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The clean and nicely fitted up stable of Foster & Culver is provided with feed for animals and good stables.

People who persist in using the "noxious weed," generally called tobacco, should patronize Messrs. Griffith & Mahon.

Griffith & Mahon can sell any one all the tobacco he wants, and he will not be obliged to annoy his friends by asking for a "chaw."

All visitors or residents who are purchasing wine or liquors of any particular brand, should give Sam Bressler a call, and we will assure them that they can find just the article they want.

Judge McCullough tried the following parties during the week. — Dillon, on the 16th inst., for assaulting a butcher, fined \$5 and costs. A. J. Snider, on the 13th inst., for assaulting a lawyer, fined \$20 and costs. A perusal of this brief record shows that the judicial business of the week was not very heavy, and that the criminal business was small.

A gentleman from Helena was placed upon the grand jury against his wishes. The public official stated that every person that he notified to attend the court was a juror, usually claimed exemption on the ground that he belonged to Helena. In this case, what was considered a pretext proved to be the truth. The work of justice was not stopped, and the matter was speedily remedied.

We advise the "Gazette" to examine the book of poetical quotations, which its editors use, and see if it has made another typographical mistake about "Tara," or "Tera." A collection of British poems will be of service, although the impression of the reader of the "Gazette" would be that Moore wrote in the Celtic dialect.

J. C. Turk, who is a notorious individual in this place a few months since, is now connected with the "Omaha Nonpareil," as an associate editor. The "Herald" of the 25th ult. describes him in very forcible language, and states that he has been "wadded from the hell holes of Virginia City." We hear that there has been no improvement in his chief characteristics, which are too well known to be printed in the Post.

A snow storm commenced on the morning of the 13th inst., and still continues. There have been occasional lulls, and the effect thus far has been unimportant in the neighborhood. Upon the mountains, the peaks have been filled with the congealed rain of winter, and the coaches upon all the lines that run to Virginia City, were behind time about twenty-four hours. We have been informed that the snow on the Prickly Pear divide was four feet deep; on the Black Tail divide, seven feet; on the Great Salt Lake, it was two and a half feet in depth. The interruption of our mail facilities for a few hours, makes our impatient and enterprising citizens wish that the telegraphic line was completed, so that we can learn the latest news from America and Europe.

A new disease, which may be termed fistuloma, has raged in this vicinity lately, and carried off as many victims as the cholera in some crowded cities. The symptoms are generally visible, unless they have been concealed by the judicious application of a handkerchief or some camouflaged. The blood collects in the vessels and a dark colored circle, varying in size according to the severity of the attack, obscures the vision. In some cases, it indulges in a medical phrase, "the peeper is closed." Both sexes have been affected by the epidemic, and all professions and occupations have suffered more or less, with one remarkable exception. No editor in the Territory has been prostrated by it, and we do not think that there is any immediate danger at present.

We cannot keep our records of the cases that occur, but can refer inquiring friends to other parties for information. Judge McCullough is the physician that has attended to most of the patients, and the hospital, vulgarly called "the calaboose," has had many inmates. We hope that this pestilence will soon disappear. A rigid adherence to the cold water regimen would be a good preventative. If the complaint should ever attack the press, we shall engage the services of Cop. Orem, who will always be personally responsible for every offensive article that may appear in our columns. Persons who may be aggrieved by what they read in the Post, are respectfully referred to the "champion of light weights."

Chief Justice Hosmer is holding a session of the District Court in Virginia City, and the case of Connor and O'Neill vs. Daniel McFee has just been finished, having occupied eight days. The plaintiffs were formerly owners in Alder gulch, and belonged to a party of prospectors that revealed the riches of Summit to the world. J. T. Connor discovered the crevice of the celebrated Orem, in which was most appropriately named, and in company with Jeff O'Neill, sunk a shaft upon the lead and expended several hundred dollars. About a month after they had started for the States, the defendant "jumped" their claim, which was No. 1, S. W. It was maintained that the plaintiffs had not followed the course that is set forth in the statutes, and consequently, did not possess a valid title to the property. McFee's action, so far as the records and laws govern, was regular and legal after he seized the claim. Messrs. Davis & Thoroughman and Word & Spratt appeared for the plaintiffs, and the defendant was represented by Messrs. Sanders, Stafford, and Lovell & Ritchie. It is unnecessary to say that the attorneys performed well their part, and the contest was very animated sometimes during the progress of the trial. The most remarkable feature, that we noticed, will surprise the public. When the final arguments were submitted to the jury, the learned counsel consumed less than three hours. We can account for this wonderful brevity upon the theory that they exhausted their ammunition in the skirmishes and reconnaissance that preceded the decisive onset. The charge of Chief Justice Hosmer was a model of judicial clearness and impartiality, which was received with approbation by the bar and their clients. The jury deliberated several hours and returned a verdict for the plaintiffs. We understand that the counsel for the defendant intend to move for a new trial and secure a change of venue in order that the case may be tried in a district where the parties and members of the jury are strangers.

We are not thoroughly versed in the Territorial laws, but we think that there is one which requires County Commissioners to reside in the district in which they perform their duties. These officers met in Virginia City on the 17th and 18th instants, to vote upon measures that affect the county of Madison. Benjamin Ezekiel, Esq., was present, and acted with them. We understand that he has resided in another section for several months, and received an accepted a commission as notary public, in which he is described as of the county of Jefferson. Although our citizens place a high value upon this gentleman's services, his participation in that meeting involves grave questions regarding the legality of the votes of the Board. We have doubts of this nature attached to almost everything in the Territory, and we hope that Mr. Ezekiel will consult the interests of our citizens and withdraw. Since the above article was written we have learned that J. S. Slater, Esq., appeared before this body and denied the right of that gentleman to act as a member. Mr. Ezekiel maintains that he intends to retain Madison county as his legal domicile, and has never relinquished it. The Commissioners allowed him to remain in his seat and take an active part in their deliberations and decisions. This is not conclusive; and we still think that it would be expedient for Mr. Ezekiel to decline to assemble with the Board.

The judge and all persons interested in legal proceedings before our courts, are frequently annoyed by the absence of an attorney or jurymen, who should be present soon as the session commences. The names of the slothful delinquents are shouted by the sheriff, and this generally brings them to court. On the 18th, one member of the jury could not be found, and forty minutes were lost before he was remanded his seat with the intelligent twelve. The following interesting colloquy then ensued: The Chief Justice, Hosmer, asks, "Why have you delayed the business of the court?" "I was busy," was the short response. "What were you so busy about?" was the second interrogatory put by the Judge. "About nothing in particular," replied the offender. "Did you consult a watch, or inquire the time of day?" To this query, the reply was in the negative. At this stage, "a certain lawyer rose and tempted" the court to overlook the offense by suggesting that the accused did not intend to do anything wrong in the matter. But this did not shield him, and the Judge imposed a fine of five dollars and costs on account of the independent and unconcerned style in which the jurymen made his answers. The court regarded deeds more than words. If this punishment has the effect to enforce punctuality in future, everybody will exclaim "served him right."

On the 17th inst. the terrible cry of "fire," was heard in our streets, and the gong summoned the citizens to the scene. The board petitioned the law office of W. P. Sanders, Esq., and the theater was burning, but the flames were extinguished before any material damage was effected. Our readers will recollect that a fire occurred in this vicinity a short time ago, and the city has again most fortunately escaped. The residents cannot exercise too much care to avoid a conflagration, the disastrous consequences of which, at this season of the year, would be incalculable. Opinions vary regarding its origin, but a majority think that it was the result of accident. Jacob Keyser was arrested on suspicion, and examined by Judge McCullough, on the 18th inst. Although his general reputation does not stand very high in the community, and there were unfavorable circumstances affecting his conduct on the night of the alarm, there was no evidence of a definite character to sustain the charge, and he was discharged from custody. No words of compassion would be wasted in behalf of an incendiary, and justice would be speedily and certain.

A sheep dealer passed a few days in the town, committed an assault upon a butcher, and made some large sales. There is a tax of fifteen cents on each head that is sold, and the party thought that he was evading it by keeping a safe distance from our faithful and efficient County Treasurer, A. Leach, Esq., but unfortunately for his attempt to defraud the Territory. Mr. Leach does not, like some similar officials, seclude himself in his cabin and wait for people to call upon him. He followed up the individual and succeeded in arresting him in the coach, while he was checking over his operation. He was brought to the city and obliged to pay the tax of one or two hundred sheep, which amounted to the handsome sum of \$370. This is what the citizens gain by selecting an energetic public servant.

A peculiar case was tried before the District Court which involved the ownership of a sow, and some shots and pigs. Messrs. Harrison & Co. were the plaintiffs and Patrick Gleason was the defendant. They were sold by the notorious Rosenbaum for a valuable consideration, and it was claimed that he had previously transferred his title to the swine to the plaintiffs. There was a conflict in some of the testimony, and the jury rendered a verdict for the defendant. Messrs. Davis & McMath appeared for Messrs. Harrison & Co., and Messrs. Word and Spratt & Stafford represented Gleason.

The severest snow storm of the season is raging as we go to press. Our brave prospectors, stage drivers, freighters, and others who must be exposed to the unrelenting element upon the ranges, have the sympathies of all. It requires as high a degree of courage for some of these individuals to cross a divide at such a time, as inspires a division of soldiers when they assault earthworks. May it not be our unpleasant task to record those terrible incidents, the possibility of which the falling flakes suggest to the mind.

We are happy to announce that J. A. Hosmer, Esq., editor of the late Beaverhead News, intends to publish in pamphlet form his reliable and interesting work, entitled "A Trip through the Yellowstone." Put upon the minds of subscribers, and we will pay in advance. The readers of the Post should procure a copy of this book and encourage the juvenile author. It is the result of unflagging industry and perseverance, and we hope that it will be as productive of riches as the Alder Gulch.

The "History of the Vigilantes" is in press and will be issued in a few days. Messrs. D. W. Tilton & Co. have adopted a "registry law," and subscribers will receive their copies regular, in order, and first comers will be first served. Apply at once for this work. Entertaining books of poetry and fiction, and solid volumes of history, may be bought at the City Bookstore.

The following were the arrivals and departures by Salt Lake and Helena stages yesterday: Helena arrivals—Mr. Chase and lady, Wm. Coyne; departure, Wm. Ennis, Salt Lake arrivals—J. P. Butler, John Varcoe, Cyrrus Legg; departures, J. P. Isaacs, J. A. Moss, T. R. Edwards, G. W. Forbes, N. M. Sennedenger.

All in want of Job Printing, will further their interests by calling on Ben R. Dittus, at the Helena Post office, and leave orders with him at his new place of business on Bridge street, in the building formerly occupied by Allen & Millard, bankers. Superior execution and lower rates than at any other office guaranteed.

If Stephen V. Osburn, who formerly lived in German Gulch, reads this local item, he will oblige his deeply distressed brother-in-law, E. C. Asher, of Sheridan, Nevada, by giving him his address.

Sam. Bressler's excellent and finely assorted stock of liquors is for sale at the most reasonable terms. Retailers who desire to please their customers should give him a call.

Tobacco, pipes and cigars may be bought of Griffith & Mahon, at their new store on Wallace street. Try them.

Foster & Culver's stable is now the best in the city, and provides feeding good feed, or nice animals should visit their proprietors.

Foster & Culver have in their stable good feed, and will board animals by the day, week or year.

The grand jury of this district has found true bills against Mag. McCormick, Minnie Gadden, and Messrs. Pat Hall and George Hurst. They have entered pleas of "not guilty," and will not be tried for a few days.

Sam. Bressler has the best brands of liquors in his new store on Wallace street, and those who fill the "flowing bowl" with the pure article, and no other, can purchase it by calling upon Sam. and examining his samples.

The Delevan House stands at the head of the street in Virginia City, and men who are searching for good accommodations of every description, should engage board and rooms at once.

Content's clothing continues to be the most fashionable, and his store is generally full of customers; therefore, ministers, merchants and others, provided with a supply for winter, should lose no time in buying all they need of Content.

The following trains arrived during the week: Four wagons arrived on the 15th inst. in charge of John Christian, with goods for Mr. William Ullas, which left Great Salt Lake on the 19th ult. Twelve wagons arrived on the 17th inst. in charge of C. Hawkins with merchandise for Messrs. Sweet & Metsker, that left Great Salt Lake on the 10th ult.

A party bearing the name of Reed, who is said to have stolen Batchelder's mules, at Junction, about two months since, was arrested by a detective, at Great Salt Lake, last week. He will be sent to this point for trial, and is looked for daily. If he is found guilty, his neck will probably become a "broken Reed."

The following named persons arrived and departed by the Helena and Salt Lake stages the 18th and 19th: Salt Lake stages, arrived—H. E. Phelps, Mrs. J. Whitford, Colonel H. Ohle, Major Barney Hughes; departed, Jos. Dillon, J. A. Collier, W. L. Hull, E. Chase and Andy. Helena stages, arrived—Captain N. Wall, John Cole, Thos. McNally.

Messrs. Farley, Hyde & Co. are constructing a gristmill at Mill Creek, about twenty miles from this city. It will be the largest building of the kind in the Territory, and the proprietors expect to grind twenty thousand sacks of grain during the present season. They will use a steam wheel and three run of French stones. The machinery has been brought from the States, and is of a superior character.

The Hot Spring district is thriving, and seems to be the busiest section of the Territory. Other localities may show richer specimens of quartz, but it is a fact that the mills are actually and profitably working at this place than any other. C. M. Celey, Esq., purchased an interest in the Boaz lode on the 19th inst., and entered into a written obligation to erect a mill thereon, and have the same in complete running order before the first day of next May. Whether the plans will be used in extracting the golden treasures.

Business continues dull, and in the present unfavorable weather there is little, one might say nothing, transpiring. A man named Harry Brown, had his leg broken in a scuffle, on the evening of the 14th. He is attended by a physician, and we understand is doing well.

H. D. Booge & Co. have removed from their store on Main street, to the store lately occupied by Lawrence & Shearer, on Bridge st., opposite West Main.

The saw-mill in Dry Gulch, erected by the Hot Mountain Mining Company, has stopped running, probably for the season. This mill, in the short time it has been at work, has cut over 300,000 feet of lumber.

Mr. T. E. Davis, of the firm of Gay, Lewis & Co., of this place, has returned to Helena after a three weeks' absence for rest and recreation. Mr. Davis has spent most of this time in the vicinity of Blackfoot and Reynolds' cities. He reports business very dull in that region.

On Thursday afternoon two of the demimons, known among their friends and a certain portion of the public by the sounding titles of "Bang" and "Shot Gun," were enjoying a ride on horseback. While passing in front of the International Hotel, the "Shot-gun" was thrown from her horse and had her collar-bone broken.

Salt Lake City is now the Mecca of our emigrants, and Fort Benton has ceased to be a place of note or importance. There are several advertising to take passengers to the city of the Mormons, and among them is our wide-awake friend G. C. Huntly, whose coaches will leave this city for that place on the 22d of October.

A small affray occurred in front of Joe & Frank's, on Monday, the 15th, between two individuals whose names and antecedents are unknown. Causes: too much whiskey. Effects: a black eye, a bloody nose and much profanity, after which the matter was ended by the interference of friends.

Game is said to be very abundant on the other side of the Missouri, especially grouse. There are, however, but few of these birds in our markets. Several parties of hunters have gone in that direction, fully prepared to make their expedition a sad one for the feathered tribes.

Owing to the bad weather, and the consequent bad state of the roads, the overland stage, due at 8 o'clock last evening, did not arrive until this afternoon. A similar delay was the fortune of Oliver's coach from Diamond City. Indeed, for the present, it is impossible to make time on the roads. Horses are not equal to the task.

The Catholic Church is well under way. It is located at the top of the steep hill which divides the north-westerly from the south-easterly portions of the city. It is only a few weeks since the first measures were taken for building this church. It is, I believe, the first building erected expressly for religious services in Montana.

seemed to know where they were going, and were wearing away the tedium of their journey by much "conversation." The thermometer has averaged about 33 degrees for the day.

Con. Orem opened the Helena Theatre, or rather the building formerly known by that name, Saturday evening, as a dance house. This ceremony followed immediately the reception of Gov. Smith, and several of our citizens of a moral and religious turn, who came rather late to see and hear the new governor, found themselves in the wrong place. In fact, the reception and the dance were a little too near together, but then this is Montana and people here do not stand on formalities.

A train of fifteen horses left this place on the 16th for Elk Creek and Reynolds' city. No new discoveries have been made in that vicinity, but the residents of the region thereabouts do not intend to go hungry this winter.

They have proved that Elk Creek, though often called "a bilk," has been generous to those who were willing to work during the summer.

The old hunters are beginning to come into town, and they come laden with spoils of the trans-Missouri heaths and forests. Grouse and prairie hens are now to be seen in all our markets, and are sold at prices which bring them within reach of nearly every one. The same cannot be said of apples.

This fruit, though comparatively plentiful, is held at such high figures that one, in passing the stores where they are so temptingly displayed, is reminded of Tantalus in his affliction.

Some of the miners who were tempted to the Wind River country last August, have returned. They went as far as Tongue River, on the other side of the Big Horn. At that place they were greatly troubled by Indians, and lost three of their party, who were surprised and killed by the red-skins. One of the victims was Col. Rice, of Nevada City, Montana; another was a man named Smith of Helena. The party did very little prospecting, and were glad to get back again with their scalps. They say, however, that they have as much confidence as they ever had in the richness of the Wind River section.

The Gazette of the 13th October says that Foster was sentenced to a term of imprisonment at Detroit, and that Marshal Finney is now on his way thither with Foster and two other prisoners. This is news indeed, and will astonish not only Marshal Finney and the U. S. officials generally, but also Foster himself. If the local of the Gazette will make due inquiry, he will learn that Foster is still in Helena, and in custody of the proper authorities.

The facts of his shooting, and the circumstances attending it, were given in the WEEKLY POST, more than a week ago, to which the Gazette is at liberty to refer.

We have been having most disagreeable weather for the past two days. On Friday afternoon a cold rain-storm set in, which, alternating with snow, has prevailed ever since. The tenants of mud-roofed cabins have come to grief. Calling on a friend yesterday, who is the owner and occupant of one of these edifices, we found him on a small island in the centre of his shanty, gazing on the advancing waters with hydrophobic terror. The saloons are filled with the houseless, who find in a warm fire and hot "Tom and Jerry," some consolation. The whole town is literally stuck in the mud.

Uncle Johnny, the same who figured in a somewhat noted assault and battery case a few weeks ago, as defendant, appeared on the morning of Friday morning, with an eye in deep mourning. It seems that he and one of his men had had some difficulty arising out of their relations as employer and employee, which resulted in the adornment of the old man's features as above noted. Under these circumstances, and with his late experience of the law's rigor, Uncle Johnny applied to the authorities for redress. At the latest accounts the defendant was at large.

MARKET REPORT. CORRECTED BY SPARKS, M'PHERSON & HALL, No. 69, Main Street. Helena, October 20, 1866.

Our market for the past few days has been dull, and holders of staples have conceded to a still further reduction of price. Flour has been forced on the market, and closed at \$2.00 to \$2.05 per cask, Sugar, Tea and Tobacco are held firm at quotations.

FLOUR. St. Louis # sack.....\$14 00@16 00 Western Spring Extras.....12 00@14 00 Salt Lake, Provo.....9 50@10 50 Other brands.....8 25@9 00

CANNON'S HELENA CRACKETS. Butter # lb.....25c Soda.....25c Pic Nic.....30c

BACON. Heavy sides # 100 lbs.....40c Medium Sides # 100 lbs.....32@38c

HAMS. Prime Canned # lb.....55c Country.....45@50c

LARD. Large cans.....35@37c Small cans.....45c

CANDLES. Work's Cincinnati # lb.....40c Other brands.....37@40c

SUGARS. Clarified.....35c Crushed.....35c Powdered.....40c Refined A.....35c

COFFEE. Rio choice # lb.....35c Ordinary.....30c

COMMERCIAL. VIRGINIA WHOLESALE MARKET. Corrected by J. S. Rockefeller, No. 5 Jackson St.

VI. VIRGINIA CITY, M. T., Oct. 20, 1866. [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 packers. The retail prices range about ten per cent. above quotations.]

FLOUR. St. Louis # sack.....\$20 00@20 00 States.....16 00@20 00 Salt Lake, Provo.....10 00@11 50 Other brands.....9 50@10 50

BACON. Prime New Heavy Sides # 100 lbs.....45c Medium, do.....40c

HAMS. Prime Canned # lb.....50@55c Country.....55@60c

Small cans.....40c Large.....35c

CANDLES. Work's Cincinnati # lb.....40c Other brands.....45c

MAPLE SUGAR. # lb.....60c

NEW ORLEANS # lb.....35c Clarified do.....35c Powdered do.....35c Crushed do.....35c A refined do.....35c

COFFEE. Java # lb.....none Rio choice # lb.....45c Ordinary do.....45c

TEAS. Imperial # lb.....\$2 00@2 50 Young Hyson # lb.....2 00@2 50 Japanese in papers # lb.....1 50

STRAIPS. Belcher's G. S. S. L. # 10 gal keg.....\$40 00 S. H. # 10 gal keg.....35 00 Sorghum # 10 gal.....3 50

BUTTER. States # lb.....50c Salt Lake choice # lb.....55c Rancho do.....1 15

DRIED APPLES # lb.....45c States Peaches # lb.....30c Salt Lake Peaches.....25c Raspberries do.....75c Currants do.....45c

CHERRIES do.....90c Ground Cherries # lb.....60c Prunes.....55@60c Raisins # 24-b box.....\$13 50 # 10 boxes.....7 00 # 5 boxes.....3 50

PEACHES # case 2 doz.....\$15 00 Pine Apples.....20 00 Strawberries.....24 00 Tomatoes.....15 00 Corn.....20 00 Blackberries.....20 00 Cherries.....22 00

FIELD'S STEAMED # case.....19 00 Other brands.....16 00

TOBACCO. Lewis Eld. # lb.....\$1 50@2 00 Richmond (best brand).....1 25 Ordinary.....1 25

SARDINES. # case 1 size boxes.....\$50 00 # 1 size boxes.....65 00

WHITE LEAD. # 25-lb keg.....\$9 00

BEANS. Navy.....32@30c Oll.....\$2 50@2 00 Coal.....\$2 50@2 00 # 100 lb keg.....\$22 00@25 00 Horse Shoe Nails, "Orinth".....75c

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A CARD. LOOK OUT for a swindling fellow, calling himself JOSEPH G. HOLBERT, and pretending to come from Portland, Oregon, after having with profit to himself, acted as carrier for the only thirty years' experience, in the Territory during the last few months, absconded on Wednesday, October 10th. He took with him the list of subscribers, as well as a considerable sum of money belonging to the undersigned, which had been received by him in payment of the newspaper aforesaid. The second party referred to is a demoted looking genius, who has become perfect in the art of robbing after thirty years' experience, his vile career having been doubtless entered upon in the cradle. Whenever the hangman comes to measure him for his coffin, he is doubtless will, he will find that his height is about five feet ten inches. The sounder's complexion is almost as light as his character is dark, and his teeth are as rotten as his morals. He may be further known by a streak of tobacco juice that usually ascends from the corners of his mouth, and by a strong proclivity he has for telling stories and commenting upon members of the demi-monde. When he left Helena, he debased a stylish-looking bay horse by making him, if its rider is as ostentatiously "put out" for Oregon. All persons, save Sheriff's, are warned against having anything to do with him. He, of course, ceases to be our agent, at least in the newspaper business. If he wishes a job pulling hemp however, we should be happy to give him an opportunity in this particular line, on short notice.

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