

The Avant Courier.

MATT. W. ALDERSON, Editor. THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 1878.

The News.

Earl Russell died in London on 28th ult. The whipping-post has been revived in England. Jay Gould has secured control of the Kansas Pacific road.

The Wisconsin Legislature in 1877 passed a bill offering \$10,000 bounty for the best practical steam road wagon. The commission of two leading farmers and one engineer has been appointed by the Governor to sit in judgment on inventions...

Press Comments on the Poem and "Apology." The Times having very considerably (?) published a statement of the New North-West, made under a misapprehension of the case, as the editor had received no information save that contained in a slip so industriously circulated in the Times office...

MILITARY NEWS. Gen. Sheridan Wants to Build a Military Telegraph Line - Locating Camps on the Upper Missouri - The Seventh Cavalry on the Trail.

as to speak. He is still suffering, but will probably recover. For pure cheek the Nez Percés are entitled to the palm. A number of them have recently arrived from the north, and go about as if nothing had happened.

AMERICAN WATCHES - STATES PRICES. 3, 4, 5, and 6 ounce cases. ALL WATCHES FULLY WARRANTED FOR ONE YEAR. Jewellery. Ladies' Sets in Solid Roman Gold, Cameo Amethyst, Coral, Garnet and Pearl, solid 14 Karat Gold, Garnet, Opal, etc.

JULIUS BASINSKI, BOZEMAN, M. T. Invites special attention to his CHOICE STOCK FANCY NOTIONS, and Freighter, Corner Main and Rossman streets, Bozeman.

LESTER S. WILLSON (SUCCESSOR TO RICH & WILLSON) Dealer in General Merchandise and Freighter, Corner Main and Rossman streets, Bozeman.

The bill repealing the Bankrupt Act has passed Congress and gone to the President for his action. Gen. Howard has recommended that immediate action be taken to quash the uprising of the Black Indians.

The Colorado Farmer, in speaking of the late storm in that State, says: "Much damage has been done to the limited farming and meadow lands of Kiowa, Running and Cherry creeks, by the sweeping away of houses, fences and corrals. Some stock was lost, and all plowed ground and growing crops were literally swept away."

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Health of Leo Declining. Rome, May 27. - The health of Leo declines daily, but unless the physicians insist upon his departure, it will be difficult to induce him to go to the country.

What the President Says. WASHINGTON, June 1. - The President to-day said he did not desire to deny the truth of the statement attributed to him - that if any attempt was made to displace him from the Presidential chair, he would maintain himself, and at all hazards keep matters in statu quo until his successor is elected according to the forms of law.

N.H. WEBSTER, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Cigars and Tobacco! PIPES, PLAYING CARDS, POCKET CUTLERY, AMMUNITION, CONFECTIONERY, NUTS AND FANCY GOODS.

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The Northern Pacific Railroad Company have concluded to accept the bill as it passed the Senate, and are endeavoring to have it passed by the House without amendments. Wm. Cullen Bryant is suffering from a congestion of the brain caused by falling in a fainting fit and striking his head on the marble steps of a friends' dwelling while about entering the house.

The Western Union Telegraph Company, which owns the right to use the Edison telephone, hopes to establish throughout the Union telephone communication with at least 4000 towns too small to support the expense of a telegraph operator. The system will be such that any one having access to a telephone can, in a few minutes' time, be put in communication with any one else having such access, and the two can converse in entire confidence, without the intervention of even an operator.

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Mr. Vestel and family have left Helena for the East. Mr. Vestel goes direct to Leavenworth, and thence to New York, where he receives the balance of \$350,000 for the Penobscot mine property.

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Considerable excitement has been created in political circles in the East by the Potter resolutions and an appointment in fulfillment of the object of these resolutions of committee, to investigate into the frauds perpetrated in Florida and Louisiana at the late election.

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