Avant Courier

I. O. O. F.

WESTERN STAR LODGE No. 4, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday night, at 8 o'clock p. m., in Masonic Hall.

ARCH GRAHAM, R. S.

A. F. & A. M.

Stated communications of Gallatin Lodge No 6 A. F. & A. M. held at their hall on the first Saturday evening on or before the full moon of each Month.

Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.

W. O. P. HAYS, W. M.
R. P. MENEFEE, Secretary.

Local News.

THOMAS BAKER, - - Local Editor.

BOZEMAN, MONTANA:

THURSDAY; : : SEPTEMBER 19. 1872.

BOZEMAN TO HAVE A FIRST-CLASS SEMINARY!

Enthusiastic Meeting of Our Citizens!

$12,250 00 SUBSCRIBED!

In obedience to a call issued by a number of the leading citizens of Gallatin county, a large and enthusiastic meeting was held at the Court House last evening, to take into consideration the most practicable means of establishing a seminary in the neighborhood of this place.

The meeting was organized by electing Hon. John L. Murphy Chairman and Gen. Lester S. Willson Secretary.

After preliminary business, a subscription list was opened and the munificent sum of $12.250 was raised toward the necessary expenses of erecting a suitable building for the purpose.

A committee, consisting of the following gentlemen, was appointed to solicit additional subscriptions for the enterprise:

N Ford	John C Guy
C L Clark	Chas Rich
C Edwards	John Culver
S J Beck	Aj Nichols.
Rev W W Alderson	Rev W L Blackwell
E M Dumphy	Rev W S Frackleton
A Pierstorf	J S Street
Richard Reeves	Wm Reeves

Capt Wm H Rodgers, Virginia City; D O Spaulding, Meadow creek; Maj J R Boyce, Helena; H Jourdan, Jefferson; Hon Wash Stapleton, Beaver Head; Capt J H Mills and Hon. Granville Stuart, Deer Lodge.

An Executive Committee was then appointed, consisting of Col. L. M. Black, Dr. A. Lamme and Gen. L. S. Willson, with instruction to call a public meeting as soon as the sum subscribed shall reach $20.000, or sooner if in their judgment it shall be deemed necessary. Let the good work go on.

All kinds of **Jewelry** made at MERKLE'S.

PARTIES attending the District Fair at Gallatin City will find excellent fare at Maj. Campbell's.

Coal Oil, Lard Oil, Linseed Oil and Turpentine, wholesale and retail, at low prices, at the new Drug Store of W. W. Morris, Bozeman.

WE understand that several private residences will be erected on Rouse's addition this fall.

Dental Notice.

DR. W. L. FRARY would inform the people of Bozeman that he will be at the Metropolitan Hotel, Bozeman, for a few days, where he is prepared to attend to all branches of Dental Surgery. Artificial Teeth inserted in every style known to the profession, at reasonable rates.

☞ Teeth carefully extracted or filled.

MAJ. PEASE, Gov. Williams, Chas. Rich and J. V. Bogert visited the Cherry Creek mines on Monday.

"WAIT FOR THE WAGON."

The author of the above soul-stirring melody is respectfully informed that he can do better by getting one of those handsome turn-outs at CLARK'S Livery Emporium when he feels like taking a ride.

CORRECTION.—We are authorized by Dr. Hunter to contradict the statement published last week in regard to the Crow Indians making a raid on his garden "truck." Possibly our informant meant crows of a different species.

Painters and Glaziers, Attention!

You can find a full and complete assortment of PAINTS, OILS, WINDOW GLASS, PUTTY, PAINT BRUSHES and every article in your line at the new Drug Store of W. W. MORRIS, a few doors east of Lamme & Co.'s, Bozeman

QUARTZ SALE.—Geo. W. Rea sold to Mr. Thomas, of Deer Lodge, on Tuesday, an interest in some of his Cherry Creek leads for $2,000 in cash, the conditions of the sale being, we understand, that Mr. Thomas should develop the leads and erect a quartz mill on the premises.

☞ In connection with my stable, I have a large pasture, enclosed with a good stout fence, and am prepared to take horses and mules at $3 per head per month. Stock delivered at my stable will be taken all possible care of, and delivered at the same place when wanted. C. L. CLARK.

WE are pleased to learn that the property owners in block B contemplate opening an alley through said block, running from Black to Bozeman street. The block is entirely closed up now, and it is impossible for those occupying buildings fronting on Main street to have their wood hauled and deposited in the back yards, as it should be. It will be a great convenience, and we hope to see it consummated at an early day.

EASTWARD BOUND.—Hon. Samuel Word, of Virginia, Capt. R. E. Fisk, editor of the Helena Herald, Judge Addison Smith, of the Deer Lodge Independent, and Major J. W. McCormick, editor of the Missoula Pioneer, have recently left the Territory for a visit to the Eastern States. Maj. Maginnis, of the Gazette, also left a few days since, accompanied by his wife.

VINEGAR BITTERS, by the bottle or case, and all the leading Patent Medicines, at the new Drug Store of W. W. Morris, Bozeman.

Maj Martin Maginnis, delegate elect to Congress, left on the overland coach this morning for the East, to purchase a new outfit for the Gazette, which was destroyed by fire on the 23d ult. He was accompanied by his wife.—*Herald*

NOTICE.

All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the undersigned are hereby notified that all my outstanding accounts must be settled by the first of October, without fail.

Pay up and save costs. J. A. FRISBEE, Wheelwright.

WORKMEN are engaged preparing the foundation for the erection of a large brick building on the lot adjoining Willson & Rich's store. Messrs. Willson and Rich intend urging the building to an early completion, and to that end will employ as large a force as possible in its construction, which will be commenced forthwith.

THE TERRITORIAL FAIR.—On Monday next will commence the third Annual Fair of the Montana Agricultural and Mineral Association, and we are assured, from the reports which reach us from all parts of the Territory, that the exhibition will surpass anything ever gotten up under the auspices of the Association. Fruits, roots and cereals will be there from all sections, and the thorough-bred and other stock that will be exhibited will astonish some who are complaining of the slow progress (?) we are making as a stock raising community. We are pleased to know that the fair will open under such favorable auspices, and hope that the exhibition will fully meet the expectations of all concerned.

LIQUORS AT WHOLESALE.

The Following Brands a Specialty:

Red Lion Bitters,	Jules Robin Fr'ch Brandy
Marshall Bourbon,	"Poindexter" Bourbon,
Old Hickory Bourbon.	Taylor Bourbon,
Old Wilson Rye,	Rush River (C) Bourbon,
Fine Old Rye,	Old Monongahela,
L. & T. Sparkling Catawba.	

COGNAC BRANDIES.

Henault & Co.,	J. Henessy & Co., Martell.
Gins,	Old Cabinet Whisky,
F. Wickliffe " "	Very Old Rye XXX,
Sol Franks Panacea Bitters.	

ELLIS, DAVIS & SPERLING.

SIDEWALKS.—We note with pleasure the fact that many of our citizens, recognising the necessity of good sidewalks during the winter and spring, and their convenience at all seasons of the year, have commenced putting them down in front of their premises. Col. Black has commenced a walk to extend from Main street to his warehouse on Black street, a distance of more than two blocks. We hope this good work will continue until our principal streets are flanked with good sidewalks. A few hundred dollars expended this fall on the improvement of Main street, would do much toward facilitating through through town in the muddy season and speak well for the enterprise of our citizens.

Claims

I am prepared to adjust speedily all claims against the United States, having perfected arrangements at Washington, by which business in any of the Departments will be attended to promptly.

Address, JOHN P. BRUCE, Bozeman, M. T.

PERSONAL.—D. A. McPherson, Esq., Assistant Cashier of the First National Bank, has arrived in Bozeman, and is now engaged in the duties of the position. Mr. McPherson is an old resident of Helena, where he is well and favorably known, and his coming with his estimable lady, who accompanied him, will be a valuable acquisition to our social circle. We are pleased to number them among the permanent residents of our metropolis.

Thos. R. Edwards, Esq., who has been spending the summer months with his friends in old Missouri, returned to Bozeman last week, looking vastly improved by his trip. We gladly hail his return to old associations.

Please Take Notice.

We have on hand, and are continually receiving additions to, a very fine assortment of

Gros Grain and Japanese Silks,

of all colors; Silk Poplins, White and Black Silk Alpacas, White Goods of every description, etc., etc. ELLIS, DAVIS & SPERLING.

THOROUGHBRED CATTLE.—Among the attractions of the Territorial Fair, we notice that there will be the finest display of Short Horned Durham Cattle ever exhibited in the Territory. Henry Wyttenbach will offer for sale to the highest bidder his famous 3 year old bull of that breed—Prince Bismarck—an animal that we believe to be the best at present in Montana, and raised out of the best herd on this continent. There is no doubt that there will be a lively competition among our stock raisers for the possession of this valuable animal, which is to be sold without reserve, his place in Mr. Wyttenbach's herd being filled by an animal imported from England.

Clocks of every description at MERKLE'S.

M. A. PARKER & Co., publishers, 152 South Morgan street, Chicago, are offering to our people through their local agent, Mrs. E. Woolverton, a new illustrated Family Bible, with over two hundred fine scripture illustrations. It is the most perfect and comprehensive edition ever published in this country. The marginal readings and references, the definitions and explanations, the great number of scripture illustrations and descriptions, and the various tables and treaties, will prove of inestimable interest and value to every scripture reader. Mrs. Woolverton is also soliciting subscribers for "The Home of God's People," published by the same house, which is designed as an aid to the study of God's Word. It is beautifully illustrated with nearly one hundred and seventy-five superb engravings, on steel and wood, the whole comprising a splendid large octavo volume of nearly 600 pages, and constituting one of the most singularly attractive, valuable and interesting works ever issued.

Last Call—Come Down with the Stamps.

All persons indebted to the undersigned are requested to come up and settle without further delay This is the last call. If you would save cost pay up. T. BRUNETT.

SUDDEN DEATH.—A man named Lawrence Garvin, aged about 35 years, died very suddenly last night, on Te Mile. Deceased had been employed as a farm laborer by Mr. Thomas Darrington. Soon after the close of his day's work he was taken suddenly and seriously ill. A physician was summoned, but before medical aid could be had he expired. Heart disease is supposed to have been the cause of his death.—*Herald.*

To Families and Others.

I would respectfully announce to the citizens of Bozeman and vicinity that, in order to keep up with the times, I will hereafter sell bread at the City Bakery AT HALF PRICE. Families need not be at the trouble of baking their own bread, as they can buy cheaper of me.

Lager beer also at half price—12½ cents per glass. LUNCHES served at any hour. ☞ Don't mistake the place—CITY BAKERY, next door to the in ship. JOHN MANEJ, City Bakery.

LECTURE ON THE FIRE-HOLE BASIN—A number of the editorial and redortorial corps of this Territory have visited the Geyser region this summer and we expect to see the country well written up. We understand that our friend C. C. Clawson has prepared a Lecture on the Fire Hole Basin and the Geyser Country, which he intends to deliver in the East the coming winter, and in connection with the lecture will exhibit a fine collection of fossils, minerals and other curosities that he has picked up in various parts of the Territory. He also is gathering up specimens of grain and other products for the same purpose. From this it would appear that the people of the East will soon be well posted upon the products as well as the wonders of Montana.—[INDEPENDENT.

THE CHERRY CREEK MINES.—Our regular correspondent at the new El Dorado sends us in a good report of these mines, which continue to increase in richness as developments progress. We shall keep the people well posted with news from the new camp, which we are assured is bound to be one of, if not *the* best in Montana.

BRIEFS.

Builders busy; workmen in demand.

Merkle has opened his new store. Clocks in abundance.

J. Basinski, formerly of Radersburg, has opened a new clothing store next door to Merkle's.

Crops in the valley are yielding beyond the expectations of the ranchmen.

Messrs. Finch & Moore have entered into partnership in the blacksmith and wagon-making business.

All kinds of plain and fancy Job Printing at the COURIER office.

Billy Parsons, ex-Probate Judge, has returned with his family from the geysers.

Lovers of billiards should go and drive the cue on those new tables at Odell's hall.

Odell's assembly rooms present a magnificent appearance since their re-decoration. The dancing *salon* is now the most elegant in the Territory. Odell provides for the entertainment of the people "regardless."

Tracy is rushing things at the brick yard. He has all he can do to make the supply meet the demand. He will, however, come as near doing it as anybody can.

Circulars, Bill-heads, Letter heads, etc., printed in the best style of the art at the COURIER office.

The Exchange is the only saloon in Bozeman that has the celebrated Pinet, Castillon & Cie brand of French brandy. Go and get some if you want to feel good.

See Frisbee's notice to delinquents in this issue. He is bound to have a settlement.

Dr. Frary is still practicing dentistry at the Metropolitan Hotel. He will remain here only a few days longer.

FRUIT CULTURE.—We were shown, the the other day, some very fine specimens of domestic white currants which were raised this summer on H. N. Maguire's ranch about five miles south of Bozeman. They were large, ripe and luscious; equal, in fact, to any we ever saw, and we were only sorry that Mac. did not bring a few more of the same kind to tempt our dainty palate with. Mack has engaged extensively in the business of fruit culture and we are pleased to hear that his experiments in this line have proved successful. He has also some very fine tame gooseberries on the ranch, as well as about twenty of the choicest varieties of strawberries, all of which are looking fine, and, ere long, he will have one the finest fruit gardens in the Territory. This vicinity is becoming celebrated for the excellence and variety of fruit produced, and we would suggest to our people that they add a fruit garden to the attractions of their homesteads. It will pay.

RETURNED.—We were visited on Monday evening by quite a crowd of "fat rugged and saucy" specimens of geyser-hunters just returned from the Wonderland. Among the party was Bishop Bullock, Dick White and Mr. Tedier, of Helena; Mr. Crapo and party of Burlington, Iowa, and several others. They are enthusiastic in their description of the beautiful region through which they have traveled, and where they would have remained had they not been reduced to the alternatives of home, fish straight or starvation. The vicinity of his Satanic majesty's dominions is reported to be h—l on grub, and persons contemplating a month's visit to the geyser's had better take half a year's supply. Dick White has some beautiful sketches of the surrounding scenery and the different points of interest.

FOR SALE Any one wishing to purchase an entire lot of Household Furniture can get a bargain by inquiring at this office.

THAT NEW STORE.—Lo is Sperling, Esq., went down to Gallatin City last week with the intention of opening the new store of Ellis, Davis & Sperling at that place, but found that the parties who were engaged in the erection thereof had not completed the building, and the opening had to be postponed on that account. It is intended to start up business on Monday next. Messrs. Ellis, Davis & Sperling are enterprising merchants and liberal traders, and well merit a goodly share of public patronage. Take notice, everybody.

ANOTHER BRICK.—Col. Black and Mr. B. T. McDonald have purchased the lot on which the tin shop of Mr. T. B. Warfield now stands, and intend erecting a large brick building thereon, to be occupied and used as a wholesale mercantile house. The establishment of such a house in Bozeman would be a blessing to our retail merchants, unless they have much larger stocks on hand for the coming winter than they had last. Helena and Virginia received a large trade from Bozeman last winter.

SOCIAL PARTY.—One of those pleasant *impromptu* parties was had on Tuesday evening at Speith & Kurz's Hall, where the elite of our city assembled to indulge the merry dance. The party was gotten up by C. L. Clark, Esq., and those present enjoyed a very pleasant time until the "wee sma' hour ayont the twal" was announced. Odell's string band furnished the music, which was excellent. We hope to participate in many mor such ere long.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.—We understand that T. C. Power & Co., of Helena, contemplate establishing a warehouse in this city in about two weeks, which will be well stocked with all kinds of agricultural implements. A house of that kind will pay in Bozeman.

MONTANA RYE.—We have in our office a splendid specimen of Montana rye, from the crop of that cereal raised on the ranch of J. H. Harper, the champion farmer of Gallatin valley, about a mile and a half from Bozeman, three grains of which would make a good square meal for any man of ordinary appetite. Gallatin can beat the world for grain.

ANOTHER PURCHASE.—We learn that Col. L. M. Black has purchased the Guy House in this city. Whether any immediate changes will be made in the house, we are not advised.

THE BANK.—The mechanics have just completed to fitting up of the building for the First National Bank, and it now presents an elegant appearance. When the new furniture for it is in position it will be one of the finest establishments in the Territory. The managers will move into the building in a day or two.

LIEUT. MCADAMS, A. C. S., sells a large amount of subsistence stores (partly damaged) at Fort Ellis, on Saturday.

Wanted—Telegraph Script. NELSON STORY

SUICIDE ON WHITE TAIL DEER.

An Insane Man Hangs Himself.

One of those melancholy tragedies which it is difficult to account for and which cast a gloom over the community in which they occur, transpired in the quiet neighborhood of White Tail Deer Creek, on Friday last. The facts as we have learned them are as follows:

A Mr. Staab, a German, has been living there with his brother-in-law. He has at times for several years, shown decided indications of insanity, but has never shown any disposition to be dangerous, or that he meditated self-destruction, and consequently no restraint had been placed upon his movements. On Friday last his brother-in-law was absent from his home in Helena. Mr. Staab had shown no indication of mental derangement, more than usual, and was attending to a his usual duties about the place. During the forenoon on Friday he had occupied himself in cutting wood in the yard in full view of his sister, who was seated at the window engaged in her household affairs. Sometime during the forenoon he quietly withdrew without attracting her attention, and she did not notice his absence until noon, when she went out in search of him, not thinking but that he was within call. Not seeing him about the premises, she supposed he had gone to the barn to take a nap—a frequent occurrence with him. Thither she went and presuming him asleep within, she pushed open the door to arouse him.

A GHASTLY SIGHT!

On opening the door the body of her brother met her sight, suspended by a rope from the timbers overhead, the feet scarcely clear from the floor. Horror-stricken at the sight, she immediately called for assistance, and the body was taken down; but no effort could restore consciousness; the unfortunate man had taken his own life. It appears that he had gone to his room and taken from his trunk a small cord which he brought from Germany and had carried about with him for several years; that he then quietly retired to the barn and executed his fatal purpose, by ending at once his troubles and his life.

A coroner's jury was summoned and an inquest had on Saturday, which returned a verdict, "That the deceased came to his death by his own hand during a temporary aberration of mind." The remains were buried on Sunday at Parson's Bridge.—*Montanian 12th inst.*

"BILL" FAIRWEATHER.—Everybody knows the old pioneer, who, with a small party discovered Alder gulch in June, 1863. A few days since he visited us, looking as fresh and jovial as in the glorious "flush times" that immediately followed the discovery of the richest placers on the continent. Time has dealt kindly with his rugged frame; he asks no individual to "pluck the few silver locks out of his hair," for none has yet appeared. Mr. Fairweather experienced the ups and downs incident to life on the frontier; has reveled in plenty, and knows the disadvantage of a "beel-straight." In 1868 he bid Montana adieu and started for new fields of adventure. He first visited the Malheur mines in Oregon but these not meeting his expectations, he journeyed to Washington Territory, but shortly after arriving at Colville he heard of the Peace River mines in British Columbia. Thither he journeyed, but finding these mines "spotted" and provisions getting short, he started for Alaska, and prospected its icy gulches; visited its mines of gold, silver and copper, but the mining season was short, and Bill never did take much stock in living on "blubber strait;" so, Alaska giving him the cold shoulder, he turned his steps to the sunny clime of California. Not being satisfied with the prospects there he determined to visit Arizona; there he found the Apaches would not let a man leave the settlements without raising his scalp; left that country in disgust and journeyed to the silver regions of Eastern Nevada. After "doing" that country to his entire satisfaction, he went to Utah and remained some months, but the spirit of adventure was so strongly implanted in his breast that he determined to return to Montana, visit his old friends, and continue the prospecting trip through the Bad Lands and the region east of the Yellowstone—the trip they commenced in '63, when the Indians drove them back. Fortune, for some years, has not crossed Bill's trail, as he informs us he now "pays taxes on only about three bushels of Alaska diamonds and a petrified cedar tree." Hundreds of warm personal friends will be greatly rejoiced if he is again successful in winning the golden smiles of Dame Fortune. If perseverence in the chase for gold is ever rewarded by a "rich strike" he is certainly entitled to it. Among the discoverers of Alder gulch whose whereabouts are known, are Bud McAdow, now a prosperous business man and farmer in the Gallatin valley; Tom Coover is engaged building smelting works in Sacramento District, Arizona; Harry Edgar is in Phillipsburg, and Barney Hughes passed through Blackfoot a few days ago, on a prospecting trip. The others are scattered we know not where.—*Independent.*

$3 40 WORTH OF NEW MUSIC FOR 30 CENTS.—The September number of Peters' Musical Monthly, price 30 cents, contains the following music, worth in sheet form, $3 40:

Father of all; Sacred Song	Pasgeron	30 cts
Lay me where my Mother's sleeps	Stewart	30 "
Little Dan. Song and Chorus	W. S. Hays	35 "
Coronation Song. Duet or Chorus	Peters	35 "
Merry Insects Flying Duet	F. Abt	35 "
Love Chase Galop Four Hands	A. Pasher	35 "
School Girl's Waltz	A. Prevot	35 "
Willie's Schottische	C. Kinkel	35 "
Laughing Wave Mazurka	G. D. Wilson	35 "

Mr. Peters offers to send July, August and September numbers, post paid, for 75 cents, or the nine back numbers for 1872 for $2

Address, J. L. PETERS, 599 Broadway, New York.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Furs a Specialty!

Parties having HIDES, FURS, PELTRIES or WOOL, will find it to their advantage to call on W. L. PERKINS, at Bozeman, or A. J. DAVIDSON, at Helena, as they are paying the HIGHEST CASH prices for all the above articles.

BORN.

CHAPPELL—On the 18th inst., to the wife of Benal Chappell, of this city, a son.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post Office at Bozeman, M. T., September 17th, 1872.

Allison John 2	Joe Ah
Arbuckle J	Josey Macedon
Black Andrew	Kent L d
Black Washington	McCallen Peter
Burton Mark	Monteville Eli
Carr John	Qenesuel Baptiste
Cornell Philips	Richardson Squire
Clair James S 2	Roach Mrs E J
Cudney Wm	Schanbinger Fred
Davis Chas A	Stuart H O
Ellison Robert J	Todd John
Farrow, Ruth	Trimble H S
Gardner E L	Turrell G W
Gitchell W H	Wheeler E F 2
German John	

J. H. TAYLOR, P. M.

RECEIVED AT THE EXCHANGE SALOON,

Where stock of

Foreign and Domestic Wines,

consisting in part of

Heidsick,	Missouri Cabinet.
Imperial,	Mogelle,
California,	Angelica,
White,	Port,
Sherry,	Rhine, etc., etc.

Whiskies:

Among the Whiskies are the favorites—

Robinson County,	O. K. 1863,
Jesse Moore,	Sol Kelley,
6th District Kentucky,	Marshall Bourbon, etc.

Imported & Domestic Brandies

Jules Robin,	Cognac,
Plar, Castillon & Co	
Cherry,	Blackberry, etc.

☞ A large stock of the choicest RUM and GIN, the favorite brands of CHARR, and in fact the best and most varied stock of Wines and Liquors ever brought to the Bozeman market can be found at the popular Saloon of GOV. WILLIAMS.

Montana Vouchers.

All persons interested in the Montana claims for supplies furnished in 1867, will find it to their interest to address me at Bozeman.

JOHN P. BRUCE.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

ON MARRIAGE.

Happy Relief for Young Men from the effects of Errors and Abuses in early life. Manhood restored. Impediments to Marriage removed. New method of treatment. New and remarkable remedies. Books and Circulars sent free, in sealed envelopes.

Address, HOWARD ASSOCIATION, No. 2 South Ninth St., Philadelphia, Pa.—an Institution having a high reputation for honorable conduct and professional skill.

FIRST

ANNUAL FAIR

OF THE

EASTERN MONTANA

Agricultural, Mineral and Mechanical

ASSOCIATION,

TO COMMENCE AT

Gallatin City, M. T.

On Monday, October 7, 1872,

And Continue Six Days!

Every effort will be made on the part of the officers of the Association to make the exhibition complete in every department. The different counties of the District are invited to compete for the premiums offered. Strict impartiality will be exercised in awarding the premiums.

The grounds and track of the Association will be put in excellent condition, and everything will be done to accommodate all who may attend.

RACES

will take place every day, in which some of the best horses in the Territory will take part.

MONDAY—Trotting Race for Stallions; Mile heats to harness, for a purse of $100; free to all stallions owned in the counties of Gallatin, Madison, Jefferson and Meagher, prior to July 4th, 1872; $75 to the first horse and $25 to the second horse. Same day—Running Race: Single dash of half a mile, free to all horses not over 14¾ hands high; purse $50.

TUESDAY—Running Race: Single dash of one mile; purse $150; $100 to the first horse and $50 to the second; free to all horses. Same day—Running Race: Single dash of one mile; purse $100; free to all horses not over 14 hands high; $75 to the first horse and $25 to the second.

WEDNESDAY—No racing for purses.

THURSDAY—Trotting and Pacing Race for a purse of $200; mile heats; best 3 in 5; to go as they please; free to all trotting and pacing horses, except Bret Hart and Ames Townsend; $125 to the first horse and $75 to the second.

FRIDAY—Running Race for a purse of $250; mile heats; three in five; free to all horses; 80 pounds on each horse, except Midnight Belle, she to carry 108 pounds, $200 to the first horse and $50 to the second.

SATURDAY—Running Race for a purse of $100; single of half a mile; free to all horses owned in the counties of Gallatin, Madison, Jefferson and Meagher. Same day—Running Race for a purse of $50; single dash of half a mile; free to all horses not over 13¾ hands high that have never run for money.

Entries for the above races close with the Secretary at 6 o'clock p. m. the night previous to each race.

The above races will be run with catches, except where otherwise specified.

In all the above races ten per cent. must accompany each entry. Three to enter and two to go.

Each day's purse racing will commence at 1 o'clock p. m.

☞ Pamphlets containing Premium List, Rules, Regulations, and other information, may be obtained by application to either of the subscribers.

W. S. McKENZIE, President.
B. B. WELLS, Secretary.

New Store! New Goods!

T. I. DAWES,

WOULD respectfully announce to the citizens of

BOZEMAN AND THE GALLATIN VALLEY

that he has opened at the store-room formerly occupied by A. W. & C. E. Tanner,

MAIN STREET, BOZEMAN, M. T.,

An entirely NEW STOCK of

Family Groceries,

WINES,

LIQUORS AND CIGARS,

which he offers to the trade

Cheap for Cash.

His goods are new and choice, and families wishing to buy in supplies for immediate or future use would do well to give him a call before making their purchases.

He is determined to stand squarely by the motto,

"Quick Sales and Small Profits."

and requests a liberal share of the public patronage. He will offer to families and consumers every article usually kept by dealers in his line.

GALLATIN CITY

Real Estate & Land AGENCY.

R. W. HILL, of Gallatin City, is fully prepared to attend to all Land Business, such as preparing papers for Pre-emption and Homestead on Government lands, proving title, &c.

All kinds of Deeds, Mortgages, and other legal instruments on hand, or prepared with skill and dispatch.

Being Deputy County Clerk and Recorder, people living in the lower part of the county will find it to their interest to give me a call.

☞ Office in the store of Gallop & Spear.

Gallatin City, M. T., April 16, 1872.

THIRD

ANNUAL FAIR

OF THE

Montana Agricultural, Mineral and Mechanical Association,

TO COMMENCE AT

HELENA, M. T.,

On Monday, September 23d, 1872,

AND CONTINUE SIX DAYS.

THE WHOLE TERRITORY

is invited to compete for the very

Liberal Premiums

that are offered, with the assurance that strict impartiality will be exercised in awarding the same.

The grounds and track of the Association are in splendid condition, and assurances already received, promise such displays in all departments as will make this Fair the

Finest Exhibition

EVER SEEN IN THE TERRITORY.

RACES,

in which the finest Horses in the Territory will participate, will take place every day.

The display in the

STOCK, AGRICULTURAL & LADIES' DEPARTMENT

promises to be particularly fine.

Auction Sale of Thoroughbred Stock During the Fair.

PROGRAMME:

MONDAY—Entry of Stock and articles for exhibition. At 1 o'clock p. m., OPENING ADDRESS. At 2 p. m., Trotting Race—best two in three—free to all stallions, for a purse of $100. At 4 p. m., Running Race—mile dash, for two-year olds; purse $150.

TUESDAY—Continuation of entries until noon. At 2½ p. m., Trotting Race—mile heats—best 3 in 5, for horses that have never beaten 2:50 in public; purse $200.

WEDNESDAY—At 1 p. m., examination of sheep, hogs and poultry. At 2 p. m., Running Race—mile dash—free to all horses; purse $150. At 3 p. m., a Running Race—half-mile dash; purse $100.

THURSDAY—At 10½ a. m., grand trial upon the track around the Floral Hall for the purpose of testing the strength of Draft Animals. At 2 p. m., a grand parade around Floral Hall of all the stock on exhibition. A failure of any stock to appear will exclude it from competition for premiums. At 3 p. m., Running Race—mile heats—best 3 in 5, free to all horses; purse $150.

FRIDAY—At 10 a. m., examination of Roadsters, Saddle Horses, Cattle, and all other stock and articles not previously examined, and awarding of premiums. At 2 p. m., grand exhibition of Ladies' Equestrianism for two splendid prizes. To the best lady rider will be given an elegant Tea Set, valued at $50. To the second best lady rider will be given a set of solid Silver Spoons, valued at $20. For these prizes there must be at least three contestants, who must register their names with the Secretary as early as Tuesday noon. At 3 p. m., Trotting Race—mile heats—best 2 in 3—free to all; purse $150.

SATURDAY—Awarding of premiums continued. At 10 a. m., Running Race for 3-year-olds—mile heats—best 2 in 3; purse $150. At 4 p. m., three-quarter mile dash for a purse of $150.

A Band of Music will be in Attendance Every Day.

The Stage Lines will carry Visitors to the Fair at about half the usual rates.

Pamphlets containing Premium List, Rules, Regulations, and other information, may be obtained by application to either of the subscribers.

JOHN KINNA, President.
E. W. CARPENTER, Secretary.

SALE of SUBSISTENCE SUPPLIES!

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC Auction, at

FORT ELLIS, M. T.,

On SATURDAY, the 21st Day of September, 1872,

at 11 o'clock a. m., a quantity of SUBSISTENCE STORES (partly damaged.)

TERMS CASH, and property to be removed immediately after sale.

J. G. MACADAMS,
1st Lieutenant Second Cavalry,
A. C. S., U. S. A.

FIRST

NATIONAL BANK OF BOZEMAN.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY,
Washington, August 14th, 1872.

SIR; Inclosed please find Certificate authorizing "THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BOZEMAN" to commence the business of Banking, which please publish on the receipt thereof in accordance with the requirements of the 18th section of the act, and forward to this office one copy of the newspaper in which the same is inserted.

Very respectfully,
JNO. JAY KNOX,
Comptroller of the Currency.

LEANDER M. BLACK, Esq., President First National Bank, Bozeman, Montana.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

Office of Comptroller of the Currency.

WASHINGTON, August 14th, 1872.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BOZEMAN," in the town of Bozeman, in the county of Gallatin and Territory of Montana, has been duly organized under and according to the requirements of the Act of Congress, entitled "An Act to provide a National Currency, secured by a pledge of United States bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof," approved June 3d, 1864, and has complied with all the provisions of said Act required to be complied with before commencing the business of Banking under said Act.

Now, Therefore, I, JOHN J. KNOX, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that the FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BOZEMAN, in the town of Bozeman, in the county of Gallatin and Territory of Montana, is authorized to commence the business of Banking under the act aforesaid.

Carbon Break. SEAL OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY. Treasury Department.

In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, this 14th day of August, 1872.

JOHN JAY KNOX,
Comptroller of the Currency.

No. 2027.

TEA STORE

— AND —

CHINA GOODS,

Main Street, first house east of the Bridge,

BOZEMAN, M. T.

HOP KEE, - - Proprietor.

WOULD respectfully announce to the citizens of Bozeman that he has on hand and is constantly receiving a general assortment of TEAS and CHINA GOODS, to which he invites the attention of the public. He has also in connection with his store an excellent

BATH HOUSE,

where gentlemen can obtain refreshing baths

VINEGAR BITTERS

VEGETABLE — FREE FROM ALCOHOL — PURELY — DEMULCENT — CALIFORNIA — VINEGAR BITTERS

Vinegar Bitters are not a vile Fancy Drink, made of Poor Rum, Whiskey, Proof Spirits and Refuse Liquors, doctored, spiced, and sweetened to please the taste, called "Tonics," "Appetizers," "Restorers," &c., that lead the tippler on to drunkenness and ruin, but are a true Medicine, made from the native roots and herbs of California, free from all Alcoholic Stimulants. They are the Great Blood Purifier and a Life-giving Principle, a Perfect Renovator and Invigorator of the System, carrying off all poisonous matter and restoring the blood to a healthy condition, enriching it, refreshing and invigorating both mind and body. They are easy of administration, prompt in their action, certain in their results, safe and reliable in all forms of disease.

No Persons can take these Bitters according to directions, and remain long unwell, provided their bones are not destroyed by mineral poison or other means, and the vital organs wasted beyond the point of repair.

Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Headache, Pain in the Shoulders, Coughs, Tightness of the Chest, Dizziness, Sour Eructations of the Stomach, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Bilious Attacks, Palpitation of the Heart, Inflammation of the Lungs, Pain in the regions of the Kidneys, and a hundred other painful symptoms, are the offsprings of Dyspepsia. In these complaints it has no equal, and one bottle will prove a better guarantee of its merits than a lengthy advertisement.

For Female Complaints, in young or old, married or single, at the dawn of womanhood, or the turn of life, these Tonic Bitters display so decided an influence that a marked improvement is soon perceptible.

For Inflammatory and Chronic Rheumatism and Gout, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Bilious, Remittent and Intermittent Fevers, Diseases of the Blood, Liver, Kidneys and Bladder, these Bitters have been most successful. Such Diseases are caused by Vitiated Blood, which is generally produced by derangement of the Digestive Organs.

They are a Gentle Purgative as well as a Tonic, possessing also the peculiar merit of acting as a powerful agent in relieving Congestion or Inflammation of the Liver and Visceral Organs, and in Bilious Diseases.

For Skin Diseases, Eruptions, Tetter, Salt-Rheum, Blotches, Spots, Pimples, Pustules, Boils, Carbuncles, Ring worm, Scald-Head, Sore Eyes, Erysipelas, Itch, Scurfs, Discolorations of the Skin, Humors and Diseases of the Skin, of whatever name or nature, are literally dug up and carried out of the system in a short time by the use of these Bitters. One bottle in such cases will convince the most incredulous of their curative effects.

Cleanse the Vitiated Blood whenever you find its impurities bursting through the skin in Pimples, Eruptions, or Sores; cleanse it when you find it obstructed and sluggish in the veins; cleanse it when it is foul; your feelings will tell you when. Keep the blood pure, and the health of the system will follow.

Grateful thousands proclaim VINEGAR BITTERS the most wonderful Invigorant that ever sustained the sinking system.

Pin, Tape, and other Worms, lurking in the system of so many thousands, are effectually destroyed and removed. Says a distinguished physiologist: There is scarcely an individual upon the face of the earth whose body is exempt from the presence of worms. It is not upon the healthy elements of the body that worms exist, but upon the diseased humors and slimy deposits that breed these living monsters of disease. No system of Medicine, no vermifuges, no anthelmintics, will free the system from worms like these Bitters.

Mechanical Diseases. Persons engaged in Paints and Minerals, such as Plumbers, Type-setters, Gold-beaters, and Miners, as they advance in life, will be subject to paralysis of the Bowels. To guard against this take a dose of WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS once or twice a week, as a Preventive.

Bilious, Remittent, and Intermittent Fevers, which are so prevalent in the valleys of our great rivers throughout the United States, especially the of the Mississippi, Ohio, Missouri, Illinois, Tennessee, Cumberland, Arkansas, Red, Colorado, Brazos, Rio Grande, Pearl, Alabama, Mobile, Savannah, Roanoke, James, and many others, with their vast tributaries, throughout our entire country during the Summer and Autumn, and remarkably so during seasons of unusual heat and dryness, are invariably accompanied by extensive derangements of the stomach and liver, and other abdominal viscera. There are always more or less obstructions of the liver, a weakness and irritable state of the stomach, and great torpor of the bowels, being clogged up with vitiated accumulations. In their treatment, a purgative, exerting a powerful influence upon these various organs, is essentially necessary. There is no cathartic for the purpose equal to Dr. J. WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS, as they will speedily remove the dark-colored viscid matter with which the bowels are loaded, at the same time stimulating the secretions of the liver, and generally restoring the healthy functions of the digestive organs.

Scrofula or King's Evil, White Swellings, Ulcers, Erysipelas, Swelled Neck, Goiter, Scrofulous Inflammations, Indolent Inflammations, Mercurial Affections, Old Sores, Eruptions of the Skin, Sore Eyes, etc., etc. In these, as in all other constitutional Diseases, WALKER'S VINE