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OUR AGENTS.

H. M. BRYANT is the traveling Agent for the "Montana Post," and is authorized to solicit subscriptions, to obtain orders for job work, and to collect and receipt for all money due to this office.

LOCAL ITEMS.

THE MONTANA THEATRE.—This week the Fenians had their complimentary benefit, and, despite the snow-storm and the cold, turned out well, and they were rewarded for their exertions by a good time.

HELENA ITEMS.

MONTANA has come out ahead at last, and Judge Tutts will please credit this last wonder to the Territory and see that either Colorado or Idaho does not surreptitiously jump our claim to supremacy in the matter of native gold.

HELENA THEATRE.

HELENA THEATRE.—Mr. C. W. Kidder, agent of the Pioneer Dramatic Troupe, is now in town, making arrangements for the opening of a Theatre here.

ROOSEVELT.

ROOSEVELT.—Mr. James W. Whitlatch, the owner of the "Union," "Owyhee" and "D. R. Biggars" Lodges, with the other settlers at the head of Oro Fino Gulch, near Helena, have given the name of Roosevelt to their settlement, which promises to be a place of importance in the Territory.

MAN DROWNED.

MAN DROWNED.—A man named Hugh Blake, was drowned, on the 14th inst. in the Missouri River, about six miles below the Beartooth Mountain.

TOTTEN HOUSE.

TOTTEN HOUSE.—We can recommend this house, situated on Bridge street, opposite the Express office, as a place where hungry mortals can get a square meal, for we have personally proved the justice of our remarks.

PROSPECTORS.

PROSPECTORS still wear the cold and snow of the mountains, and we hear of lodes discovered everywhere. The mill on the Lacus is progressing finely, and will soon be at work.

A GENTLEMAN IN TOWN.

A GENTLEMAN in town has informed us that he has discovered a quartz mountain, a few miles from Jefferson. The entire body of the mountain is dark, liver-brown gold ore.

Billiards—Acceptance of Challenge.

Mr. VALENTINE L. ORNDORFF—Dear Sir: In answer to your letter of the 23d inst., I beg to let you know that I shall be happy to play a match of billiards with you, at Helena, for five hundred dollars a side, 23 balls, on a Phelan carom table; and I am willing to deposit \$250 directly I reach Helena, for which place I shall start in the beginning of the week.

W. H. FILES.

W. H. FILES, of the Jefferson House, underwent amputation of the wrist, early in the week. He is doing well and attending to the business of his well and deservedly patronized Hotel and boarding house.

ARRIVED ON THE WINGS OF THE WIND.

ARRIVED ON THE WINGS OF THE WIND, Old Man Winter. His coming was unexpected. It has snowed in honor of his advent from Monday evening till now—not in densest fashion, fall and spring—snowing fitfully and chillily, just enough to smart by, coughs, colds and general pulmonary disquietude are the results.

MR. HINEMAN IS STILL PROGRESSING.

MR. HINEMAN is still progressing, and able to play a game of billiards. He is, of course, far from strong; but that he is alive at all is a standing marvel. He attributes his recovery, humbly speaking, to the skillful care of Dr. Maupin, of Helena.

OUR THEATRICAL TROUPE LEFT US FOR NEVADA.

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COMMERCIAL.

Virginia City Wholesale Market. CORRECTED WEEKLY BY J. S. ROCKFELLOW, (Late Rockfellow & Dennee.) No. 3, Jackson Street, Virginia City.

Non-resident readers will please bear in mind that our quotations are based upon actual transactions, and are gold prices for goods by the original packages. The retail prices quoted about ten per cent. above quotations.

Extreme dullness is the prevailing feature of the Tea market, and prices are entirely nominal at a further decline of 50¢ per lb. We can see no great cause for the reduction as there is not near enough for the winter's consumption, and only a few small lots are arriving.

THE TOBACCO market is very firm, and there is considerable inquiry for certain brands, of which there is but very little in the market.

FLLOUR. St. Louis, 98-lb sack, \$36 00@37 50 Salt Lake, 98-lb sack, 30 00@32 50

BACON. Heavy Sides, 100-lb sack, 50¢ Medium, 100-lb sack, 47¢

HAMS. Prime canvassed, 50¢ Country, 50¢

LARD. Small cans, 60¢ Large, 45¢@47¢

SUGARS. New Orleans, 53¢ Clarified, 55¢ Powdered, 60¢ A refined, 55¢

COFFEE. Java, 2 lb, \$1 00 Ordinary, 1 00

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Blank Deeds, Abstracts, Mining and Rancho Laws. If you want a supply of anything in our line, give us a call.

Notice. TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.—Will be sold at the corner of Van Buren and Wallace streets, in Virginia City, Montana Territory, on the 27th day of November, 1865, the horses of one and four o'clock P. M. of said day.

Legal Notice. TO MICHAEL STEINER: Sir—You are hereby notified that Charles St. Clair has on the 10th of October, 1865, filed his complaint in the Probate Court of Madison County, Montana Territory, claiming of you the sum of \$207.00.

Dr. A. L. Justice. OFFICE ON WALLACE STREET, next door to the City Drug Store.

KING & GILLETTE, Wholesale Dealers in Staple and Fancy Groceries, DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES, HARDWARE AND MINERS' TOOLS.

BULL'S HEAD MEAT MARKET, Wallace Street. Two Doors Below Pfouts & Russell.

Beef, Mutton, Veal, Game, Fish, Sausages and Fowls. A. J. Oliver & Co's Express.

Final Settlement. NOTICE is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of J. S. Slade, deceased, that the undersigned administrator intends to make a final settlement of said estate, on the first Monday of November 1865, before the Probate Court, Madison County, M. T.

STAR RESTAURANT.

Jackson Street, - - - Virginia City. GEORGE BRANDT. BEGS to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has fitted up his new Stone Building, solely with a view to the comfort and convenience of his patrons, and regardless of expense. The business will be conducted on the

EUROPEAN SYSTEM! Selections can be made by each guest from the Bill of Fare, on which the prices of each article will be distinctly marked.

Beefsteaks and Mutton Chops Served in the English Style. FRESH MEAT, GAME, FISH, POULTRY, VENISON, CROQUETS, BONED FOWL, SARDINES, Oysters and other Shell Fish in all Styles. PASTRY OF ALL KINDS, BLANC MANGE, JELLY AND PUDDINGS.

BOARDERS Will receive every attention at the hands of the Proprietor.

AN ICE CREAM SALOON. It is fitted up with a separate entrance for Ladies, where every delicacy and description of refreshment obtainable at such establishments will be in readiness.

Wines, Liquors, &c., will be kept on hand, and also CIGARS OF THE BEST DESCRIPTION. MEALS SERVED AT ALL HOURS OF THE DAY AND NIGHT.

E. Olinghouse, W. B. Ridenour. E. OLINGHOUSE & CO., Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

The Best Fire-Proof Warehouse in the City, with Cellar Attached.

Notice. THE three steers hereinafter described, came to my Ranch on the Madison, 10 miles below the crossing, and on removal to Confederate Gulch, I brought them with me.

Disolution Notice. THE Partnership heretofore existing between George Brandt and Philip Schenk, of the Star Restaurant, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

J. S. ROCKFELLOW,

(LATE ROCKFELLOW & DENNIE.) COMMISSION MERCHANT. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. DEALER IN STAPLE

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