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S. M. PETTENGILL & CO., 19 State Street, Boston, 57 Park Row, New York, and 701 Broadway, San Francisco, 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. n14f

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.

UNION NURSERY.

H. J. GIER, Proprietor.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD respectfully call the attention of FARMERS and FRUIT GROWERS to my extensive and varied assortment of

Fruit Trees and Shrubs, both whole and ornamental, for which I will sell low for "CASH ONLY."

SEND FOR CATALOGUE. Address, H. J. GIER, Cove, Union County, Oregon. n17ly

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

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

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

L. O. STERN 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

ANDREW J. LAWRENCE,

Attorney-at-Law,

BAKER CITY, OREGON.

WILL PRACTICE IN ALL COURTS of the State. Baker City, Sept. 1, 1873. n17y.

I. D. HAINES, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT Law, Baker City, Oregon. n17f

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

S. V. KNOX, Attorney at Law, (And Notary Public) WESTON, OREGON. Will practice in the Courts of this state and Washington Territory. SPECIAL ATTENTION PAID TO LAND Business, and Collections. n13f

JOSEPH H. SHINN, Notary Public AND Conveyancer, Will attend to Conveyancing and making ABSTRACTS OF TITLE. Baker City, Sept. 11, 1872. n18f

E. W. REYNOLDS, NOTARY PUBLIC AND DEPUTY U. S. MARSHAL. Office with John Brattain, Three Doors South of BEDROCK DEMOCRAT office, on side of the street. Baker City, Sept. 3, 1873. n17m4

Dr. E. P. Tierney, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, BAKER CITY, OREGON. RESPECTFULLY INFORMS THE CITIZENS of Baker City, and gives strict attention to his profession. Office opposite the corner Drug Store. Private residence, next door to 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. n13f

Mrs. R. C. Shepherd IS AGENT FOR Grover & Baker's Sewing Machines. Baker City, Dec. 1, 1873. n30f

Lumber—New Saw Mill. McCord and Sons have their new Saw Mill in complete running order, and it is doing the best of work. It is located at

Pocahontas, where they are prepared to fill all bills for Lumber at short notice, and at as Reasonable Prices As any other Mill in the country. Orders or bills for Lumber can be left at the Blacksmith shop of McCord Brothers, in Baker City, and they will be promptly filled. McCord & Sons. November 11, 1873. n27f

BUSINESS NOTICES.

J. P. Atwood, M. D.

(Graduate of the Medical Department of the Willamette University.)

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, n23f BAKER CITY, OREGON. [tf]

DRS. PRICE & NEWSON,



DENTISTS,

Have permanently located in

BAKER CITY, OREGON.

And are prepared to operate in all branches of the

DENTAL PROFESSION.

All work Warranted. Office One Door below the CITY DRUG STORE.

Baker City, Oregon. n7y

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.

FURNITURE WAREHOUSES.

Patronize Your Home Manufacture.

J. W. Cleaver

Respectfully informs the citizens of BAKER CITY AND VICINITY, That he now has a Large and Complete Assortment of

Furniture, of his own Manufacture, embracing everything necessary for housekeeping, both useful and ornamental.

All kinds of Office Furniture manufactured to order. In fact, he is prepared to make anything and everything in his line, in the best style and at reasonable prices.

CHAIRS

Of every description manufactured of the very best material, and warranted to be superior to any other in the State.

Job Turning done to order.

Give him a call and examine his assortment. n21m3

Blacksmithing AND WAGON MAKING.

Messrs. Gaines & Bowman

Respectfully inform the Citizens of Baker City, and surrounding country, that they have purchased the

BLACKSMITH & WAGON SHOP recently owned by F. Schlund, and are now ready to attend to all work in his line.

They are both practical workmen, directly from the East, and come prepared to do

Blacksmithing, Wagon Making and Buggy Repairing

in the most approved manner, and at moderate prices. All work done to order, and satisfaction guaranteed.

HORSE-SHOEING

A Specialty with them. Give us a call. GAINES & BOWMAN. Baker City, July 21, 1873. n11f

J. B. GARDNER,

Watches

For Sale.

WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER, ESTABLISHED IN BAKER CITY IN 1867, Keeps constantly on hand a well assorted Stock of

WATCHES, CLOCKS & JEWELRY, and is prepared to do all kinds of work in his line of business.

Waltham and Elgin Watches at Factory n3f Prices [tf]

Western Hotel.

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, Grinn 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. n5v3tf.

BAKER CITY BREWERY,

KASTNER & LACHNER, Proprietors, BAKER CITY, OREGON.

RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE CITIZENS of Baker City, and the surrounding Towns and Mining Camps, that they are now prepared to fill all orders with the very best quality of

Lager Beer, At reasonable rates. The public are invited to call and look at our establishment. Baker City, Jan. 8, 1873. n85f

New Drug Store.

H. 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, Brandy, 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. n8

DR. YOUK CHU,

Chinese Physician,

Has located permanently in BAKER CITY,

And can be found at J. W. Cleaver's Old Cabinet Shop, which he has fitted up as an Office and Apothecary Store.

All diseases incident to the Human Family can be cured by this Physician.

Particular attention paid to cases given up as incurable by other Physicians.

DR. YOUK CHU. Baker City, Sept. 8, 1873. n15n35

Proclamation.

WHEREAS, UNDER THE ACT of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon, entitled "An Act to Protect Licensors," Approved October 24, 1870, the BEDROCK DEMOCRAT, a newspaper published at Baker City, Baker County, Oregon, has been designated to publish the Legal and Judicial Advertisements for the counties of Baker and Grant, in Oregon; and whereas, the Proprietor of said BEDROCK DEMOCRAT has filed with the County Clerk of said Counties written stipulations accepting the conditions of said Act, together with Bonds, approved as the law directs, with proper returns and notices thereof to this office, according to law.

NOW, Therefore, the BEDROCK DEMOCRAT is hereby proclaimed to be appointed and confirmed as the medium through which all Legal and Judicial advertisements for the counties of Baker and Grant shall be published, for the period authorized by law.

Done at the City of Salem, this 27th day of February, A. D. 1873. [STATE SEAL.]

L. F. GROVER, Governor.

Attest: S. F. CHADWICK, Secretary of State. n44f

Lime! Lime! Lime!

Roberts & Nelson have on hand

Large quantities of good quality, and will sell at low rates.

Orders from a distance solicited.

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. n1 For sale. [tf]

A. P. HOTALING, } { E. C. LORD, San Francisco. } Portland.

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, n46f Oregon.

DIMMITT'S

COUGH

BALSAM!

IS THE NEWEST, THE

Most Effective and the most tried thing in market for all diseases of the Lungs and Throat

DAVIS & SCHUYLER,

Portland, Oregon, Wholesale Agents. Oct. 29, 1873. n25n33

S. J. M'CORMICK,

Importer and Dealer in

Books, Stationary, Toys, Music And NEWSPAPERS,

FRANKLIN BOOK-STORE AND SANTA CLAU'S Headquarters, Fire-proof

Brick Building, 105 Front street, Portland, n17 Oregon. [tf]

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. [tf] Special attention to diseases of the Eye and Ear. n29

BEDROCK DEMOCRAT.

Second Edition.

For the benefit of subscribers in certain localities, we issue a second edition of the DEMOCRAT on every Monday morning, which contains all the news of importance received at this city up to Saturday noon.

Look at the Supplement for first rate miscellaneous reading matter.

LATE NEWS.

CALIFORNIA SENATOR.—On Saturday, December 20th, the California Legislature elected Governor Newton Booth United States Senator for six years. His term commencing March 4th, 1875. There had not been, at latest dates, an election for the short term, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Eugene Casserly. The vote taken Dec. 19th, stood as follows: Hager 39; McShafter 23; Belcher 10; Downey 10; Lane 4; Rogers 6, and the rest scattering.

Castelar is assured by the Great Powers that they will recognize the Spanish Republic when Carthage surrenders. The bombardment was renewed with vigor on Dec. 15th.

Congress (lower House) agreed to adjourn over from the 19th instant to the 6th of January.

Over three hundred bills were introduced in the lower House of Congress on Dec. 15th.

Page, of California, has introduced a bill with heavy penalties against the Coolie labor trade with this country.

Congress is arranging to have the estimates and expenditures of the Government cut down so as to avoid the additional taxation demanded by the Secretary of the Treasury.

Sargent has introduced a bill for the establishment of schools in several of the States, including California, for the education of boys for the merchant marine service, with instructions from the navy of the United States.

Secretary Richardson calls on Congress for an increase of taxes to the amount of \$5,000,000. The debt has increased \$5,000,000 this month. It is a choice between more taxes and a new loan.

It was decided by the Supreme Court of the United States on Dec. 15th, in the case of Nebraska vs. the Union Pacific Railroad Company, that a State may levy and collect taxes on the Pacific Railway. This settles the Placer county case and all others contested in the counties of California by the Central Pacific Railroad Company.

England has been visited by a terrible hurricane, destroying very many lives and a vast amount of property.

Alarmed at the result of the late election, the right in the French Assembly are talking of a law to disfranchise 4,000,000 voters.

The Cure of Santa Cruz is to be tried by court martial.

Cespedes has been deposed from the presidency of the Cuban revolutionary Government.

The bill repealing the bankruptcy law passed the House on December 15th, with an amendment allowing all cases under adjudication to be settled up under the existing law.

The Senate debated the Louisiana case on the 15th, and came to no conclusion.

There is a bill before Congress to cut down the Government price of public lands within the railroad belts to the same with other public lands, and to allow pre-emption on 160 acres the same.

A resolution of inquiry into Pacific Railroad matters by Lattrell was killed by the objection of Sypher, one of the Pacific Railroad Committee.

There is a general demand at Washington for a reduction of the salaries of all Government officials.

The new salary bill fixes the pay of members of Congress at \$5,500 and actual traveling expenses. It appears likely to pass the House.

General Howard, General Vincent and the Secretary of War are cited to appear before the House Military Committee to answer to charges preferred against Howard.

Dent, father in law of the President, is dead—aged 88 years.

Fifteen thousand is the estimated majority in favor of the new Constitution of Pennsylvania at the election held yesterday.

Cochise is forbidden, by the military authorities in Arizona, to raid into Sonora.

Secretary Delano notifies all Territorial officers, and all others under the Department of the Interior, that absence from duty without special leave will be treated as a resignation of the office.

Dahomey has made an alliance with the Ashantees against the English on the Gold Coast.

The Cure of Santa Cruz has made his escape into France.

Trouble is brewing in Matamoras, and Cortina demands that he be declared Mayor, or a fight.

The lower house of Congress Dec. 19th adjourned till the 5th of January. The Senate, after some demur, adopted the house resolution; and so Congress stands adjourned till the 5th proximo.

Butler's supplemental civil rights bill occupied the lower house of Congress most of the time Dec. 19th.

The U. S. Senate has got up a substitute for the House salary bills. It fixes the salaries of Congressmen just as they were before the thieving bill of March, 1873.

A bill has passed the U. S. Senate to substantially dispense with the distribution of that useless lumber known as public documents. It is this or a restoration of the franking privilege, as the documents cannot be used without that privilege. The bill allows them to be stereotyped.

Lattrell, of California, on December 19th, introduced a bill to bring suits against the Pacific Railroad companies to compel them to pay back the interest money that has been paid for them by the Government.

HAVANA, December 18th. (via Key West, 19th).—It is reported that a steamer named Santiago de Cuba has succeeded in landing a filibustering expedition on the southern coast of the island, between Guantanamo and Santiago. Advice from insurgent sources state that a column of five hundred Spaniards set out on Monday last with six hundred cavalry to surprise and capture a party with arms and ammunition near Guaimaro, but fell into an ambush prepared for them by General Matomo Gomez. Only one hundred of the Spaniards escaped. Their commander and two hundred soldiers were killed. The remainder were taken prisoners. The Cubans subsequently released the guerrilla Major Martelli and other officers, and after attending to the wounded, sent them to the vicinity of the Spanish lines.

A Spanish column under Colonel Armon has started in pursuit of the insurgent forces.

Representatives of the Republican journals in Cuba have waited on the Colonial Minister and presented a document remonstrating against the censorship, and declaring that their journals will be compelled to cease publication unless the rules are modified or abolished.

HAVANA, December 19th.

The office of the Diario de la Marina was entered by burglars early this morning. The administrator and his nephew were tied, gagged and robbed of \$28,000.

New York, December 13th.

A special from Berlin says the commander of one of the German vessels seized by the Spanish man-of-war in the Soloo Archipelago and carried to Manila, writes home that himself and crew were sent to prison, and kept there two months, receiving very harsh treatment at the hands of the Spanish officials.

The dispatch also says that public feeling in Germany is much exercised over the seizure of the vessels, and the fullest satisfaction for the insult to the German flag is demanded.

ST. LOUIS, December 19th.

On Wednesday last a farmer living near Cambridge, Missouri, was attacked by five men while on his way home from selling his hogs, killed and robbed of \$1,000. A gentleman coming along shortly afterwards found the dead body and overheard the robbers in an adjacent thicket quarrelling over the division of the money. Quietly gathering a few neighbors, they surrounded and captured three of the gang and hanged them to a tree and then went in pursuit of the other two.

WASHINGTON, December 19th.

The Secretary of War was before the House Committee on Military Affairs to-day, concerning his charges against General Howard.

Secretary Delano warns all Territorial or other officers that absence from their posts without special permission will be considered as resignation, and he says any officer asking leave of absence will accompany the request with a statement of the cause for making such request.

The Senate Committee on Judiciary to-day considered the House bankruptcy bill.

The Postmaster General and Secretaries of War and of the Navy were at the Capitol to-day on public business.

The following dispatches were received here to-night:

G. A. Robeson, Secretary of the Navy, Washington: Our Consul at Havana telegraphs that the Virginians prisoners were delivered to the Junata to day, and she sailed immediately for New York. My dispatch to the commanding officer at Santiago he says was transmitted by telegraph and mail yesterday.

(Signed) G. H. SCOTT, Rear-Admiral.

HAVANA, December 19th.

The Secretary of the Navy, Washington: Commander Braine telegraphs here as follows:

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Dec. 18th.—The prisoners of the Virginians have been delivered to-day, 18th, of December. Shall sail to day for New York. The Kansas and Canadianas are here awaiting orders.

(Signed) HALL, Consul.

The Virginians, conveyed by the Osage, is now on her way to New York.

The Senate has confirmed Walter Van Dyke for District Attorney of California; Edward Marcellus, Marshal for Montana; Orlando Allen, Postmaster at Prescott, Arizona; Sylvester Silsby, Postmaster for Idaho City, Idaho; Wm. H. Gillian, Postmaster for Seattle, W. T.

The majority of Senators are now known to be unwilling to confirm Williams; if the nomination is not withdrawn he will be rejected unless at least six Senators change from their present attitude.

A Washington special of the 16th, says: An effort in the way of retrenchment will be made at an early day which will make trouble with officials all over the country. The advisability of cutting down the salaries of government officials from the highest down through the entire list, comprising assessor, collectors, both of internal and revenue and ports, postmasters, etc., will be brought before the House when an opportunity offers.

The New York Sun says: Since the 4th of March last President Grant has drawn his salary at the rate of \$50,000 a year, although the law is contradictory, and a man of delicate feeling and not greedy for money would in his situation have taken the only rate of \$25,000, which is provided in the latter and more authoritative part of the act. In addition to this double salary, the President has also drawn various other allowances at the rate of \$77,600; so that his pay and allowance together are now running to the tune of \$127,600 yearly.

In this state of things, and with Secor Robeson and Boss Shepherd tagging at the Treasury, and all the other expenditures of the Government graduated upon a similar scale of extravagance, it is not surprising that Secretary Richardson has come to Congress to ask that new taxes may be imposed upon coffee, tea, whiskey, tobacco, and the gross receipts of railroads, and even to suggest that, by way of making all safe and having enough for our gorgeous officeholders to squander freely, the old stamp taxes might likewise be restored.

It must be a great source of satisfaction to the American people to reflect that while, in addition to the long standing burdens which have crushed their industry and paralyzed their commerce, these new taxes are to be levied upon articles of necessity and daily use among the masses, President Grant draws a magnificent salary of \$50,000 a year with superb allowances of \$77,600 in addition; and their pleasure in this reflection will perhaps be heightened by the recollection that every President before Grant saved a handsome fortune out of the mean old salary of \$25,