin; Perry, of New York; Rusk, of Wisconsin; Roberts, of New York; Starkweather, of Connecticut; Sessions, of New York; Sawyer, of Wisconsin; Townsend, of Penn.; Upton, of Ohio; Waldron, of Michigan; Wheeler, of New York.

Clean Shirt, with Variations.

A nice young Californian was returning home from an Eastern trip, and, as he gazed from the window of the car, thinking of her who was to meet him at the depot, now but a few miles distant, the idea suddenly flashed over him that he was hardly in presentable condition, having worn the same cheviot shirt all the way from Chicago, and, though he had a snow white one in his valise, he knew not how to make the change. The thought made him nervous for a moment; but, being an ingenious youth, he set his wits a planning how he could accomplish the metamorphosis successfully. Between him and the town of his destination the train would have to burrough it way through a tunnel, whose pitchy darkness might hide his maneuvers from the prying eyes of the passengers, and a gleam of satisfaction lit up his countenance as he hit upon the idea of a "coup d'etat" by which the difficulty might be conquered. The tunnel was close at hand, however, and there was no time to be lost, so, taking a clean shirt from his valise, the brilliant young man hastily transferred the studs from the soiled cheviot, and was observed to divest himself of his coat and vest, with an expression of countenance calculated to impress the looker on with an idea that the weather was growing warmer. Suddenly the train shot into the darkness of the tunnel, and for a minute the occupants were lost in oblivion; but hardly had the light from the other end begun to throw away shadows athwart the car windows, than the attention of the occupants of that particular car was directed toward the seat of our hero, at which point a windmill appeared to have been put into a sudden and energetic operation. Two white arms whirled and plunged madly about in the air, increasing the rapidity of their motion in proportion to the increase of the now rapidly brightening light. The train sprang out of the tunnel with as sudden a plunge as it had made into it, and the glare of daylight explained the phenomenon with an unceremonious suddenness that caused a general scream from the lady passengers and as general a roar from the sterner ones. Unconscious that he had emerged from the regions of darkness the young man was still struggling in the folds of the clean shirt, through which he was unable to force his head, having omitted, in his haste, to undo the collar button. As with one final jerk, his pink countenance burst through the white garment, allowing its snowy folds to sink over the uncovered portion of his anatomy, he took the situation at a glance, and sunk, demoralized, into his seat, as altered and reformed a young man as ever made a miscalculation.

The Oregonian says: Considerable talk is going on in Linn county concerning the sudden departure of Martin Luper, and old, well known and respectable citizen of that county. He closed up his business in a business way, left ample provision for his children, came to Portland and took the steamer for San Francisco, sending word home that he was going, but not telling where to or why. He took about \$19,000 with him.

Brigham Young is building a magnificent residence at Salt Lake City for his last affinity, and they say he really intends to board with her and not take any more; but it's a little uncertain about that, for Mayor Wells is about ready to die, and he nipped a tender bud of sixteen summer's the other day.