NEW NORTH-WEST.

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DEER LODGE CITY, FRIDAY, AUG 13.

THE NORTHERN PACIFIC RAIL ROAD PARTY.

THEIR ARRIVAL IN DEER LODGE.

"THE ROAD WILL BE BUILT."

Mr. Thos. H. Canfield, General Agent of the Northern Pacific Railroad; Messrs. W. M. Roberts, and William H. Johnson, Topographical Engineers; Mr. Moorhead, of Jay Cooke & Co., and Mr. Samuel E. Wilkeson, the veteran and able journalist, constituting the exploring party, reached Deer Lodge City last evening. They left Walla Walla July 20th, traveling on horseback *via* the Pen d'Oreille route and convoying their pack train to Missoula Mills, whence they came in vehicles. They have made a rapid trip, and considering that Mr. Wilkeson and Roberts have reached the meridian of life, and all are unaccustomed to the saddle, a remarkably rapid one. They were met by a score of citizens some distance down the valley, and extended a mountain welcome to the mountain land. To-day they will visit the Deer Lodge Pass, going as far as Moose creek, where the waters divide to the Pacific and Atlantic; thence returning they will remain over Sabbath in Deer Lodge and on Monday leave for Helena. We have had the pleasure of meeting the gentlemen in THE NEW NORTH-WEST, and here extend them as the evangelists of the rail a welcome to it; to the 190,000 square miles of Montana, which we bid them welcome to come in and possess with us, because in their coming the less will be made better than more is now. Mr. Canfield is the vital energy of the Northern Pacific Company. He is practical, keenly observant, and this enterprise will be the great work and crowning glory of his life. Mr. Roberts is one of the best engineers in the United States, connected with some of its finest works, and now constructing the great railroad bridge at St. Louis. His ability as an engineer is equalled by his integrity, and what he reports will be unbiased by any consideration but the determination of his best judgment. Mr. Johnson, a young engineer, has also practically demonstrated superior abilities on the Lake Ontario Road, and his selection for this important expedition is a compliment that might be envied by those who have grown gray in important service. Mr. Moorhead, a nephew of Jay Cooke, and whose father is partner in the great firm, has some interest in a project that will make it the wealthiest firm in America, or burst it. Mr. Samuel E. Wilkeson, whose name is familiar to every reader in the country as a leader in journalism, and for six years the head of the New York *Tribune's* Washington Bureau, does not make excursions of this character without taking notes that will be elaborated and read by millions of people.

In view of these things it was with intense interest we have waited the coming of those whose impressions are to wield such an influence upon the immediate destinies of Montana. Their report will gird the 47th degree with iron in five years or indefinitely defer it.

And what is that impression? We venture to say that no speeches ever made in Congress; no report ever made by Committee; no article ever published in our papers; no letters ever written by resident engineers, has contained an assertion of the character, of the climate, practicability of building and operating the road, value of timber, mineral and agricultural lands, and the good results that will inure to the company, the Government and our people by its construction, that will not be fully corroborated by the observations of the party. They are free to say that it far exceeds their most sanguine anticipations. If the observations of the eastern party are approximately favorable, and they will be, there is no doubt the bonds for the Northern Pacific Railroad will be on the markets of America and Europe before January 1st, 1870. "*The road will be built.*" Mr. Wilkeson, we are glad to know, will write up the trip for the *Tribune*, and the enthusiastic admiration entertained for our northern land will find glowing expression from his pen. The particular route to be selected for the pass of the main range, will be a matter of secondary importance, and is for the surveyors to decide, but where an engineer can cross the summit of the main range without being aware of the fact, a locomotive will be very likely to follow him up.

VISIT OF SENATOR TRUMBULL.

From Helena exchanges we learn that Senator Lyman Trumbull, who has been with the Congressional party over the Pacific Railroad, at the Golden Gate, opening out to the Orient, among the grandeurs of Yosemite, and the alkali of the deserts, has left his party, is making a detour to Montana, and will reach Helena to-day. The first Senator who has visited Montana, of quick observance, sound judgment, and commanding influence, and he chairman of the Judiciary committee, one of the most important in the Senate, his visit is susceptible of many good results. He will be better enabled to appreciate the importance and illimitable resources of this new Northwest, and the beneficent legislation that is needed to encourage its more rapid development. That he may be favorably impressed, and returning, advocate the cause of Montana in the Senate, as his privilege by right of Senatorial discovery, we trust and hope. You might speak warm, Senator, then to say, "Here are 30,000 industrious, hardy, American pioneers; here is a Territory with immense resources undeveloped treble the area of Illinois; they need a friend at court that their valleys and mountains may be peopled, and that people prosper under the fostering care of government; they have no practical representation in Congress; while they pell manfully laying the sure foundations of future States, I will not stand indifferent, but give every assistance in my power," and you might do worse, Senator, than to make the promise good.

THE *Gazette* claims the election of Mr. Cavanaugh by 2,197 majority.

OFFICIAL RETURNS OF DEER LODGE COUNTY.

ELECTION: MONDAY, AUGUST 2, 1869.

"REGULARS" in *Italics*. "PEOPLE'S" in Roman. NO VOTE RETURNED WHERE A DASH IS INSERTED.

Representative Delegate and Governor's Counselors	Cavanaugh	Tufts	Williams	Bustle	Fisher	Rice	Smith	Heldt	Lyons	Pemmisky	Tolby	Howie	Vawter	Star	Andere	Thompson	Milligan	Jurgens	Marsh	Ingersoll	Hodges
For	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
Against	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cavanaugh.	1511	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Jas. Tufts.	—	1511	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Auditor, Rodgers.	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
Treasurer, Barkley.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supt Pub In W.L. Irvine	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
Stephens.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Harrison.	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
Ass Brown.	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
F H Woody	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
W A Norton	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
Pomeroy.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pres. Scott	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
Butterfield.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
J. McElroy	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
J. F. Beck.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
S R Rivell	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
N C Boswell	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Israel Gibbs	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
Campbell.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
T E Pounds	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
McGovern.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
W.W. Jones	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
Ad. Smith.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Frederick'n	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
T. C. Owens	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
J. Gilchrist	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
Wm Wilson	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lewis Kohn	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
Newcomer.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
W. Barrowe	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
D.L. Irvine.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
M. S. Smith	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
D.H. Frost.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
T. Strang.	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
Pat Corbett	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
J. M. Bailey	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
Con. Kohrs.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gra. Stuart.	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511
TOTAL VOTE.	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511	1511

OFFICIAL RETURNS.

LEWIS AND CLARK COUNTY.

We give the vote as published in the *Gazette*, designating its offices:

REPUBLICANS.	DEMOCRATS.	MAJ.
DELEGATE.		
Tufts.....1059	Cavanaugh.....1511	452
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.		
Williams.....1079	Johnson.....1486	407
COUNCILMEN.		
Bustle.....1071	Jones.....1592	521
Fisher.....1073	Rose.....1496	423
Rice.....1071	Rigley.....1496	425
ASSEMBLY.		
Smith.....1081	Forbis.....1488	407
Heldt.....1079	Boyce.....1477	398
Lyons.....1049	Murphy.....1468	419
Pemmisky.....1043	Williams.....1544	501
Tolby.....1010	Hamilton.....1436	426
SHERIFF.		
Howie.....1243	Steele.....1324	81
TREASURER.		
Vawter.....1111	Taylor.....1497	386
CLERK AND RECORDER.		
Star.....1073	Morrison.....1497	424
PROBATE JUDGE.		
Andere.....1261	Truett.....1249	12
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.		
Thompson.....1047	Price.....1454	407
Milligan.....1057	Thoroughman.....1480	423
ASSESSOR.		
Jurgens.....1189	Bertiord.....1284	195
SURVEYOR.		
Marsh.....1077	Griffith.....1493	416
CORONER.		
Ingersoll.....1064	Barlow.....1485	421
SUPERINTENDENT PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.		
Hodges.....1071	Stone.....1489	418
SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.		
For Removal.....2280	Against Removal.....4	
	For Virginia.....89	

MISSOULA COUNTY.

PRECINCTS.....		Missoula.	Hell Gate.	Frenchtown.	Stevensville.	Willow Cr'k.	TOTAL VOTE.	Majorities.
ABSTRACT OF OFFICIAL VOTE, August 2, 1869.								
Rep. Gov'r	No name	40	34	65	40	84	263	254
	Fertler'ns	1	...	...	...	1	2	
Delegate	Cave'n'gh	57	6	88	52	38	241	101
	Tufts	27	17	73	19	20	156	
Auditor	Rodgers	54	4	84	57	31	230	
Treasurer	Barclay	28	4	81	57	35	205	
S. Pub. In.	Irvine	54	4	84	57	35	234	
Dist. Att'y	Stephens	54	6	88	52	35	235	119
	Harrison	14	19	7	19	20	79	
Assembly	Rice	52	3	81	56	15	207	99
	Wentw'th	21	16	16	12	20	85	
Council	Brown	54	4	80	57	30	225	
	Woody	54	6	84	57	35	236	
	Norton	54	6	84	57	37	238	
	Pomeroy	2	16	12	12	16	58	
Ch'k Dist. Ct.	F. Woody	6	6	87	49	41	191	103
	Baker	1	12	7	7	7	34	
Assessor	Adams	5	2	83	55	38	183	83
	Leitner	1	2	83	55	38	179	
Co. Treas.	Edwards	54	6	84	57	32	233	147
	Newman	1	7	3	9	11	31	
	Buckho'n		6	6	11	6	29	
Co. Com'r	Lee	2	1	86	57	38	184	
	Caldwell	2	2	86	57	38	185	63
Pro. Judge	J. Maher	1	2	83	54	34	174	63
	Young	1	17	3	3	8	32	
Surveyor	Hinman	2	6	84	57	37	186	

Rep. majority in Missoula.....8

This, in a poll of 2,197 votes cast for District Attorney, is above the importance of one vote.

BEAVERHEAD COUNTY.

The vote in Beaverhead County foots as follows:

Council, D.	Waters	[illegible]
" R.	Ward	[illegible]
	Lewis	[illegible]
	Matthews	[illegible]
Assembly, D	Gillette	[illegible]
" R	Brown	[illegible]
	Smith	[illegible]
	Rockwell	[illegible]
Delegate,	Cavanaugh, D	[illegible]
	Tufts, R	[illegible]
Dist. Att'y	Williams, R	[illegible]
	Bartlett, D	[illegible]
Sent Gov'or	For Removal	[illegible]
	Against "	[illegible]

MAJORITIES.

Sheriff, A. E. Cooper, Dem	10
Clerk and Recorder, Thomas Cook, D	14
Probate Judge, E. Lund, D	21
Assessor, F. H. Loomis, D	10

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

The vote for District Attorney in the Second Judicial District indicates an close as to hardly. As per the following from transcripts of the official returns of the counties comprising the District:

	Democrat.	Republican.
Deer Lodge county	[illegible]	[illegible]
Missoula county	[illegible]	[illegible]
Beaverhead county	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]

Republican majority in District.....8

This, in a poll of 2,197 votes cast for District Attorney. It shows the importance of one vote.

COUNCIL MEMBERS.

The Second Council District, composed of Deer Lodge and Missoula counties, polls the following vote for Councilmen:

	Wm. Ayer Brown.	F. H. Woody.	W. A. Norton.	E. M. Pomeroy.
Deer Lodge	1,100	1,098	1,144	1,108
Missoula	179	180	60	76
Totals	1,279	1,278	1,204	1,184

Messrs. Brown and Woody, who were on the Regular ticket, are therefore elected, the majorities from Missoula overreaching the Deer Lodge majorities for Norton and Pomeroy.

FROM BANNACK.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEW NORTH-WEST:

TOWN GOSSIP.

This is the busiest and most exciting camp in Montana. Times are better than they ever were before, and the miners are now making money. The mills and furnaces are running and doing well; business is brisk, and money plenty; at least we have seen more greenbacks during our short sojourn here, than in nearly all the balance of the Territory combined. Smith & Graeter's ditch supplies the camp with plenty of water. The above gentlemen have also one of the finest stocks of assorted goods in the county, and are doing a smashing business.

Our "Fat Friend & Bro.," have fitted up an elegant billiard room—have stocked with all the good things, and are piling up the "greens." They are well deserving of their success. The main hotel—the Goodrich House—is inferior to none in Montana. Everybody is doing well.

The Democracy held a meeting, at which our worthy friend, Judge Williams, was called upon to address the assembly, which he did in a creditable manner, both to himself and party. Sunday, horse racing was the order of the day. This is election day, with all its excitements, wire pulling, etc. Before the world give Bannack credit for the order and decorum she has preserved through all the long day. Her citizens are a jolly set of people. Especially to Dr. Leavitt and A. J. Smith are our thanks due for their services rendered us and our cause.

Argonaut is dull at present, but we believe in time will show her colors, and take a front seat with the other rising towns.

SILVER STAR.

Silver Star City is to be one of Montana's permanent fixtures. Its quartz is the best, and being rightly managed, yields better than any in the Territory. The "Green Campbell lode" takes the lead at present. A ten stamp mill is constantly at work upon it, and from which they is some handsome yields. The company have the whole hole, 2250 feet, running east and west, the vein averaging from eight to ten feet in width. They have a shaft 95 feet in depth, from which is hoisted the ores. Their tunnel, at present, is some 300 feet in length, and 12 feet in height. They are tunneling it from the gulch, and will strike the vein at 200 or 300 feet, and have other 1000 feet to the main shaft, of which are. The foreman, Mr. Eadie, is a practical man, and he serves credit for the manner in which he has fitted up the works. The whole is under the management of Dr. Chas. D. Spencer. The whole work reflects credit on all concerned. There are other good lodes in the district, which are being worked by Company. We believe that the future of Silver Star is brilliant.

I find the Silver Star Mining Company are a practical people, and will contribute to the public interest by the erection of a quartz mill. I understand that the Company are now in negotiation for the Gold Leaf.

Yours,

"Bonne."

BANNACK, B. T., July 31st.

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1 Month	5.	8.	10.	14.	16.	18.	25	35
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William Allison, } John Noyes, }.....Butte City
Pierre Lebeau.....Moose Creek
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Adam Fleeser, } Dr. G. Beale. }.....German Gulch
Bellinger & Allen.....French Gulch
French & Patten.....Henderson Gulch

TELEGRAMS IN BRIEF.

P. S. Gilmore, the proprietor of the great Peace Jubilee, at Boston, sailed for Europe on the 31 inst.

Postmaster General Creswell is recovering.

The printing material of the old National *Intelligencer* was sold at auction August 3d.

Mrs. Dr. Hobbs was shot dead at Boston, August 3d, in her parlor in the presence of her husband by Thos. L. White, of Tennessee, a patient of her husband.

Sweeney & Bangho, Merchants' Exchange, established in 1860, have finally merged into the new Merchants' Exchange, on California street, San Francisco.

A ten stamp quartz mill was shipped from San Francisco to Japan, August 4th.

The government bonded warehouses in Philadelphia were destroyed by fire August 4th. Loss, $2,500,000. Some 30,000 barrels of whisky were burned.

A dispatch dated Mobile, August 4th, says Maunder is probably elected to Congress by 15,000 majority.

Queen Isabella is disposed to abdicate the throne of Spain in favor of Asturias.

The truth of the report that Spain has opened negotiations with the United States, looking to the independence of Cuba, is positively denied.

A dispatch dated Montgomery, Alabama, August 4th, says enough returns have been received to indicate the election of Parkinson, (Democrat), by several hundred majority, in the 3d District. Buckley, (Radical), is elected in this District.

Prince Henri De Bourbon, brother-in-law of Isabella is preparing to return to Spain, by permission of the government.

Dispatches from Long Branch to the New York *Sun* say that Secretary Robeson admits that Senator Cole has gone to San Domingo on a Spanish mission. The Secretary declared that within one year San Domingo will be admitted into the Union

Andy Johnson and Sallie Peyton are the rival candidates for the Tennessee Senatorship.

The Chicago *Tribune's* Chattanooga special repeats the story that if "Stokes is defeated he will proceed to Nashville, seize the State Capital and sieze, and proclaim himself Governor without contending the election before the Supreme Court." Of course Governor Senter will call out the militia to resist this proceeding and an armed collision will ensue, whereupon Stokes expects the General Government to interfere in his behalf, and depose Senter. Stokes has repeatedly threatened, in public speeches, to force the Government to interfere, and this is the manner in which he expects to bring it about.

During the session of Parliament in London, August 6th, great excitement was caused by a loud explosion in the building. A search was instituted, and a tin case which had contained powder was picked up on the terrace near by. Not much damage was done. The affair is involved in mystery.

A report from Edgefield, South Carolina, August 6th, says that Chase and J. D. Cresswell left there on Wednesday to engage in a duel, which they fought with pistols. The former was instantly killed, and the latter seriously wounded. The affair grew out of family troubles.

A Denver dispatch says General Palmer, of the Kansas Pacific Railroad, has completed arrangements for the extension of the road to Denver.

The most intelligent miners assert that St. Louis is to become the chief point for smelting the silver ores from Colorado, and that thousands of tons daily will be shipped there when the road is completed, with a saving of $60 per ton on the present mode of transportation. Parties here are already preparing to erect smelting works.

Deer Lodge is setting a good example. A dispatch from San Francisco, August 6th, says efforts are being made to organize a People's Party in this city, and nominate a ticket for city and county officers. A reform is demanded, and is necessary to take the affairs of the city out of the hands of politicians.

Specials from Tennessee indicate a heavier vote cast than at the Presidential election. Senter's majority in the State will probably be from 50,000 to 60,000. The Legislature will probably be Democratic.

A serious riot occurred at a Republican ratification meeting in Mobile, August 5th. Three negroes were killed and four wounded. Four policemen and three other whites were wounded.

Twelve astronomers had eleven telescopes in position at Des Moines, last Saturday, to take observations of the eclipse.

Senter's majority in Tennessee was estimated on the 7th at 30,000.

Maine and New Hampshire had cold weather, and snow on Mount Washington on the 7th.

Returns indicate that Senter's majority in Tennessee may reach 60,000. So far as heard from, the State Senate stands, Conservatives, 16, Republicans, 4, with five districts to hear from. House—Conservatives, 46; Republicans, 4.

A complete government for the Hudson's Bay Territory will soon be formed. McDougal will probably be appointed Lieutenant Governor, and Rose, Minister of Finance.

J. D. Smith, (colored), late candidate for Lieutenant Governor of Virginia, has brought suit against the owners of the Baltimore steamer Kangaroo, for ejecting him from the steamer's cabin.

The will of the late Baron Lord, of New York, bequeaths the bulk of his estate, $4,000,000, to his two brothers; $20,000 was given to charitable societies.

Crop advices to the 25th of July say, the Spanish crops in the Mediterranean district had been destroyed by all of the disagreeable foes on the lowest pessimist in entire agriculture. Times had been very bad for farmers, and in nearly every instance the laborers were starving. Land hardly sold. Two hundred and fifty extensive grain holders, Cuba and Porto Rico estimated to feeding on the 25th, and Jamaica Quarantine forces, with home supplies of complaint.

General Sheridan has ordered the Republican meeting, for Governor of Ohio. A new convention will have to be held to nominate a candidate. His declining was

"Hon. A. G. Curtin, President of the Pennsylvania Convention: After the war I resigned a very desirable position in the army, and left my State to secure at least the possibility of fulfilling duties devolved sacred to my creditors and my family. Those duties forbid me the honor of leading the Democracy of Ohio in the pending canvass for Governor."

Secretary Fish says, he will not permit the Spanish gun boats to leave our ports.

Philip Gilmartin, proprietor of the Lake View House, Cleveland, O., shot and instantly killed his son Thomas, while entering the house, on Sunday night, supposing him to be a burglar.

The New York tailors are on a strike.

George and James Addison surrendered to the authorities on Sunday, for shooting the two Cresswells at Edgefield, Georgia, the day before. Charles Cresswell is dead, and J. D. Cresswell, who is charged with the seduction of the sister of Addison, is dangerously, but not mortally wounded.

The report that Jay Cooke & Co. had advanced money on the whiskey destroyed by the recent fire in Philadelphia, is positively denied by that firm.

The astronomical party at Des Moines took 123 photographs of the eclipse.

Bowers, Beekman & Co., of New York, failed on Monday, for four million dollars.

Brick Pomeroy is a candidate for U. S. Senator, in New York.

John Quincey Adams will accept the Democratic nomination for Governor of New York.

File driving on the St. Louis bridge was begun on Tuesday.

Edward W. Hoyt, of California, died suddenly in New York, on Monday.

The steamer Cleopatra was wrecked off Newfoundland. No lives lost.

Gold in New York, August 11th, 1.35½.

THE PEOPLE'S TRIUMPH IN DEER LODGE.

From the Herald, Aug. 9.

"There is great rejoicing in Deer Lodge "over the success of the People's Ticket in "that county. The full importance of the "victory won is only now becoming appre-"ciated, and the good folks over the way "are 'demonstrating' and properly showing "themselves jubilant and enthusiastic. In "this grand movement of the People were "united the best men of both parties in the "county, and they achieved a victory over "which the best men throughout the Ter-"ritory are made glad. The candidates "elected are probably the most worthy men "that could have been chosen for the sev-"eral offices they are to fill. Divided in "politics between the schools of Republi-"canism and Democracy, Republicans and "Democrats marched to the polls, arm in "arm, and cast their suffrages for the elect "of the People. Suffering under official "abuses such as few communities would "have tolerated so long, and stirred to resist-"ance by impositions so shameless that "no apology would sufficiently answer for "their commission, the citizens of every oc-"cupation and calling, irrespective of party "ties, united as one man under the banner of "the People, and fought the gallant fight "for honesty—for right—for reform. We "are rejoiced, and join the shout coming up "from every quarter—'Deer Lodge has done "nobly—she has done the best of all.'"

"ABIDING CONFIDENCE."

We are running another expression into the ground—just as the "oldest inhabitant," "the reliable contraband," the "genial face," and a dozen other terms have been. This new interment is that of the term, "another evidence of the firm and abiding confidence in the inexhaustible richness and prosperity of Montana." If A. ships a quartz mill, or B. sinks on a lodge, or C. sends for his wife, or D. rattles about some visionary scheme, or E., dead broke, comes back here because he can't make a living anywhere else, each is "another evidence of firm and abiding confidence, etc." Is the country reduced to the necessity of doing a "confidence" business? Anathematizing "croakers" is an admission they exist. "Faith," which inspires confidence, "is the evidence of things not seen." The country, as Cæsar wanted his wife to be, is "above suspicion;" but when we devote columns to lecturing croakers, and have more to say about "confidence" than tangible evidences of prosperity, it would be surprising if we did not awaken suspicion. Let the restless old hag snooze. These little tittilations might create the necessity of giving her an opiate.

THE MADISON VALLEY ROAD.

The Virginia *Republican* is advocating with practical arguments the construction of the new road to Snake River, explored by Messrs. Connor and Potter, and whose informal report we published recently. It states the Commissioners of Madison county will appropriate $2,000 or $3,000, and the remainder—$2,000 or $3,000—will have to be raised by private subscription. In the event of its construction, the *Republican* says, the mail route will be changed from Virginia to Helena, and pass through the entire Gallatin Valley in its course. The object Virginia has in constructing a road that would result in this, or how a direct road could be twisted into such a shape, is not apparent to us, although it may be made so to the Gallatians. If the road is 50 miles nearer, and 100 miles cheaper, and is to be free, in the name of Appius Claudius let it be built, and that speedily.

Indians on the War Path.

FORT BENTON, August 10, 4:45 P. M.—About one hundred and fifty Blackfeet and Piegans attacked an ox train, on the 8th inst., on Eagle Creek, about twenty miles this side of Camp Cooke, just as the train was preparing to start in the morning. The men rolled boxes and bales of goods out of their wagons, formed breastworks, and fought the Indians, killing two of the redskins and wounding several others. The Indians wounded one man and shot twenty head of cattle, twelve of which have since died.

The Diamond "R" train, which was about two miles distant from the scene of battle, rushed forward to form a junction and assist the train attacked, which, on seeing, the Indians tried to prevent; not succeeding in this, they induced a man, named Sam Paxton, to come out to them to talk. He, being somewhat acquainted with the Indians, did so, but they immediately attacked and killed him.

TERRITORIAL Official Returns of Deer Lodge county, published to-day are of general interest now, and invaluable for future reference. We take some pride in presenting the diagram of the battle-field, both for its appearance and the victory it records.

OUR NEW "HAND."

The Coming Man is John Chinaman, and not only that, he has come. But a few years since a Chinaman and an elephant were rival curiosities in the United States, and to-day, although not one in an hundred of our forty millions has yet looked upon the Asiatic, there are nearly or fully sixty thousand of the Celestials on the Pacific Coast. In Montana they first reached the Eastern Slope, and latterly along the line of the Pacific Railroad they have reached the lower Missouri and diverged into Colorado. Month after month the China steamers are adding thousands to those already in California. Month after month their numbers increase in the outlying Territories, and this is but the beginning. On the Pacific Coast they have been recognized as an element, formidable enough to instigate a hostile attitude by the laboring element with which they came in competition, but their industry, tractability, temperate habits, and low wages, early commended them to employers, and, under the protection of capital and law, the forcible attempts to drive them out, cannot in the end, be other than local and temporary. They build railroads and wharves, work on ranches, in manufacturies, as house servants, mechanics, stevedores, and in fact in every branch of industry, their natural ingenuity as artizans and industrious character as workers combining to make them available for all the pursuits for which manual labor is required. Already the South has heard of this labor element, and desires to experiment with it as a substitute for negro slave labor. Conventions have been held, the project favorably considered and negotiations are pending with the agents of Chinese emigration looking to their introduction in the cotton-growing States. There their labor will come into competition with negro labor, the same enmities will ensue that has already been evidenced on the Pacific Coast, and the eventual result will be the same—the resources of the country will be brought out and there will be work enough for all. The negro, as the laboring element, has existed in but a small portion of the United States, and were barely adequate, under servitude, to the cultivation of that limited area. The late masters, too, do not as a rule, take kindly to hiring them, and those who were slaves, unsettled by their new-given freedom and their visionary dreams of the Northern States, are going out from their old homes, leaving a field to be supplied by another class of cheap laborers. That class will be the Chinese. The new States and Territories with their millions of acres of land, need the hand of labor to develop their latent resources, and on those millions of acres the rains fall and the sun shines on untrodden wilds; no cattle graze on their pastures; no plowshare turns the fallow, the mine is untouched, and coyotes howl where bells should chime, cities be builded, and the yellow harvests nod obeisance to the sun. The drudgery of this work will be John Chinaman's. The Emperor can spare of his three