

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Baker are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Miller at Missoula, they will be absent from the city about two weeks. Mr. Baker is on his annual vacation.

Misses Sophia and Emma Bridge water, after a visit with Mrs. Williams of Great Falls for three weeks, returned to their home Wednesday.

Mrs. Sergeant Smith of Broadwater addition who has been sick, is reported as much better.

Mrs. N. Walker has a very sick baby at her home on Hollins avenue.

Mrs. M. Brown of Butte, formerly of this city is visiting for a short time.

C. C. Matthews has his splendid new residence on Hollins avenue about complete and painted, and he has about the most comfortable and commodious residence owned by our people in the city.

Rev. Thompson who is a regular A. M. E. missionary delivered a very interesting lecture on the mission work in Africa from which continent he has only recently been, he is here on a vacation, and will return to his mission labors in Africa next year, he is stopping with Mr. and Mrs. Blank on 8th avenue.

Miles York was among the nimrods who went out this week to hunt and to return without any game.

The Colored Progressive League meets at the Masonic hall, Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

A. G. Dorsey is on the sick list with an aggravated attack of rheumatism.

The editor of this journal who is one of the delegates to the District Grand Lodge of the Colorado Jurisdiction which will meet in Colorado Springs on the 13inst. has been honored by being asked to make the address in response to address of welcome at the public exercises to be held in that city. All of which we appreciate.

Miss Carrie and Lena Dorsey have been on the sick list with bad colds during the week.

Miss Alma Bass will leave for Western University next Friday Her school opens on Sept. 11.

The Second Baptist church is making herculean efforts to raise a \$5,000.00 building fund and are showing great progress under the leadership of their new pastor.

Be prepared to pay up your subscription to the Plaindealer this week.

Mr. H. Rossman has about got the Central Beer Hall in order for the State Fair and him and his courteous staff will be ready to welcome the visitors during the week. He is one of our best business men and deserves his great success and popularity in business.

MISS ALMA BASS GIVES PIANO RECITAL.

The Piano Recital given by Miss Alma Bass at Germania hall on Thursday evening, was a unquestionable success, both and finance, and the program was received with enthusiasm by the audience. Miss Olga York who assisted Miss Bass, did herself proud in her recitation, as also was the vocal selection by Miss Ella Anderson, she was heartily encored. The following were the selections played by Miss Bass, and we are told that her rendition of these was superb. Special mention should be made of her rendition of the Hungarian Rhapsody by Englemann, which is a very difficult and intricate composition which call for execution and touch of the greatest proficiency. All who heard Miss Bass and know of her efforts left saying that she did herself proud and while Helena claims her, they give all honor to Western University for the great work that they are doing in training and rearing our youth. What is possible in this young lady's progress is open for all who can take advantage of the same.

The program:
Valse G. Kargannoff
March Grottesque Sinding
Recitation Olga York
To a Wild Rose—To a Water Lily McDowell
Polish Dance Scharwenka
Vocal Selection Ella Anderson
Hungarian Rhapsody

After the program, the young folks enjoyed themselves until after one o'clock, dancing. It was one of the best gathering which has been given in Helena at which everyone seemed to enjoy themselves to the fullest.

L. C. Foreman who announced on his last return to Helena that he had returned to die, we opine that he changed his mind, as he has again left us and the last heard of him he was in Detroit, Michigan.

SHORT FLIGHTS.

Sheriff Higgins continues to make good without a rifle on the surface, and there are a great many who would like to see him run again.

Some of our good friends around the courthouse are not as friendly as they were about this time last year or as they will be this time next year.

Captain Adamson is about the only county officer who works the double shift.

U. S. Marshal Lindsay has the machinery of that office running as smoothly as though he had been on the job for years.

Alderman Biggs from the fourth ward is doing wonders for that district. Mr. Sam Travis, prominent business man, has been one of our staunch supporters. He is broad gauged and does not hesitate to encourage those who help themselves.

Hon. Odell McConnell made a great defense for his clients in the of public schools, is making an enviable record in that position.

Hon. E. D. Weed always brings home the bacon when he goes to the gatherings of the feathery tribe, of which he is one of the most prominent members.

The race for the pennant in the National League is very interesting, two of our town boys say that they will see the world series played. They are Gus Mason and L. C. Freeman, sick list, has recovered.

Lieutenant Gov. W. R. Allen made such an excellent officer in that community as long as Hicks, never a blur against his record, incarcerated now on a charge which no one believes him guilty of, we have found only one qualified bondsman in the person of David Gordon. We have

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