

THE AVANT COURIER.

The Pioneer Paper of Eastern Montana.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 13, 1875.

THE BLACK HILLS.

From Prof. Jenney's late report, it would appear that the Black Hills are richer in precious metals...

Besides its vast mineral deposits, the Professor reports the soil of the country deep and fertile...

TRAVEL TO THE PARK.

The number of visitors to the National Park so far this season has been quite small, which may be attributed to the Indian troubles on the Yellowstone.

We passed over the Park road two weeks since and found the thrifty settlers on the route quietly pursuing their wonted occupations...

From a private letter shown us by a gentleman in this city we see that the people of Eastern Montana are getting on the ragged edge of despair...

Mr. Union, you have got things mixed. It is true that Uncle Sam's strenuous efforts to protect us from the Sioux have been in vain.

We can raise larger crops, with less work than any other Territory; we pay better wages than any other Territory; we have richer gold, copper and lead mines than any other Territory...

Mr. Union, we have letters from parties now at Walla Walla, who moved away from Bozeman, and they want to come back, and no doubt will do so.

Military News.

General Sheridan reports to the War Department that in accordance with recent instructions to have all supplies of flour, bacon and pork furnished for the Indians inspected by regular army officers...

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RIVER IMPROVEMENTS.

From the following letter it would appear that Delegate Maginnis has given the subject of improving the Upper Missouri river some attention.

We will not accuse our Delegate of sectional favoritism in this matter, but he has certainly shown great inconsistency.

The usual annual estimates, which by law are transmitted to the Secretary of the Treasury, embrace only those for works which have been heretofore appropriated for by Congress...

Very Respectfully, Your Obedt. Servt., A. A. HUMPHREYS, Brig. Gen'l and Chief of Engineers.

A Mr. Peck has discovered in the foothills at the base of Bradshaw mountains, in Arizona, what he regards as a bonanza of the biggest kind.

By reference to our dispatches this morning it will be seen that the miners in the Black Hills, finding that Gen. Crook was about to carry out the orders of his superiors and remove them from the country, have decided to give up their claims...

Official Vote of Lewis & Clarke County.

For District Attorney—J. K. Toole, 883. Concinnell—Cullen, 1003; Constance, 1053; Tate, 1552; Beattie, 991; Taylor, 742; Carroll, 101.

Probate Judge—Lowry, 892; Hodges, 936. Surveyor—Scott, 865; Marsh, 963.

THE Postmaster General has recently issued an order which should have taken effect on July 1st, 1875, that the fee for registering mail matter, upon which postage at letter rates has been prepaid, when addressed to any post office, either in the United States or any foreign country, to which registered matter may be transmitted, shall be ten cents in addition to the regular rate of postage on such matter.

A MEMPHIS dispatch says: The Signal Service reports an indication that an overflow is inevitable. The river here rose half an inch, and another heavy rise is reported at St. Louis and a steady advance at Cairo, with general rains in the country above.

JOHN NEALON yesterday sent out to Spoiled Tail Agency twenty-three Studebaker wagons, among which were a number of fine spring carriages, supplied each with two seats.

On the 5th inst. two citizens of Boulder Jefferson county, discovered two Indians in the possession of some horses which belonged to their neighbors.

Colonel Oti, Inspector General U.S.A. for the Department of Dakota, arrived from Carroll last night.

The Bismarck Tribune of the 6th reports the arrest, at Fort Garry, Manitoba, of the murderer Shaffer, and says that he is held for extradition by the British authorities.

A prominent farmer near St. Joe has a play card posted on his fence warning passers by that "no bird shooting or nest hiding will be allowed on his premises."

The Comstock lode, in Nevada, is said by a recent visitor to be pouring out a thick stream of pure silver amounting to \$20,000 every twenty-four hours.

THE TERRITORY.

Deer Lodge County.

From the North-West, August 6. Mr. A. Sanda, Helena's A. T. Stewart, is visiting the west side this week.

Dr. C. S. Messigbrock has resigned as U. S. Examining Surgeon.

Murphy, Higgins & Co. received a shipment of over 40,000 pounds of general groceries on Saturday.

A gentleman from the Warm Springs settlement estimates the grasshoppers to have destroyed about one-third of the crops in that section.

Mat. McGuirk, of Helena, who has a first-class turf record, is going to put one of Mr. Larabee's horses through a course of training for the Fair.

The Hope Mining Company last week shipped 15 tons of select ores to St. Louis, the train going by cable and carrying about a ton to the Yukon mountains.

Three of the Chinamen brought before Judge F. R. Bill, Examining Magistrate at Blackfoot, charged with complicity in the late cutting affair at that place, were held to answer in the District Court.

G. B. McWhirk of Missoula, although nine years a resident of Missoula, made his first visit to our burg this week looking out for the interests of his favorite candidate, A. E. Mayhew, Esq.

R. T. Kennon had a letter from Judge Johnson, Milledgeville, Illinois, this week, stating that Mr. James Gleicher had greatly improved and had gone to a hospital in Chicago for treatment.

Madison County.

From the Madisonian, August 7th. We expect to enlarge and improve the Madisonian shortly. The material is en route.

Work on the court house and jail progresses rapidly. The plasterers are putting the second coating on the new Methodist church. The new dwelling houses on Idaho street are nearing completion.

W. S. Tutt, in from the Pipestone diggings, gives us the following items: Mr. T. has been working a stripping claim in the creek this season, employing seven and eight men.

A correspondent from Moose creek sends us the following items from that camp: During the past week Tremor & Co. have struck it big in the main creek, causing a stampede into the camp from Deer Lodge and Pioneer.

From the Missoulian, August 4th. A. Tavenberg is going into the dry goods business again, having leased the Taylor building on Broadway for that purpose.

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At noon to-day the national flag was hoisted over the Capitol, and 25 guns fired in honor of the carrying of the convention by the people by a majority of 75,000 to 220,000.

Mountain Meadow Massacre. Beaver, Utah, August 7. The jury in the Lee trial disagree and are discharged. Nine were for acquittal and three for conviction.

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On Monday last Mr. Chas D. Hard sold to Mr. H. R. Baker, the thoroughbred stallion colt "Sun Dance," for \$1,500.

A party intending to make a tour of the Yellowstone wonders yesterday changed their minds, and have concluded to take a trip to Flat Head Lake.

The work on the Utah Northern, the INTERMOUNTAIN, is progressing rapidly. This is good news for Montana.

John How intends erecting a silver mill near Monroe Duks, on Boulder.

The steamer Meade left Bismarck for Benton on the 27th of July, and it was expected she would reach the latter place on the 10th inst.

The Supreme Court met here yesterday at 12 o'clock, Judge Wade and Knowles present, Judge Seryis absent. The docket of the First Judicial District was called and the cases assigned. Henry N. Blake, reporter, was removed and Cornelius Hedges appointed in his stead.

The bids for building the new Blackfoot Agency, on Birch creek, ranged from \$32,000 to \$40,000.

Two thousand dollars worth of shipping ore was taken from the Rumley lode in two days, only four miners working in the mine.

Superintendent Meyendorf has awarded the contract for the masonry work of the U. S. Assay Office at Helena. Steele & Tesker for \$12,450, that being the lowest bid. Work will commence at once.

"It never rains but it pours" is an adage that seems to be literally fulfilled in Illinois and Indiana this season.

At LaSalle, Illinois, the stage of water is higher for this time of the year than it has been since 1868. The general calamity seems to have extended north and westward, and advices from Sparta, Wisconsin, speak of the small grain having been damaged by the storms of wind and hail in that locality.

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

THE SIOUX TREATY.

Meeting to Secure the Cession of the Black Hills. The subpoenaed dispatch will explain itself.

Washington, August 7. Hon. Martin M. Maginnis.—The commission-ers to treat for the cession of the Black Hills and the opening of the Powder river country, are expected to meet the Sioux in council to be held at or near the Red Cloud Agency about September 1st.

H. R. CLUM, Act'g Com. Ind. Affairs. Independent.

The Elections.

Louisville, August 7. The indications now are that McCreary has carried the State by from 5,000 to 8,000 more votes than for Leslie's in 1871.

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Hadlund & Co., miners at the Park, stopped work on Thursday evening for the want of water. In one pan of dirt on bed rock, \$500 were panned out a few days ago from this company's ground.

Mining in the Park that depends on water from the Park Ditch, is generally suspended for the season.

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Rise of the Mississippi.

There is no change in the situation since the reports at noon. The river is now within seven inches of the spring rise and within nine inches of the point which overflows the entire country on the Arkansas side to Madison, a distance of forty miles.

Summons.

In the District Court of the First Judicial District, of the Territory of Montana, in and for the County of Gallatin.

A. J. Davis, Plaintiff, vs. W. H. Drew and Ann Drew, Defendants. Action brought in the District Court of the First Judicial District of the Territory of Montana, in and for the County of Gallatin, and the complaint filed in said county of Gallatin, in the office of the Clerk of District Court August 13th, 1875.

YOU are hereby required to appear in the District Court of the First Judicial District of the Territory of Montana, in and for the County of Gallatin, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons; if served within this county; or, if served out of this county, but in this district, then within twenty days; otherwise within forty days—on judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this court for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage described in the said complaint, and executed by the said defendants on the — day of January, A. D. 1874, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of even date for the sum of \$2,008 32, to draw interest after maturity at the rate of 3 per cent per month; that the premises conveyed by said mortgage may be sold, and the proceeds applied to the payment of said promissory note and interest thereon, and the costs of this suit, and in case such proceeds are not sufficient to pay the same then and there, to draw interest against the said W. H. Drew for the balance remaining due, and also that the said defendant and all persons claiming by, through or under him may be barred, and foreclosed of all right, title, claim, lien, equity of redemption, and interest in and to said mortgaged premises, and for other and further relief, as will more fully appear by reference to the complaint on file hereon.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the said plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said District Court of the First Judicial District of the Territory of Montana, in and for the said county of Gallatin, this thirteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

W. F. DAVIS, Clerk. TH. R. EDWARDS, ATT'Y FOR PLAINTIFF.

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