

LOCAL NEWS.

HELENA ROD AND GUN CLUB

Prize Offered to the "Shooter" Who Will Make the Best Score.

At an adjourned meeting of the Helena Rod and Gun Club, held June 12th, 1886, at the store of M. H. Bryan, Broadway, Dr. C. K. Cole and Wm. Sims, upon application, were duly elected members of the club.

Upon motion amendments to the rules regulating shooting on the club's grounds were adopted, among which were rules to prevent accidents and a rule limiting the size of shot used to exceed No. 7.

A committee of three was appointed to select design and procure a \$15 club badge. This badge is to be worn during the week succeeding each regular weekly shoot by the member making the highest score at such shooting, and at the termination of the season, ending the second Friday in August next, to be given to the member having the highest aggregate score, made during said weekly shooting from the date of said meeting to and including said second Friday in August.

After disposing of further business the following communication was received from M. H. Bryan, read by the secretary, and adopted without a dissenting voice:

As an incentive to insuring a next weekly shoot, on Friday, June 18th, I have selected a lancewood trout rod which will be presented to the member making the highest score at twenty black birds—each member shooting five shots in turn at incoming birds, five at birds thrown at right angle, five at birds thrown straight away, and five at birds thrown at left angle.

A resolution of thanks was tendered Mr. Bryan for the above prize, and on motion the meeting adjourned.

Marriage of Mrs. Julia A. Meek.

Married Saturday evening, June the 12th inst., at the residence of the bride's parents, the Judge and Mrs. O. B. Totten, of this city, by the Rev. T. V. Moore, of the Presbyterian Church, Edward C. Perret, of St. Louis, Mo., to Mrs. Julia A. Meek, of Helena. Mrs. Meek is favorably known in the Capital City, who with her sister Jennie, came among the pioneers of "Last Chance" as a little girl of bright eyes and attractive appearance. Mr. Perret is a bright young business man, following the grocery business for a number of years in St. Louis, where he was born and educated. It is the intention of the groom to make a home in Montana, establish a profitable business and grow up with the country. The congratulations of the HERALD are extended to the happy pair with the best wishes for long and happy lives.

A Pleasant Surprise.

Saturday evening Rev. F. D. Kelsey was surprised by the unexpected arrival of his father, Rev. L. Kelsey, of Columbus, Ohio, accompanied by his wife and daughter.

Rev. L. Kelsey supplied his son's pulpit yesterday evening, and notwithstanding the storm he was greeted by a large audience.

The church also celebrated "Children's Day" by a sermon to the children on "Consider the Lilies." A committee of the young people decorated the church most beautifully, and are deserving of much praise. Miss Harris, the organist, also spent much care in training the children's choir, and was seconded by the presence and voices of several young ladies.

Moon Struck.

A man by the name of M. Moon was shadowed, and finally arrested in this city by policemen Lewis and Larenx, charged with stealing several hundred dollars from his employer, Benj. Thompson, a miner living at Clancy. When arrested only \$14 were found upon his person, the culprit claiming that he had turned over \$136 to a friend, who restored the amount to Thompson. Marshal Sims telephoned for an officer of Jefferson county to come and get this shining luminary, who was here in jail. This morning Constable Cornish, of Wickes, carried off this "lesser light" for an examination in the adjoining county.

More Gold.

William Hickey, a prosperous miner from Mount Pleasant, in the Stemple district, brought in this morning 350 ounces of retort gold from the Blue Bird and Hickey mines, which were taken to the U. S. Assay Office for refinement and U. S. stamp.

Catholic Mission.

The Rev. Buchard, of San Francisco, a distinguished Catholic divine of the Society of Jesus, will begin a mission at the Cathedral in Helena on the first Sunday in July. This noted and eloquent preacher has been giving missions for many years on the Pacific coast and in many parts of the United States, where his distinguished lectures have made him famous. The mission here will begin on the Fourth of July, attended by several priests of the diocese.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. E. Joseph and Mrs. E. Spierling tender their sincere thanks to the Masonic Order and to the ladies and gentlemen of the United Hebrew Benevolent Society of Helena, for their kindness and attention to them in their bereavement.

Postmaster's Bond.

Charles D. Curtis, Postmaster at Helena, has filed his official bond with the following sureties, representing millions in hard cash. (Signed)

From the Daily Herald of June 15. Stockgrowers Association.

The Brand Book of the Montana Stockgrowers Association is just received from the hands of the compiler, Russell B. Harrison, Secretary of the Association. The book is elegantly bound and conveniently arranged for handy reference, and is not too large to carry in a breast pocket. The names of the members and officers of the association are alphabetically arranged and the brands of each classified with a cut of the cattle and horses. For instance, "Kohrs & Bielenberg, page 103, postoffice address Deer Lodge, Range, the Basin, east and southeast of the Snowies. Sun River range, from Dearborn to Sun River, and from the mountains to the Missouri river." Index of brands and interests represented. For instance, D. Hunter, Running Water, Land and Cattle Company, P. O. address, National Stock Yards, Chicago, Illinois. Copies of the brand book can be had of the Secretary and Treasurer R. B. Harrison, Helena, at \$1.25 each.

Water Supply.

It is surprising how many sources of water supply Helena appears to have when a little public discussion is turned in upon the subject. About twenty distinct propositions have been broached, and it would leave the impression that the supply was ample for a city of the size of Chicago, if each was as ample as represented and all could be combined. It strikes us that what we want is a single source of supply that is ample at the dryest season of the year. The Missouri river fills all the conditions, and perhaps other sources might, such as the Ten Mile, where it could be reached at a point near the city. What we do not want is to pin our faith and put our money into any scheme that is at all doubtful. Just convince our people that this supply could be had for a reasonable sum, say not exceeding \$150,000 and they will vote it as quick as an enabling act can be secured. What we want first is a careful survey and estimate by competent and experienced engineers of several different schemes and propositions.

Out of Luck.

A blumpious Scandinavian by the name of Pete Anderson, who came to town from a neighboring mining camp with a good many shining ducats in his pockets, hung his clothes last night where they were manipulated, as he alleges, by the nimble fingers of Maggie Foley, who stole from his Sunday breeches six twenty dollar gold pieces while she was domiciled at the residence of Kitty Ryan, on Wood street. A warrant for her arrest was sworn out and placed in the hands of Police man George Bashaw, who brought the reluctant Maggie before Judge English. A hearing was set for 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Episcopal Residence.

There was a meeting last night of the members of the congregation of the Catholic church, John C. Curtin presiding as president and L. F. LaCroix as secretary. After partial reports of subscription committees, a committee was appointed to whom was delegated full powers to let contracts, receive subscriptions and do all things required for the construction of the episcopal residence for the Bishop of Helena. Committee: Bishop J. B. Bronde, Andrew O'Connell, John C. Curtin, Thomas Cruse, Robert C. Walker.

The Rogues Gallery.

Marshal Sims is in receipt of the prospectus of a new book called "Professional Criminals of America," by Thomas Byrnes, Inspector of Police and Chief of Detectives of New York City. The book will contain the pictures and photographs of a large number of the celebrated professional criminals who are now plying their craft trades in all parts of the United States. These characters have their names and aliases printed and the vocation followed by each—a dozen or more under the head of bank sneak, bank sneak and burglar, pennyweight and bank sneak, forger and bank sneak, pickpocket and forger and as many under the head of bank burglar. Then follows numerous local thieves, confidence men, general sneaks, wagon sneaks, shoplifters, swindlers and bunco steers.

Their names and aliases are euphonious and suggestive, such as Pete Lake alias Grand Central Pete, Tom Burns alias Combo, Dick Morris alias Big Dick, Franklin J. Moses alias ex-Governor Moses, Ed. Tully alias Broken-Nose-Tully, James Wilson alias Pretty Jimmie, Wm. Wright alias Roaring Bill, James Fitzgerald alias Red Fitz, Mary Buzby, Mollie Hallbrook and a hundred other first class men and women. The Marshal says more than one of these are known to the police of Helena and others, when they come, will be recognized by their photos and characteristics which have preceded them.

Probate Court.

The two prisoners brought up by Under Sheriff Hathaway from Livingston, charged with the robbery of Wm. Hartwig's barber shop in Helena, were brought before his honor, Judge Davis, this afternoon for a hearing. Edward Gardner was first called and asked whether he was guilty or not of the charges in the complaint made against him. He waved an examination and was required to give bonds in the sum of \$500 to appear before the next grand jury.

David Ancy, the other prisoner, was asked the same question by his honor and put in the plea of not guilty. He was then committed to the custody of the Sheriff, to be held to await an examination next Thursday at 10 a. m. The Sheriff was instructed to preserve a correct inventory of the stolen goods and turn them over for use by the boys in the barber shop.

New Furniture Store.

John Bower, a man of capital and an old resident, has opened a new furniture store in the store room, corner of Bridge and Water streets. He will carry a full line of goods, and will sell at prices to suit the times. He reuses an examination of his stock before purchasing.

From the Daily Herald of June 16. HELD UP.

The Phillipsburg Stage Robbed by two Masked Men. A special dispatch from Drummond, on the Northern Pacific railroad, says that the Phillipsburg stage was held up about eight miles north of that place. The robbers secured the treasure box and contents. E. J. Carter, agent of Wells, Fargo & Co. at Helena, says their box only contained \$61, which was gobbled up. Nothing is said about passengers' losses or whether anybody was hurt.

MORE MONEY CAPITALIZED.

Two Millions in Clean Cash Forms the Capital of the Boulder Mining and Reduction Company. The following capitalists yesterday formed the Boulder Mining and Reduction Company: H. M. Parthen, A. M. Holter, S. T. Hauser, Albert Kleinschmidt, Henry Klein, J. L. Waggoner, and John W. Baskett. The company has purchased the Amazon works in Jefferson county, about two miles west of the Boulder stage road near Lippencott's, consisting of a five stamp mill, smelter and concentrator. The capital stock is \$2,000,000, divided into shares of \$5 each. The incorporators are all from Helena except J. L. Waggoner, who is a citizen of Jefferson county. Articles of incorporation were filed in the office of Wm. B. Webb, Territorial Secretary, June 16th.

THE BI-METALLIC MINING CO.

Capital Stock Five Million Dollars.

The following capitalists, mostly of St. Louis, have filed articles of incorporation with the Territorial Secretary of Montana for the incorporation of the Bi-Metallic Mining Company, with a capital stock of \$5,000,000, divided into shares of \$25 each, viz: Chas. Clarke, J. M. Merrell, Chas. D. McClure, Moses Ramsey, Paul A. Fuzz, John N. Bofinger, Auguste B. Ewing and Henry J. McKellops, for the purpose of carrying on the business of reduction, smelting, concentrating and refining gold, silver, copper and other metals. The principal operations of the company are to be carried on in the vicinity of the Flint creek mining district, Deer Lodge county, Montana. The articles were filed June 9th, 1886.

Golden Sands.

It is estimated that there are 350 tons of sand now being worked up daily in mortar and plastering for buildings in Helena. This sand is washed down from the mountains and comes within the city limits in flumes which carry off the water from gold washings in the gulches of Tucker, Dry and the Park. If it were left for the builders of Helena to seek their sand in the district of its source they would have to haul it many a mile at a heavy cost. As it is the sand, which is clean decomposed granite crystals, comes unbidden, as it were, almost to our doors and is distributed about the city at one dollar per ton. How much fine gold comes down the flumes from the rich placers above is not known, and how much of the pure metal is worked into the walls and houses of Helena will not be found out until the universal melt makes the crucial test of continents and hemispheres alike. Verily the mountains around Helena "roll down their golden sands."

Street Railway.

Whether or not it was right and wise to refuse an extension of time as asked by the Street Railway Co. depends entirely upon the fact whether any other company would do the same service in shorter time and on any more favorable terms. We do not suppose that it makes any difference to the people of Helena generally who builds, owns or runs our street railways. We think the reasons offered by the present chartered company are good, and unless some responsible persons will undertake to do the work in less time or on more favorable terms, their request should be granted. It was right to allow time for others to be heard before acting on the petition. The gentlemen who have had the matter in hand have done enough to show their good faith, and we commend them for their prudence in not being willing to ruin the enterprise by incurring such excessive outlay at the start as to render high fares necessary or early insolvency inevitable.

Suggestions for Library Books.

A very liberal offer from Mr. C. K. Wells, has put it in the power of the Free Library trustees to make an earlier purchase of new books than anticipated. It has therefore been resolved to purchase four or five hundred dollars worth of books at once so that they may be catalogued with the old stock and be accessible to the patrons of the library at its first opening or very soon thereafter. In view of this new fact the library committee with a view of meeting the public wishes more completely, solicit suggestions from every one of such books as are especially desired and so far as the means permit these wishes will be respected. Such suggestions may be handed to the librarian, the book committee or either one of the trustees. It would be desirable to hand in these suggestions at once or within three days, for by that time a considerable order will be forwarded. There is one caution obviously necessary. The committee cannot buy many expensive books, but must regard the general interest of the large body of readers to be served and the limited means at hand to meet those wants.

New Assay Office.

We call attention to the card of Messrs. Braden & Wissman, U. S. Assayers, who have opened an office and chemical laboratory in the Montana National Bank building, No. 5, Edwards street. The senior of the firm is well known as the assayer in charge of the U. S. Assay Office. Parties entrusting samples to this firm can rely upon correct assays.

Captain Boynton.

Captain Paul Boynton, of aquatic proclivities, astonished and amused 500 people of the saintly city by an exhibition on the waters of Great Salt Lake at Gardfield last Friday, the 11th inst. The Salt Lake Democrat gives the following account of the affair: "Boynton appeared on the shore clad in his rubber suit, and just before entering the water he was photographed. Wading out a short distance into the lake, he laid upon his back and with his feet forward, propelled himself forward with a double oar. Out some distance in the lake was the little boat 'Baby Mine,' which is only about three feet long, but which serves as a magazine, a pantry, a wine cellar, and a general supply ship. From this little boat the Captain drew his supplies during his performance. He first placed a flag between his feet, and after paddling about for some time returned for another and went through the same operation. Then going back to Baby Mine he commenced to gather a number of planks that were scattered about in the water, and bringing them one by one to the little boat he constructed a good sized raft. He then lit a cigar, and while smoking this he fired a number of signal rockets and a submarine torpedo, which sent a jet of water about 100 feet into the air. Then making a fire upon the raft, he prepared a lunch, and floated off eating a sandwich and drinking beer. He then floated about holding a Chinese parasol, reading a paper and fanning himself. Then came the sailing. He placed a small mast, to which were attached a jib and foresail, between his feet, but there was barely enough breeze to keep the sail from drooping, much less to assist him moving through the water. He then began firing a magazine gun holding five charges, this done he walked along in the water with the gun on his shoulder. After firing some more rockets, he rescued a small boy who had dropped from a boat, and with the youth straddling his breast he rowed to shore. This attaches a full rigged vessel and setting it off, the ship is blown into splinters. This scene is quite thrilling and forms a very effective finale to the Captain's great exhibition.

The crowd returned to the city in good spirits and apparently well satisfied with the day's attractions.

Water! Water! Water!

Twelve to fifteen inches of water of the West Side Water Company is running to waste during the hours of the night and during the day time when there is no irrigation. This water is not only clear, pure and delicious, but it comes with such a pressure that all the citizens on the east side of Main street and those up as high as Warren street on Broadway, and from there north to Helena avenue, could be supplied abundantly, if the East Side company would only let up the cinch they have on the territory mentioned east of Main street.

Golden Sands.

Here is a solution for the present of our water difficulty, experienced by the people living on the east side of Main street from Broadway to Helena avenue. It is but reasonable to expect that the liberal management of the West Side Water Company, who are working for profit, will see their opportunity and yield a ready purpose to contribute their surplus that is running to waste.

Nature and Origin of Gossip.

A correspondent writes to a well known magazine as follows: "Have you noticed that one or two active persons often give a community a reputation which really attaches only to themselves? For instance: I live in a small community where people are for the most part well acquainted with each other. It is a community which has the reputation of talking a good deal about the affairs of its neighbors. When I first became acquainted with it I was inclined to believe this report, but fuller knowledge and a more scientific study of the situation have brought me to an entirely different conclusion. I have come to see clearly that all the currents of gossip which occasionally flow through the community have their source in two or three households, and such is my proficiency in knowledge of the various qualities of inventiveness which these households display, that I am generally able to locate the origin of a story with precision the moment I hear it. There is Mrs. — for instance, who looks after the meals of the lively stabler; but whom you can invariably trace any shadow which seems to be creeping over the reputation of the unfortunate man or woman to whom her attention has been attracted. There is Mrs. X., who makes it her business to take strict account of the financial condition of her neighbors; who knows, for instance, if you make any change in your method of your life, that you are losing ground financially, and immediately notifies the community of the fact. You may have concluded to give to foreign missions the sum that you have been in the habit of expending at the lively stabler; but you know that your income has fallen off, and that that is the reason why you have ceased to take your wife out driving three times a week. Then there is Mrs. —, who has a deep and comprehensive knowledge of the past of every individual, and whose great delight it is to draw up from this vast deep memory conclusions and inferences for the sake of detracting from the sunshine and light of present prosperity. It is needless to say that facts are of no account with any of these ladies; their business lies purely with the imagination. It is also unnecessary to add that whenever you meet any of these, or, in fact, when they meet each other, they always say: 'What a dreadfully gossipy place this is! is it not? Shocking how people tear each other to pieces here!'

THE C. L. S. C. Picnic

Took place yesterday, about sixty persons joining in the festivities, many going out in private teams. Those in the coach seemed to be having a most cheery time of it, and were greeted all along the way with smiles and cheers and hurrahs. A rain just as the mountains were reached for a while gave promise of an embargo, whether English or French deponent saith not, upon all picnicing for the day; but in an hour all was going merrily as a marriage bell; fires were soon burning, coffee and lemonade and well filled baskets of provisions made one happy and refreshed after the long mountain climb. Flower gathering, mountain scenery searching and rousing sun used up the afternoon and the Chautauquans returned home, arriving at 7:30. Thanks were voted to Mr. Chas. Bellis for his assiduous care in making preparations for the picnic.

Real Estate Sale.

James M. Ryan has sold to James Perkins, of Sun River, lot No. 2, block 14, on lower Main street, Central addition. Consideration, \$1,020.

Appropriation Bill Passed.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—The Senate passed the Military Academy appropriation by a vote of 42 to 4.

TOWN AND TERRITORY.

—James M. Ryan has applied for a building permit to construct a \$6,000 brick tenement house on Pearl street.

—July wheat in Chicago to-day declined from 73 1/2 to 72 1/2 and closed at 72 1/2. July pork, 8.60@8.67 1/2. Petroleum oil, 66 1/2@67 1/2.

—Mrs. Ware has leased the commodious residence of D. W. Fisk, lately occupied by Major Walker, on Rodney street, where she will open a first class boarding house next week.

—New goods at New York prices at Fowles & Co. Ladies lace handkerchiefs from wrecked steamer Oregon, 15 cents, worth 75. Ladies' silk gloves, 25 cents, at Fowles & Co.

—A meeting was held at Stevensville on the 12th inst., at which Dr. R. A. Wells acted as chairman and Gus Moser as secretary, when resolutions favoring the division of Missoula county were passed.

—The funeral of Mrs. Charles E. Newberry took place at her late residence, on 8th avenue, this morning at 10 o'clock. The service was conducted by Rev. R. E. Smith and was largely attended by neighbors and friends.

—The Northern Pacific will sell tickets at excursion rates of one fare for both ways from all points within 200 miles of Helena for the Fourth of July. Tickets will be put on sale the 2d of July and up to and including the 5th, and good for return trip on the 6th.

—James M. Ryan has begun a brick addition to the Rodney street hotel, lately purchased by him, the improvement to extend on Breckenridge street. Another extension goes on north of the hotel, on Rodney, the whole to increase the capacity of the house 34 rooms.

—The HERALD acknowledges the compliments of the Captain and Mrs. O. B. Totten accompanying a delicious sample of the bride cake and two kinds of wine, in memory of the occasion of the marriage of their daughter, on the 12th inst. Here's your health, good friends.

—The building committee for the erection of the episcopal residence for the Bishop of Helena let the contract this morning for the whole construction from cellar to roof to Nick Monshausen for the sum of \$10,500. The work of excavation is to be commenced at once.

—Tong Hoo, or Lung Sing, a merchant of Chinatown, after an absence of fourteen months, comes back from among the Celestials of the flowery kingdom saying, "heep glad to get back to Montana." Another man, although he be a heathen, who cannot stay away from the beautiful country of the mountains.

—Articles of incorporation for the Deer Lodge Fair and Racing Association were filed with the Territorial Secretary June 15th, 1886, with a capital stock of \$10,000, divided into shares of \$25 each. The incorporators are C. D. Joslyn, James B. McMaster, S. E. Larabee, John Bielenberg, Joseph Lodge, A. H. Mitchell and Samuel Scott.

—Chas. Ebert, formerly connected with Yergy's hardware store, is registered at the Cosmopolitan. Mr. Ebert comes direct from Bozeman and is anxious to arrange a shooting match between the Helena and Bozeman Gun Clubs. He will probably stay in this community until the first of July, intending then to start north to look up a business location.

—Children's Day of 1886 at the Broadway M. E. church will be remembered as one of the most delightful ever experienced. The constant rainfall did not prevent a good congregation from hearing the sermon of the pastor in the morning or a well filled house at night. The floral and other decorations were in elegant taste and reflected great credit upon the committee in charge.

—Verily the rainy season has begun, and if it should be anything like its predecessors in 1884 and 1885 we may look for many a heavy sprinkle before we have a permanent clear up. In 1884 the rain began on the 2d of June and continued, with an occasional day of sunshine, until the 20th of that month. In 1885 the rain began on the 2d of June also, with cold rains and one inch of snow on the 7th. The month was showery throughout, which continued into July.

—Butte Miner: J. S. Dickerson, Esq., the new editor of the Helena Independent, ran over yesterday and spent the night in Butte. The Miner feels like congratulating the people of Montana upon the accession to the ranks of journalism within her border of such thorough-going newspaper men as Mr. Dickerson. A better and a stronger press means much to the Territory, and the improvement already wrought in the Independent indicates that Mr. Dickerson is all that his reputation—earned by hard work and well merited—led us to expect.

—J. H. Steiner, the obliging and efficient head waiter at the Grand Central hotel, starts to-morrow for the Boulder Hot Springs on a trip for recreation and pleasure. Steiner has not been of the steady line of duty for over two years, and the little relaxation he takes now is justly merited by his close attention to business for that length of time. The head waiter will have with him in charge to that health resort John Radke, a baker of the Grand Central, who has been confined to his bed for some time by rheumatism.

Nominations Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—The following nominations were confirmed to-day: David L. Hawkins, of Missouri, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior; S. Hall, Register of Land Office, Shasta, Cal.; W. Toxent, Register of Land Office, Detroit, Mich.; J. Priest, Collector of Customs, Yaquina, Oregon.

A. P. Swineford, of Michigan, Governor of Alaska. F. Wild, Assayer, Boise City, Ida. J. E. Wingfield, Consul at San Jose, Costa Rica. S. Dupree, Consul at San Salvador. H. Gillman, Consul at Jerusalem. T. H. Allen, Pension Agent, San Francisco. G. W. Glick, Pension Agent, Topeka, Kans.

J. H. Poorheis, Surveyor of Customs, Denver. Postmasters.—Joseph C. Hendrix, Brooklyn, N. Y. G. F. Ashby, Peckskill, N. Y. J. W. Sauer, Evansville, Ind. W. P. Hall, Peru, Ind.

Nominations Rejected.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—The Senate has rejected the nominations of John C. Shields, of Michigan, to be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Arizona, and Abraham Rose, to be Postmaster at Vinton, Iowa.

PERSONAL.

—Wm. Tatham and W. C. Root, of New York, are at the Grand Central.

—A. O. Simons wants a good man at the Singer Sewing Machine Agency, Helena.

—J. W. Baskett, E. R. Dean and A. Raht, of Wickes, are at the Grand Central.

—Max Leopold, (handsome Max,) of Leopold Brothers, Chicago, is at the Cosmopolitan.

—A. J. Davidson returned last evening from a visit of recreation to the Boulder Hot Springs.

—Matt. Carroll left yesterday morning by private conveyance for a visit to Northern Montana.

—D. Marx, representing Eisenberg & Brother, of San Francisco, is stopping at the Merchants.

—E. W. Knight, Jr., who has been taking a month's vacation in the Sun River country, returned home yesterday.

—J. H. Moe, cashier of the First National Bank of White Sulphur Springs, is stopping at the Grand Central for the day.

—Joseph Keller, of Townsend, and N. H. Upton, of St. Paul, manager for Reilly's Newspaper Agency, are at the Cosmopolitan.

—Mrs. W. R. McComas left this morning for a visit to relatives in Salt Lake and Utah, taking with her their two children, Laura and Pembroke.

—Joseph Maher, an enterprising newspaper man of the Leadville, Colorado, Press, is in the city on a several weeks' visit, and is a guest at the International.

—James B. Walker, city editor of the HERALD, left this morning for Salt Lake for a few weeks' recreation. During his absence Maj. R. C. Walker will occupy the local chair.

—R. T. Baylis, General Manager of the Drum Lumber mine, who has been registered at the Grand Central, left this morning with his bride on a wedding tour to the eastern cities.

—D. A. G. Flowerlee returned from Chicago Saturday evening, accompanied by his three daughters, Anna, Dody and Lizzie, and Mrs. McCampbell, mother of Mrs. S. C. Ashby.

—Thomas Nicholson, the discoverer of the valuable extension of the Elkhorn mine in Jefferson county, is stopping at the Grand Central where he has been exhibiting some splendid specimens from his bonanza carrying gold and silver.

—At the Cosmopolitan: Franklin Farrell, Connecticut, president of the Parrot Mining Co. of Butte; Benj. Tibbey, general superintendent of the Parrot mine; J. R. Marks, W. E. Tierney, Townsend; E. J. Travis, Chicago; J. M. Powers, Benton Stage Co.

—Amos Senieur, formerly employed in Brown and Wallace's carriage factory, but who for the past ten years has been living in Colorado, returned to Montana a few days since to locate permanently. He says he can find no country that presents so many inducements as this Territory.

—At the Merchants: H. H. Lind, Livingston; F. M. Collins, Marysville; J. B. Hollingsworth, Los Vegas, N. M.; F. Clark and wife, Gregory; H. D. Hall, Geo. R. Wilkinson, Ft. Shaw; J. G. Patterson, White Sulphur Springs; J. K. King, Clancy; R. H. Frazier, Rimini; James Howie, St. Paul.

—Tom Nicholson and E. M. Jameson have struck it rich on their extension of the Elkhorn, in Jefferson county. They are well deserving the bright prospects which their gold and silver ore samples indicate. They are still in the city and have formed a company to work and develop their mine.

—Kinnett McDonell, a comrade of the G. A. R., who is in the city, exhibits a gold medal issued by the U. S. government for brave conduct in the U. S. Navy and Army during the battles of Churubusco, San Pasqual and Chapultepec during the Mexican war. He is a brave old soldier and carries the marks of several almost mortal wounds in the late rebellion.

—Grand Central: M. F. Root, Canyon Creek; P. Larson, Billings; J. H. Moe, White Sulphur Springs; M. Ten Eyck, Boulder; R. M. Neville, W. L. Austin, Toston; W. L. Keene, Canton; W. S. Negus, Canyon Creek; W. J. Gillespie, Indianapolis; E. P. Linnell, Miles City; L. E. Hanna, Wickes; Geo. A. Greene, Gregory; C. F. Oakley, Bozou; J. H. Murphy, Rimini; Miss Beister, Marysville.

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LIST OF PRIZES.

1 CAPITAL PRIZE.....\$75,000
1 do do.....25,000
1 do do.....10,000
2 PRIZES OF \$6,000.....12,000
5 do do.....20,000
10 do do.....10,000
20 do do.....5,000
100 do do.....2,000
500 do do.....500
1000 do do.....250

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.
9 Approximation Prizes of \$750.....6,750
9 do do.....500.....4,500
9 do do.....250.....2,250

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