

Local Matters.

Religious Services. Methodist Church, Sunday School at the M. E. Church, each Sunday, 10:30 p. m.

Presbyterians. Prayer and conference meeting every Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., in Episcopal Church.

M. E. Church, South. Under the leadership of Rev. J. H. Taylor, the congregation will hold religious services every Sunday.

Wm. W. Alderson has returned home and will remain on two weeks.

Nelson Story and Gen'l Lester S. Willson are on a business visit to Helena.

A. W. Tanner has returned from Central Park. He will remain in Bozeman permanently.

R. S. Tingley passed through town this week on his way from Fort Keogh to his home at Fort Benton.

T. R. Edwards yesterday left town for Miles City, where he intends to locate permanently.

Paul McCormick, of Miles City, is in town and will leave for home in about ten days.

A private letter received in town states that D. E. House was in West Minister, Cal., looking for a suitable location for a home in that section.

At last accounts from Hayden, James A. Ferris is not improving.

At a regular meeting of Western Star Lodge No. 4, I. O. O. F., at their hall in Bozeman, Montana, Monday evening, Jan. 7, 1878, the following officers were duly elected and installed for the term ending June 30, 1878:

N. G. S. H. Osborn, W. G. John Stevens, R. S. A. D. McPherson, Treasurer—J. F. Speith, G. W. J. Bovard.

Last week news was received in town of the sudden death of Miss Blanche Thorpe at her home near Hamilton.

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BOZEMAN SANDWICHES.

C. L. Clark has closed his auction store. The new Billiard Hall is open.

Cottillon party to-night at the Peace mansion.

Farior Tables at Ponsford's Billiard Hall.

Presbyterian social to-night at Mrs. Taylor's.

Indian Views for sale at Calles & Catlin's View Emporium.

La F. Clark has rented the Guy gardens and will cultivate them next Summer.

Blake "A" Whisky at Ponsford's. We acknowledge the receipt of a neatly printed calendar card issued by the Herald.

Butter, Eggs, Potatoes, Flour, Lard, &c. wanted at Lockey's.

Paymaster, Major Blaine, will pay the troops at Fort Ellis on or about the 20th inst.

If you owe Maxey, pay him. He is getting close to the wall.

We acknowledge the receipt of a very neatly printed Carriage Address issued from the Madisonia office.

Ponsford's Billiard Hall is furnished with new Tables and is open for business.

The Finch & Nicholson swedish cutter is receiving the finishing touches at the hands of the painter and will be raffled off the latter part of this week or early part of next.

At Calles & Catlin's View Emporium for Pictures of the Wonderland.

The disciples of Ike Walton will do well to heed the notice headed, "Sportmen, take warning," before their hunting and trapping propensities lead them into a legal trap.

Maxey's Meat Market is the only place in town where you can get the worth of your money.

Lea F. Marston is offering Waltham watches—hunting-case and stem-wind—at about States prices, also silverware, clocks and jewelry proportionately low.

Ponsford's Billiard Hall is separate from the Saloon. Entrance one door East of Baskin's.

A number of young persons from town, Tuesday evening last, visited Miss Woolsey at the residence of Major John P. Bruce, near town. The evening was passed very pleasantly by all present.

Horses, Mares and Mules for sale by Brunett: Any kind of grain taken in payment for the same.

A piano was raffled off last Saturday evening by C. L. Clark at Mounis & Herendeen's saloon. B. M. Daves, of Helena, was the successful man.

If you want peace in the family use Lockey's California Self-Rising Flour.

A dance and supper was given at Fort Ellis on Friday evening last by Mr. and Mrs. Lieut. Wright.

Buy two and a half yards of cloth and have your pants made, to fit, by THOMAS CODY, the Tailor, next door to Straburg & Sperring.

Our readers will observe that the commodity we weekly serve up in this column is gradually improving.

All persons indebted to me, either on account or note, are requested to come forward and settle the same before the first of January, 1878.

A picture frame is on exhibition at Black & Daniels' that was made by John Walters in the county jail. The carving and other work on the frame was all done with a jack-knife.

If you want a good suit of clothes made, and warranted to fit, call on THOMAS CODY, the Tailor, one door East of Straburg & Sperring, Main street, Bozeman.

Mr. McAdow has decided to discontinue cutting saw logs at Stillwater until next Spring, in hope that the present economic tax on lumber cut on the public domain will be either modified or rescinded.

A social will be held this evening at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Taylor, the proceeds of which are for the benefit of the Ladies Society of the Presbyterian church.

The money will be used for the purpose of purchasing hymnals for the use of the church and for such other purposes as the society may determine, and not to raise the salary of their pastor, as we stated last week.

WALTHAM WATCHES. 300 Silver Hunting Case (stem wind) \$25.00 400 Silver Hunting Case (stem wind) \$25.00

LEA F. MARSTON. In the absence of Congressional proceedings and lull of Eastern news, we take pleasure in being able to furnish our readers, this week, several exceedingly interesting communications from various portions of the Territory.

Dividend Notice. A dividend of 10 per cent. of capital stock of the First National Bank of Bozeman, declared on the 2nd, will be due and payable at the Bank on and after the 10th inst.

G. S. Lewis, of West Gallatin, has recently taken up 400 acres of land under the Desert Land Act. The location is made upon the level bench just west of his farm, and it will be due and payable at the Bank on and after the 10th inst.

Sportmen, Take Warning! Notice is hereby given that after the first day of January, A. D. 1878, all parties hunting or trapping on farms belonging to the undersigned, without permission, will be prosecuted according to law.

MARRIED. At Miles City on Christmas Day, by the Rev. G. H. Thomas, Mr. C. P. Henley to Miss Rosa Hathaway.

To show how true this is we need only state that there is no such Rev. gentleman in Miles City as the Rev. G. H. Thomas, and that Mr. Henley was in Bozeman but a few days after the event, consequently no such an event could have occurred at the time stated.

Mr. Henley, while here, borrowed a suit of clothes of a gentleman in town, and has not yet returned them. The last heard of him, he had borrowed a pair of overalls and a pair of gloves at Gallatin City and left for the South, having forgotten to pay his board bill.

If you hear of C. P. Henley, Harry Alden, or Vincent, you will know who he is.

Custer County Locals.

J. W. ALLEN, Local Editor. The Yellowstone river is not yet frozen over at Etchelah.

The mail is no longer carried via Fort Custer, and the coach now runs by Ponsford's Mill.

The horses stolen from the Crows at Fort Custer, together with the thieves, have been recaptured at Fort Reno. White men done it.

Archie McMurtry and Dave Conkling have opened a saloon at Etchelah. They are both good boys, have good liquors and are deserving of success.

Several different parties are drying buffalo meat, and the market will be well supplied. It is the intention of some to ship to the Bozeman and Bismarck markets.

The remaining freights at Terry's Landing have been finally removed to Fort Custer, and the company of the 11th Infantry that was guarding them has gone thither also.

A telegraph line is building from Fort Reno to Fort Custer, thence to Fort Keogh, and the instruments for the Custer Station have arrived at that Post.

The prevailing idea that our first locomotive will come from that direction.

Flour has been up to \$18 per sack at Miles City, about 15 cents per lb.; oats, 10 cents; butter, \$1.00; Onions, 15 cents. Some parties hunted up the Rev. Mr. Bridger, and wanted to know of him, if the Bible still had anything to say about an old time article called Conscience.

The wayfarer and stranger can hear any kind of Indian news he desires down in this part of the moral vineyard. First the Crows have broken out; then you hear of farmers carolled down about Powder river; next the scene shifts to Porcupine, or the mouth of the Big Horn. All this may be very amusing to the originators, but they should recollect the boy that cried "Wolf, wolf!" when there was no wolf.

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Letter List.

Letters remaining uncalled for in the post office at Bozeman, Gallatin County, Montana Territory, January 9, 1878.

Samuel Jackson, Peter LeClair, Chris. Marton, F. Major, J. C. Mitchell, 2, William McDonn, T. W. McDermott, Weldon Mery, J. McManey, James Bridger, John C. Beiler, Wm. Brent, J. A. Beiler, Andrew P. Colvin, Henry S. Cox, Lewis Clark, Chas. Y. Dickson, Berry Dunham, J. H. Eastwood.

Joseph W. Meek, Martin O'Neil, William O'Neil, A. M. Quivey, Hugh Reaney, Jack Sovash, A. Tallmage, Geo. W. Williams, D. W. Yarrlot, Frank Fisher, A. P. Flanagan, J. P. Flanagan, Miss Eliza Gorham, 2, J. H. Gannvau, Robert Greathead, John C. Henry, M. H. Haman, Samuel, J. Hindson, Mr. Hook, Alexander Huggins.

Held for Postage: David Landreth & Son. Parties calling for any of the above letters will please say "advertised."

J. H. TAYLOR, P. M.

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JULIUS BASINSKI'S

BOZEMAN, M. T., Keeps constantly in store the largest and

CHOICE STOCK

Goods

Ever shipped to this market, comprised in part of

Elegant Designs of Mountings:

Adapted to picture frames and window curtains.

Mirrors, Statuaries, Toilet Sets.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Italian Strings, Instrument Trimmings.

WRITING MATERIAL.

BLANK ACCOUNT BOOKS.

Drawing Paper, Albums.

Scrap Books, Box and Tinted Papers, Visiting Cards, Chromo, Pocket Knives, Razors, Field Glasses, Bird Cages, Willow Ware, Children's Wagons, Hobby Horses, Pocket Books, Wallets, Etc. A complete line.

Smokers' Articles

And Genuine Meerschaum Pipes.

Candles, Nuts, Segars, Tobacco, (in great variety) School Books, Slates, Novels, and Periodicals.

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

Fine Silk Neck-Wear, Cheviot and White Shirts, Gloves, Hats, Caps, Trunks and Valises, and such other goods as to make every branch in his line complete in every particular, on all of which he defies competition, and respectfully solicits the inspection of goods and low prices.

Remember

Closing Out Sale

OF

BASINSKI'S

Entire Stock of Clothing Strictly

At Cost.

LESTER S. WILLSON,

(SUCCESSORS TO RICH & WILLSON.)

Dealer in General

MERCHANDISE,

and Freighter,

Corner Main and Bozeman Streets.

AGENT FOR

The Diamond E Forwarding Line; Coan & Ten Brook's Carriages and Buggies (the only reliable carriers for the mountains); T. C. Power & Co's. Agricultural Implements.

COMPLETE STOCK

Staple and Fancy

Groceries,

Tobacco and Cigars,

Boots and Shoes,

CLOTHING,

Hats and Caps,

Gents' Furnishing Goods

New Stock.

New Men.

NEW STORE!

BLACK & DANIELS,

MERCHANTS AND FREIGHTERS,

CORNER MAIN AND BLACK STREETS,

Bozeman, Montana,

Have just opened an entire new stock of

General Merchandise, Staple and Fancy

GROCERIES,

Segars and Tobaccos, Boots and Shoes, Crockery Ware, Etc., Etc