

Local News.

RELIGIOUS.

"I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord."
 Preaching at White Sulphur Springs the 1st and 2d Sundays of the month at 11:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. social meeting same Sundays; prayer meeting Thursday evening 7 p. m. at the school house; Sunday school every Sunday at 10:30 a. m., the regular bible reading on the 3d 4th and 5th Sundays. Preaching at Deep creek 3d Sunday of each month at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Duck creek 4th Sunday of each month at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
 M. J. HALL, Resident Pastor.

-A few warm days and the grass will come a jumping.

-New estray adv. this week. See estray column on 7th page.

-Dr. Parberry went on a business trip to Helena a few days ago.

-Jacob Sutter, who spent the winter in Chicago, returned last week to his post.

-Jos. Hirschberg, of Benton, returned from his Livingston and Billings trip a few days ago.

-Miss Ida Briggs, of Oka, and Miss Nellie Reynolds of Martinsdale, are sojourning at the Springs.

-Miss Dohrs, of Shelbyville, Mo., a niece of J. T. Moore, will make her relatives in Montana a visit this spring.

-F. B. Judson, John J. Hess and Arthur A. Thompson arrived from Ohio recently and are sojourning at the Springs.

-Last week, Jesse Armitage sold his herd of cattle running on Smith river valley to T. J. Fleming and Lou Guy, for \$33 per head.

-Main street property here is rapidly advancing. It is safe to say good locations with a front of 30 feet will sell for \$1,000 before fall.

-Mr. Bird has moved his hotel, the Meagher House, from Hughesville to Clendenin, which is now a very promising business point.

-Wm. Higgins has sold his interest in the half-way house between the Springs and Livingston, to his partner, Hank Potter.

-The address of H. N. McGuire at the Bozeman railroad celebration, was a most eloquent effort. The tribute paid to the pioneer was grand indeed.

-The recent snow fall is not hailed with any degree of delight by stock men; but the farmer who has his fall plowed lands sown in wheat is much pleased.

-Almon Spencer will start for Livingston in a few days to attend the forwarding of goods now arriving there for the firm of Spencer, Mayn & Heitman.

-The Courier of last week announces that the Park branch of the Northern Pacific has already been let. It is to be built from Livingston and that burg will in consequence have a big boom.

-The mines of Barker and Montana districts are beginning to attract the attention of the mining men of Butte, and we may expect to see them investing in these camps before the close of the summer.

-Judge Gaddis, of Fort Logan, who advertises to sell for cost, has a large stock and is to our certain knowledge closing out very low. His goods are all first-class, and ranchmen thereabout will do well to give him a call.

-We return thanks to Governor Crosby for a neatly printed pamphlet containing the bills of the late legislature returned with the Governor's objection; also his special message relating to the County Commissioners of Custer county.

-We return thanks to J. M. Fitzpatrick, of Montana district, for some very nice samples of ore for our cabinet. One of the samples will mill about \$3,000 per ton, and the other about \$5,000 per ton. Mr. Fitzpatrick has a good mine and no mistake.

-The snow storm which has been raging with considerable fury all along the lakes and through Minnesota and Wisconsin, prevailed here Sunday and Monday last during which time considerable snow accumulated, but bids fair to vanish as quickly as it came.

-After reaching Puget Sound and having an interview with his brother George, H. H. Barnes came to the conclusion that Montana was about as good a field for prospecting as Alaska, and decided to return. He arrived here Wednesday last much to the delight of his many friends here.

-We received two letters during the past week from Fort Maginnis complaining of not receiving the HUSBANDMAN. We would state that it is mailed regularly every Thursday morning, and we cannot see why it is not received. We trust the postmaster there will use every precaution to see that subscribers get their paper.

-We are in receipt of a letter from the Judith Basin, criticising the late vigilantes' organization in that valley. As the name of the writer does not accompany the communication we withhold it from publication. We do not require the name of the writer for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith. We cannot publish any communication without first knowing the author's name.

-The storm interfered with the work in town for a few days, but it resumes again with as much push as ever.

-H. J. Bradley, of Rock Rapids, Iowa, arrived here a few days ago and will probably take up a residence here.

-Montgomery, Ward & Co., of Chicago, have issued a new catalogue which they send for 25 cents.

J. T. Anderson sold this week three lots in Higgins' townsite to R. S. Price, for \$800.

-Spencer, Mayn & Heitman have a consignment of fresh fruit en route between Livingston and the Springs.

-Subscribers should bear in mind that no change will be made in the address of their paper until ordered by them.

-Dunham & Maloney have treated the "Saratoga" to a new dress. It is now very inviting and the best reading room in town.

-The snow has been shoveled out of the Diamond grade, and the coaches make it through now without having to change to sleighs.

-Messrs. Price & Price are expecting a large lumber trade this season. They are prepared to contract for the erection of buildings and furnish material throughout.

-Richard Osborn, Price & Price's head sawyer, who spent the winter in the States, is expected to arrive in a few days. On his arrival the lower mill will be started up.

-An express line between the Springs and Livingston would do a lively business now. The passenger travel alone for the next few months would pay handsomely.

-A letter in regard to tree-planting from a Gallatin county subscriber will be answered next week. We are glad to note the interest our farmers are beginning to manifest in this matter.

-The Grand Central Hotel is doing a good business. The proprietors are so much encouraged with the outlook that they propose to make extensive additions the coming summer.

-W. H. Watson, of Big Casino Mills, inserts in his advertisement this week, "Freight for Benton at all times at good rates." Transportation going in that direction will do well to give him a call.

-The convening of court and the meeting of the Springs Association will make next week a very important one for our town. Our hotel proprietors are making an endeavor to provide accommodations for all who come.

-Steps are to be taken at once to put the Livingston road in order. There are already consignments of freight there awaiting transportation. James Brewer will proceed forthwith to put in bridges to the Meagher county line.

-Geo. Catlin returned from the States last week, accompanied by his father and a couple of brothers. His mother and sister will arrive in May or June. Montana is a great country, and we trust they will find it all they anticipate.

-Jesse Armitage, who by the way is a first-class musician, while sojourning in town for a few days, put A. W. Sias' piano in tune, Tuesday last. Guests at the White Sulphur Springs hotel will now be entertained with music in which there is no discord.

-John O'Mar and family arrived from the States Friday last. They were accompanied by eight persons, among the number were several ladies, friends and relatives of the family. They come to Montana to build homes. We extend to them a cordial welcome.

-We had the pleasure of attending a tea party, Thursday evening last, given by Miss Alice S. Nichols at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lincoln to a few friends. It was a very enjoyable affair. Mrs. Lincoln served up one of the nicest suppers we have sit down to in a long time. Miss Gibson and H. H. Barnes were among the guests.

-H. C. Pound, of Martinsdale, made us a visit last Saturday. He is purchasing horses with the view of improving the Benton southern line of coaches. First-class four-horse coaches are to be put on this road as soon as sufficient teams can be secured. Under the new arrangement the passenger travel from Billings will go direct to Merino and thence to Oka on T. C. Power & Bro's. line. From Oka, Pound's coaches will take them through on quick time. The stage travel between Billings and Benton is shortened up at least 40 miles by this change.

-We would call the attention of horsemen to the stallion advertisement of C. Barr Smith in this issue. Having rented J. T. Anderson's ranch, six miles east of the Springs, Mr. Smith will remove his stallions from their old stand on the Missouri valley to this point, where he has every advantage of breeding, being supplied with extensive well fenced pastures. Mr. Smith is an old and reliable breeder, and has some excellent stallions. They are excellent harness horses and are not excelled under the saddle by any horse in the Territory. As proof of this the skeptic only has to throw himself astride of one of them and turn him loose. Those wishing to breed are requested to give this ranch a call before making contracts.

-This promises to be a good grass season, and good grass will insure our people prosperity.

-Mrs. Penwell sold her residence up town, last week, to Jennie Russel, of Fort Benton, for \$1,200.

-The trustees of White Sulphur Springs district have rented the Good Templars' hall for school purposes for three months.

-Those having in contemplation the erection of buildings at the Springs are reminded that Charles Richards does work with great dispatch. He is an experienced draughtsman and carpenter.

-Two weeks ago we stated that 40 witnesses had been summoned in the Silver Bell case. This is a mistake. Application was made, but the clerk, we learn has refused to issue subpoenas.

-J. C. Probst, of Montana district, who was here a week since, while here consummated arrangements for undertaking the brick business, and will return next week and commence work. He is an experienced brick maker, an industrious and energetic man, and assures us that he can make a good brick from the clay here. He proposes to make brick and sell them at a figure that will induce the building of brick houses.

-There seems to be no question but what Livingston will always be the point from which the Springs will receive its supplies of merchandise. It will also be the shipping point for Smith River wool, but with the railroad completed to Helena, Townsend should be the point to receive our mails, and would be if the wagon road across the range via Cook's pass was built.

-We learn from the daily River Press that Creees from the British Possessions are over the border, and are playing havoc with the settlements on the Marias, and fears are entertained that the Teton settlement will also be raided. Quite a number of cattle have been killed, and a large lot of horses have been run off. The soldiers of Fort Assiniboine are out, but there is little hope of the recapture the stolen stock.

-We learn from a reliable source that the Clendenin Smelter Co. have two stacks and machinery for five reverbratory furnaces en route from Chicago. They will be added to their works early this spring, and when completed will increase the capacity of the smelter from four to twenty-four tons daily, and enable them to keep the blast furnace in operation continually. The company already has lumber and brick on the ground and will proceed with the erection immediately on the arrival of the machinery. This is good news for the Barker country. These works when in full working order will give employment to four times as many laborers as can now be used, in fact it will give a boom, which we hope will be permanent.

-The stylographic pen is one of the necessities of our modern civilization, if Hood's song had been "Dip, dip, dip," instead of "Stitch, stitch, stitch," it would have lost its text at the hands of Mr. Livermore, who has given his age this perfection of pen, penholder, and case, and ink, all in one, handsome, and always at hand and ready for use. The inventor has put some new improvements into it, and now what remains but for every scribe and letter writer to find it on his desk. Ink, filler and cleaner, all go with it. And to crown all, the price has been reduced to \$2. Send that amount to the sole agent, Mr. Louis E. Dunlap, 290 Washington street, Boston, Mass., and the return mail will bring you this most perfect pen.—Contributor, Boston, Mass.

BORN.

At Unity, Montana, March 23, 1883, to the wife of C. W. Cook, a daughter.

At Point of Rocks, Madison county, Montana, March 10, 1883, to the wife of John Malley, a son.

DIED.

Near Warm Springs, Deer Lodge county, Feb. 13, 1883, Arthur H. Perkins, aged 14 months and 28 days.

Spencer, Mayn & Heitman's BULLETIN.

Mail the Glad Tidings.

Have just received a large assortment of flower and garden seeds from D. M. Ferry & Co.

Flour, Oats, Wheat, Potatoes and Cabbage.

A complete line of blankets, quilts, mens' Merino underwear and socks, at very low figures.

A fine line of clothing, gents' furnishing goods, gloves and mits.

A large assortment of meerscham pipes, cigar holders, pocket-knives, etc.

The imported Henry Clay cigar and choice brands of domestic cigars.

An endless variety of lamps and glass-ware.

We sell everything low and invite the general public to give us a call and examine our goods and prices.

SPENCER, MAYN & HEITMAN, White Sulphur Springs, Dec. 14.

SPENGER, MAYN & HEITMAN,
Wholesale and Retail Grocers
 AND DEALERS IN
HARDWARE, QUEEN AND GLASSWARE
DRY GOODS,
Furniture, Hats, Caps,
Clothing and Notions,
LIQUORS, CIGARS and TOBACCOS,
BEER, BUDWEISER, St. Louis,
BLATZ, Milwaukee.
 Mowers, Rakes, Plows, Harrows and Mitchell wagons.
 A Full Stock of
Wool Sacks, Wool Twine &c.
 Furs, Skins and Hides Bought at the Highest Price for Cash.
 Our stock is Complete, and we will sell goods Cheap, in order to make room for Spring Shipments.
Highest Cash Price Paid for County Warrants.

PRICE & PRICE,
LUMBER, LATHS AND SHINGLES,
 —AND—
CONTRACTORS.
 Will take Contracts for the
Erection of any Style of Buildings.
 Plans and Specifications Furnished on Application.
 WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, February 12, 1883.

JAMES MACDONALD
 MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN
Harness and Saddles,
Saddlery Hardware,
Montana, Texas, Cheyenne and California Saddles,
TEAM, COACH, STAGE AND BUGGY HARNESS
 Always on Hand.
 Whip-sticks, Stage lashes, Spanish bits, Buggy whips, Saddle cloths, Horse blankets, Cartridge belts, Stirrups, Horse and Mule collars, Fancy bridles, Cinches, Quirts, Race, Driving, Stock, California and Mexican Bits, Chaps, Curry Combs, Brushes, &c., &c., &c.
ALL WORK GUARANTEED TO GIVE SATISFACTION.
 (Old Post Office Building) WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, M. T.

For Sale.
 One hundred and fifty sacks of Dacota flour, each sack warranted, at prices that defy competition. Price, \$6.00 per sack.
 STEPHENS BROS., Oka, M. T.
GRAND UNION HOTEL,
 Fort Benton, - - Montana
STEPHEN SPITZLEY & CO.,
 PROPRIETORS.
Fniest Hotel in Montana, Three Story Brick.
 New, Elegantly Furnished First-Class in All Its Appointments.
 Sample rooms for commercial men. 12
\$5 to \$20 per day at home. Samples \$5 free. Address **STINEGØR & Co** Portland, Maine.

Carpenter, Joiner
 —AND—
CONTRACTOR.
 Plans, Specifications and Estimates Furnished on Application.
 Saw-Filing Always in Order.
 All work warranted satisfactory or no charges made.
 C. E. RICHARDS, White Sulphur Springs, M. T.
STALLIONS FOR SALE.
 One a half-breed Norman stallion, 5 years old this spring; sired by Louis Philippe and out of a good American mare. The other is the three-year-old trotting colt, Diamond, foaled April 25, 1880. By Mambrino Diamond, 2:38½. 1 dam Helena by Illinois Rainbow. 2 dam a thoroughbred mare bred in Kentucky. Is a bay with star in forehead. These promising young horses will be sold reasonably low. Address **LEN. LEWIS,** Fort Logan, M. T.