

Notice.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
 HELENA, M. T., August 17, 1887.
 To Mine Owners and Mining Attorneys: In notices for application of patent you will in all cases make agreement to publish with the newspaper published nearest to the land geographically measured. This instruction must be fully complied with, else new publication will be ordered.
 S. W. JANOWSKY, Register.

The state republican convention of Pennsylvania has endorsed James G. Blaine for nomination for the Presidency.

The G. A. R. people will undoubtedly let alone do something to elect Cleveland by an overwhelming majority if he is nominated for a second term.

With four separate townsite additions, investors in Phillipsburg real estate should certainly be able to find their money's worth whether they be looking for residence or business property.

Somebody in Chicago, who claims to know, is predicting a cattle famine because of the severe winter and dry summer. An ill wind for the east blows good to Montana as prices paid for Montana cattle will undoubtedly be higher.

There are few people along the line of the Northern Pacific railroad in Montana who would not be glad to see Henry Villard again at the head of the railroad in whose successful building he was so instrumental. The dispatches from New York seem to show that there is at least a possibility of such a consummation and the opposition seems to be insignificant.

Governor Leslie seems to be a wholesale pardoner. In the matter of the Shenck pardon, it does seem as though it would have been more appropriate if the pardon had been granted on the merits of the case, which really appeared to call for it, than upon the recommendation of the president, because he had known some of Shenck's people.

The scheme proposed by Senator Hearst of annexing the counties of Missoula and Beaverhead to Idaho in connection with her prospective statehood will undoubtedly not go. The annexation of the Idaho pan-handle would be more logical of the two propositions and would have less of the appearance of the tail wagging the dog.

The building of additional storage room and sampling floors at the Phillipsburg sampling mill, consequent upon an increase of business, is but another proof of the activity in the mining industry, and the universal appreciation of such an outlet for the product of the mines, large and small, which are producing their quota, in the immediate vicinity.

It seems very queer after hearing all through the spring and summer that contracts for surveys could not be let because the Governor General did not have sufficient funds at his command, to learn that nearly \$15,000 appropriated for the purpose will be turned back into the treasury because the contracts were not made until after the expiration of the time in which the money was to have been used.

A somewhat novel idea to Phillipsburgers, yet one which is eminently practical, is embodied in the rumor that several eastern capitalists interested in mines hereabouts are thinking of purchasing lots and erecting summer residences in the vicinity, to which, when they have business that calls them to Montana, they can bring their families, and combine business with pleasure while surrounding themselves with all the comforts of a home.

The members of the present special session are evidently stronger in original conceptions than in remedial alterations. Despite the prayers of the press and people they have introduced a lot of new legislation, while showing a marked timidity in making any movements tending to improve or mar their last brilliant achievements. If they continue in their reckless course another special session will be even more imperatively demanded than this, though after the performance which they are at present giving us the calling of such session will undoubtedly be the subject of much deeper consideration.

The organization and incorporation of the San Francisco Con. mining company is only what might have been expected, in view of the manner in which the mine has developed for the past month, and the continuance of the favorable outlook ever since the present ore bodies were first encountered. Conservative mining men and those entirely uninterested in the mine or in the camp, express without hesitation their belief that the 'Frisco is a mine. If this be the case, there is nothing which can prevent a doubling of the business and population of Phillipsburg within the next twelve months, which will be due alone to the operation of the mine. In addition to this, there will be the natural growth of the town, which now is and lately has been very rapid, and which will be greatly quickened from the reputation which two great mines so close together, and the

bright prospects of the innumerable claims in the immediate vicinity, will bring to the district. Just about now Phillipsburg is a good place to locate in.

OUTSIDE COMPETITION.

A. C. Smith, of the Tacoma coal company, is in Butte, offering to furnish coke of a superior quality equal to that of Connelleville, Penn., and the Miner says "the Parrot has tried the coke of this company and are pleased with it. This will tend to stimulate our great industries, and we hope our people will give Mr. Smith all the encouragement possible. What is wanted in Butte is cheaper coke and salt, and he who can solve these problems is a benefactor." This naturally raises the question as to what has become of all the coke that was to be made at Livingston. Ovens have been erected there, and for about two years the coke which can be made from the coal there found has been talked of and written about. Almost everybody has seen specimens of the fuel which has been made there. Twenty dollars is the least price paid for the Connelleville coke anywhere in Montana, and this should be sufficient inducement for its home manufacture, and yet as far as we have been able to learn, coke in salable quantities from Livingston is still forthcoming. Great Falls has also advanced the claim of having coking coal in large and working quantities, and now that Tacoma is in the field perhaps steps will be taken for its immediate manufacture. We hope so, indeed. If it is possible to make good coke anywhere in Montana, along the line of any railroad, it would be a disgraceful lack of enterprise to permit it to be brought in from Tacoma. If we are to have competition at all, let it be between Livingston and Great Falls.

The Great Falls Tribune seems at last to have got itself disliked and the town which it booms is for the moment brought into an unenviable kind of notice. From permitting it to claim everything in its dispatches to the Butte and Helena papers, the Miner has at last revolted and does the little village up completely. We were in daily expectation of seeing this happen and wonder that it did not occur long ago. The fairy story about uniting the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans by a canal which would pass through Great Falls is the hair that broke the camel's back, and it looks now as though the Tribune will not find much trouble for awhile in filling its editorial columns with solid matter.

STOCK NOTES.

The Manitoba is already on the lookout for a share of the cattle business of eastern Montana.

Veterinarians hold that a beast that has once had the pleuro-pneumonia may communicate it at any time thereafter.

Huntley & Clark's Ben Lomond, jr., took the first prize at the Helena Fair as the best stallion of four years or over.

Len Lewis lost his beautiful English draft stallion Beau Chief last week. This horse was purchased by him in Illinois three or four years ago, at an expense of \$2,000.

A shrewd cowman offered a wager yesterday that before the shipment from Montana was ended this fall \$4.50 would be paid for Montana steers. No takers.—Yellowstone Journal.

Thomas Hanlon bought yesterday the wool clip of John Fogarty amounting to 17,000 pounds. Price paid was 20 cents per pound. This clip was shipped yesterday through the Billings Grain and Fuel Co., to Luce & Maning, of Boston.—Billings Gazette.

Condition Powders: Pulverized sulphate of iron, one and a half ounces; pulverized ginger, two ounces; sulphate of cinchocin, half ounce. Directions—Make into twelve powders; one to be given every evening in dampened food of bran and oats.—Farmer.

The Columbia Land & Cattle Co., Monday marketed a train load of Montana grass cattle which were unquestionably the best that have thus far arrived. They were loaded at Forsyth, Mont., and averaging 1,065 lbs, brought \$3.80, the highest figure paid this season for northern range cattle.—Live Stock Review.

A Chicago paper says: It is assumed in many quarters that a beef famine is not far away. Estimates as to the destruction in the northwest last winter are that in Montana there were 300,000 head Idaho about 100,000, Wyoming about 300,000, and Colorado about 500,000, or about 1,350,000 head in all. During the summer, on account of the excessive heat, it is estimated that the losses in the beef-producing states will swell the total to 1,500,000 head of beeves.

Don't be a Clam.

Frank Siddall, the soap man of Philadelphia, has made a fortune by advertising solely in the newspapers during the past ten years. The originality of his advertisement: "Don't be a clam," "don't" without an apostrophe, has given him a national reputation. He has shown what can be done with printer's ink on newspaper types. He does not advertise simply to help the printer along. He studied out a way for the newspapers to make him a fortune and the fact that he has over \$100,000 alone invested in fast horses proved that the newspapers have accomplished what he intended they should. Not long ago he purchased a theater and did all his advertising through the newspapers; he had no flaming posters, no dead walls or sign boards, and as a result he added several thousands to his pile.—Bozeman Chronicle.

O'Mara & Maloney,
 Proprietors of the
Elite Saloon,
 Successors to John Rains.
 Imported and Domestic Wines,
 Liquors and Cigars.
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The Bon Ton
 The Leading
RESTAURANT
 and **CHOP HOUSE**
 In the Rear of John Rains' Saloon.

This is the only **FIRST CLASS** Short Order House in Phillipsburg. Only house in town employing **WHITE COOKS**. Private dining rooms for families. Family Dinner Sundays.
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The Edwards House,
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No More Complaints at
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 Fine Rooms and Tables furnished with the best the market can afford. Try, be convinced and you will not be sorry.
 Location:—Opposite Depot.

The Slickest
OF THEM ALL,
Yee Wo & Yee Ah Yoat
 Do the Neatest
Washing & Ironing,
 Starching, Fluting, Etc.
 Clothes called for and delivered. Office back of Caplice & Smith's store.

Kroger's Brewery,
CHAS. KROGER, Prop.
Keg and Bottled Beer
 CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
 Orders by mail, or left at the Brewery, will receive prompt attention.
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James O'Donnell & Bro.
 Proprietors of the
Headquarters Saloon
 Fine Cigars,
Wines, Liquors,
 And Miners' Furnishing Goods in stock. The general public is cordially invited to stop in and sample our goods.
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 At our market we will endeavor to furnish our patrons with the best

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 The highest prices paid for hides and pelts, and cattle bought and sold. Orders delivered free of charge. The firm also carries on a general market business at Granite.
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 Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
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 DEALERS IN
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 GROCERIES, HARDWARE, AND
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We have a full and complete stock of the above named goods, and would be pleased to have you give us a call as we intend to sell as low as the lowest.

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 HOUSE, SIGN AND
Ornamental Painting,
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Paper Hanging.
 All orders left at Matthews & McIntyre's promptly attended to. All work guaranteed.

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 Boards,
Timbers, Shingles, Etc.
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 Orders left at the office of Frank D. Brown, Phillipsburg, will receive prompt attention.

FRANK D. BROWN,
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 Correct and Reliable Information
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 In the Flint Creek Mining District.
 Collections of all kinds a specialty. Town lots in desirable localities for sale.
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 Dealer in
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Shingles,
Mining Timbers.

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Frank J. Wilson.
 Office in the Rear of Miot Building, Broadway.

The Phillipsburg Mail.
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