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MISCELLANEOUS, ETC., ETC.

A Violent Storm.

ATLANTIC CITY, Jan. 9.—The gale and high tide last night carried to sea boarding houses, stores and dwellings. The bath houses and other buildings of Howard's pier were more than half washed away. Much damage was done to South Atlantic City and to the West Jersey railroads, their trains not running from this place to.day.

Disastrous Conflagration.

STILLWATER, Minn., Jan. 9.—The fire last night in the penitentiary yard destroyed the engine rooms of the cooper and blacksmith shops. The cause is unknown. It is supposed to be started by convicts. The buildings burned belonged to the Northwestern Manufacturing Company, D. M. Sabin, president. Total loss of the Northwestern Manufacturing Company is $115,000. Loss to the State is $75,000. Total insurance, $109,000.

The Belleville Disaster.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 9.—Last reports from Belleville is that one more victim of the fire was found to-day, but could not be recognized. Three additional identifications were made, Gertrude Schunck, Duquoin, Ills.; Hilda Hammel, Trenton, Ills.; Katie Washburn, Vandalia, Ills. The inquest will be held open until all the bodies have been recovered.

Death of an Insane Officer.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Lieut. John J. Augur, U. S. N., escaped from the Bloomingdale lunatic assylum last night during a terrible storm. This morning his body was found in the roadway. His death was due to the cold and exposure. The father of the dead Lieutenant is General Augur, in charge of the military post at Leavenworth, Kansas. Lieutenant Augur has been in the Navy since 1870, and was one of the officers sent out in the expedition in search of the Arctic exploring steamer Jeannette. The hardships then experienced effected his mind. He has been off duty since last summer, and was placed in the asylum on December 24th last.

Mexican Reciprocity.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—In the executive session of the Senate this afternoon, there was a desultory discussion of the propriety of receiving in open session any memorials or petitions concerning the Mexican reciprocity treaty still pending before the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations. The ruling of the presiding officer to rush the memorials cannot properly be entered upon the legislative journal. It is not generally dissented from but in the course of the discussion a strong sentiment was manifested on the part of a majority present. The discussion of the treaty will be conducted with open doors. At a meeting of the Senate Committee on Foreign Affairs, the Mexican treaty was discussed at length, but not disposed of.

A Black Fiend.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—A depraved, vicious-looking colored boy named Alphonse Kell, 13 years of age, was in the dock at Judge Snell's court this morning, for committing an atrocious deed. He lives with an uncle, a respectable colored man, who testified that about the 20th of last month the boy bought a box of "Rough on Rats" and a quantity of arsenic. When he went home he put the contents in three quarts of milk with the intention of poisoning the family, but failed in the attempt. The next day he renewed the attempt by putting the poison in a bucket of water, and Benjamin's eight children drank from the bucket and were taken with violent pains in the stomach, but all recovered. He also gave arsenic to the cattle. He sprinkled arsenic on Mrs. Benjamin's bread she, however discovered it and threw it away. He also attempted to set fire to the barn but the cornstocks burned so slow he thought he would be detected and put out the fire. Just before Christmas he attempted to cut one of the children's throats while she was asleep but she awoke just as he had his hand raised to cut her. He built a fire and called his aunt out to see it, and then threw a handful of cartridges into the fire and ran away, hoping that she would be killed by the explosion. The boy stated that while living at Baltimore he poisoned his mother and aunt, who died from the effects, and at one time he attempted to set his mother's house on fire. He also said that while in Baltimore he used to poison persons and cattle for spite.

CAIRO, Jan. 8.—El Madhi's brother-in-law, captured at Esneh and brought to Cairo, affirms that Madhi will not fight Turkish troops, but will do his utmost to make a common cause with them and expel foreigners from Egypt.

Congressional.

HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Kasson offered a preamble and resolutions reciting that certain foreign Governments with which the United States has commercial treaties securing to the United States the same treatment assured to the most favored nations, in regard to the importation of American produce and manufactures and the apparent violation of such treaty by the prohibition of the introduction of certain food products from the United States, under regulations not applied to the like productions from other nations, and directing the Committee on Foreign Affairs to inquire into the facts and report such legislation or other action as should be taken by Congress or the Executive to secure a due observance of such treaties, and protect the rights of United States citizens in respect thereto, and whether retaliatory legislation or otherwise should be adopted.

Gibson asked leave to offer a resolution declaring all laws of the federal government authorizing the sale of intoxicating liquors in states, wholesale or retail, be made dependent on parties authorized, first obtaining licences from the state authorities. Deuster objected.

Slocum, from the Committee on Military Affairs reported a bill for the relief of Fitzjohn Porter.

Committee of the Whole, headed by Slocum, reported back the resolution calling upon the secretary of war, for information as to the average number of commissioned officers of the army from the 4th of March '77, to March 4th, '81, together with a statement of the number tried by court martial; number of convictions in which the finding of the court were disapproved and sentence remitted. Adopted.

Steele, from the same committee, reported a bill to provide for the payment and muster of certain officers and men of the volunteer force.

Vance, chairman of the Committee of the Whole, reported the bill to enable the United States courts to have jurisdiction in cases of improper grants of letters patents by reason of fraud, misrepresentation and to declare the patent void on the application of the attorney general.

Slocum, from the Committee on Ship Building and Ship Owners' Interests, reported the Dingley shipping bill, unanimously agreed to by the committee. Referred to the committee of the whole

The Speaker laid before the House a message from the President, accompanying the annual report of the Mississippi River Commission. A long discussion followed on the motion by Willis to refer the message to the River and Harbor Committee.

Belford, of California, said this discussion would show the damnable, infernal character of the rules under which the House acted. There was a Committee of Ways and Means, composed of the brains of the House. Then there was a Committee on Appropriations. Committees were mere slaves, compelled to bow the neck and ask the Speaker to recognize them. It was a spectacle as sweet as the Hebrews observed when they saw oil running down the beard of Aaron to see the Democratic brethren quarreling over the reference of a great subject. He was in favor of allowing not one million but thirty millions for the advantage of the people. The Treasury to-day is governed by New York influence. There is held in the vaults a hundred million dollars, kept there in his judgment for the sole purpose of advancing the finances of New York and Pennsylvania, but the House to-day is in control of the South and West and he thanks God for it. The country submitted to the domination of two states, a little section not larger than one county in his own state, long enough. Now let the Southern and Western men stand together, say they would unlock the vaults of the National treasury and use the money to improve the water ways of the country to the end that the interests of the people be not overborne and torn down by the corporations of the Republic. Every committee should be accorded the privilege of reporting at any time. Members should have the right to call up measures at convenient seasons. Two men, under the present rules, controlled the House—the Speaker and the gentleman from Indiana, Holman, who exercised a veto power by way of constant objection.

The House refused by 124 yeas to 143 nays to refer the message to the Mississippi river committee, which leaves it referred to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors.

The Speaker laid before the House a message from the President transmitting the draft of a bill to allow Indian homestead entries on certain cases without the payment of fees of the Commissioner. Referred.

Also, a message in regard to the resolution respecting the alleged distribution of circulars in some of the Departments, asking contributions for political purposes, and the reply of the Secretary of State thereto. Referred.

Also, a letter from the Secretary of the Treasury asking a deficiency appropriation of $150,000 for printing one and two dollar notes. Referred.

Adjourned.

SENATE.

Petitions were presented by Slater, from citizens of Oregon, praying that lands granted to the Oregon Central railway, which have not been earned be taken by the U. S.

By Logan, praying for the passage of an act pensioning ex-prisoners of war.

Morgan offered the following resolution which was agreed to: *Resolved*, That the Attorney General be instructed to transmit to the Senate copies of the reports and accompanying papers made by the different examiners of the department of justice concerning the business of the courts of the United States, in Alabama, Georgia, Arkansas and Texas, which reports relate to abuses by officers of said Courts, and marshals of said districts in charges, collecting, accounting for fees and other abuses, referred to in the report of Brewster Cameron, General Agent of the Department of Justice, made January 5th, 1884.

A bill passed for the payment of $6,000 to the parents of Lieutenant Schwatka, Arctic explorer. The claim arose out of taking the senior Schwatka's land in 1850 by the Government for a military reservation.

The Senate resumed consideration of the new rules. The first question in order was the amendment of Hall to the rule relating to appropriation bills, to strike out the clause in reference to the District of Columbia appropriation, and referring the same to the Senate Committee on the District. Agreed to—27 yeas, 25 nays.

Plumbs amendment referring to the appropriation bill for the different departments of the Government in first place to committees respectively having charge in Senate of the interests of these departments. Not agreed to. Further action on this rule was postponed until after the consideration of the next rule which is No. 26. The proposed rule provides for a committee on internal improvements to consist of nine Senators. Coke favored the amendment. Frye, while disclaiming any reflection on the Committee on Commerce as at present constituted, but thought the committee made a very colorless record during the last twenty years in preparing no comprehensive, original measures for the promotion or revival of our shipping.

Frye referred to the intense activity which characterized public men of England in regard to the shipping of that country, and England gained a victory in shipping over every nation of the world, and while he (Frye) could not help admiring the steady purpose and manner in which England accomplished this result, he felt constrained to say always and everywhere that she works for money. She fought the United States nearly fifty years because we owned slaves, and when the war came that promised the slaves on one hand freedom and on the other continued slavery, she saw her opportunity, and forgetting principle, supplied the South with munitions of war and arms of every kind. We captured 763 other blockade runners with 26,000,000 arms and amunition She fitted out her Alabama to prey on our shipping and joined Spain and France in the attack on Mexico and she was ready to march on the U. S. when occasion presented itself and if it had not been for Ericsson and his "cheese box," she probably would have dismembered our country. So England forgot or ignored all principle she held so dear, in order to get a market for her goods and employ her ships. She built up a great business and has it yet. The speaker animadverted with some severity on the system of compulsory pilotage dues, which he characterized as a great hardship on shipping. McMillan said there was much difference of opinion in regard to such dues, and it was not clear that they should be abolished. With regard to the work of the Committee on Commerce McMillan said that during the last Congress it made reports on a great variety of subjects and the merchant marine had not been neglected. With regard to the River and Harbor bill, he thought it one of the most useful and beneficial bills with which Congress dealt, and criticisms made upon the River and Harbor bill would apply to other bills also. Without reaching a conclusion on the rule the Senate went into executive session, and soon adjourned.

The D. & R. G. Land Grant.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—The commissioner of the General Land Office submitted to the Secretary of the Interior the papers relating to the adjustment of the grant of public lands to the State of Kansas for the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad companies, together with the complete record of the case while before the Interior Department and an exhaustive opinion. The questions involved in his conclusion is that the State of Kansas should be called upon to request the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad Company to return to the United States by proper deeds and relinquishments or conveyance of the lands last certified to the State as indemnity for its use of lands equal to 15,160 acres certified in excess of the total area of odd numbered sections in granted limits, 49,950 acres certified in excess from or on account of lands south of the road in granted limits. In common with the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad Company, 4,069 acres north of the road, which passed to the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad Company, to which the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad Company has received indemnity, in all 60,180 acres. Hill introduced a bill to require a Government building to be constructed in every town and city of the Union in which the postmaster draws a salary of $1,000 and over. Hill says this policy will save the Government $1,000,000 per year in rent.

Harvard College.

BOSTON, Jan. 9.—The annual report of the President of Harvard College shows a considerable decrease in the number of students from the New England States and a remarkable increase in the attendance from the Middle States. The endowment of $100,000 intended for a law school and inter-collegiate contests in athletic sports demands, says the President, further regulation by agreement of the colleges whose students take part in them. They are degrading to both players and spectators if conducted with brutality or in a tricky spirit, and they became absurd if some competitors employ trainers and play with professional players, while othees do not. The authorities of Harvard are in favor of forbidding college clubs or crews to employ trainers, or play or row with professionals, or compete with clubs or crews who adopt either of these practices. They are opposed to all money-making at inter-collegiate contests, and to the acceptance of money or gratuities for services from railroads or hotels, and, therefore, to all exhibitions or contests which are deliberately planned so as to attract the multitude, and thereby increase the gate money; in short, they believe college sports should be conducted as amusements of amateurs and not a business for the profit of players. The treasurer's report shows general investments, $4,625,000, giving an income of $248,000.

Washington News.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Brewster Cameron, General Agent of the Department of Justice, has tendered his resignation to accept the position of Receiver of Public Moneys at Tucson, A. T.

Senator Sherman's attention being called to the reports that the Presidency of the Northern Pacific Railway had been tendered him, he declined to either confirm or deny the reports, but refused to say anything for publication at present. The matter, he said, is a private one.

A Family Cremated.

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 9.—On Saturday night, on the plantation of W. G. Taylor, Lane county, an entire family of negroes, Wm. Crook, wife and six children, were burned to death. The weather during the night was the coldest for 20 years. It is supposed that a large fire was made before retiring, and the house caught fire from the brands rolling on the floor. No news reached the neighbors until noon, Sunday. Then a neighbor who went to visit the family found nothing but the ashes of the house and eight human beings. The father and mother were found nearly together, and the infant between them, where the bed had stood.

Wholesale Poisoning.

GALVESTON, Jan. 9.—A family of nine members, named Bird, renting a farm near Kaufman, have been made the victims of a poisoner, who evidently placed the poison in a water bucket. Nearly all of the family have died. Suspicion falls upon a neighboring farmer, who had often threatened to have revenge.

Foreign.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 9.—The Porte has been informed by the U. S. Government that the U. S. Government that the existing treaty of commerce between the two countries must for the present remain in force, because notice of its termination by Turkey was not given at the proper time.

LONDON, Jan. 9.—An officer of the American Navy is reported at Dundee, Scotland, for the purpose of chartering a whaling steamer to engage in the search for the Greeley Arctic explorers. It is expected that Captain Adams, the Arctic explorer, will be appointed to command the expedition. He has expressed the belief that the Greeley party are alive, and he desires to lead a search party.

PARIS, Jan. 9.—Admiral Courbet, in his report to the Government, says the loss of the artillery and stores by fire and explosion at Hanoi on December 28th was not serious. Courbet says the enemy's loss during the French attack upon Sontay was 400 killed and 600 wounded. The Anamite commander and lieutenant was wounded, and several Chinese officers in the services of the Anamites were killed. The Anamites left Sontay 90 bronze cannon, 400 kilogrammes dynamite and 15,000 rifle cartridges.

Honors to Victor Emanuel.

ROME, Jan. 9.—A pilgrimage to the tomb of King Victor Emanuel took place to-day. Pilgrims were present from all parts of Italy. There were 60,000 in the procession, representing the six great provinces of the kingdom. Large deputations were present from Constantinople, Vienna, Corfu, Gibraltar, Trieste, Buda, Pesth Frankfort, Paris, Tunis, Alexandria, and Algiers. The procession was headed by the delegation from Rome. The different deputations of pilgrims bore banners and were accompanied by bands of music. The procession marched through the principal streets of the city to the Pantheon and for two hours defiled before the monument erected over the tomb of the late monarch. Four hundred wreaths and other testimonials of admiration were placed on the monument, tomb and chapel which were grandly decorated. During the ceremony a man climbed to the top of the obelisk opposite the Pantheon and attemped to stab himself, but was secured by the soldiers.

French Successes.

PARIS, Jan. 9.—General Becket holds Sontay with 1,000 French troops. The country for ten miles around is clear of the enemy. Hungkoa, above Sontay, on Red river, is abandoned by the Black Flags, and large numbers of Anamites are flocking to the French headquarters at Hanoi, who bring with them Chinese stragglers. It is stated that the disunion between the Anamites and Black Flags caused the loss of Sontay. Arms were found at Sontay marked "Foo Chow, China Arsenal." Some correspondence was also found compromising the Anamite officials here and Chinese officials.

The Code Duello.

PARIS, Jan. 9.—A duel with swords between Aurelien Schell and a journalist named Dion was fought to-day in consequence of an article in a journal. Schell was wounded in the side, Dion's sword breaking and leaving a fragment in the person of his antagonist.

Active War.

HONG KONG, Jan. 9.—Two thousand Anamites attacked a French post held by fifty marines. After several hours' hard fighting the Anamites retired with a loss of 100 killed and wounded. A column of French troops under the command of Colonel Massian has left Hanoi to hunt the pirates of Red river, and may possibly advance to Hong Hoa, above Sontay. Col. Brionval overtook some bands of pirates in the province of Namdinh, who retired before the French troops to a strong position, where they were attacked, and after severe fighting for several hours the French routed them.

Miscellaneous.

PORTLAND, Jan. 9,—The engagement of Mary Anderson, the actress, to Lieut. Dukes, of this place, is denied. No such person is known to exist in this vicinity.

PORTSMOUTH, Jan. 9.—Three fishing schooners were wrecked in the harbor last night. The crews were saved. Twenty coasters slipped their cables losing their anchors and came into this port for refuge. The gale was one of the severest ever known here.

OMAHA, Jan. 9.—R. B. Harrison, son of Senator Ben Harrison, of Indiana, and Superintendent of the Assay Office at Helena, Montana, was last evening married to Miss Mary Saunders, of Omaha. The bridal party was a large one.

LAS VEGAS, N. M., Jan. 9.—A crowd of rustlers at Seven Rivers, Lincoln county, fired into a line of Mexican laborers, killing four. The murder was unprovoked. The rustlers escaped.

RICHMOND, Ky., Jan. 9.—The snow is fourteen inches deep, the heaviest ever known in central Kentucky.

In Huntington, West Virginia, the snow is from sixteen to eighteen inches deep.

DAY DISPATCHES.

GALVESTON, Jan. 8.—The *News'* Austin special says: It leaks out tonight that a commissioner representing twenty-five million dollars' worth of cattle was appointed some weeks ago to work the press of the state so as to create a sentiment favoring a rigorous enactment against the fence cutters. The commissioner made a report to-day and it is said to be satisfactory in the extreme.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—The *News'* special from Sycamore, Ill., says: The interest in the grave robbing cases is unabated. Two of the supposed robbers, Wateman and Shinkle, were arraigned to-day, waived examination, were committed in default, and, although abundantly able to procure bail, they considered it safer to be behind a protecting wall out of harm's way.

Another shocking robbery has been discovered at Rochelle. Sheriff Wood, while searching the college for the corpse of old Mrs. Hyte, discovered the body of a young girl. An investigation of the graves at Rochelle proved the body to be that of Mrs. Croft, an old schoolmate friend of Shinkle's. Hall and Coffey, the first parties arrested, have been released, it being proven they were only the teamsters who drove the wagon and have given valuable information.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—At the annual "Jackson" banquet of the leaders of the democratic party of Massachusetts and anniversary of the battle of New Orleans, which occurred this afternoon, General Butler, in speaking of Jackson's character, said: when Jackson desired anything done by a foreign nation, 'twas done. No British minister dared snub him. Referring to the prospects of the democracy in the coming presidential election, he said he hoped the fact was recognized by all good men that it would be a calamity to the country if the democrats failed to win in 1884, because under the government of the republican party which allied itself to capital the rich were made richer and the poor poorer, and the time was come when that condition of things must cease.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—In response to Senator Van Wyck's resolution of December 12th, Secretary Folger sent the senate the item of expenses incurred by the department of justice since March 4, '81. The document shows that for prosecuting the star route cases the persons named received compensation as follows: A. M. Gibson, $5,000; B. H. Brewster, $5,000; Allan Pinkerton, detective services, $6,874; W. W. Keer, $29,877; H. H. Wells, $800; Geo. Bliss, $34,282; W. A. Cook, $13,699; R. T. Merrick, $17,500; total, $113,032.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 8.—Steps have been taken to hold a convention at St. Louis or Chicago at an early day of all cattle range men of Texas, Indian Territory, Kansas, Nebraska, Wyoming and other territories, to organize a national association for the general protection of their interests. Circulars have been sent all over the cattle districts of the west and are well received.

MADRID, Jan. 8.—In the chamber of deputies Colonel Partuamdo, republican, declared he thought the republicans approved of a military reform and that they would not support a monarchy. A great tumult followed. The premier, amid much cheering, observed that an officer who had taken the oath of allegiance to the king could not as a deputy attack the monarchy in the Cortes.

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—An authoritative announcement is made from Washington that Senator John Sherman has been tendered the presidency of the Northern Pacific. But, while he has not yet declined, it is believed he unquestionably will do so owing to the pressure of political obligations as by his retirement and his successor being democratic it would give the Virginia readjusters the casting vote.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—President Cooledge, of the Oregon Navigation company, has appointed G. S. Morrison to investigate the affairs of the company on the Pacific coast. Morrison leaves for the west tomorrow. The officials of the Oregon Transcontinental company state there is nothing in the published rumor of the discovery of a million a half of additional liabilities.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 8.—A telegram from Haggett, Cal., says: J. W. Dent, a cousin of Mrs. General Grant, suicided at the Alvord mine on Saturday last on account of poverty and sickness. He leaves a wife in poor circumstances in this city.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Sherman's attention was called to the report that the office of president of the Northern Pacific railroad had been tendered him and declined. He said: "The office has not been tendered me, but the matter has been mentioned by leading stockholders and directors. I have said that while I would gladly undertake the duties of the office and have the highest opinion of the value and success of the road, yet I could not with due regard to duty to my constituents and colleagues in the senate resign the position of senator nor could I properly, while senator, act as president of the company.

NEW YORK, Jan 9.—Coney Island suffered terribly. The residents were up all night, dreading the tidal wave that might submerge the place. The water flooded the meadows. The losses are estimated at between $5,00,000 and $100,000. The track of the of the marine railway between Manhattan and Brighton Beach was almost entirely destroyed. Culverts of the iron pier were wrecked at the outer end and upwards of a hundred feet carried away. The old iron pier suffered to a considerable extent. All the sheds and houses nearest the beach were entirely or partly demolished. The bathing houses, believed to be a safe distance from the sea, were borne out to ocean. The Brighton Beach hotel and the surrounding property were damaged to such an extent that it was necessary to suggest their total demolition should there be such another visitation. The promenade succumbed during the night and the music stand and drug store sunk in the sea.

COLUMBUS, Ga., Jan. 9.—The Columbus, Female college burned this morning. The hydrants were frozen and the firemen had much difficulty with them. All the inmates were aroused in time and escaped. Loss, $3,000. There was an attendance of 120 young ladies.

Is the grocer who puts sand in his sugar guilty of adultery?

AMALGAM,

As Found in Our Clean-Up of the Territorial Exchanges.

Miles City wants a flouring mill, and promises a fortune to the enterprising man who will build it.

"John," the driver of the stage from the Coal Banks to Assinaboine, got one side of his face badly frozen last Saturday.

The comptroller of the currency has authorized the First National Bank of Billings to begin business. The capital stock is $50,000.

Dawson county pays $17.50 per head a week for the care of the county poor. This is the highest price paid by any county in the Territory.

During the past year the Northern Pacific Medical Association's hospital at Brainerd has treated over one thousand patients, one-fourth of whom were surgical cases.

Notwithstanding the deep snow, severity of the weather and military interference, a few prospectors are still in the Bear's Paw country, and others are starting from Benton every few days.

The men in the Bear's Paw Mountains, who have been chopping wood for the post, have all been ordered to quit work as enough has been cut to fill the Government contract. This will throw 70 men out of employment.

River Press: The buffalo have come north of the Missouri river, and are now to be found in great numbers on and near Furchette creek, about north of the mouth of the Musselshell. The Indians killed 1,100 in one run the other day and are, as we may well believe, in a high state of felicity. The buffalo came at a good time, and will help nicely to tide the noble red man of the lower country over a hard winter.

Railroad Racket.

Trains are now seriously affected on the Northern Pacific by heavy snow drifts.

The Northern Pacific saved about $30,000 interest by not paying off until after the first of the year.

Montana leads all the States and Territories in the number of miles of railway constructed during 1883.

G. K. Barnes has resigned from the general ticket agency of the Northern Pacific and associate roads as the result of unpublished charges preferred against him by his assistant and chief clerk.

The rolling stock equipment of the Northern Pacific comprises 350 locomotives, 134 passenger coaches, 17 emigrant sleepers, 14 dining cars, 22 sleeping cars, 6 business cars, 1 pay car, 5 observation cars, 1 combination passenger and baggage car, 1 combination passenger and mail car, 27 combination mail and express cars, 19 express cars, 34 baggage cars, 132 caboose cars, 10 refrigerator cars, 4,845 box cars, 797 stock cars, 3,200 flat cars, 700 coal cars, 73 boarding cars, 7 pile drivers, 4 steam shovels, 6 tool cars, 2 steam stone derricks, and 1 painter's cars.

A. O. U. W.

Installation of Officers.

The following officers were installed by Silver Bow Lodge No. 11, A. O. U. W., of Walkerville, by D. D. G. M. W., G. B. Sarchet, for the ensuing year:

P. M. W.—J. M. Moore.
M. W.—Geo. S. Holbrook.
For.—Chas. W. Hanscomb,
Ov.—Geo. J. Hillebrand.
Rec.—D. Driscoll.
Recorder—Frank Kramlick.
Fin.—M. Kearney.
Guide—Eli Rodgers.
I. W.—J. J. Carrol.
O. W.—W. H. Fisher.

Nervousness, Nervous Debility, Neuralgia, Nervous Shocks, St. Vitus Dance, Prostration, and all diseases of Nerve Generative Organs, are all permanently and radically cured by Allen's Brain Food, the great botanical remedy. $1 pks., 6 for $5—at druggists, or by mail from J. H. Allen, 315 First Ave., New York City.

Malaria positively cured with Emory's Standard Cure Pills, a never failing remedy; purely vegetable; contain no quinine; sugar-coated.—25 cents.

Mensman's Peptonized Beef Tonic, the only preparation of beef containing its entire nutritious qualities. It contains blood-making, force generating and life-sustaining properties; invaluable for indigestion, dyspepsia, nervous prostration, and all forms of general debility; also in all enfeebled conditions, whether the result of exhaustion, nervous prostration, overwork, or acute disease, particularly if resulting from pulmonary complaints. Caswell, Hazard & Co., proprietors, New York. Sold by druggists. 9 19 tf

From Every Point of the Compass come the orders for sozodont. Never has such a demand arisen for any article of the toilet. Its most constant patrons are among the sex born to be admired. Good looks conciliate, beauty fascinates. White teeth do more augment personal comeliness than any other facial characteristic. The ladies know this, and either to render the charm lasting or to secure it when waning, apply sozodont, the most effective of tooth preparations. Use it systematically.

Independent, 8th: Another man has returned from the Cœur d'Alene mines with a pocket full of money. His name is A. Peters, and he arrived yesterday. After spending several months prospecting he made a successful strike and sold out for $4,000. He thinks the Cœur d'Alene mines will become a good camp, and he intends to return to them in the spring.

The Miners' Union ball on the 22d inst. will be one of the largest parties of the winter. The members of the Union will attend in force and Butte society will be well represented. The committees are making the most complete arrangements to insure she social success of the occasion and it will no doubt be as great a success in that respect as in the numbers present. The music will be furnished by the Union band.

SHERIFF' SALE.

Peter Valiton, plaintiff,
vs.
Peter Hartz and Henrietta Hartz, defendants.

To be sold at sheriff's sale, at 2 o'clock p. m., Saturday, January 12th, A. D. 1884, in front of the Court House door, in the town and county of Deer Lodge, Montana Territory, under and by virtue of an order of sale in the above entitled cause, issued from out the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the Territory of Montana, in and for Deer Lodge County, the following property described in said order of sale as follows, to wit:

That certain tract and parcel of land situated and being in Deer Lodge County, M. T., and being the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter the south half of the southeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section number thirty-two (32), in township 8 north of range nine (9) west of the principal meridian, containing one hundred and sixty acres. Also that portion of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section thirty three (33) in township eight (8) north of range nine (9) west which lies west of the middle of Deer Lodge river, containing about thirteen acres. Said land above described lies on the west side of the Deer Lodge River, and opposite the town of Deer Lodge in said county and Territory.

Also lots number one two three, four, five and six in Block number twenty-eight, and lots numbers eleven, twelve, thirteen and fourteen (11, 12, 13 and 14) in block number twenty seven of and in the town of Deer Lodge Deer Lodge County, Montana Territory, according to the official survey and plat of said town, together with all the improvements, and rights and privileges, belonging to said property above described, or pertaining thereto, and all water rights and privileges, ditches and water belonging thereto or needed in connection therewith.

Dated this 20th day of December, 1883

JAMES B. McMASTER, sheriff.
By THOS. McTAGUE, Under Sheriff.

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For further information inclose pastage stamp and address, HENRIETTA HARTZ,
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One month	2 inch	12 00	15 00	18 00	15 00	18 00
Two months	2 inch	16 50	21 00	25 00	21 00	25 00
Three months	2 inch	20 00	25 00	30 00	25 00	30 00
Six months	2 inch	30 00	35 00	40 00	35 00	40 00
One year	2 inch	40 00	50 00	60 00	50 00	60 00
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Two weeks	3 inch	12 00	15 00	18 00	15 00	18 00
One month	3 inch	15 00	18 00	21 00	18 00	21 00
Two months	3 inch	21 00	25 00	30 00	25 00	30 00
Three months	3 inch	25 00	30 00	35 00	30 00	35 00
Six months	3 inch	35 00	40 00	50 00	40 00	50 00
One year	3 inch	50 00	60 00	70 00	60 00	70 00
One time	6 inch	9 00	12 00	15 00	12 00	15 00
One week	6 inch	15 00	18 00	21 00	18 00	21 00
Two weeks	6 inch	18 00	21 00	25 00	21 00	25 00
One month	6 inch	25 00	30 00	35 00	30 00	35 00
Two months	6 inch	35 00	40 00	50 00	40 00	50 00
Three months	6 inch	40 00	50 00	60 00	50 00	60 00
Six months	6 inch	60 00	70 00	80 00	70 00	80 00
One year	6 inch	80 00	90 00	100 00	90 00	100 00
One time	10 inch	12 00	15 00	20 00	15 00	20 00
One week	10 inch	20 00	25 00	30 00	25 00	30 00
Two weeks	10 inch	25 00	30 00	35 00	30 00	35 00
One month	10 inch	30 00	35 00	40 00	35 00	40 00
Two months	10 inch	40 00	50 00	60 00	50 00	60 00
Three months	10 inch	50 00	60 00	70 00	60 00	70 00
Six months	10 inch	70 00	80 00	90 00	80 00	90 00
One year	10 inch	100 00	120 00	150 00	120 00	150 00
One time	20 inch	20 00	25 00	30 00	25 00	30 00
One week	20 inch	30 00	35 00	40 00	35 00	40 00
Two weeks	20 inch	35 00	40 00	50 00	40 00	50 00
One month	20 inch	40 00	50 00	60 00	50 00	60 00
Two months	20 inch	60 00	70 00	80 00	70 00	80 00
Three months	20 inch	70 00	80 00	90 00	80 00	90 00
Six months	20 inch	90 00	100 00	120 00	100 00	120 00
One year	20 inch	150 00	175 00	200 00	175 00	200 00
One time	23 inch	25 00	30 00	35 00	30 00	35 00
One week	23 inch	35 00	40 00	50 00	40 00	50 00
Two weeks	23 inch	40 00	50 00	60 00	50 00	60 00
One month	23 inch	50 00	60 00	70 00	60 00	70 00
Two months	23 inch	70 00	80 00	90 00	80 00	90 00
Three months	23 inch	80 00	90 00	100 00	90 00	100 00
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