AVANT COURIER.

BOZEMAN, MONTANA.

WEDNESDAY, : : SEPTEMBER 13, 1871.

JUDGE WM. P. PARSONS

Is our authorized Agent, and will thoroughly canvass this and other counties of the Territory for subscriptions, &c., to the COURIER.

Local News.

Arrival and Departure of Mails at the Bozeman Post Office.

EASTERN AND CALIFORNIA MAILS—*Via Corinne.*

Arrive daily at 8 p. m.; leave at 4 a. m.; close at 9:30 p. m.

HELENA THROUGH.

For Helena, Deer Lodge, Blackfoot, Missoula, Fort Benton, Fort Shaw, Diamond City, Boulder and Jefferson City—Arrives daily at 8 p. m.; closes at 9:30 p. m.; leaves 4 a. m.

HELENA WAY.

For Hamilton, East Gallatin, Gallatin City, Madison, Radersburg, Springville and St. Louis—Arrives daily at 8 p. m.; closes at 9:30 p. m.; leaves at 4 a. m.

VIRGINIA CITY THROUGH.

For Virginia City, Summit, Nevada City, Junction and Sheridan—Arrives Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 8 p. m.; leaves Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 6 a. m.

VIRGINIA CITY WAY.

For Sterling, Willow Creek and Meadow Creek—Arrives Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 8 p. m.; leaves Tuesday, Thursdays and Saturdays at 6 a. m.; closes at 9:30 p. m.

J. H. TAYLOR, P. M.

QUITE a number of advertisements lay over until next issue. Every business house, and every man doing business, in Bozeman should be represented in the COURIER.

PUBLICATION DAY.—We have selected Wednesday as our publication day, and subscribers may rely upon the regularity of the issue, and the prompt mailing of the same.

THRESHING.—All the available threshing machines in the county are busily engaged threshing the immense crops of grain produced in this valley this season.

GEN. LESTER W. WILLSON returned from a protracted visit East last week. His estimable lady, who has been the central figure of the social circle of Bozeman, and who accompanied him east did not return, but will perhaps spend the winter there.

HON. H. L. HOSMER, of Virginia City, is spending a few days on business in our place. The Judge has already become attached to Bozeman, and we would not be surprised to number him among our citizens. Certainly no one would rejoice more than we to chronicle the fact.

NEW SPRING.—Capt. Southmayde and H. Horr of the Mammoth Hot Springs have discovered some hot springs about forty miles above the mammoth collection, but have not thoroughly investigated them. The COURIER correspondent will post us as to their extent, beauty etc.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the undersigned are earnestly requested to come forward and settle immediately.

1-1 L. M. BLACK.

JUSTICE'S COURT.—Before Jacob Deadawick, J. P., Monday, Sept. 11th, the people vs. Frank Aur; assault with intent to kill; on examination the prisoner was acquited. H. F. Williams attorney for defendant.

OUR respected townsman, C. W. Hoffman, some time since, met with an accident by being thrown from a horse, which dislocated one of his shoulders. In consequence, Charlie has since carried his arm in a sling.

COMING.—We are pleased to learn that our talented young friend, J. Allen Hosmer, Esq., of Virginia City, son of Hon. H. L. Hosmer, formerly Chief Justice of Montana, intends locating in Bozeman, at an early day, for the practice of law. Mr. Hosmer was recently admitted to the bar, and is a young man of fine attainments, and much promise.

Land Office Business and Conveyancing.

Those who apply to me directly to make Homestead and Pre-emption entries will save the cost of administering oaths and getting official certificates. Plats of all the surveyed lands of the county will be found at my office. Place of business, Court House building. Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

H. N. MAGUIRE,
1-1 BOZEMAN, M. T.

OFF FOR THE YELLOWSTONE.—A party of Bozeman citizens consisting of Col. L. M. Black, Gen. L. S. Wilson, Nelson Story, W. S. McKenzie, H. F. Williams and W. L. Isaacs, and others, accompanied by Harry Horr and Capt. Southmayde of the Hot Springs, will in a few days, start out for a trip to the wonderful Yellowstone region. Our correspondent accompanies the flying expedition, and our readers may look out for a series of interesting sketches from his facile pen.

GALLATIN COUNTY LAND OFFICE PAPERS.—Pre-emption receipts and homestead certificates for the following persons are on file at the Land Office, Agency of H. N. Maguire, in this place, ready for delivery to the aplicants: Daniel Miers, Calix Lebeau, Noch Gee, Malcolm Tobin, James B. Dilley, J. M. V. Cochran, Peter C. Dupuis, John Donaldson, Elbridge Gerry, Craig Doughty, Joel Shed, John N. Williams, A. D. McPherson, Zachariah T. Root, Adolph Detlessen, A. E. Blaine, J. Johnson, J. W. Marshall, Edward Hibbard, John Pritchard and Isaac Crabtree.

GRAND AND PETIT JURORS.—The following are the regular panels of Grand and Petit Jurors for the next term of the District Court for this county, which will commence on the fifth Monday of next month:

GRAND JURY.

Wm Herron	G W A Frazier	Frank Akin
J A Culver	Henry Heeb	Frank Dunbar
E M Davidson	A Corbly	James Aplin
Hugh Leonard	J B Finch	Noah Gee
Jos Brown	W O'Hays	Frank Harper

PETIT JURY.

S B Cope	F Dooley	James Kennedy
Jas Goodwin	Walter	S A Bostwick
L W Jackson	Wm Baker	Victor Cluna
Wm Erskine	W H Drew	I Fordonski
Alf Johnson	C L Clark	Thos Hamilton
Jas Hilderbrand	H J Hoppy	H J Hoppy
B Chappell.		

WALL PAPER!

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Holzman & Bro. have just received a magnificent assortment of Wall Paper, of the very latest styles and patterns, which they offer to customers at remarkably low figures. Now is the time to adorn your houses with handsome interiors.

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TO LEAVE.—We regret to learn that our esteemed friend, Hon. Wm. Y. Lovell, and his interesting family, are about leaving Virginia City, for Salt Lake, where they will locate. Judge Lovell was among the first settlers of Virginia City, where he has since resided, and no one man, so far as our knowledge goes, has contributed as much to advance the interests of Montana as he. Many have undoubtedly spent more money in various ways, from which they expected to realize heavily, but no one has contributed so much time, talent and energy, without expecting any compensation other than the public good, than Judge Lovell. Montana can illy afford to lose such men. A gentleman of liberal ideas, sound judgment, an experienced and eminent lawyer, Judge Lovell will command universal esteem wherever he goes.

THE RIYUS

Will distance the ponies that enter for the Gallatin races. The most popular resort in the city. Strangers visiting the coming metropolis will miss one of the most attractive features of the place by not calling in to see Charley Raehm at his famous Riyus, Main street, Bozeman. Delectable juices served in the magnificent "Shoo Fly" glasses. 1-1

HOT SPRINGS.—We received a call from H. R. Horr and Capt. Southmayde yesterday, who are just down from the "Mammoth Hot Spring of Montana." The numerous friends of Capt. S. in Madison will be gratified to learn that through the wonderful medicinal virtues of these waters, he has been almost completely restored to his former vigorous health. H. R. Horr and James McCartney are the proprietors of these springs, which are situated about four miles from the Yellowstone, on Warm Spring creek. There are few patients now at the springs, and all are doing well. We congratulate Messrs. Horr and McCartney on their success in getting what will at an early day be a big thing. Work has been commenced on a toll road from Boteler's ranch to the springs, and will be completed during the coming month.

HAPPENINGS.

—Bozeman is crowded with strangers.

—The deserters, who stole Col. Baker's horses, are in the chain gang at Fort Ellis.

—Mr. Nelson Storey has finished branding his drove of 600 horses.

—Mr. Wm. Goodyear, formerly book-keeper for Col. Black, and recently of Helena, was in Bozeman a few days since, preparatory to a journey to England.

—Rev. J. A. Van Anda has been absent the past two weeks.

—Mr. McDonald had a number of cattle stolen from his ranch on the Madison. We understand his herder drove them off and sold them.

—Those who have not seen the natural wonders of the Yellowstone, can have an opportunity of viewing some excellent pictures of the same at Holzman & Bro's.

—Col. Baker and the Crow chiefs had a medicine confab on Saturday, we presume, relative to securing reliable scouts for the escort of the surveying party.

—A bloody fight occurred a few nights since, at "the witching hour," in which the attacking party was considerably worried by being beaten over the the head with a pistol.

—Several spirited races have occured over the Bozeman track during the past week, and considerable money changed hands on the result. The Indians "sinched" the Pinto, realizing about $300 from the speculation in coin and wares.

—Mrs. Lizzie M. Parks, at the party on the Fourth of July, lost a gold cross, with small chain attached. Leave it at this office.

TERRITORIAL FAIR.—The second annual fair of the Montana Agricultural, Mineral and Mechanical Association is advertised, as will be seen by reference to our columns, to commence at Helena, on Monday, September 25th, and continue six days. The grounds and buildings have been greatly improved since last year, and the general accommodations extended. The premium list is liberal and attractive, and every arrangement has been made to render the Fair the most brilliant of any of its predecessors. The race track has been placed in splendid condition, making it by far the best course in the Western Territories, and the races which have always been an attractive feature, will be magnified by the addition of many new horses, celebrated for remarkable speed. The exhibition of blooded stock will eclipse anything of the kind ever known in the Territory. The importation of a large number of thorough breds and full bloods during the past year by our enterprising stock raisers, will make this enteresting to those concerned in the improvement of our stock. Nature has signally blessed the industrious ranchmen with abundant crops, and the exhibition of our vegetable and cereal productions will be unusually large. Every farmer should have his industry represented by some article of produce. The wonderful yields of Montana in agriculture is attracting the attention of the whole country, and we know of no better method of attracting immigration than by a public exhibition of our productions, by which means they will become more generally known to people at a distance. It is not necessary that articles to be exhibited should be on the grounds, or even in Helena, at the time of entering them, and exhibitors will confer a great favor upon the officers of the Assosiation if they will make their entries by mail, or at the Secretary's office in Helena, during the week preceding the Fair.

THE TELEGRAPH.—P. A. Largey, superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Company for Montana, was in the city during the past week, with his construction corps, getting out poles above Bozeman. Post holes have been completed, and Mr. L. left a few days since with his train distributing the poles along the line. They are now beyond the river at Shed's crossing. The line will be completed and in working order by the 10th of October. Mr. Largey has displayed great energy in pushing this desirable enterprise to an early completion. The convenience and benefit of telegraphic communication, cut off as we are from the "genial influences of civilization," cannot be properly estimated. We will only lack a railroad to have all the conveniences of the present age, and none will appreciate them more highly than the intelligent pioneer of the Rocky Mountains. It will not be long before the residents of Bozeman will enjoy their coffee over the morning newspaper.

VIGILANTEES AT WORK.—A short time since, at Radersburg, one Baker stabbed and fatally wounded Dr. Mann, both residents of that place. The act had the appearance of cool, premeditation, Dr. Mann having no warning of the fatal stab until the knife was plunged into his vitals. The citizens immediately arrested Baker, and kept him under guard awaiting the result of the wound. Medical assistence was obtained from Helena, but the wounded man was past all aid, and died the day after. Following immediately his death, Baker was executed. However much we may deprecate the taking of law into their own hands by the people, this case from its appearance, judged from what we have heard of the circumstances attending it, was one of quite an aggravated nature, and justified to some extent the summary action of the citizens of Radersburg. This will be another bloody chapter to add to the darker page of the early history of Montana.

LAND ENTRIES.—The public lands of Gallatin county are being fast taken up by settlers, by pre-emption and homestead. The value of these lands in agricultural productions—their superiority on account of an accessible and abundant supply of water for irrigating purpose, where it is required—is attracting much attention beyond our Territorial limits, and strangers, as well as those in our midst, who have not previously done so, are availing themselves of an opportunity that will not remain long open, of selecting a future home in this fertile valley, which will afford a comfortable home to the pre-emptor, yielding not only a competence, but a large profit, where properly attended to, and will be a rich legacy to leave to his children. Those of our attorneys who attend to entries and securing titles are doing "a land office business." But a few years will elapse before the land which is now being pre-empted at $1.25 per acre will be worth $25 00 to 50 00.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRES.—Timber and wild vegetation has suffered severely during the past few months by fire in this and Madison county. The amount of valuable timber destroyed is beyond estimate, and the vast ranges, on which our nutritious bunch grass was in abundance, have been swept off by this disastrous element, all through the carelessness (we do not suppose for a moment that any one could be so mean as to so it intentionally) of some hunter or camper. Stringent laws in regard to this matter exist on the statute books, imposing a heavy penalty for setting fire to the woods or grasses, and it would be a great benefit to our Territory if they were inforced.

HEAVY STOCK.—The largest stock of merchandise ever brought to the Territory by a single firm at one time was shipped to this place this season by Col. L. M. Black. This large shipment was intended not only to supply the enormous retail trade of his house, but to furnish to an extensive jobbing trade a variety of goods at a small advance on Eastern prices, and at much less figures than the same goods can be purchased at any other point in the Territory. Such enterprise is what stimulates business and builds up a new country, furnishing to small jobbers whose business will not justify direct importations, a varied assortment of merchandise at almost original cost and freight. The wholesale trade of Col. Black has amounted to about $30,000 during the past month.

SAD ACCIDENT.—We are pained to chronicle the sad accident, by which the life of a dear, intelligent child, the sunshine of devoted parents, lost its life. On the 19th ult., at Spring Hill, while a little boy, aged about 19 months, the son of Mr. Howell, was playing on a log bridge that spans the stream at that place, he fell into the water, was washed under the bridge and lodged in some brush about one hundred yards below the place of falling. When found, which was a short time after he was seen playing, he was dead.

FUNERAL.—The funeral [illegible] of Mr. King, who lives between Bozeman and Fort Ellis, took place at the cemetery on [illegible]. The circumstances attending the death were painful. About one month [illegible] he had swallowed quite a quantity of concentrated lye, from the effects of which it died on Thursday. This is the second case of the kind transpiring within our knowledge in this Territory. Such things should be kept out of the reach of the little ones.

A DEPOSIT.—A bronco plug, apparently fresh from the wild mesnads, threw a dashing Celestial cavalier in Bozeman street a few days since. John no salm bronco.

A GOOD INVESTMENT.—Although the hasty manner in which a great number of the mining towns of Montana and other Territories have been constructed to supply with houses a large and sudden influx of inhabitants whose sojourn proved transitory, leaving in their exit only partially inhabited towns, has made capitalists cautious in their investment in buildings, we know of no safer, better or readier return from capital than the building of a number of resident houses in Bozeman. The scarcity of such houses, and the present high rents demanded, seriously affects the settlement and progress of our town. Men with families wishing to locate in town frequently have not the means to build immediately, and if they succeed in renting a house, the price asked will discourage a man who has to work for a living. The building of a few houses, containing from three to five rooms each, would be not only a paying investment, but a public benefit. Unlike a majority of mining towns, which spring into existence in a day, and, like a species of fungi, perish in as short a time, the growth of Bozeman has been gradual and steady, at no time exceeding public demands. It has all the elements of permanency, backed by never-failing resources, and its future will be marked by continued progress.

BALL AT GALLATIN CITY.—On Friday evening next a grand ball and supper will be given at Gallatin City, in Campbell's new store, for the benefit of the Eastern Montana Agricultural and Mechanical Association. Tickets, including concomitants, five dollars. Aside from the laudable purpose for which the proceeds are to be used, in which we as a people have a common interest and should encourage and assist, all who attend are promised more than the price of the ticket in a jolly good time and an excellent supper. The proverbial hospitality of the people of that section, and their peculiarly happy manner of getting up such entertainments, satisfies us that the affair will be a decided success. Let all who enjoy such occasions, and those who wish to see our Fair take the lead in the Territory, which it can readily do by proper interest and timely aid, go to Gallatin City on Friday evening.

HARNESS MAKER WANTED.

A good Harness Maker can find employment by applying immediately to the undersigned. A steady situation, at good wages, will be given a good workman. JOHN DILLABAUGH,

1-1 tf Bozeman, M. T.

CITY IMPROVEMENTS.—At no time in the former history of Bozeman has the spirit of improvement manifested itself more than at the present. From early dawn till the sitting of the sun, the hammer of the builder makes the welkin ring with the cheerful notes of industry and progress. Several handsome new buildings are being erected on Black street, among them the COURIER office, and others will be commenced as soon as lumber can be procured. Black's addition is becoming the most attractive part of our beautiful city, and its rapid improvement is due to the enterprise of Col. L. M. Black, whose faith in the early and ultimate greatness of Bozeman is only equalled by his public spirit. Mr. Babcock is putting up a neat residence on Babcock street.

AN ELEGANT WEDDING.—The recent marriage of Mr. S. L. Holzman and Miss. Rosa Sands, both of Helena, was one of the most elegant and brilliant affairs, perhaps, that has ever taken place in the Territory. The bridal presents were numerous, handsome and costly, evincing taste on the part of donors, and undoubtedly proved highly flattering to the fair recipient. The wedding took place at the residence of the bride's brother, on Rodney St., Helena, on the 6th inst. Mr. Holzman is the senior partner of the firm of Holzman & Bro., confectioners and fruit dealers at Helena and Bozeman. Our good looking townsman Jos. Holzman, the junior, was in attendance, but his magnificent wedding present of a set of diamond jewelry did not arrive in time to be exhibited with the brilliant display of gifts. We hope to help Joe off in half way soon.

MADISON COUNTY FAIR.—Although disappointing Gallatin county in regard to the participation of of Madison county in the District Fair to be held at Gallatin City on the 10th prox., we are nevertheless gratified to see the enterprise and public spirit of the farmers and stock raises of that county manifested in their County Fair. An organization was perfected and the necessary stock taken in a remarkably short time, and the requisite buildings are now being erected. Should the same spirit continue to exist, the fair will be a splendid success. The cereal and escplent productions of Madison rank with the best in the Territory, and her blooded stock will equal in quality as well as quantity probably any other county. The fair takes place two miles below Virginia, near Nevada city, on the 10th of October.

RACES AT GALLATIN CITY.—Friday next will be quite a day in the history of Gallatin City. As a fitting prelude to the great ball, which takes place in the evening, at 11 o'clock a. m. a grand pony race will occur. No pony barred out. In the afternoon the races will be kept up, winding up with the ball aforesaid. Turfmen, bring out your fast ponies, and ye disciples of Terpsichore bring along your calico; for

"We'll dance all night till broad day light,
And go home with the girls in the morning."

VISITORS.—Maj. C. J. Kinney, of the banking house of Hussey, Dahler & Co., and Mr. Ben Ezekiel, of the grocery house of Heidenheimer & Bro., Virginia City, made our city a short visit on Friday last, returning on Saturday. They were favorably impressed with Bozeman, and we were gratified to see such substantial gentlemen in our midst. Bozeman presents many inducements to such men, and we hope, in the event of a change of base on their part, to see them among the thriving business firms of our city.

ST. LOUIS HOTEL.—Parties visiting the Territorial Fair should stop at the St. Louis Hotel, Helena, which is and has been since its early establishment the very best hotel in the Metropolis. Mr. C. D. Sullivan, by long experience in the business in the mountains, is peculiarly qualified to discharge his present extensive duties as mine host of the St. Louis.

A NEW DEPARTURE.—Our old Virginia City friend, Hon. J. M. Castner, who presided over the destiny of that city in the palmy days of 1865-'66 as Mayor, and for a number of years catered to the wants of the public as mine host of the International Hotel, has removed to Bozeman, and is now chief engineer and boss of one of the best ten-horse-power threshing machines in Gallatin County. Mr. Custner is now industriously engaged in threshing the abundant crops of the farmers on the East Gallatin.

NORWAY OATS were pretty extensively sown in the valley the past season; those on the ranch of Judge Rizer we found to be very fine, and to contain in the head of a single stalk enough to plant quite a patch. Farmers will be able to procure seed sufficient, at reasonable prices, to cultivate that species exclusively next year.

THE Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars meets in Bozeman some time during next month. The various lodges of Good Templars throughout the Territory have more than doubled in membership since the last meeting of the Grand Lodge, and if they are are all represented, as we have reason to believe they will be, the Grand Lodge will be largely attended.

MR. E. W. CARPENTER, of Helena, agent for the Continental Fire and Universal Life Insurance Companies, made Bozeman a short visit last week. The companies represented by Mr. Carpenter are the most substantial in America, the assets of the Continental being $2,358,032 on the first of January, 1871. Mr. Carpenter is an energetic business man, and the companies of which he is agent are well represented in Montana.

PERSONAL.—Maj. R. C. Miller, of the life, fire and real estate agency of Miller & Addoms, Helena, has been in our city. This firm represents some of the best companies in the country, and persons dealing with the Major will find him a square business man and a genial gentleman.

Col. W. F. Sanders, *en route* from Virginia to Helena, switched off and paid Bozeman a visit on Thursday last.

Hon. J. M. Sweeney and Mr. Philip Thorpe were in town last week.

HOME AGAIN.—Our rustling fellow-citizen, Mr. C. L. Clark and his interesting family, returned to Bozeman from the East one day last week.

Mr. H. Hoppy, accompanied by his nephew, Mr. Morris Hoppy, after an absence of a few months at St. Paul, where he was summoned as a witness on a court-martial, was welcomed back home by numerous friends, on Friday evening last.

A Pleasure Trip to the Yellowstone—An Elegant Party.

On next Saturday the following named ladies and gentlemen, will leave here for a pleasure excursion to the Yellowstone country to enjoy themselves for a few days amid the magnificent scenery of that portion of our Territory: Judge Chumasero, John McCormick, Ben Stickney, Jr., C. A. Broadwater, Mrs. Chumasero, Miss Mary Chumasero, Miss Julia Chumasero, Miss Nettie Chumasero, Miss Jennie Hundley, Mrs. May Brumley, Miss Carrie Hickok, Mrs. McCormick and Mrs. and Miss McFarland. The party will leave here on a special coach, and remain over Sunday at Fort Ellis, where the officers of that post will receive them in the good old army hospitable style. At Fort Ellis the party will be joined by a number of officers and ladies, who will accompany them. Tents and camping equipments will be sent ahead, and will be pitched in a romantic nook, already selected, and everything will be in readiness to receive the party. A band of music will accompany them, and in fact, every device that can be thought of, will be provided to render the occasion a pleasant one. Col. Baker will join the party, and an escort of twenty soldiers will go down with them. —*Gazette.*

The above party arrived here by special coach on Saturday evening, and proceeded to Fort Ellis, where they were magnificently entertained by the officers and ladies of the Fort. Monday morning they left for Yellowstone, accompanied by Col. Baker, the officers and several ladies from the Fort, escorted by a squad of soldiers. They will remain on the banks of the classic Yellowstone, fishing, picnicing, etc., several days, returning to Fort Ellis on Thursday evening, when a grand hop will be had. We beleive it is the intention of the party to attend the party at Gallatin City on Friday night.

NEW ARRIVALS.—Messrs. W. W. Chapman and Robert Renshaw, of Virginia City, arrived in town last evening, both intending to go into business in Bozeman. Mr. Chapman has been one of the proprietors of the Clasby House, Virginia, during the past year, and Mr. Renshaw is an extensive dealer in furniture at the same place. Mr. R. has a large and magnificent assortment of furniture, manufactured expressly to order, now on the way, which he will open for sale in Bozeman. We are gratified at the accession of these gentlemen to the business circle of our growing city. It seems that we are the *avant Courier* of quite an influx of some of the best citizens of Virginia. We welcome them to the coming City.

EAST GALLATIN.—On lower East Gallatin has been formed the most desirable community in the Territory. In the varied duties we are called upon to fulfill in the development of a new country, it is frequently the case that the duties which we owe to our Creator are neglected or forgotten. Not so with the intelligent citizens of that part of our county. They have regular devine service, in which the Rev. Mr. Sandford officiates; a Good Templars Lodge, numbering about eight members, and have heretofore had an excellent school. Such are the substantial elements of civilization.

BORN.

On the 6th instant, in this county, to the wife of Thomas Mulvaney, twin boys; aggregate weight, eighteen pounds.

The prolific nature of Gallatin county, it seems, is not confined to vegetable productions.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post Office at Bozeman, M. T., September 12, 1871.

Austin George	Gruell A T	Morgan G N
Belli Viola	Green John	Morse B
Bean John D 2	Grimes A	Perkins Miss N
Banks James	Greenish Peter	Pobat M
Boucher N	Graham Arch	Purth Seargent
Bryson N G 3	Griffis P	Railsback M
Bradbury Mrs A	Hanna J W	Realston Silas
Bostwick M L	Hammer J J 2	Reeves J J
Buchanan W M	Hammond G W	Reeves A C 2
Burns E A	Hill J	Reynolds Welly
Burton Mike 2	Hoffman Mrs R A	Saverd F
Carr John 2	Hughes J C	Shupder Sheo
Crain T B 2	Josey M	Sheen William
Campbell E F	Jones M	Sipe W J
Castner J M	Jones W D	Smith W G
Christman Mr	King S R	Southard C
Cline V E	Letty J A	Stanley C C
Conwell J A 3	Lansing A J	Standifer Jeff
Corcoran P 2	Lammarre C	Tarrant W
Doughts Craig	Lindley J M	Weaver N M 2
Edwards C A	Lyman H B	Wheeler S V
Fellows Mrs J	Meggeire C L	White Pine John
Fisher H	McGuinn M	Wilson W
Forsyth J 2	Mdleon Geo	Williams Ed
Ford J P	Miller J H	Wilkinson Mrs L
Frazier G W	Miller Agust	Woodworth A E
Fredrick W A	Middleton Jas	Wright Jim
Gardner E L	Moore J H	Wright B C
Glem W T.	Moore J L	Young M M

J. H. TAYLOR, P. M.

Bozeman Wholesale Market.

OFFICE OF THE AVANT COURIER,
Wednesday, September 13, 1871.

The farmers are busily engaged in threshing their large grain crops. New flour will soon make its appearance in market in abundance. Anticipating which that staple has a downward tendancy, and we quote, buying, in large lots at—X, $3 50; XX, $5; XXX, $6. Oats, 2½c; Barley, 2½c ₱ lb.

Money matters are becoming more easy, with a good prospect of continued improvement.

Dry goods, clothing, boots and shoes are being sold by our merchants as cheap as the same can be bought at Helena.

Freights from Omaha via Corinne, 6½@7.

The following quotations are based upon actual sales at currency rates. The retail prices range ten to twenty per cent higher:

SUGAR.	
Brown ₱ sack	$13 00@18 50
N Y A	21 00
Extra C	19 00
Crushed	22 00
COFFEE.	
Rio, choice	$40 00
Rio, fair	28 00
Costa Rica	34 00
Old Government Java	38 00
TEAS.	
Japan	$1 25
Imperial	$1 50@2 00
Gunpowder	1 50@2 00
ROPE.	
Jute	25
Manilla	30
PICKLES.	
Assorted, ₱ dozen	$10 00
BACON.	
100 lb sacks	$18 00
HAMS.	
St. Louis, prime, ₱ lb	27@ 28
CANDLES.	
₱ box	$9 50
SOAP.	
No 1 Palm	16
Bon Ton	20
CANNED GOODS.	
Oysters (Field's) ₱ case	$8 50
Peaches	$8 50@9 00
Corn, Winslow's	10 00
" Yarmouth	10 00
Tomatoes	$7 50@ 8 00
Strawberries	10 00
Pine Apple	10 50
Lima Beans	10 00
Green Peas	9 00
California Pears, 2½ lb cans	13 00
" Apples " "	$12 50@13 00
" Blackberries "	13 00
Egg Plums	11 00
Cranberries	14 00
DRIED FRUIT.	
Apples, new, No 1, ₱ lb	20
Blackberries	25
Zante Currants	22
Prunes	26
Cherries, pitted	45
California Peaches	25@38
" Plums	35@38
" Pears	35
Raspberries	45
Raisins, 25 lb box	6 50
" 12½ lb box	3 50
" 6½ lb box	1 75
YEAST POWDERS.	
Preston & Merrill's, ₱ dozen	$2 75
Dooley's	2 25
LYE.	
Fairbank's, in caddy's	25
BROOMS.	
₱ dozen	$8 50@8 00
CONCENTRATED LYE.	
₱ case	$14 00
SYRUPS.	
10 gallon keg, Belcher's	$18 00
5 " " "	10 00
Silver drip, ₱ case of 5 gallons	10 00
Buckets, three hoop	8 00
NAILS.	
All sizes, ₱ keg	$12 50
MATCHES.	
₱ gross	$7 50
WRAPPING PAPER.	
₱ 100 lbs	$15@18 00
CORN MEAL.	
₱ 100 lb sack $10 00 | Hominy, ₱ lb	16
OIL.	
Coal, ₱ gallon	$1 00
CHICKENS.	
Soda, ₱ lb	18
Pic Nic	18
Ginger Nuts	25
LIQUORS.	
Whiskey, common	$1 75@2 25
" Bourbon and Rye, No 1	3 50@6 00
Brandy, imported	12 00
" Domestic	3 00@5 00

A New Departure.

FRIENDS:

As this is a day of departures, we wish to call your attention to the new departure in Bozeman — and, judging you by ourselves, that the system which puts money in your own pockets will meet your approbation—whereby those who do pay will not have to pay the merchants the losses they may sustain by trusting others; for all who do a credit business must lose a certain per cent., and that per cent. of loss, we think, will cover the per cent. which we expect to make. One thing all can observe through life, a man who is careful of expenses, sells his goods at low prices, and for cash, never fails, and this we intend to do. We will not open a book account with friend or foe, rich or poor, and all may distinctly understand it. We hope that no one will ask us for credit in any way, for they will surely get refused.

At the profits we intend to sell, no one can afford to charge goods, and as our means are limited, should we trust a dollar here and there in a short time we would have out many dollars, and of course would lose some, consequently would have to sell a little higher.

It is for CASH *we sell, and we cordially invite the attention of all wishing to make* CASH PURCHASES. *A* CASH STORE *in Gallatin county has long been needed. It will stop many from going to Helena; will encourage people to come here, and will be the cause of every merchant here selling more goods.*

We do not wish to trespass on the rights of any man, but of this you may be assured, we will sell our goods at such prices that no man can afford to charge them.

When you come to town please

Observe the Sign:

CASH STORE!

Where it is no trouble to show goods, but we will take pleasure in showing them to you.

Respectfully, yours,

A. M. & C. E. TANNER.

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ATTENTION,

FARMERS!

I WOULD RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE TO the citizens of Gallatin Valley that I am now running a

New 10 Horse Power Threshing Machine,

And am prepared to do threshing in a satisfactory manner, at the usual rates.

☞ Orders left at the store of L. M. Black will receive prompt attention.

1-1 J. M. CASTNER.

Strawberry Plants!

PERSONS DESIRING TO PROCURE STRAWBERRY PLANTS this fall should get them now. It is generally known that we furnished our market with as fine strawberries, last summer, as can be raised in any country.

We will fill all orders at FIFTEEN CENTS PER PLANT, or

$10 PER HUNDRED.

Persons at a distance may rely upon receiving plants in good condition.

☞ Send in your orders to

GUY & GRAY,
1-1 BOZEMAN, M. T.

Guns! Guns! Guns!

W. COOPER,

DEALER IN

Guns, Pistols and Ammunition

Second door below L. M. Black's store,

BOZEMAN, MONTANA.

All kinds of repairing neatly and promptly done.

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Lime for Sale.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS ON HAND AND FOR for sale a large quantity of

Excellent Lime.

Parties wishing to purchase can do so, at a reasonable price, by calling at my place, across the bridge on the east side of Bozeman.

1-1 1m J. C. HUGHES.

Adam Fillmore,

WASH AND BATH HOUSE,

Opposite the Bridge, Main Street,

BOZEMAN, - - - MONTANA.

Everything arranged to suit the taste of the most fastidious. Parties having washing to do will consult their interest by giving me a call. 1-1

LOST.

AT THE LAST PARTY IN ODELL'S HALL, on the fourth of July, a small

Gold Cross, Chaste.

Had a two-inch chain attached. A suitable reward will be paid to the finder by leaving it at this office. L. M. PARKS.

NOTICE.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
Bozeman, M. T.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—Take Notice: That the following petitions were presented to the Board of Commissioners of Gallatin county, at the August term, 1871, viz:

A petition of the citizens of Bozeman Township for a change in the Public Highway leading from the town of Bozeman southward, along the range line between numbers five and six east—commencing on said range line at the south east corner of the west ——— of Nelson Story's, in section No. 13 in Township No. 2 south, in range No. 5 east; thence diagonally to the half section post in the north line of section No. 24 in said Township and range aforesaid; thence to the south line of section 36 in said Township and range.

Also, for a road from Spring Hill to Bozeman City, upon any land not occupied as farming land, intersecting a county road from Bozeman via Gallatin Mills; thence in northwesterly course along the foot hills to Township line at said Township line.

All persons objecting to the granting of said petition are requested to appear at my office, at the next regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners, on the first Monday of November next, and show cause why said petitions should not be granted.

R. H. CRAWFORD,
Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners.

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WM. WARD,

BUTCHER,

Main Street, next door to Kiyus Saloon,

BOZEMAN, MONTANA

Keeps constantly on hand

Meat, Game, Fish,

— AND —

All Kinds of Choice Vegetables.

Everything usually found in a good market always on hand, and

I CANNOT BE UNDERSOLD.

1-1 WM. WARD.

NOTICE!

LIVERY, FEED — AND — SALE STABLES!

HAVING PURCHASED THE

Stable Opp. Willson & Rich's,

I have moved my entire stock there, and intend to keep one of the

Best Livery, Feed & Sale Stables

IN MONTANA.

I have purchased

New Buggies and Harness,

and my horses cannot be beaten. Parties having stock to sell will find it to their interest to call and see me, as I will have an

AUCTION SALE OF STOCK EVERY EVERY SATURDAY.

Horses Bought and Sold.

BUGGIES FOR SALE OR EXCHANGED FOR GRAIN.

Thankful for past favors; I would solicit a continuance of patronage

The best VETIENARY SURGEON in Montana is to be found at my stable, in the person of

HANK WILLIAMS,

favorably known to all in Gallatin Valley.

1-1 C. L. CLARK.

Livery, Feed and Sale STABLE,

MAIN STREET, - BOZEMAN, M. T.

Sign of the Swinging Horse,

W. S. WRIGHT, Proprietor.

THIS HANDSOME NEW STABLE offers superior inducements to patrons. The stable was erected with a special view to comfort and convenience.

LIVERY OUTFITS

Can always be had, at reasonable rates.

Good Hay, Oats, etc., always on hand. 1-1

CITY MEAT MARKET,

Two doors below Black's store,

BOZEMAN, MONTANA.

SKEELS & SON, - Proprietors.

Save Your Money

BY BUYING YOUR MEAT AT THE

AT THE CITY MARKET.

DOWN WITH HIGH PRICES.

KEEP ON HAND, AT ALL TIMES, THE

Best Meats in the Market,

Having a large ranch, and raising our own stock, we are enabled to

SELL MEAT CHEAPER

Than Any Other Market in the Place.

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BOZEMAN BREWERY,

Lower end of Main Street,

BOZEMAN, MONTANA.

Spieth & Krug,

PROPRIETORS.

THE BEER MANUFACTURED AT THE

BOZEMAN BREWERY

HAS NO SUPERIOR.

FOR EXCELLENCE and FLAVOR.

The trade supplied on the

Most Reasonable Terms.

In connection with the Brewery we have

A GOOD MALT MILL,

and are prepared to crush grain for feeding purposes.

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P. W. McADOW. W. F. McADOW.

P. W. McADOW & BRO.,

Proprietors of the

OLD RELIABLE STANDARD,

GALLATIN MILLS

BOZEMAN, MONTANA TERRITORY.

Our brand of Flour always stands

At the Head of the Market.

We have all the

MODERN FACILITIES

For making good Flour, and our mills are under the supervision of

An Experienced Miller.

We have also in operation two splendid

Steam Threshers,

The best in the valley, which have

Proved Highly Satisfactory

To those employing them.

1-1 P. W. McADOW & BRO.

Family Market.

AT THE OLD STAND,

Main Street, Bozeman, Montana,

PERKINS & STONE, Proprietors.

Fish, Game, Domestic Meats and Vegetables

Constantly on hand, at reasonable prices. 1-1

**FRANK HAR