

Bedrock Democrat.

Baker City, August 25, 1875.

The BEDROCK DEMOCRAT has more than a year, paying subscribers in Baker County, than has any other two papers published in the State. We put no man's name on our subscription list unless we have orders so to do.

BLANK DEEDS, Mortgages and other blanks for sale at this Office.

Money Market.

Latest New York Gold Quotations, 116 3/4
LEGAL TENDERS IN PORTLAND:
Buying, 86c. Selling, 87

Personal.

J. M. Shepherd, Senior Editor of this paper, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Lulu, started for the Wallamet Valley, on a business trip, last Monday. He will be absent three or four weeks, during which time the Junior editor will attend to all business connected with this office.

Mrs. M. H. Abbott and her daughter, Miss Dora, arrived here from Pendleton last Saturday morning.

Mr. J. W. Johnson, of Galena Mining District, called on us last Friday. He reports the prospects for that camp as being very flattering.

Billy Reynolds, of the Virtue Mine, has a "case" in this office during the absence of the Senior editor.

Mr. E. King, a musician from La Grande, has located permanently in this city.

Three gentlemen from the Wallamet Valley have rented the Academy Building, and will open school in next Monday morning. Success to them.

Estes & Lovell received a large invoice of Singer Sewing Machines last Sunday, and have opened them out in Reynold's Hall. They want it distinctly understood that they are the sole agents for Eastern Oregon.

Pap Levens received an invoice of nice cigars last Saturday. He also received a nice lot of Accordions, which he will sell cheap for cash.

Roll Parker, of Connor Creek, is on a visit to this city.

IMMIGRANTS.—Within the past few weeks several families have arrived in our city from the Eastern States—some from Missouri, some from Kansas, and others from Nebraska. They all appear to be well pleased with our city and country, and are looking for work. They have the appearance of being honest, industrious and enterprising gentlemen and are willing to work at reasonable wages. Some, or, in fact, the most of them, are from the grasshopper regions of those States, and have suffered by the ravages of those pests, for the two past seasons, and, as a consequence, come among us anything but full-handed in the matter of worldly goods. They come among us to better their condition, and wish to procure work until they can look around and find localities that will suit them for permanent homes. They are willing to work at any honest labor. Some of them are mechanics, and others common laborers and farm hands.

RECORDS OF FAST HORSES.—A correspondent desires to know what is the best time on record made by Goldsmith Maid, the celebrated trotting mare. For his information we will state that the fastest time yet achieved by this celebrated queen of the trotting turf is two minutes and 14 seconds. This time was made by Goldsmith Maid in a race—single heat—at Mystic Park. During 1874 her best time was that mentioned above. Prior to 1874 fastest time accomplished by her was 2:16 3/4. Lulu whose time at a trotting race was such as to win for her the proud distinction of "Queen of the Trotting Turf of America," also has a splendid record. Her best time in 1874 was 2:10 3/4; prior to that year 2:24 3/4. Nettie, another contestant at the race mentioned, has an excellent record, her fastest time in 1874 being 2:18 1/2. American Girl, who also was a rival for the honors now won by Lulu, made during 1874 a good record, the fastest time being 2:16 3/4. Previous to that year her best time was 2:17 1/2.

SURPRISED.—The immigrants who have arrived in our city within the past week or two are surprised at the quantity and size of the vegetables they see brought to our market.

BOOKS, MAGAZINES, &c.—Geo. H. Tracy is constantly increasing his stock of Books, Stationery, Magazines and Periodicals. He now has a good assortment of everything in his line. He will furnish you anything you want to read.

ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL.—We call attention to the advertisement in this paper of St. Paul's Boarding School for Girls at Walla Walla. Some parents will be glad of the opportunity to send their daughters to a Protestant School where they will be carefully trained and taught any accomplishment that may be desired.

SHOT.—A day or two since two sons of Harvey Robbins, of Graatte Creek, and a hired man were shot. The party having the gun was shot through the leg, above the knee, the one before him through the calf of the leg, and the one ahead of him in the heel. The gun was loaded with bird shot, and was discharged accidentally.

GALENA MINING DISTRICT.—We are indebted to Mr. J. W. Johnson, of Galena Mining District, for the following list of assays, made by James W. Virtue, of this city, from the following named lodes in the above mentioned District:

Two assays from the Light Foot Lode, 52.32 in gold, and 2,999.57 in silver; Comstock, 117.71 gold; Little Maud, 104.64; Eclipse, 78.48; Clyde, 26.16; Chieftain, 130.80; Mountain Queen, 45.78.

BONANZA.—J. S. Cherry forked out of Smith & Co.'s claims, in Washington Gulch a one hundred and seventy-two dollar nugget on last Monday week.

ARRIVED.—Mr. T. D. Parker, son of our worthy County Treasurer and brother of the Parker Bros., and family, arrived in our city on last Saturday evening from Missouri. Miss Lucy Cooper, a cousin to Mr. Parker, also accompanied them.

Who Was It?—A man from the country was telling the other day about overtaking a carriage last Sunday on the road between this city and Wingville. He said that the young couple were from Baker, and that they were having a very hard time, especially as the day was very warm. The carriage seat was also very rough, as they had their arms around each other trying to keep their footing on their seats. Who could it have been?

TAX ELECTION.—At an election of the legal voters of our city last Monday, to decide whether or not there should be levied a tax of one half of one per cent on the taxable property of our city for the purpose of enabling our City Fathers to put our Fire Department in a situation to be of some benefit in case of fire, the vote stood as follows: Tax, 37; No Tax, 14.

LARGE ONION.—We were yesterday shown by Mr. T. D. Daley, of Eagle Creek Valley, an onion which weighed four pounds.

WILL MOVE IN.—Carpenters are at work on the shelving, &c., in the building, on the corner of Main Street and Court Avenue, to be occupied by the new firm of Baer, Alexander & Co. They will commence moving from their old stand next Monday.

LEFT.—Miss Kittie Kinsey, who has been teaching music in this city for the past three months, returned to her home in La Grande yesterday morning.

COMING.—We see by the Idaho papers that the McGinley Theatrical Troupe are on their way here. They are well spoken of by the Idaho papers.

RETURNING.—We are in receipt of a note from Rev. G. W. Adams in which he says he would start to Baker from Portland last Friday.

CHANGED.—The Good Templars of this city have changed their time of meeting from Wednesday to Monday evening. They meet in Bedrock Hall.

IMPROVING.—Miss Madia Perkins is improving rapidly. We hope to see her out soon.

JUST OPENED.—By private letter from H. C. Tandy, the best Photographer that ever visited Eastern Oregon. We are informed that he has just opened a splendid gallery in Silver City, and will send down all orders from Baker City in a short time.

Don't let your angry passions rise
Because your neighbors advertise,
And draw away the dimes;
But boldly do as they have done,
Pursue the course they have begun,
And drive away dull times.

IMPUDENCE.—"Mary, why did you kiss your hand to the gentleman opposite?" asked a careful mother of her blooming daughter. "Why, the gentleman had the impudence to throw a kiss clear across the street to me, and, of course, I threw it back indignantly. You wouldn't have me encourage him by keeping it, would you?"

CONSTANT.—A Frenchman more noted for his conceit and for a certain amount of success with the fair sex than for the cleanliness of his linen, was posing the other day before a beautiful and witty woman, when he delivered himself of this rather arrogant sentiment: "Women, I change them as I do my shirts." "Ah," said the fair one, looking attentively at the collar of his shirt, "I should never have believed you so constant."

REMOVED.—Fred Bohna has moved his saloon into the building formerly occupied by A. H. Brown.

THE DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

The Jacksonville Times says: Some errors occurred in publishing the Democratic platform last week, which was taken from the daily papers, but they have been duly rectified. It is an able document, and while it enunciates good old Democratic doctrine, it is broad enough for all desirous of good government and State and National prosperity to stand upon. It is perfect in all its points, and though our opponents are prone to pick at any flaws in it, they let the matter seriously alone.

ROSEBURG, Aug. 14.—P. J. Malone, an old citizen of Oregon, and formerly the editor of the Corvallis Union, which was suppressed during the war, died this morning at 8 o'clock. He was traveling through Oregon for his health, and his death was very unexpected to his many mourning friends.

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—The Inter-Ocean's special from Fort Laramie, dated 14th, states that at a meeting of miners in Custer City, on French creek, resolutions were passed tendering thanks to President Grant for the manner in which he caused his command to be executed. They say they are convinced that the Black Hills is one of the richest mining districts in the United States, and that in obeying the command of the President they do so under protest. The miners nearly all leaving the Hills. Six men appointed to remain on French creek and preserve their claims until the Hills are opened for the miners who leave. Spotted Tail and twelve of his tribe, who have arrived from Spotted-Tail agency accompanied by the Indian agent, left French creek to-day to return to their agency. The object of their visit was to see for themselves the value of the Black Hills. They want more compensation for their territory, and also demand payment for the gold already taken out by the miners this summer, in addition to the purchase price expected from government.

SERVES HIM RIGHT.—Sherman, the lachrymose brother of Plymouth Church, has got into a sea of trouble. In his recent speech in London, he said that the attentions of Mr. Beecher paid to Tilton's wife were common between clergymen and their female parishioners in America, and that if one member of the jury had not been a friend of Moulton's the verdict would have been a unanimous acquittal. Shearman is now accused of slandering Christian women and the Beecher-Tilton jury, and his character as a Christian and standing as a lawyer are in a fair way of being destroyed.

The venerable widow of Andrew Johnson is dangerously ill. She was prostrated by the shock of her husband's death, and it is expected she will not long survive him.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF FORECLOSURE of Mortgage Loan and Order of Sale thereof, made and entered in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Baker, on the 18th day of May, 1875, said decree being made in favor of H. C. Edwards, and against H. Bordin and Geo. Cook, foreclosing a Mortgage on the premises hereinafter described, and for the recovery of the sum of \$1,192.25, gold coin, and interest thereon from date of Decree against said H. Bordin and Geo. Cook, and that the Mortgaged premises hereinafter described be sold to satisfy said Decree, interest, costs and expenses of sale, and that Execution issue for any balance remaining unsatisfied by such sale against other property of said defendants. Now, therefore, by virtue of an Execution to me directed, reciting said Decree, commanding me to sell the said Mortgaged premises to satisfy said Decree, interest, costs and expenses of sale, I will, on Thursday, the 16th day of September, A. D. 1875, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., of said day, at the Court House Door, in Baker City, Baker County, Oregon, sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in gold coin, the following described real property as described in said Decree of Foreclosure, situate in Baker County, Oregon, to-wit: That certain lot and premises situate on the south side of Portland street, in the City of Eldorado, bounded on the west side by A. Moore & Bros. lot, and on the east by China George's lot, the same being 25 feet wide, by 100 in length and known as the Eldorado Meat Market premises. Also the slaughter house and corral used in connection with said market, the same being situate at the northerly part of said town. Also a certain lot situated on the northern side of said street 50 by 100 feet, and fronting on said street 50 feet, the same being formerly known as Cook & Co.'s Stable, and by them bought of A. Moore & Bros. Also a certain lot situate in the town of Amelia, said County and State, on which is situate a meat market and the same, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging. Said premises being subject to redemption after sale, as provided by law. Dated this 16th day of August, 1875.

J. M. BOYD, Sheriff
of Baker Co., Ogn.
n15-19 By D. L. MOOMAW, Deputy.

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF Baker County, Oregon, for the year 1874, Commencing July 1st, 1874, and Ending July 1st, 1875.

RECEIPTS:	
Total amount of taxable property for the year 1874, delivered to Sheriff	\$53,150.00
County Tax Levied	\$1,227.81
" " collected July 1, 1875	9,982.12
Amount County Tax Delinquent	
July 1st, 1875	\$3,235.69
State Tax levied for year 1874	\$3,306.95
" " collected July 1st, 1875	1,204.70
Amount State Tax delinquent,	
July 1st, 1875	\$2,102.25
School Tax levied for year 1874	\$1,653.47
" " collected July 1st, 1875	694.24
Amount School Tax delinquent	
July 1st, 1875	\$1,019.29
No. of Polls charged to Sheriff	305
No. collected, July 1st, 1875	134
No. delinquent July 1st, 1875	171
Amount County Tax collected by Assessor	\$88.72
Amount State Tax collected by Assessor	80.35
Amount School Tax collected by Assessor	12.67
Total collected by Assessor	\$181.74
Amount of County Tax collected by Sheriff on delinquent rolls of 1869, 1870, 1871, 1872, and 1873, to July 1st, A. D. 1875	\$1,185.69
Amount State Tax collected on said years by Sheriff July 1st, 1875	373.33
School Tax collected for said years by Sheriff July 1st, 1875	146.50
Total	\$1,705.52
Contingent fund on hand July 1st, 1874	\$888.39
Amount expended to July 1st, 1875	677.09
Balance on hand July 1st, 1875	\$211.30
Amount transferred July 1, 1875	490.96
Amount on hand July 1st, 1875, County Tax, amount on hand July 1st, 1874	\$701.26
County Tax, amount collected and received on taxes to July 1st, 1875	11,777.81
Total amount, last years balance and from taxes	\$11,889.32
Amount received from liquor, ferry and peddle's license, &c.	1,456.33
County funds received from all sources for the year	\$13,345.65
EXPENDITURES:	
Amount Expended, and for what purpose, since July 1st, 1874, to July 1st, 1875:	
Assessor's account	\$250.00
Treasurer's account	600.00
Insane account	499.98
Contingent account	16.00
Superior account	20.00
Sheriff's account	2,701.75
Coroner's account	38.55
Circuit Court account	2,338.51
Justice of the Peace account	29.10
Road account	485.00
Miscellaneous account	54.50
County Commissioners account	2,210.00
County Clerk's account	1,494.75
Jail account	2,483.58
County Judge's account	666.65
Total expenditures	\$13,396.14
Excess of expenditures above receipts	\$50.49
RECAPITULATION:	
Total amount of receipts, County funds	\$13,345.65
Total amount of County funds on hand, including contingent fund	2,189.18
Amount of receipts and funds on hand	\$15,534.83
Amount of Expenditures for year	\$13,396.14
Balance in favor of County fund	\$2,138.69
Amount of County indebtedness July 1st, 1874	\$11,125.35
Balance in hands of County Treasurer, July 1st, 1875	2,138.69
Amount of County indebtedness July 1st, 1875	\$8,986.66

Baker County, Oregon.—ss. I, Luther B. Ison, County Clerk of said Baker County, State of Oregon, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct statement of the Receipts and Expenditures of said County, for the year commencing July 1st, 1874, and ending July 1st, A. D. 1875, and is a correct exhibit of the Financial condition of said County since July 1st, 1870, as I verily believe, saving and excepting interest paid on redeemed County Bonds since September 7th, A. D. 1870, and accrued interest, due on outstanding indebtedness.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said County, this 20th day of A. D. 1875.

LUTHER B. ISON
County Clerk,
Baker County.
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I, O. R. M., Winemeca Tribe No. 5, Indian, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct statement of the Red Men Regular Council Tuesday evening of each week. Odd Fellows Hall, corner of Front street and Court Avenue. Members of the Order invited to attend.

By order of

CENTENNIAL.

1876. 1876.

PROCLAMATION. CHICAGO AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

The Popular Route Overland.

PASSENGERS FOR CHICAGO, NIAGARA FALLS, PITTSBURGH, PHILADELPHIA, MONTEAL, QUEBEC, NEW YORK, BOSTON, or any point East, should buy their TRANSCONTINENTAL TICKETS

Via the Pioneer Route, THE CHICAGO AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY. THIS IS THE BEST ROUTE EAST.

Its Track is of STEEL RAILS, and on it has been made the fastest time that has ever been made in this country. By this route passengers for points east of Chicago have the choice of the following lines from Chicago:

BY THE PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO AND PENNSYLVANIA RAILWAYS.

3 Through Trains Daily, with Pullman Palace Cars through to Philadelphia and New York on each train.

1 Through Train, with Pullman Palace Cars to Baltimore and Washington.

BY THE LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY & CONNECTIONS (NEW YORK CENTRAL AND ERIE RAILROADS):

2 Through Trains Daily, with Palace Drawing Room and Silver Palace Sleeping Cars through to New York.

BY MICHIGAN CENTRAL, GRAND TRUNK, GREAT WESTERN & ERIE & N. YORK CENTRAL RAILWAYS:

3 Through Trains, with Pullman Palace Drawing Room and Sleeping Cars thro' to New York, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Rochester, or New York City.

BY BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD:

2 Through Trains Daily, with Pullman Palace Cars for Newark, Zanesville, Wheeling, Washington and Baltimore without change.

This is the SHORTEST, BEST and only line running Pullman celebrated Palace Sleeping Cars, connecting with the Union Pacific Railroad at OMAHA, and from the West, via Grand Junction, Marshall, Cedar Rapids, Clinton, Sterling and Dixon, for Chicago and the East.

This popular route is unsurpassed for Speed, Comfort and Safety. The smooth, well-laid and perfect track of steel rails, the celebrated Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars, the perfect Telegraph System of moving trains, the regularity with which they run, the admirable arrangement for running through cars to Chicago from all points West, secure to passengers all the comforts in modern Railway Traveling. No changes of Cars and no tedious delays at Ferries.

Passengers will find Tickets via this Favorite Route at the General Ticket Office of the Central Pacific Railroad, Sacramento.

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W. H. STENNETT, Agent.

MARTIN HUGHITT, Gen. Sup't.

H. P. STANWOOD, General Agency, 121 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

August 1st, 1875. n14y

Variety and Vegetable Store.

Phil. Hardesty & Jno. Levens, Prop's, BAKER CITY, OREGON.

RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE CITIZENS OF Baker City and vicinity, that they have on hand, and are constantly receiving a full supply of all articles in their line, which they are selling cheap for cash. They keep Canned Fruits, Nuts, Candies, and also all kinds of fresh Fruits and Vegetables. Also,

BUTTER AND EGGS,

and all other articles in their line, wanted by the citizens of Baker City.

Give us a Call, next door to Pap Levens' Wholesale and Retail Liquor Store.

HARDESTY & LEVENS, Baker City, June, 9, 1875. n50ff



Forestall Summer Fevers and all the complaints generated by excessive heat, by keeping the blood cool and the bowels free with

TARRANT'S EFFERVESCENT SELTZER WATER.

At once a most refreshing draught and the best of all regulating medicines.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

"SENATE" SALOON,

V. Pfeifferberger, Proprietor,

Opposite Pap Levens on Front Street, BAKER CITY, OREGON.

THE BEST OF WINES, LIQUORS, and all other kinds of drinks, kept constantly on hand, and the costliest treat for the innocent amusements of Pedro Sell Out, Pictorial reading &c., in Baker City.

Call and Settle.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have leased my Blacksmith and Wagon shops to Dealy & Tweedie, and have closed my business. All those indebted to S. B. McCord, or McCord Brothers, are hereby notified that they must now come forward and settle their accounts. Money must come, and there is no use talking, if you do not settle with me, you must with an attorney.

S. B. MCCORD, Baker City, May 10th 1875. n1ff

To the Public.

REPORTS HAVING BEEN CIRCULATED in this community, and elsewhere, reflecting on the honesty of Mr. Thos. McDonald, in the management of the affairs of the Rye Valley Mining Company. We hereby certify that, after a careful examination of his books and accounts, we found them correct, and we furthermore exonerate Mr. McDonald from all such charges of fraud or dishonesty.

WALTER S. THORNE, CHAS. H. PEARSON.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all Partnership relations between Dr. J. M. Boyd and H. N. McKinney have been dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts against said firm will be settled by H. N. McKinney, and all accounts due said firm will be paid to him, it is hoped, without delay.

Baker City, Dec. 24, 1874. n35ff

For Sale.

A Press, in good running order. Can take from 600 to 800 impressions per hour. Six fonts of type, all new except one which has been in use about two years. Suitable for a business man, an amateur or printer. Will be sold at cost. Enquire at BEDROCK DEMOCRAT office.

March 10th 1875. n44ff

Lively Times

IN BAKER CITY,

SINCE THE ARRIVAL OF SAM. OTTENHEIMER'S NEW GOODS.

Just Received FROM

San Francisco Direct,

The Most Extensive, the Best and Most Extensive Assortment of GENERAL MERCHANDISE

Ever Brought TO

This Market,

Consisting in Part of

Ladies' Dress & Fancy Goods

Of Every Description, together with a Full and Complete Assortment of MINING SUPPLIES,

LIQUORS, TOBACCO & CIGARS, GROCERIES,

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, CLOTHING,

BOOTS AND SHOES, HARDWARE,

CROCKERY, and GLASSWARE

All of which will be Sold

Wholesale and Retail AT

Lowest Prices.

Thankful for the liberal manner in which I have heretofore been patronized, I hope by fair and honorable dealing to merit a continuance of the same.

S. OTTENHEIMER, Virtue Block, Baker City, Oct. 7, 1873. n22

ONCE MORE WE COME!!

WITH

A New Stock of Goods

Larger and more attractive than ever before, bought since the great financial panic, and which we offer at

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!!

OUR STOCK OF

CLOTHING

Has been largely increased and we can show as handsome a line of ready made goods in MEN'S AND BOYS BUSINESS AND DRESS

Suits, Overcoats, &c., as can be found in the County, at prices that cannot fail to satisfy.

Our Dress Goods Department

Is well filled with a splendid assortment of the leading styles and fashionable shades.

Empress Cloths, Satteens,

Mohair, American Dress Goods, and FLANNELS,

Plaid, Plain and Opera, of all colors. Bleached and Unbleached Cotton Flannels.

Ladies' & Gents' Underwear.

Hats and Caps.

In the leading Styles.

Boots and Shoes.

We would call special attention to our stock of Mens' and Boys' San Francisco Boots which we have sold for a number of years past with satisfaction.

Every pair warranted.

A Well Selected Stock of

FAMILY GROCERIES,

At astonishing low Prices.

We have a large assortment of

Miners' and Farmers' Implements,

Which we are selling at lower prices than ever before offered in this Market.

Remember that our Store is in the FIREPROOF BANK BLOCK.

BAMBERGER & FRANK. Dec. 1, 1874. n30ff

New Drug Store.

H. N. MCKINNEY,

Corner of Main Street and Valley Avenue, BAKER CITY, OREGON.

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