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Latest New York Gold Quotations, 109 1/2
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Notice.

THE undersigned has not Leased or Sold out his Hotel Business at the Dalles, but will continue in the future, as in the past, to dispense the substantial elements of Life to the travelling public.

THOMAS SMITH,
191st Sole Proprietor Empire Hotel.

Meteorological Table.

Through the politeness of Professor S. P. Barrett, we are enabled to lay before our readers the following table showing the range of the Mercury for the week ending Dec. 27th, 1873, at Baker City, Oregon:

Table with 4 columns: Day, 7 A. M., 12 M., 10 P. M.
Sunday, 32, 36, 26
Monday, 30, 36, 26
Tuesday, 15, 34, 26
Wednesday, 24, 31, 25
Thursday, 25, 33, 20
Friday, 8, 23, 12
Saturday, 20, 32, 20
Average for the week 25.5 degrees above zero.

Highest during week 36 degrees; lowest 8 degrees. Average for corresponding week last year 39 degrees above zero. Between Christmas and New Year, last year, the ground was bare and weeds were springing up, as in spring, so far we have had a colder winter than last year.

LIST OF ARRIVALS.

Through the politeness of Mr. J. H. Ingraham, the obliging clerk of the Western Hotel, of this city, we are enabled to lay before our readers the following list of arrivals at that hotel, for the week ending 30th, 1873.

David Farley, and N. L. Webb, Valley; J. W. Johnson, Miss Sarah Pierce, W. H. Thompson, L. Lang, C. C. Goodspeed Dan'l Moore and wife and A. P. Weller, Sparta; Peter Giesinger, John Giesinger, A. J. Kirkland and J. M. Andrews, Silver City; B. W. Bartholomew and Miss L. Cantonwine, Clarksville; Col. H. C. Paige, W. C. & Co's Agt., Portland; David Noiman, Confederado; B. F. Slocumaker, E. Payne, John Laid, F. Laid and C. Knapp, G. A. Vetter, C. Collins, Elk City; J. W. Monteith, Lewistown; Marcus Coit and Fred Green, Humboldt Basin; Jas. Burri and Payton Ford, Rock Creek; Leo H. Johns, Warren; S. L. Ryan, Pocatoums.

ODD FELLOWS' BALL.—The ball given by the Odd Fellows on last Wednesday Evening was one of the finest gatherings of the kind that has ever been our good fortune to attend. The music, by Prof. Mitchell and Rob't McCord, accompanied by a Melodian, was of the very best. The supper was as fine and well set as could have been done; everything that would suit the palate of the most fastidious epicure was to be found on the table, and there was plenty and to spare. The committee who had charge of the affair deserve great credit for the good judgment exercised by them in the arrangements, and the carrying out to perfection all that would tend to make the time of those who participated, pass pleasantly. Everybody was well pleased and left the ball room, Christmas morning, well satisfied. The party was the largest that ever has been in Baker City—there being nearly one hundred tickets sold, and there were more ladies present than gentlemen—an unusual occurrence for a new country. The only fault that possibly could be found with anything connected with the ball was, that the Court House was not large enough. This ball convinces our citizens of the fact, that Baker City is sadly in want of a large Town Hall. If the room had been larger, there would have been more persons in attendance on last Wednesday evening than were present.

MASONIC.—At a stated meeting of Baker Lodge, No. 47, A. F. & A. M., held in the Masonic Hall, Baker City, Oregon, December 25th, 1873, the following officers were elected for the ensuing Masonic year, to-wit: W. M., J. M. Boyd; S. W., D. L. Moomaw; J. W., S. B. McCord; Treasurer, A. H. Brown; Sec'y., J. D. McFarland. Appointed, S. D., W. Brown; J. D., John Eppinger; S. S., J. B. Gardner; J. S., D. S. Newton; Tyler, A. Elliott.

THE Court House was crowded to its utmost capacity on the occasion of the ball on last Wednesday evening.

RYE VALLEY.—The snow in the Valley is from eight to ten inches deep. Mining operations of every description has been stopped. It freezes in the tunnels so that the miners do not care about working in them. On Christmas Eve the citizens had a pleasant ball. There were thirteen ladies present, and there were twenty-three tickets sold. The supper was prepared by Mr. Blain, of the Rye Valley House, and was of the very best. This house, as a general thing, sets as good a table as can be found in Eastern Oregon. The boys have been spending their time during the past cold weather in breaking Cayuse horses, and several of them—Walter Fernald, Joe Dolby and Henry Jones—drove over to our city last Sunday with one of the teams, and came in in good style. The youngsters from Mermon Basin and Amelia—to the number of nineteen, in one four-horse sleigh—visited Rye Valley on Christmas eve, and attended the ball. The Rye Valley folks are making preparations to return the compliment on the occasion of a ball, which is to be given at Amelia on New Year's Eve.

Gov. Thos. E. Bramlette, of Louisville, Ky., has given three years to the building up of a Public Library in Louisville, which he intends shall be the best in the country. He is doing it by a series of Gift Concerts, the profits of which go to the Library. The third drawing distributed \$500,000, and the fourth, which has just been postponed to March 31st, distributes \$1,500,000. Gov. Bramlette has almost doubled the business of the Louisville Post-office. Eighteen clerks are kept busy twelve hours each day sending of circulars in answer to inquiries for tickets.

ENTERTAINMENT.—The Theatrical Entertainment, given by members of the Independent Champions of the Red Cross, on Christmas evening, was well attended by our citizens. The second night the attendance was very small.

SOME.—Baker City, on last Thursday, (Christmas) done honor to our community. We have not heard of a drunk man having been seen on our streets. Everything passed off in a pleasant manner.

DIED Suddenly of Heart Disease.—How common is the announcement.—Thousands are suddenly swept into eternity by the fatal malady. This disease generally has its origin in impure blood, filled with irritating, poisonous materials, which, circulating through the heart, irritate its delicate tissues. Though the irritation may at first be slight, producing a little palpitation or irregular action, yet by and by the disease becomes firmly seated, and inflammation, or hypertrophy, or thickening of the lining membrane, or of the valves, is produced. How wise to give early attention to a case of this kind. Unnatural throbbing or pain in the region of the heart should admonish one that all is not right, and if you would preserve it from further disease, you must help it to beat rightly by the use of such a remedy as shall remove the cause of the trouble. Use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery before the disease has become too seated, and it will, by its great blood purifying and wonderful regulating properties which act specifically upon the tissues of the heart, bringing about a healthy action. Sold by all first-class Druggists.

Personal.

Col. H. C. Paige, Wells, Fargo & Co's Agent; Wm. Moffit and wife, of Eldorado; W. W. Webber, of Rye Valley; A. P. Weller, Columbus Goodspeed and Jimmy Johnson, of Sparta; Miss Annie Richardson, of Rye Valley; Miss Sarah Pierce, of North Powder, and others from different portions of Eastern Oregon are spending the Holidays in our city.

RELIGIOUS.—Rev. L. A. Powell will preach as follows each month: 1st Sabbath, Eldorado; 2nd Sabbath, Baker City, 11 A. M., and 6 1/2 P. M.; 3rd Sunday, North Powder, 11 A. M.; 3rd Sunday, Wolf Creek, 6 1/2 P. M.; 4th Sunday, Baker City, as above. Also, the week before the first Sabbath: Rye Valley, Tuesday evening; Mormon Basin, Wednesday evening; Clark's Creek, Thursday evening; Malheur, Saturday evening.

SALUTE.—On the reception of the news in this city, last Saturday evening, of the election of Governor Booth as United States Senator for California, a salute was fired in honor of his election, the arrangements and carrying out of which was done by our worthy citizen, Judge L. O. Sterns. A large number of our citizens rejoice at the election of Governor Booth.

R. A. PIERCE.—From a late letter received from R. A. Pierce, Esq., we learn that he is in the enjoyment of better health than he has enjoyed for years, and that his little girl is mending finely. He expects to return home early in the spring.

DIVINE SERVICE on Sunday, January 4th, at the Court House, by Rev. Dr. Nevius, at 11 o'clock, A. M.; Catechism for children at half past 3 o'clock, and service at half past 6 o'clock, P. M.

THE EVENING POST, of San Francisco has enlarged to an eight-page, sixty-four column paper.

CARLOS WHITE.—We return our thanks to Carlos White, Esq., of San Francisco, for favors extended to this office.

PLEASANT.—Mr. and Mrs. Packwood gave a Sociable, at their residence, on last Monday evening, which was one of the pleasantest parties we have ever attended.

OPEN HOUSES.—Several ladies of our city intend to keep open house to-morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert, of Sparta, are in our city for the Holidays.

Wm. Atkey is in our city for the winter. We never seen him looking better.

Miss Emma Goodspeed, of Sparta, is spending the Holidays in Baker City.

Miss Field, a connection of the Messrs. Lakes, arrived from Walla Walla a few days since, and is spending the Holidays in our city.

Hon. D. B. Scofield and family were in our City during Christmas Eve and Christmas.

A. J. Weatherby, of Burnt River, called on us yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carter, of Farewell Bend of Snake River, passed a few days in our city, including Christmas.

The weather yesterday was beautiful—the sun came out warm and pleasant.

Johnny Francis has left the Virtue Mine and gone to Eldorado to work.

Dr. J. M. Boyd has formed a partnership with H. N. McKinney in the Drug business. Remember the ball this evening. A good time is anticipated.

Notice to the Public.
On and after May 20th, 1872, the Post Office hours will be from 9 a. m. to 7 p. m.—Sundays excepted. Open on Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. and 5 to 6 p. m.
W. F. MCGRARY, P. M.

Baker City Lodge No. 25, I. O. O. F., meets every Saturday evening, at half past six o'clock, at Odd Fellows Hall, in the new Bank Block, corner of Front street and Court Avenue. Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

PRAYER MEETING.—A prayer meeting will be held at the Court House, on Saturday evening of this week.

Chas. St. Louis has located permanently in Baker; and is now prepared to manufacture and repair all kinds of jewelry and watches. After twenty-eight years experience in the business, he feels competent to give entire satisfaction. Mr. St. Louis, is also agent for the best Sewing Machine in use, the New Wilson, price, \$35.00.

A Manual of Health.
An edition of between nine and ten millions of copies of a very useful work is now ready for gratuitous distribution, and can be had for the asking at any drug store in the United States, the British Colonies, Spanish America or Brazil. The work referred to is Hostetter's Almanac for 1874. The medical portion of it treats of the various ailments to which the human system is subject, and sets forth the peculiar properties of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters—the purest and best tonic at present known—as a preservative of health and strength, and as a remedy for debility and disease. The Almanac is printed in all the principal languages of the civilized world, and reaches a larger number of families and individuals than any other medical treatise that ever issued from the press. No man or woman who has a due regard for that choicest of heaven's blessings, bodily vigor, should fail to read the plain, simple and convincing articles which this truly practical publication contains. The miscellaneous matter is varied, instructive and amusing, and the calendar department copious and comprehensive. Hostetter's Almanac is, in short, a household convenience, adapted to the use of all classes and callings. The farmer, the planter, the miner, the merchant, the mechanic, the laborer, the professional man, all need it; and to invalids of both sexes it is literally an article of prime necessity. The medical technicalities which render so many medical treatises intended for popular use unintelligible to the general reader, have been carefully avoided in this pamphlet. All is clear, explicit, forcible, and reconcilable with reason and common sense.
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RELIGIOUS.—Rev. G. W. Clancy, of the Baptist Church at Wingville, will preach at the District School House, in Baker City, the Third Sunday of each month, Morning and Evening.

DRESS MAKING!

Mrs. R. C. Shepherd & Co.,
Respectfully inform the Ladies of Baker City and vicinity, that they have opened an establishment, at the residence of Mrs. R. C. Shepherd, in Baker City, where they are prepared to Cut, or Cut an Make all kinds of Ladies' & Childrens Clothing.

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NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS PURCHASED the interest of Charles Schellworth in what was known as the

Schellworth Saloon and Bakery,

With the Stock in trade, Furniture and Fixtures thereunto belonging, and accounts and demands due thereto, in this City, and said Schellworth has retired from Saloon and Bakery business, and the undersigned will alone conduct said business, at the

OLD STAND,

On the corner of Front Street and Valley Avenue. The best

Wines, Liquors, Cigars and FRESH BREAD, CRACKERS, AND PASTRY

Always on hand at the Bakery.

All parties owing the late firm of Schellworth & Co., will settle with the undersigned. Baker City, Sept. 9, 1873.

F. A. BOHNA.

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THE SUN.

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MRS. R. C. SHEPHERD, Agent at BAKER CITY, OREGON. April 2, 1873. n47n9

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