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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.

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.

ANDREW J. LAWRENCE, Attorney-at-Law, BAKER CITY, OREGON. WILL PRACTICE IN ALL COURTS of the State.

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

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.

JOSEPH H. SHINN, Notary Public AND Conveyancer, Will attend to Conveyancing and making ABSTRACTS OF TITLE. Baker City, Sept. 11, 1873.

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.

T. N. Snow, M. D. Physician and Surgeon, BAKER CITY, OREGON. OFFICE—In the new Building immediately South of the Western Hotel.

J. P. Atwood, M. D. (Graduate of the College of Physicians and Surgeons New York and of the Medical Department of the Willamette University.) PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Mrs. R. C. Shepherd IS AGENT FOR Grover & Baker's Sewing Machines. Baker City, Dec. 1, 1872.

T. P. HENDERSON, MAIN STREET, BAKER CITY, Manufacturer and Dealer in HARNESS AND SADDLERY OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, CHEAP FOR CASH.

S. J. M'ORMICK, 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, Oregon.

Undertaker. J. W. CLEAVER informs the Public that he is prepared to do all kinds of work in the Undertaking Business on short notice and at reasonable prices.

New Drug Store.

MPKINNEY & BOYD, Opposite Odd Fellows' Hall, Main Street, BAKER CITY, OREGON. Would respectfully inform the public that they have recently received a well-selected and fresh stock of Drugs, Chemicals, Paints, Oils, Perfumery, Patent Medicines, Soaps, Wines, Brandies, Whiskies and Cordials.

Western Hotel.

REID & FLETCHER, Prop'r. THIS HOUSE has been enlarged and re-fitted, 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.

SALOON!

Liquors, Wines and Cigars of the best quality. Phelan's Improved Billiard Tables all in good order.

RAIL ROAD HOUSE.

CLEMENT & SICORD, Proprietors, Baker City, Oregon.

The Proprietors respectfully inform the Public that they have purchased the Baker City Hotel, and have fitted it up as a First Class Hotel, where they will be found at all times ready to attend to the wants of the

HOTEL RESTAURANT

do FRANCE, JOSEPH MANAUDAS, Proprietor, BAKER CITY, OREGON.

THE PROPRIETOR HAS Bought the Hotel Restaurant, next door to the Post Office, formerly kept by Sicord & Whitcomb, and has fitted the same up in the best style as a Hotel, on the French Restaurant style.

MARKET.

BAKER CITY MARKET. John Eppinger Respectfully informs the citizens of Baker City that he has re-opened the BAKER CITY MARKET.

LIVERY STABLE

MESSRS. KILBURN & PERKINS Respectfully inform the Citizens of Baker City and County, and the Public generally, that they have purchased the

LIVERY STABLE

GRIER & KELLOGG Having completed their New Stable, have now the finest and best regulated Livery Stable in Eastern Oregon.

LIVERY STABLE

STOCK BOUGHT AND SOLD. Baker City, Nov. 13, 1872.

Kastner & Lachner

PROPRIETORS OF THE BAKER CITY BREWERY, On the East side of Powder River, BAKER CITY, OREGON.

MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS,

AT THE NEW STORE, First door above the Express Office. Ladies Fancy and Millinery Goods in Store, and Latest Styles received by Express every Month, and for sale at most reasonable Prices.

Dress Making

Done to Order, and at Short Notice by MRS. L. J. HUSTON. Baker City, April 18, 1874.

Bohna & McCord's SALOON,

AT THE OLD STAND OF Bamberger & Frank, BAKER CITY, OREGON.

Bohna & McCord Respectful-

ly inform the Citizens of Baker City and the Public generally, that they have opened a New SALOON,

Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

Also One of the Finest and Best Billiard Tables To be found in the City. "Fred" and "Bob" will be pleased at all times to have their friends give them a call.

BAKERY.

They have re-opened the bakery in connection with their Saloon, and are prepared to fill all orders in this line, at short notice, and at prices to suit the times.

COSMOPOLITAN SALOON.

WILLIAM CONSTABLE WOULD respectfully inform the Public that he has opened the Cosmopolitan Saloon, Corner of Front Street and Court Avenue, opposite Virtue's Bank, where he will be pleased to see and wait upon his friends and the Public generally.

BAR

Is supplied with the very best of everything in his line. AT ONE BIT A Drink. He has a Fine Billiard Table for the use of his customers.

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,

Watches

and is prepared to do all kinds of work in his line of business. Waltham and Elgin Watches at Factory Prices.

GAINES & BOWMAN,

Blacksmiths AND Manufacturers of Buggies & Wagons.

Wagon Making,

In All the Various Branches carried on by the Undersigned, at his Shop, at the Head of Main Street, BAKER CITY, OREGON.

Jas. H. Koontz,

Forwarding & Commission Merchant, CORNER OF FIRST AND G STREETS, Umatilla, Oregon.

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For the BEDROCK DEMOCRAT.

By JOE, JUNIOR. SISTER OR WIFE.

Charley Davis, was as fine a specimen of manhood as could be found in the mines, he was a universal favorite with all; his fellow miners used to meet around the camp fire at night, and talk of the loved ones at home; all had something to say, but Charley, about a loving sister; he could not help but be a little envious when he would hear some tone of the boys reading a letter that a sister had written, and he wished, that he could claim a sister's love; so one evening he surprised his friends, by telling them he was going back to the States to see if he could find a sister. He went and in the beautiful town of A., he met his fate. Charley told Minnie of his life in the mines, of his narrow escapes from the Indians, of his encounters with the grizzly bears, and she listened to him with all the earnestness of a school girl, to his interesting stories; and she was proud of one who had gone so far from home and had seen so much.

Minnie was as merry and as gay a girl as one would wish to see. They were firm friends, these two, and the hours passed pleasantly, and very happy, when they passed an evening together. One night Charley called her sister, and Minnie said, I am glad you called me sister, and Charley said you must call me brother. Oh, yes she said, dear brother Charley. Swiftly now did the moments pass away; they told all their troubles to one another, they were very happy so much to tell and to talk about. To call her sister seemed so nice and sweet. They were very happy, and they were human; they loved, and neither one had time to analyze their feelings. The first time he kissed her, there was a germ warmed into life; and since that time he had loved her with all the ardor of first love; did she know, and did she love him as he loved her? was a perplexing question to him. He hoped, and of course doubted. He made up his mind to ask her. Surely, he thought I have but to ask her, he hesitated, and stammered but declared his love to her.

She looked surprised. Oh, brother Charley, she said, I never thought this, it is so sudden, I never suspected this. Never suspected that I loved you, Minnie! Oh, yes! but as a sister. I love you more than my life, he replied, and are you not sure but that you can love me more than a brother? I do not know it is so sudden, let me think about it. Charley bid her good night, but did not as usual give her accustomed kiss, he was unreasonable, but people in love generally do very foolish things; but with a woman's quick wit, she knew just what to do, and she called him back, and said, Charley, you have not kissed me, and I hope you are not angry with me. No he replied I am not angry; then give me my kiss, she said presenting to him the sweetest face, he thought he had ever seen. The heart of the sourest old bachelor in the world would have melted at the thought of kissing such a sweet face. Then Charley left, he well knew they could never be as brother and sister again; he loved her with a far greater love, than that of a brother; he was unable to sleep, thinking all the time what her answer would be. Nothing could happen to him so bad, as her refusal to have him. With her poor girl, it was the same. How foolish he is she thought, just as we were beginning to have such a good time; and she cried herself to sleep. He did not get a chance too see her alone for several days, she managed it so well that he had no chance to press his suit. He was cheerful with hope one day, and the next filled with despair, if she was lively he considered his chances good; if she seemed sad, he was in the depths of despair. It was very tantalizing, but she thought she would make him wait a week. So the next time they met he said, Minnie, it is useless to grieve on this way, you can just as well answer my question now as well

as a month hence. Charley she said, I do not know what to say! very well he replied, I am sorry to go, so good bye. Oh, do not go she replied. Then why not answer my question.

She hated to yield, she loved him but did not want to give up; she would rather of kept him in suspense a while longer, but she seen that he was terrible in earnest. He started to leave again, when she cried, Charley, I do love you, I cannot let you go, I have loved all the time. Then she commenced to cry in earnest, it is very hard for a man to see a woman cry much, and not offer her sympathy. Charley weakened, and it was not long until they were married, she manages him finely but he does not know it, he thinks his will is law, and she knows her's is, she always did intend to have her way, and he, poor child, does not know it.

OUR ADA COUNTY LETTER.

BOISE CITY, I. T.; Nov. 14, 1874.

EDITOR DEMOCRAT:—Boise City is beginning to liven up owing to the coming session of the Legislature, which convenes the 7th of next month. The Senate or Council is supposed to be about even, but the Democrats have about 11 majority in the House, as far as heard from.

S. S. Fenn, our candidate for Delegate to Congress, is 105 ahead, with Oneida and Lemhi to bear from, which are counted for Bennet as follows: Oneida 60; Lemhi 50 majority. North Idaho, where Fenn lives, gave him (Fenn) 466 majority.

George Ainslie Democratic candidate for District Attorney for the counties of Lemhi, Boise, and Alturas is supposed to be beat by Jonas W. Brown, Independent Republican.

Caleb North, Democratic candidate for Coroner in this county, is elected by 1 majority.

The Democrats in Boise County elected their whole county ticket except Treasurer, Probate Judge and three out of the eight Assemblymen, who are Independents.

A gentleman just down from Idaho City, says the stand the DEMOCRAT took in relation to Idaho Politics at the last election, made that staunch, Democratic organ of Eastern Oregon, many friends up there. They say it has the true Democratic ring.

We noticed an article in the Herald some time ago stating that the editor of the DEMOCRAT had sent his son to Boise City to school, and seemed to think it was very strange. We think, from the looks of his paper, the editor of the Herald had better go to school a little longer before attempting to run a newspaper.

Jim Pile, an old typo of Idaho City, is now working in the Statesman office in this city.

A DEMOCRAT.

THE WAY ITS DONE IN OWYHEE—The Idaho World says there is a rumor, here to the effect that electioneers in Owyhee County, went out on election day, with one hand full of, "the right kind of tickets" the other full of small coin, and whenever they met a sovereign whose vote was desired, a ticket and a sum in coin judged to be sufficient to overcome his moiety of self respect was thrust into his hands, and he was then told, "That is the right ticket; go and vote." Thus convinced the "sovs" went to the polls and in most cases voted the tickets given them, as any true patriot and good citizen would do. What political party was benefited by this course that is, admitting the correctness of the story, we do not know. But we kind o' like the method of electioneering, its so simple. No harranging, nor buttonholing is needed, but just to correctly estimate the value the voter puts upon his country and his liberties, and give him the money.

Now that Brigham Young is sick they say "his select counselors stand guard over their dying master, and watch each other with wolfish glances, showing that they are greedily awaiting the feast which death is to spread before them." This "feast" probably refers to Brigham's wealth, and not his widows.

The singular statement appears in the St. Louis Globe that "General Sheridan won't marry because he doesn't want to give up the privilege of going to bed with his boots on."

From Baker County.

A correspondent of the Salem Record, who visited Baker City during the time of the late Ladies Fancy Fair, in aid of the Sister's School, gives the following description of Baker county and the Fair.

BAKER CITY, Oct., 1874.

MR. EDITOR: Sojourning for a brief time in Baker County perhaps a little chat concerning that part of the county might not be uninteresting to many of your readers.

From personal observation I am convinced that Eastern Oregon is destined to take a leading part in all affairs concerning this State. The mines are in active operation and Rye Valley and Connor Creek are earnestly rewarding those whose enterprise and industry have developed that wonderful country.

At Auburn I found things quiet, but no complaint of dull times. The hotel kept by Mr. and Mrs. Griffin is doing a good business, and the merchants look happy and care free.

At Eldorado and Clarke Creek, a successful future is promised, the Eldorado ditch we are confident under the management of its present owners will be a decided success.

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