

Local Matters.

Religious Services.

Services at the M. E. Church next Sunday at 10:30 p. m. by Rev. Matthew Bird.

Sunday School at the M. E. Church each Sunday at 10:30 p. m.

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A Grand Ball.

See the advertisement in another column of a ball to be given at Young Men's Hall Friday evening for the benefit of the Bozeman Silver Cornet Band.

Town Improvements.

A new sidewalk in front of Lockey's. Lockey is erecting an awning in front of his store.

The roof of Tom Edwards' law office was reshingled last week.

New fences and other improvements were made by Tracy this week.

The walls of the school house are up and the mechanics are now at work on the roof.

New transparent signs now adorn the fronts of the "12-1-2 Exchange" and the "Brewery Saloon."

A sign on the corner of Black & Daniels' store designates where the Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue may be found.

Nelson Story has beatified the grounds in front of his residence, by having trees set out—an example that might be well followed by nearly every resident of town.

Sam Lewis, who is never behind when improvements are needed, is having the front of his barber shop torn down and the ceiling raised. He will erect a much nicer and more imposing front.

Special Meeting of the Trustees of the E. M. M. and S. Company.

At a special meeting of the Eastern Montana Mining and Smelting Company, held at the office of the Secretary, J. D. McCann, October 23rd, 1877, Lester S. Willson, President, in the chair, the annual report of C. A. Darlington was read, and on motion approved and placed on file.

On motion, Mr. Darlington was requested to make and furnish to the next meeting a complete inventory of the Company's property and condition of the same. The President appointed Walter Cooper a committee of one to notify Mr. Darlington of the Trustees' request.

On motion, an assessment of 22 cents per share was levied to meet the indebtedness of completing the works and other necessary expenditures preparatory to and making the run. Mr. E. D. Ferguson was duly elected to collect the assessment.

The Chair authorized the Purchasing Committee to examine and audit all accounts. The President appointed Matt W. Alderson to draft resolutions expressing the feeling of the Trustees in regard to the work done this season, etc. The following is a copy of the resolutions:

WHEREAS, The operations of the Eastern Montana Mining and Smelting Company are suspended for the season, and the Trustees are fully aware of the many difficulties encountered and the dangerous position in which the employees of the company were placed during the summer; therefore be it

Resolved, That we tender our hearty thanks to one and all of the employees of the company who so nobly stood by the property of the company while the Nez Perces were in the immediate vicinity and on either side of them, thus saving the property from destruction.

Resolved, That we tender our thanks to the employees for having brought the works to completion and making a successful run. The meeting was then adjourned to Nov. 20th, 7 p. m., at which time the annual meeting will be held, officers and trustees elected for the ensuing year and such other business transacted as may come before it.

The following is Superintendent Darlington's report:

To the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Montana Mining and Smelting Co. In my last report, one year ago, I gave the amount of work done up to that time. Since then we have completed the upper story of the main building. It is in two apartments with two separate roofs—the back for charge room is 30x40 feet inside and the front room 25x40 feet. The charge room has a double floor and the roof is a double roof of wild-pine lumber. We have made and set up a wooden case and penstock for the 15-1/2 inch Turbine wheel and all the necessary machinery to attach the power to the blower. The machinery was complete in every particular and answered all that was required of it. We made a wagon road to the top of Miller mountain, a distance of two miles, over which one yoke of cattle was able to take the wagon up and draw down 3,000 pounds to a load. It covers most of the principal miles of the company. The getting out, stacking and hauling of the ores from the street level close in the neighborhood of \$1.50 per ton; from the National Park and Uncle Sam, \$5.25; the Alta Montana, \$4.50; and from the Fisher level \$10 per ton. The iron ore cost \$10 per ton. There were 35 tons of galena and 55 tons of carbonate ore delivered at the works; there were also 7 tons of iron used. The labor of the run cost about \$175,000; the roasting and handling of the galena ores about \$400 per ton. We reduced 85 tons of the strongest and richest of our bullion. We burned about 3,300 bushels of charcoal. The total cost of the run is not far from \$1,850,000.

In addition to the above, we represented all the company's property not mentioned above, consisting of the Iron, Fire-Clay and Alta California lodes.

C. A. DARLINGTON, Superintendent.

Government Mackinaw Fleet.

The Government mackinaw fleet, of 30 boats, was loaded with potatoes at Ft. Custer last week. Twelve shipped for Fort Custer in charge of Lieut. Thompson, of the 5th Infantry, and George Henderson; the remainder go to the Tongue River Post. The fleet was under command of Capt. Logan, a "rustler," who will take the boats and potatoes through if any man can. In starting, two of the boats were run into and considerably damaged. The cargoes were saved, the boats repaired, and started on down the river. The detachment of soldiers, while at Benson's, caught large numbers of Yellowstone trout, which they salted down and took with them to the lower country.

Yellowstone Boats.

From Maj. Frost, who was in town the past week, we learn that part of the road on the other side of the divide between here and the Yellowstone is in a very bad condition and should be repaired.

Maj. Frost also informed us that the road down the Bridger hill below the old Crow Agency is now in good order. McCadow's teams on the way to the Crow Agency went this hill, but in returning will come around the hill and endeavor to find a still better road. The Maj. says he will bridge the Stillwater and Rosebud with the fall, and with Mr. McCadow's assistance, will also bridge the Boulder.

Postal Changes.

The following changes are made in Montana post-offices: The Postmaster General has ordered the establishment of a post-office at Shields river, Gallatin county, and appointed David H. Carpenter Postmaster.

William Parberry is appointed Postmaster at White Sulphur Springs, Meagher county, in place of Henry B. Brainerd, resigned.

Personal.

J. A. Viall is in town. G. S. Lewis is in town this week. Gen. Lester S. Willson visited Helena last week.

Yard Cockrill, of Central Park, was in Helena last Friday.

Mrs. Thos. Warfield returned from Pony Tuesday evening.

Dr. A. Lammie, and son Ed., are expected home in a few days.

Gurdon H. Campbell, the enterprising merchant of Gallatin City, is in town.

Ronnie, Lockey, Dickson and other potato contractors returned from Benson's on Thursday last.

M. M. McLean, of Willow creek, was in town this week, and left the Cortizer indebted to him.

Capt. Jas. Sims, of Helena, who came to Bozeman with Mr. Flannigan, returned to Helena yesterday.

BOARDING HOUSE HAZE.

Winter apples are begging buyers on the streets in Ogden. Cheese on tap at Lockey's.

Ben. Stone's story is now appearing in the *Norris (Mich.) Suburban*.

Wanted, Flour at Lockey's.

Rev. Mr. Bird will preach in the M. E. Church next Sunday evening.

Town clock, town time at Lockey's.

C. Co., 7th Infantry, bound for Ft. Shaw, passed through town yesterday.

Bass & Co's Ale at Odell's Hall.

Tom Lewis and Frank Rich left with their train for Corinne last week.

Sour Mash Whisky at Odell's Hall.

We publish on our 1st page the President's message in full. It speaks for itself.

Wanted, and for sale, vegetables. Lockey's.

Nice willow wares and baby carriages at Basinski's. Also a new show case, the finest in town.

St. Louis Imperial at Odell's Hall.

Rev. Clark Wright will deliver the lectures for the Grand Lodge of Good Templars this year.

For fresh roasted and ground coffee, see Lockey.

The pulpit of the Presbyterian Church will be occupied next Sunday, both morning and evening by Rev. Mr. Richards.

What others have not, Lockey has.

C. Co., 7th Infantry, has been ordered from Fort Ellis to Fort Shaw, and Co. G, 7th Infantry, from the latter place to Fort Ellis.

Where can I find what I want? Ask Lockey.

This Sacramento Record-Union comes to us this week in a new dress throughout. It is enlarged in size and printed on Scotch type.

A few hogs for sale. Call on Alderson.

Bozeman must be getting high-toned. We now support a first-class boot black, who has recently opened out on Main street.

We learn from the *Husbandman* that several parties are visiting Diamond and vicinity for the purpose of purchasing mutton and blooded sheep.

Best Reynolds and Ashland Whisky at Headquarters Saloon. (461)

Two hundred and fifty-nine thousand pounds of potatoes delivered the Government at Benson's Landing. McCadow put in 105,000 pounds, Lockey, 97,000, and Rouse 57,000.

Indian Views for sale at Calfee & Catlin's View Emporium.

The teams continually on the streets, and the many improvements being made in almost every part of town, gives Bozeman a business air that is not excelled by any town in the Territory.

Cleveland's Gold-Edge Butter at (30-1)

Dan. F. McMillen left town yesterday for Benson's, from which point he proceeds down the Yellowstone, taking several boat loads of vegetables with him, and a buggy for his lively stable in Miles City.

School Books, School Books, and Wall Paper, Largest Stock! Lowest Prices! at R. F. MAY'S.

E. G. MacClay has been awarded the contract of supplying the Helena post with flour, 112,500 pounds, at \$4.22 per hundred, and D. B. Heinke the contract for furnishing the needed beef at \$3.70 per hundred pounds.

John Johnson last week sold to M. T. Williams, for \$200, the house and lot facing Babcock street, and just back of Mr. Williams' present residence. John says he has received \$1,000 in rent for the building since he has owned it.

Go to Calfee & Catlin's View Emporium for Pictures of the Wonderland.

Two cases having recently been brought before Judge McPherson where the parties were accused of allowing swine to run at large, we publish on our fourth page in this issue the law on the subject, passed at the last session of the Legislature.

U. S. Land Office, Bozeman, M. T.

Notice to Locators Under the Desert Land Act.

To F. D. Pense, L. M. Black, James M. Riggs, F. W. Bussell, and J. H. B. Bussell: You are hereby notified, in pursuance of orders issued by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, on the 20th day of November, 1877, to give additional testimony, supported by two or more competent witnesses, regarding the character of the land located by you under the provisions of the Desert Land Act.

DAVIS WILSON, Register. J. W. BOGERT, Receiver.

Young Men's Hall.

A GRAND BALL!

FRIDAY EVENING, Oct. 26.

The proceeds of the Ball will be donated to the Silver Cornet Band of Bozeman.

Go and take your sweetheart with you.

Important Announcement.

Among the goods lately received by L. S. Willson we notice some genuine seal-skin ladies' and misses' furs, caps, beautiful ties and dress trimmings, silks, a large assortment of ladies' and gents' Alexander kid gloves, dressed and undressed, and many other nice things, too numerous to mention.

Cognac, Peach, Apple, Cherry, Blackberry, and Grape Brandy at the Headquarters Saloon, Monks & Kinney, Proprietors. (471)

The Chicago Times of the 11th states that Gen. Sheridan has ordered Gen. Miles to bring the captive Chief Joseph and his followers to Yankton, by boat or any other means at his command. They are to remain here, where they can be properly cared for, until their removal elsewhere shall be ordered by the government.

If you want a good suit of clothes made, and warranted to fit, call on THOMAS CODY, the Tailor, one door East of Strasburger & Spelling, Main street, Bozeman.

Andly Weikart has arrived in Helena with the body of Prof. Dietrich. There had been a heavy fall of snow on Mount Washburn and he was unable to reach the grave of Chas. M. Kenek, but he made arrangements with Jas. McCurtney, at the Springs, who will go up and get the body as soon as the snow stops. So says the *Herald*.

S. W. Langhorne.

Call and examine my stock, if you want anything in the line of Patent Medicines, Perfumery, Paints, Oils, Window Glass, Toilet Articles, I do a large and complete stock of Stationery, Books, and Fishing Tackle of every description. Pocket Cutlery, superior quality. Orders from the country promptly attended to, and goods guaranteed as represented. I will not be undersold in any line of goods. I am here to stay with the people of Gallatin county and desire patronage. S. W. LANGHORNE

New Stock.

The Clark's Fork mines yielded the first installment of bullion recently. It was a silver creek weighing 77 pounds, the result of a five and one-half days' run.—*Madisonian*.

Oh! how could you treat us thusly. Five and one-half days' run and only one silver brick weighing 77 pounds. We had 30,223 pounds more than that in our report.

Buy two and a half yards of cloth and have your pants made, to fit, by THOMAS CODY, the Tailor, next door to Strasburger & Spelling. (32-1)

The total number of acres entered under the Desert Land Act is about 300,000, two-thirds of which are in California. Commissioner Williamson is of the opinion that very few fraudulent entries have been made, but in view of the sweeping allegations of fraud he has concluded it advisable to make suspension of all entries for further proof, and parties are now required to make proof that the land will not produce an agricultural crop without irrigation. See advertisement in this issue. For the information of those interested we publish in this issue the full text of Commissioner Williamson's order.

Don't forget that it is your last chance to get views of the Yellowstone National Park, at Calfee & Catlin's View Emporium.

Bennett's "Magic Cure" for Rheumatism, Neuralgia or chronic pains in any part of the body, is unquestionably the best remedy ever known for complaints of this character. We simply ask you to try it and be convinced. Sold at the drug houses in Bozeman.

An Item for the Sheep Growers.