

LOCAL NEWS.

From the Daily Herald of December 17.
Accidental Death of Two Miners.
From a gentleman just over from Deer Lodge, we learn of the death of John Sweeney and John Brannan, which occurred in Deep Creek, near Beartown, last week by the caving of a drift.

Matrimonial.
The marriage of Hon. F. George Heldt, of Lewis and Clarke, to Miss Mollie R. Watson, of Madison, is announced to take place at St. Paul's Church, Virginia City, on Monday next, 21st inst.

Personal.
"Alfred B. Jazes" is the name of the editor of the Toledo Democrat.
Hon. Geo. Heldt is up from Fort Shaw, visiting.
Jno. McGetrick is back from the West Side, and is welcomed by a host of personal friends.

Hotel Arrivals.
St. Louis.—Jno Allison, Radersburg; W Redding, B F Marsh, A J Brook, Clancy; Thos Clarey, Sun River; T A Hamilton, Crow Creek; F J Dunbar, Gallatin City; T W Jones, Blackfoot; L J T Van Orsdale, U S A; W S Magill, Deer Lodge; Jno R Quigley, Blackfoot.

Items.
E. T. Johnson received from the States last week a beautiful mocking-bird.
W. F. Sanders has removed his law office to Beveridge's block, Main street.
Bakley is filling orders for jewelry and silver ware from all portions of the Territory.
Cornelius Hedges has removed his law office, and office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, to the HERALD building, up stairs.
The freight outfits of P. B. Clark & Co. and Capt. Todd left Corinne on the 10th inst., the former laden with goods for Helena and the latter for Virginia.
Wm. Roe, of the Peoples' National Bank of Helena, had a couple of bones broken in his right hand a fortnight ago while laying a new flume in his mines in Virginia creek, and now carries it in a sling. Mr. Roe has laid a two-foot flume in his mines in the above creek, and is ready to mine advantageously when spring comes. He has, from reports, a most valuable placer in this property.
Millen & Roseners are in receipt of new goods in the boot and shoe line, and more on the road. Their stock, however, is complete in almost every particular. They have a force of workmen under that competent foreman and accomplished workman, Robert Carr, turning out a superior quality of custom work. A fine pair of boots is wanted, Mr. Carr will take the measure and satisfaction.

King Solomon Lodge Election.
At a regular meeting of King Solomon Lodge No. 9, held on the evening of December 16th, the following officers were elected for the ensuing Masonic year: Jerry Robinson, W. M.; Alex. Gibson, S. W.; Geo. Frank Marsh, J. W.; E. Frank, Treasurer; D. H. Cuthbert, Secretary.

Ranch Sale.
Dr. Steele, administrator, to-day sold in front of the Court House the Pete Morrison ranch, on the west side of Prickly Pear, four miles from town, to Stoddler and Bro. for the sum of \$2,050. The attendance at the sale was quite large, the farmers of the valley being well represented. The bidding was quite lively, and the property brought what is considered a very good figure.

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Personal.
J. E. J. McClernand, of Fort Ellis, is registered at the International.
I. I. Lewis, Superintendent Legal Tender Mining Company, is at the St. Louis.
S. T. Hauser, President of the First National Bank, arrived home from the east last night.
James Matkins arrived from Peck last evening, and reports that the Diamond "R" and other freight trains will soon be in.

Report of Rodney Street School and Roll of Honor for Month Ending, December 11, 1874.
Whole No. of days attendance.....1,327
Whole No. of days absence..... 193
Whole No. of tardiness..... 153
Whole No. of boys enrolled..... 52
Whole No. of girls enrolled..... 38
Average No. belonging..... 80
Average daily attendance..... 70
Percentage of attendance on average number belonging..... 87 1/2
The following list comprises the names of those pupils whose uniform good deportment and application to their studies entitles them to a place on the Roll, having gained over 95 per cent. in their general average:
Miss Fannie Ellis, Hattie Bowler, Bettie Duff, Libbie Zeigler, Theresa Sands, Annie Warfield, Julia Rumley, Berdis Herrick, Lela Gorham, Mollie Griffith, Mollie Anthony, Hattie Dana, Nannie Carver, Emma Zeigler and Aldie Colwell.

Death of Lieut. Amet.
The following general order from Headquarters Military District of Montana is furnished us for publication.
HEADQUARTERS SEVENTH INFANTRY,
FORT SHAW, M. T., Dec. 16, 1874.
[GENERAL ORDERS—No. 23.]
With much regret the Regimental Commander announces to the 7th Infantry the death of one of its officers.
Second Lieutenant Albert V. Amet expired at this post at 7 a. m. to-day of rapid consumption.
Lieutenant Amet served as a member of the 8th Illinois Cavalry, during the first year of the rebellion, participated in several of the important battles of the war, and held at its close the rank of First Lieut. in the 17th Illinois Vol. Cavalry. He became an officer of our regiment in 1872, and by his honest and faithful performance of duty, won the respect and esteem of his brother officers, and the confidence of his Commanders.
As a mark of respect to the deceased, the usual badge of mourning will be worn by the officers of the regiment for thirty days.
By order of COL. JNO. GIBBON.
LEVI F. BURNETT, 1st Lieut. and Adjutant of Infantry, Post Adjutant.

Freight Notes.
Several freight outfits loaded with silver ores from Montana arrived to-day.
Bergen's teams, loaded for Murphy, Neel & Co., Helena, passed Pleasant Valley this morning.
During the month of October \$14,000 for freights was paid out by the firm of Fred J. Kiesel & Co. Think of it! \$14,000 a month by one firm alone for freights, and this in Corinne, too.
Over 2,535 tons of freight were shipped by Kiesel & Co. during the past five months, to points in Montana and Idaho.—Mail, 11th inst.

Items.
Two thousand pounds of Montana butter arrived in Salt Lake City, Utah, on the 10th inst., and it was pronounced the sweetest ever offered in that market.
One of the teachers calls our attention to the fact that the Grand street school registers 107 pupils, instead of 75, as chronicled a few days ago. The actual average attendance is 97.

The following are registered at the International: M. M. Moore, C. Ewing, C. Davis, J. W. Matkin, Ft. Peck; O. E. Roberts, Jackson Creek; D. Musser, Park City; E. J. McClernand, Ft. Ellis; J. T. Clark, Clancy; Geo. F. Ingram, Carroll; John S. Flickner, St. Louis; S. Pepin, Deep Creek.
Walter Strang, of Buffalo New York, arrived here on Saturday from the Black Hills, where he has been prospecting since August. He made a thorough prospect and reports some "pocket" gold found, but not enough to pay. He declares that there is not a shadow of truth in the statements made as to the discoveries of gold in that country. Two of his comrades were shot by the Indians, of whom the hills are full.

From the Daily Herald of December 19.
Penitentiary.
There are 22 prisoners in duration—18 Territorial and 4 United States. The prison, out-buildings and yard are in excellent condition, and good discipline is maintained. The contract of Mr. Dan. A. Steele to put in the second tier of cells with iron doors, steps and galleries, is complete, except the hanging of the doors and step plates. The stone and brick work has been done under the personal supervision of Mr. W. G. Armor. We should pronounce the work first-class and satisfactory in every respect.—Northwest.

Sale of Farm and Stock.
James Luby, of Skalkaho, has disposed of a half-interest in his ranch, grain, stock, farming utensils, etc., to Dan. Howard, for the sum of \$1,100. Mr. L. having made arrangements with Mr. Howard to settle up his business, departed by this morning's coach for the States. He will return to Montana in the spring, as he still thinks Bitter Root valley a good place to live in.—Missoulian.

Hotel Arrivals.
St. Louis.—H Blum, McClellan Gulch; I Lewis, Clancy; M N Marshall; D C Pratt; G H Majors, Camp Baker; David McCrauer, Sheridan; Thos Hoopes, Boulder; J F Pottling, N M Hill, Clancy; Joseph Brien, Vaughan's Gulch; T T Shinnick, B Smith, Missouri Valley.

New Year's Eve Ball.
A ball will be given at Unionville on Thursday evening, December 31st, the proceeds to be applied to the school fund of that district. A good time is guaranteed, and everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Items.
A large amount of flour is en route from Missoula for the Helena market.
Now is the winter of our great content—halmy—sunshine—Indian Summer weather.
Geo. W. Irwin has been appointed Inspector of Weights and Measures of Deer Lodge county.
E. M. Dunphy has disposed of his bridges across the Jefferson and Madison rivers, and contemplates removal to Oregon.
The ladies of Missoula have perfected such arrangements as will liberally adorn a Christmas Tree for the little folks.
A ball will be given at Cockrill's, Central Park, Christmas eve, at which the Gallatin valleyites will have much fun, and all for \$3.
Henry McFarland, of Missoula, was dumped from his sulky last week while training his trotting horse. Little damage was done.
Missoula is to have a holiday ball. It comes off at the Dana House on New Year's eve. The hall is commodious and good music and supper will be provided.
Wm. Dinger was the lucky winner of two large and beautiful oil paintings at a raffle a few days since, and they now adorn the walls of the "Pony" on Rodney street.
Gov. Pollinger has succeeded Mr. Corbin as agent for the Montana Division of Gilmer & Salisbury's stage line. Gov. is an old hand at the business and can fill the bill thoroughly.
The Teachers' Convention will meet in Deer Lodge, Wednesday, Dec. 30, and continue during two days. It is the earnest wish of the Territorial and County Superintendents that every teacher in the county shall be present. Visiting teachers will be entertained during the two days' session free of expense.
Bogert intimates that, four issues of his paper having been distributed promiscuously and gratuitously, he thinks it about time somebody should subscribe. As an inducement to get some bonafide subscribers he offers: "On the first day of May, 1875, we shall place at the disposal of our subscribers a fine chromo." Why don't somebody encourage the young man by sending him a V or a sack of XX flour for his paper?
D. L. McFarland, of Deer Lodge, deputy mineral surveyor, and who, by the way, is one of Montana's most exemplary and promising young men, has, in connection with W.

W. Johnson, been surveying the mineral claims of Barrette & Co. and Leopold & Co., on Nine Mile. Having completed these surveys, they returned to Missoula last Friday, and on Monday took coach for Deer Lodge.—Missoulian.

NEW DRY GOODS.
At prices which defy competition will be found at all times, large, elegant, and complete lines of the newest styles of STAPLE and FANCY DRY GOODS, at the salesroom of J. R. BOYCE & CO.

They are now receiving and opening attractive lines of SIDE BAND PRINTS of choice colorings and fabric, to which they invite the attention of buyers.
Shawls, Cloaks, and Furs.
A full stock of which will be found at low prices.
Their stock of FLANNELS, LINSEYS, CLOTHS, WATER-PROOFS, etc., embraces every style and quality usually on exhibition, to which the attention of close buyers is called.
Hosiery, Nubians, Hoods, Yarns, Together with attractive lines of DRESS GOODS, consisting of SILKS, SILK POPLINS, MERINOS, CASHMERE, BLACK ALPACAS, SERGES, SATTEENS, EMPRESS CLOTHS, POPLINS, PLAIDS, DELAINES, REPS, SILK VELVETS, etc., at prices which will give perfect satisfaction to cash buyers.
Flour Sacks, Seamsless Bags, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Mattings, etc.
J. R. BOYCE & CO.,
d&wtf-dec5 Bentley's Block.

A Valuable Medical Treatise.
The edition for 1875 of the sterling Medical Annual, known as Hostetter's Almanac, is now ready, and may be obtained, free of cost, of druggists and general country dealers in all parts of the United States and British America, and indeed in every civilized portion of the Western Hemisphere. This Almanac has been issued regularly at the commencement of every year for about one-fifth of a century. It combines, with the soundest practical advice for the preservation and restoration of health, a large amount of interesting and amusing light reading, and the calendar, astronomical calculations, chronological items, etc., are prepared with great care, and will be found entirely accurate. The issues of Hostetter's Almanac for 1875 will probably be the largest edition of a medical work ever published in any country. The proprietors, Messrs. Hostetter & Smith, Pittsburgh, Pa., on receipt of a two cent stamp, will forward a copy by mail to any person who cannot procure one in his neighborhood.

A Wrong Custom Corrected.
It is quite generally the custom to take strong liver stimulants for the cure of liver complaint, and both the mineral and vegetable kingdoms have been diligently searched to procure the most drastic and poisonous purgatives, in order to produce a powerful effect upon the liver, and arouse the lagging and enfeebled organ. This system of treatment is on the same principle as that of giving a weak and debilitated man large portions of brandy to enable him to do a certain amount of work. When the stimulant is withheld, the organ, like the system, gradually relapses into a more torpid or sluggish and weakened condition than before. What then is wanted? Medicines, which, while they cause the bile to flow freely from the liver, as that organ is used into action, will not overwork and thus debilitate it, but will, when their use is discontinued, leave the liver strengthened and healthy. Such remedies are found in Dr. Peare's Golden Medical Discovery and Purgative Pellets.

A CURE OF LIVER DISEASE.
Rusk, Texas, May 10th, 1873.
Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.
Dear Sir—My wife last year at this time was confined to her bed with Chronic Liver Disease. I had one of the best doctors to see her, and he gave her up to die, when I came upon some of your medicine. I bought one bottle and commenced giving it. She then weighed 82 pounds; now she weighs 140 pounds, and is robust and hearty. She has taken eight bottles in all, so you see I am an advocate for your Medicines.
WILLIAM MEAZEL.
FROM THE NOTED SCOUT, "BUFFALO BILL."
Holland House, Rockford, Ill., April 20, 1874.—Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.: Sir—I have now taken four bottles of your Golden Medical Discovery in connection with your pellets, and must say that nothing I have ever taken for my liver has done me as much good. I feel like a new man. Thank you for your wonderful medicine.
W. F. CODY, ("Buffalo Bill.")

PRESENTS! PRESENTS! PRESENTS!
For The
HOLIDAY SEASON.
W. G. Bailey, Main street, Helena, has just received direct from New York a very large and well selected assortment of goods especially designed for the holiday season, consisting of:
Ladies' Roman Necklaces.
Opera and Vest Chains,
Diamond and Pearl Rings,
Sleeve Buttons, Studs, Earings, &c.
Ladies' Nets of the New Etruscan Gold pattern, Silver Tea Sets, and Castors.
Cake Stands and Baskets.
Tureens and Ice Pitchers.
Cups, Goblets &c.,
Fish, Pie and Cake Knives,
Ladies' Spoons &c.
Goods sent to any point of the Territory, C. O. D.
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THE PIONEER MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENT OF MONTANA.
We have the largest and best assorted stock of Lumber, Lath and Shingles in the Territory, and with two sawmills constantly manufacturing, we can fill any bill at short notice and at lowest market rates. Our
PLANING MILL,
Door, Sash and Blind Factory is constantly running, and we do all kinds of millwright and carpenter work. Everything is made of kiln-dried lumber, and all work warranted.
We have on hand a full stock of Building Hardware, and keep everything needed in the construction of buildings.
d&wtf-jel8 A. M. HOLTER & BRO.
FOR SALE.
A 16-horse power portable engine. Also, a complete apparatus for a sawmill. Will be sold together, or separate, to suit purchaser. A rare bargain is offered. Inquire of Ross Deegan, Gallatin Corral, Rodney street.
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Wanted.
A nurse girl, from 10 to 15 years of age, can find a good situation by applying at the HERALD office.
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NOW OR NEVER.
Try Me On.
At my Carriage Manufactory, Lower Main, corner of Grand street, Helena, I am prepared to do all kinds Manufacturing, Black-mitting, Repairing, etc., at the shortest notice.
Fill orders for Miners' Picks, Wheelbarrows, or heavy quartz wagons.
Will put a spoke in a carriage wheel, or make a new carriage throughout—to suit the wants of my patrons. If you think I don't do work at bed-rock prices, just call and get my figures.
d&wtf-nh7 WM. McLEAN.

Butte Mining Items.
Mr. Frank Ramsdell handed us this week a large sample of the ore now being taken from the 125 foot shaft on the Parrott lead at Butte, which is rated at nearly \$1,000 to the ton. Considerable work is now being done on it and will be this winter. Ramsdell, Parks & Talbot are down to water level—125—on Nos. 1 and 2 east, and have commenced stopping down. They will work six men on this shaft and expect to take out about two tons per day. The crevice runs evenly about three feet of ore, which it is thought will average \$250 to the ton, the ore at the greatest depth being the richest. Messrs. Talbot and Downs have a 50-foot shaft on discovery, and four to six men will be employed this winter sinking on that and taking down the ores through to No. 2. The quality and quantity of rock are about the same as at a like depth on the 1 and 2 shaft, rating from \$150 to \$200. The First National Bank of Helena is contracting for these ores on the dump and they pay a good profit. The Parrott is steadily rising in estimation as a true, rich lode. The owners are Ramsdell, Parks & Talbot, 900 feet; Nelse Wolverson, Clarke & Larabee, Alex Scott, Wm. H. Claggett, Thos. C. Irvine, Geo. W. Newkirk and Dennis Leary, each 200 feet.—North-West.

NEW GOODS FOR THE FALL TRADE.

We have now in store a portion of our Fall shipment, comprising some choice novelties in Dress Goods, Shawls, Serfirs, Carpets, Prints, Wash Poplins, Alpaca, etc.
We call particular attention to the extraordinary bargains we are now offering in a large line of Empress Cloth, French Merinos, Satteens, Diagonals, and other worsted dress goods, in all the new shades, which we can safely say will compare with New York prices.
Our line of Domestic, Flannels, Woolens, Table Linens, Curtain Laces, Hosiery, Water Proofs, Jeans, etc., is more complete and varied than ever.
Flour Sacks, Grain Sacks, and Sacking a specialty.

A full line of Hydraulic Duck, in all numbers. All of which we offer at bottom prices.
d&wtf SANDS BROS.
HELENA, September 7th, 1874.

Social Party.
A social party will be given at Canyon Ferry, December 24th. Everybody and his wife are invited. Tickets \$4.
L. ROTWITT.
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A CARD TO THE PUBLIC

A Short Postponement of the Fifth Gift Concert.
As manager of the Gift Concert given in aid of the Public Library of Kentucky, my position creates an important trust in behalf of the Public Library and the ticket-holders of the fifth gift concert. The Public Library of Kentucky and the ticket-holders are jointly interested in the amount of the drawing. The larger the fund to be distributed in gifts the greater will be the gift awarded to each lucky ticket-holder and the more the amount realized by the Library. To have a full drawing is so man festly to the interest of those interested that, rather than have a fractional drawing on the 30th inst., I deem it due to the trust confided to me by the ticket-holders and the Public Library of Kentucky, that a short postponement be made to enable me to dispose of the un-sold tickets and have a full drawing. Though the very large amount now in bank would enable us to distribute handsome gifts, yet we should feel disappointed in this, our last concert, should we be compelled to make a fractional drawing, however large.
We have received so very large a number of letters from all parts of the country from those most largely interested, urging a postponement if all the tickets be not sold by the 30th, that we feel strengthened in our sense of duty to the ticket-holders, and the public Library, to make the postponement. Under the circumstances, we have determined in the interest of all parties, to postpone the concert and drawing to Saturday, February 27, 1875, at which time the drawing will positively take place, and, as a guarantee of good faith toward ticket-holders, we pledge ourselves to refund to any ticket-holder his money, upon presentation of his ticket, should the drawing fail to come off at the day now fixed. The past we feel assured, will be sufficient guarantee to all interested that they will be fairly and honestly dealt with. The money paid for tickets is sacredly preserved against all contingencies until after the payment of the gifts, after which the expenses are to be reimbursed and the Public Library is to be paid its profits.
THOS. E. BRAMLETTE,
Agent and Manager.
Nov. 20, 1874.

CANS & KLEIN.

For the past few days we have been opening largely of the first installment of our Fall Stock, and have now a complete and large assortment of Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods, consisting of the Latest Styles of:
CASSIMERE SUITS.
CHEVIOT SUITS.
DIAGONAL SUITS.
BEAVER SUITS.
DRESS SUITS.
A Fine Assortment of Fancy
CASSIMERE PANTS.
ENGLISH CASMERE VESTS.
SILK VESTS.
CLOTH VESTS.
Our Assortment of
BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING.
BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING.
Is unsurpassed.
We have this day received a lot of
FASHIONABLE HATS.
FASHIONABLE HATS.
Received by Express from the Manufacturer.
OVERCOATS. OVERCOATS.
OVERCOATS. OVERCOATS.
The Latest Designs and Patterns.
All of the above Goods are of our own manufacture. Employ none except First-Class Cutters and Tailors, and we guarantee satisfaction.
OUR PRICES, AS USUAL, DEFY COMPETITION.
CANS & KLEIN.
Main Street. Helena.