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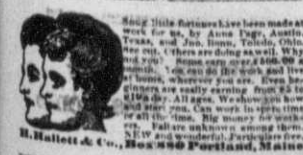
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CHOICE FRUIT

From the Home Orchard.

Mrs. Jule Bassett and children are spending a few days in Salt Lake City.

Cassia county sheep men are bleating because their sheep are assessed at \$2.50 per head.

Senator Dubois has secured an increase of mail service from Lake post office to Monida station to twice a week.

Gov. Curtis, Surveyor General Pettitt and Dr. Dubois, of Boise, spent Sunday and Monday in Blackfoot.

Eighteen horses are already on the fair ground in training for the exhibition next week.

Attorneys Orr & Orr, Beale and Stewart, of Blackfoot, were at the opening of the supreme court at Boise Monday.

Editor Ramsey, of the Pocatello Tribune, came up Monday on business with the U. S. land office and gave us a pleasant call.

Attorney S. C. Winters and family are expected to move to Blackfoot before the 1st of October.

Melbourne, the rain wizard, couldn't make the rain pour down Sunday at Cheyenne. He laid his failure to the winds. The winds will not deny the statement.

Attorney C. W. Beale of the Blackfoot bar was admitted to practice in the supreme court of the state during his recent visit to Boise.

Major Danilson is remodeling his store building and making a neat front of double windows and doors which add much to its external appearance.

The Lewiston Teller says thousands of pounds of fruit are going to waste in that vicinity, and advocates the erection of a canning factory or cider works.

Rev. O. A. Smith, pastor Methodist Episcopal church, Pocatello, was a visitor to Blackfoot Monday. Like every other stranger on his first visit Mr. Smith was well pleased with Blackfoot.

Superintendent Harroun of the state public schools has returned from Colorado Springs where he placed a number of Idaho deaf and dumb pupils in the school at that place, among them was Charlie Schuyler of Blackfoot, Bingham county.

The deaths among the Shoshone and Bannock Indians on Fort Hall reservation the past year were more than double the births; at that rate it will only be a matter of years before the Shoshones and Bannocks will be gone to the happy hunting grounds.

The Idaho Free Press, published at Grangeville, has been as prompt to roll from the press on publication day as "Old Faithful" the famous old geyser of the Yellowstone Park, is to throw up mud and water at its stated periods. But September 1st-Mrs. Parker honored her husband, the editor, as he was never honored before. She presented him with a daughter, and that day the Free Press did not dance to the call nor the music. We are not kidding; editors should be allowed some privileges and daughter days are the times when allowances should come in. Next week we expect to see the Free Press bubbling over with sparkling gems of poesy, sentiment and songs about the little queen of the home empire.

Sam Jones, the revivalist, was conducting a meeting down in Georgia not long ago. Acres of people were before him. "I wonder," cried he, "If there are not in this great crowd some clean-mouthed men who have never told a lie. If there are any moral heroes of this sort will they please rise for a moment?" There was a long pause, then one man rose timidly and stood with an air of meek yet conscious integrity, the target of ten thousand eyes. Presently another rose, and then another and another, until nineteen were on their feet. "Thank you, thank you," said the evangelist to each in turn. Then he added impressively: "Will you please remain standing while the whole congregation prays for these nineteen colossal liars?" Tableau

A Treasurer Short.

City Treasurer Coburn, of Lewiston, Idaho, is short in his accounts to the amount of \$1,455.60, and legal steps have been taken by the city against him and his bondsmen to recover the same. Mr. Coburn claims to be unable to account for the shortage and how it occurred.

One Fare to Cheyenne, Wyoming, and Return.

For the Second Annual Inter-State Miners Convention to be held Sept. 7th to 12th. A rare opportunity to visit the Capital City of Wyoming. Ask your Union Pacific agent for particulars as to dates of sale, limits, etc.

IS ALUM POISONOUS?

[Hall's Journal of Health.]

"This question has caused a good deal of discussion. Alum is used by many bakers to whiten their bread, enabling them to use an inferior flour. It is most extensively employed as a cheap substitute for cream of tartar in the manufacture of baking powders. It has been considered immediately dangerous; although if continued it induces dyspepsia and obstinate constipation. But the fact that many cases of poisoning have occurred from the use of alum, put the question in a more serious aspect, and prudent people will exercise caution in the selection of baking powders."

"Under what conditions then, does this substance—formerly used only for mechanical or medicinal purposes—become poisonous? They are certainly obscure, and at present we can only surmise what they may be. We suspect that the cause exists in the individual poisoned; some peculiarity of the constitution producing a morbid change in the secretions of the stomach, with which the alum combines and forms an active poison; or the secretions may be healthy but in unusual proportions, and that these less or greater proportions in combination with the alum constitute a poison."

"For example, two parts of mercury and two parts of chlorine form calomel, which is not poisonous, but change the proportions to one part mercury and two parts chlorine, and we get corrosive sublimate which is a deadly poison."

"Then again we know nothing of the constitutional peculiarities. Why is it that one person can eat all kinds of green fruits and vegetables with impunity, while the same course might cost another individual his life? One person can handle poison ivy and sumac without being in the least affected; another is poisoned if he approaches to within ten feet of them. Out of a family residing in a malarial district, some of the members will suffer half the year with fever and ague, while the others will enjoy excellent health during the entire year. Foods that are wholesome to some persons are actually poisonous to others. This is especially true of some kind of fish. There is no safety in taking alum into the stomach, as it is shown to be always injurious, and often dangerous." * * *

The Scientific American published in a recent number a list of alum and ammonia baking powders, which is of great value at this time. Following is the list compiled from official reports. Powders marked with a star seem to have a general sale, as they are mentioned in at least two of the official reports.

*ATLANTIC & PACIFIC.	ROYAL.
COOK'S FAVORITE.	SCOTCH.
CROWN.	SILVER SPOON.
CRYSTAL.	SILVER STAR.
DAISY.	*SNOWDRIFT.
*DAVIS' O. K.	SOVEREIGN.
DRY YEAST.	STAR.
GEN.	STATE.
GLOBE.	STANDARD.
*KENTON.	SUNFLOWER.
PEARSON'S.	WASHINGTON.
PERFECTION.	WINDSOR.
PEERLESS.	ZIP'S GRAPE.
PURITY.	CRYSTAL.

There are, in addition to the foregoing list from the Scientific American, a number of such powders sold in the western that were not found in the eastern stores.

Following is the list to date:

CALUMET.	Contains Alum.
(Calumet Baking Powder Co., Chicago.)	
FOREST CITY.	Contains Ammonia Alum.
(Vouwie Bros., Cleveland.)	
CHICAGO YEAST.	Contains Ammonia Alum.
(Clappan & Smith Co., Chicago.)	
BON BON.	Contains Alum.
HOTEL.	Contains Ammonia Alum.
(J. C. Grant Baking Powder Co., Chicago.)	
UNRIVALED.	Contains Alum.
(Spragues, Warner & Griswold, Chicago.)	
ONE SPOON, TAYLOR'S.	Ammonia Alum.
(Taylor Mfg. Co., St. Louis.)	
YARNALL'S.	Contains Alum.
(Yarnall Mfg. Co., St. Louis.)	
SHAW'S SNOW PUFF.	Contains Alum.
(Merchants Mfg. Association, St. Louis.)	
DODSON & HILL'S.	Contains Alum.
(Dodson & Hill, St. Louis.)	
SHEPARD'S.	Contains Ammonia Alum.
(Wm. H. Shepard, St. Louis.)	
BAIN'S.	Contains Alum.
(Meyer Baking Mfg. Co., St. Louis.)	
MONARCH.	Contains Ammonia Alum.
(Reid, Murdoch & Co., Chicago.)	
SNOW BALL.	Contains Alum.
(Bengal Coffee & Spice Mills, Chicago.)	
GIANT.	Contains Alum.
MILK.	Contains Alum.
(W. F. McLaughlin & Co., Chicago.)	
ECHO.	Contains Alum.
(Spencer Baking Powder Co., Chicago.)	
KALBELL'S PURITY.	Contains Alum.
(Kalbrell Mfg. Co., Chicago.)	

RISE SUN. Contains Ammonia.
(Phoenix Chemical Works, Chicago.)
WHITE ROSE. Contains Ammonia Alum.
(Globe Coffee & Spice Mills, Minneapolis.)
WOOD'S ACME. Contains Ammonia.
(Thos. Wood & Co., Philadelphia.)
ANDREWS' PEARL. Contains Ammonia.
(C. E. Andrews & Co., Milwaukee.)
HARRIS' FAVORITE. Contains Alum.
(H. H. Harris, Minneapolis.)
FIDELITY. Contains Alum.
SOLAR. Contains Alum.
(Sherman Bros., Chicago.)
PUTNAM'S BEST. Contains Alum.
(Wells Putnam & Co., Chicago.)
CHINA "T" HOUSE. Contains Alum.
(Noah McDowell, St. Paul, Minn.)
TWIN CITY. Contains Alum.
(J. K. Ferguson, Minneapolis, Minn.)
HERCULES. Contains Ammonia.
(Hercules Baking Powder Co., San Francisco.)
CLIMAX. Contains Ammonia.
(Climax Baking Powder Co., Indianapolis.)

These are pure cream tartar baking powders on the market. All authorities report Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder as free from Alum, Ammonia, Lime or any other adulterant. The purity of this brand has never been questioned.

Idaho has sent five blind and deaf and dumb pupils to Colorado Springs school. The state has a contract with that school to educate them.

Can you tell why fish need cleaning when they are in bathing all the time.

The Indians of the Fort Hall reservation are selling considerable grain in the Blackfoot market.

Cluster of Apples.

THE NEWS has on exhibition as fine a cluster of apples as ever grew in an orchard. There are ten in the cluster on the stem covering a space of six inches and all of them perfect and well grown save one which is a little undersize from being crowded. They were grown in the yard of Mr. John Rowles of our town and would be worth their weight in silver to a nurseryman for advertising purposes. Blackfoot and surrounding country, will yet become the fruit growing section for southern Idaho.

Snake River Valley Canal Company.

Snake River Valley Canal Company will hold a regular meeting at the Fox School House, Saturday, September 20th, at 10 o'clock, a. m. Parties desiring to take stock will do so on or before that day as the books will be closed at that meeting. Parties taking stock will be required to pay 5 per cent of stock taken as an advance assessment.

By order of President.

SPECIAL RATES TO SALT LAKE

For Territorial Fair and Conference, October 4th to 9th, 1891.

For the Territorial Fair and the 62nd Semi-Annual Conference of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, to be held at Salt Lake City, October 4th to 9th, inclusive, the following rates are authorized for sale of Round Trip Tickets:

Beaver Canon,	\$12.90
Camas,	11.45
Market Lake,	10.35
Idaho Falls,	9.50
Blackfoot,	8.20
Pocatello,	7.00
McCammon,	5.75
Oxford,	4.25

Tickets to be sold from October 3rd to 9th, inclusive, limited to continuous passage and good for return until October 12th, 1891.

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The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev. F. M. Shrout, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My Lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well, gaining 26 lbs. in weight."

Arthur Love, Manager Love's Funny Folks Combination writes: "After a thorough trial and convincing evidence, I am confident Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, beats 'em all, and cures when everything else fails. The greatest kindness I can do my many thousand friends is to urge them to try it." Free trial bottles at W. H. Behle & Son's Drug Store. Regular sizes 50c. and \$1.00.

Consumption.

Ballard's Horehound Syrup.

No single disease has played such sad havoc with the human race as Consumption. No disease approaches so stealthily. It early symptoms are ignored because it is thought only a Cold or hacking Cough, which is neglected until this grim monster has such a hold that nothing but death can relieve it. Ballard's Horehound Syrup has removed the grip of the grim monster from many a throat. If taken in time it will effect a permanent cure and in the worst stages it will give surprising relief. Try its soothing and healing virtues. Do not put it off until too late. Behle & Son Agents.

Dr. J. H. McLean's Strengthening Cordial and Blood Purifier, by its vitalizing properties will brighten pale cheeks, and transform pale, haggard, dispirited woman into one of sparkling health and beauty. 1.00 per bottle. For sale by Behle & Son.

Pains in the small of the back indicate a diseased condition of the Liver or Kidneys, which may be easily removed by the use of Dr. J. H. McLean's Liver and Kidney Balm. \$1.00 per bottle. For sale by Behle & Son.

There is little doubt but that many persons suffer for years with ailments that could easily be cured by the use of some simple remedy. The following incident is an illustration of this fact: My wife was troubled with a pain in her side the greater part of the time for three years, until cured by Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It has, I think, permanently cured her. We also have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy whenever needed and believe it to be the best in the world. P. M. Boston, Pennville, Sullivan Co., Missouri. For sale by W. H. Behle & Son Druggists.

J. G. Bone, a druggist at Dunmore, Pa., says he has never sold a medicine that gave such universal satisfaction as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and that the large demand for it has been a great surprise to him. It is sold here by W. H. Behle & Son Druggists.

A free and easy expectation is produced by a few doses of Dr. J. H. McLean's Tar Wine Lung Balm, in all cases of hoarseness, sore throat or difficulty of breathing. For sale by Behle & Son.

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Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pill are a sure cure for sick headache, bilious complaints, dyspepsia, indigestion, costiveness, torpid liver, etc. These pills insure perfect digestion, correct the liver and enrich the blood and make the skin clear. They also produce a good appetite, and invigorate and strengthen the entire system by their tonic action. Sold at 25 cents a box by Behle & Son.

SUMMONS.

In the District Court of Fifth Judicial District, state of Idaho, county of Bingham.

Mary A. Reedy, pltf. }
vs
J. L. Reedy, def. }

To J. L. Reedy.

You are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of said State, in the County of Bingham the complaint of Mary A. Reedy asking that the bonds of matrimony now existing between Plaintiff Mary A. Reedy and yourself be dissolved and annulled for the reason that you without any fault on the part of the Plaintiff left and abandoned Plaintiff for more than twelve months last past and that during the period of said abandonment you having the ability to do so have failed to provide her with the necessities of life. And that unless you appear and answer to said complaint within ten days of service thereof if served within Bingham County, and within twenty days if served out of said County but within said District, and in forty days if served out of said District, exclusive of the day of service, judgement will be taken against you by default and plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in plaintiff's complaint herein.

In testimony whereof I, M. Patrie, clerk of said district court, have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court at Blackfoot, this 28 day of August, 1891.

M. PATRIE, Clerk.

Hawley & Reeves for plaintiff.

Notice for Publication.

LAND OFFICE AT BLACKFOOT, IDAHO, August 26th, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has made final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Blackfoot, Idaho, on October 3, 1891, viz: Hypolyte J. Fournier, D. E. No. 300, for the unsurveyed tract as per description.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Daniel Taylor, William Jones, Presto Burrell, George Heaton, all of Bingham county, Idaho.

PERRY J. ANSON, Register.

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