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A full line of poles and fishing tackle at the drug store.

The Modern Flora cigars, the best in town at the Medicine Lodge Saloon.

For Ale and Porter a nice drink. Call at the Medicine Lodge Saloon.

For a good cigar. Call at the Medicine Lodge Saloon.

E. E. Cox visited Choteau this week.

M. D. Cooper of Choteau, is in town this week.

Born to Mrs. Marguerite McNutt, Monday June 11th, a son.

Dean hotel June 27th and 28th. McCollum the Optician.

Pratt Wilkinson has gathered about 150 head of the C L B horses.

F. C. Begin is engaged in painting Jos. C. McCuaig's residence.

Schuyler Acton is in our vicinity this week, gathering horses.

Miss Nellie Lillard of Raymond paid a visit to Dupuyer last Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Armstrong of Choteau is visiting friends in the vicinity of Brown- ing.

Thos. Manix has returned from a visit of two week's duration, with friends in Sun River.

Mr. F. M. Cowell of Missouri, is visit- ing with relatives and friends in Du- puyer.

Mr. Zuckerman, of Butte was in town this week displaying samples of furnish- ing goods.

Religious services Sunday morning and evening. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

M. R. Cowell has been very sick from rheumatism for the last three weeks, but is now slowly improving.

Headaches pass away when fitted with perfect fitting glasses. Call on Mc Col- lum.

Correction of defects in children's eyes caused by scarlet fever, measles etc. a speciality.—McCullum.

Frank Lewis the contractor, returned Monday from a trip to Belt, and left Tuesday morning for Great Falls.

Miss May Gordon is home again, after a visit of several months at Great Falls, where she has been attending school.

A Sabbath school was organized at the Birch creek school house Sunday, with Mrs. L. A. Messer as superintendent.

Bucks herded on the Dry Forks, good shed, range, and water. Satisfaction guaranteed.

R. Dixon.

O. G. Cooper, customs inspector at Courts, on the international boundary line, was in Dupuyer on business, this week.

Wm. Cowgill has moved into his new residence, and is now as comfortably situated as the most fastidious could de- sire.

E. Morgan sold a pair of horses to parties from the north, for \$200. The horses were a fine pair, and well worth the price.

Astigmatism the worst of all defects of the eye corrected by lenses ground to order. McCollum.

Mrs. W. H. Titus and Mr. James Rivers returned Monday evening from Great Falls, having postponed their con- templated visit to Kibby.

The annual conference of the M. E. church for North Montana Mission, will convene at Nehart, Aug. 2d. Bishop Fowler will preside.

Frank Ralston returned last week from a trip to British Columbia. He reports that John Jackson Jr. is in the drug business and doing well.

20 years experience in refraction and up to date methods, insure satisfac- tion to all those who are fitted with glasses, by McCollum.

Geo. V. Fowler the deputy assessor made a short visit to Dupuyer last Thursday, and continued the series of pleasant interviews recently inaugurated by Mr. Penry.

Alex Yule came down from his saw mill, Monday. He expects the arrival of a shingle mill in a few days, and will then be prepared to furnish a first class quality of shingles.

Messrs. Shook and Prince have com- pleted the addition to F. P. Cowell's resi- dence. The plumbing was done by M. O'Donoghue, and includes a convenient system of water supply.

Arrangements are being made to cele- brate the Fourth in a befitting manner. Don't run away from the subscription list, but donate and rest satisfied with having performed a patriotic duty.

Nelson Collard the Great Falls con- tractor came in by private conveyance last Sunday, and returned via Pondera. He has had a force of 14 carpenters working all the spring, erecting a num- ber of buildings for J. B. Long, in the Judith basin.

The services of F. C. Begin are in such demand that he has orders that will keep him busy for at least a month. His work is guaranteed to give satisfaction, and those desiring artistic painting and paper hanging should see him in time.

Mr. A. J. Cowell came up from Cho- teau last Tuesday, and is offering stock- uren an opportunity to improve their herds by purchasing from his recent shipment of blooded bulls.

Mr. Bryan was presented with an Easter egg by the citizens of Texas. The St. Louis "Globe-Democrat" un- kindly suggests that a cuckoo clock would have been more appropriate.— Peoria (Ill.) Journal.

One shipment of the cattle from the Sparks herd bought at Salt Lake by the Conrad Investment Co., last spring, arrived at the Dupuyer ranch last Sat- urday. The number purchased was 2,700 head, and one half are yet to arrive.

Hugh Blake, who was recently com- mitted to the county jail for a period of six months, along with some trimmings which added materially to the imprison- ment, was released on habeas corpus proceedings, and hiked away,—but not in the direction of Dupuyer.

Wm. J. Bryan, in delivering speeches for the last several months, has not mentioned "the low price of wool, sheep, cattle, goats," or that "farm produce follows in price the declining value of silver." He has possibly forgotten that line of argument.—Corvallis (Ore.) "Gazette."

We have heard a rumor of a very ex- citing episode which occurred in the vicinity of Raymond recently, when two irate ladies administered what they con- sidered just punishment, in order to still the ever busy tongue of gossip.

M. N. Lease has finished his contracts with Wm. Cowgill and Thos. B. Magee, and left for Great Falls last night, to complete a sidewalk contract with the city government. Dupuyer is better off by two very neat dwellings, thanks to his workmanship.

J. B. McCollum the Great Falls, Opti- cian and eye specialist, (Graduate Chi- cago Ophthalmic College) will be in Cho- teau at the Beaupre house June 23, 24 and 25, and the Dean hotel Dupuyer, June 27 and 28. Free tests, free examina- tions. All work guaranteed.

J. W. Quail of Sun River was in town this week. Mr. Quail has made arrange- ments with E. T. Broadwater the con- tractor, to furnish 915,000 pounds of beef at the Blackfeet agency during the fiscal year beginning July 1st. The contract price is \$4.07 per hundred pounds, on the hoof.

Attention is called to the auction sale of short horn bulls, advertised in this issue. The one thing needed by our stockmen is an infusion of new blood in their herds, and the price paid for a first class bull will be returned in one season by the increased value in a crop of 20 calves. It is as easy to raise good cattle for top prices, as to raise scabs for the canneries.

The United States district court con- vened in Helena June 4th and the first jury case was set for June 12. The cases against Teton county parties were set for trial as follows: Henry Lenstra, June 12; Charles Schick, June 13; Joseph Briggs, June 14; C. H. Daly, June 15; Daniel Sullivan, June 18.

Bears are getting quite bold of late. Last Sunday while riding along the Dry Forks, Joe Lillard was overtaken by a two year old black bear. Joe, thinking it was Mr. Belcher's little black bull, be- gan speaking to him, but discovering his mistake, and not realizing the real dan- ger of the situation, undid his rope and lassoed the bear. After leading and dragging him about two miles down the Dry Fork coulee, he got him to an old sheep pen, and after snubbing him up to a post, Geo. Miller, who had arrived in the mean time, took a pole and made an end of the beast. Dennis Holland and his cousin arrived too late to take a part in the fun. Joe Lillard is just 16 years old. Bear meat by the wholesale!

AUCTION!

Short Horn Bulls.

The undersigned will sell at Dupuyer on Saturday June 16th, by public auc- tion, 24 head of 1 and 2 yr. old short horn bulls. These bulls are from the best herds in northern Illinois, and were selected especially for us. Terms: Four months note at 10 per cent with ap- proved indorsement, or 6 per cent off for cash. Sale to begin at 3 o'clock p. m. COWELL & WEBB.

Mr. Chas. E. Heisey of Great Falls, representing Reid Murdock & Co. of Chicago was in Dupuyer this week, in- terviewing our merchants. From him we learn the particulars of a sad accident which occurred on the north bound train, Monday morning. It seems that three men were stealing a ride in an empty coal car, and when about three miles south of Steele the fastenings of the dumping arrangement in the bottom of the car gave way, one of the men falling through and being literally cut to pieces by the car wheels. One of the three was left in charge of the remains which were sent to Great Falls on a hand car. Mr. Heisey was unable to learn the name of the deceased.

Mrs. J. W. McKnight and children arrived home Tuesday evening from California, where they have spent the last 10 months. Mr. McKnight met his family at Kalispell and returned with them. At about 2 o'clock Monday morning when the train was on the sum- mit, a rail broke causing three of the cars to be thrown off—the track, and down a small embankment, injuring about 15 persons, three of whom will probably die from their injuries. For- tunately Mr. McKnight and family were in the rear sleeper, which did not leave the track. The engine which had been pushing the train, had just been cut off, and to that fact the passengers on the rear sleeper doubtless owe their lives. The accident was caused by decayed ties which broke in two under the pressure of the train, and allowed the rails to spread. The company is putting in new track along a great part of the line west from Blackfoot, and so does not pay as much attention to repairs as it should. An amusing incident is related by Mr. McKnight, who says that while the passengers were trying to break out of the overturned cars through the win- dows, the groans and cries of the injured filling the air, one of the passengers in a capsized sleeper yelled to a train man, who was carrying a lantern, saying: "Come back here with that light, I can't find my collar button." Another thought the train had been held up by robbers, and put in his time, trying to cache his wad. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. McKnight will join the ACANTHA in congratulating them on their narrow escape.

Notice of Forfeiture.

Teton county Montana March 8th, 1900. To HENRY F. EDGAR, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns: You and each of you are hereby notified that we have expended one hundred dollars in labor and improvements upon the Black Chief quartz lode mining claim in Swift Current Mining District, Teton county Montana, during the year 1898, and one hundred dollars in work labor and improvements of said claim during the year 1899, in order to hold said premises under the provisions of section 2224 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, being the amount required to hold the same for the year ending December 31st, 1898, and the year ending December 31st, 1899, and if within ninety days after this notice by pub- lication, you fail or refuse to contribute your proportion of such expenditure as a co-owner, your interest in said claim will become the property of the subscriber under said Section 2224. The Michigan and Montana Copper Min- ing and Smelting Company. First publication March 15, 1900.

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