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WITH a healthy demand for more dwellings and none in sight, Forsyth is beginning to feel like an overgrown boy wearing his last years suit.

The Yellowstone Journal makes a suggestion for the benefit of Miles City that might be adopted with profit by Forsyth. It suggests that the householders organize a "village improvement society" which can do much towards beautifying the town.

"The city council" says the Journal "can hardly say to a citizen that his barn is in need of bracing up, that his fence needs straightening or that his grounds would be the better of a little care and attention, nor can his neighbor, but a village improvement society in good working order can present in the general results attained, an object lesson that will speak louder than words and induce many a householder to do things in and about his place that he would never have thought of but for the general air of cleanliness and adornment that surrounds him. The results attained by such organizations in the older settled portion of the country are marvellous. Country towns that have been "down at the heels" for a generation or more have partially been born again and taken on new life through the invigorating influences of clean and up-graded streets, newly-planted trees and shrubbery and perhaps a bit of park here and there where the streets run together at an angle and leave a triangular segment of land fit for nothing else but fountain and a little stretch of lawn around it.

THE COMING YEAR.

Every indication seems to point to brighter prospects for Forsyth than were ever before presented to this place. While there is no particular boom on and people are in no manner over optimistic as to the future of the town, there is a healthy demand for realty and a natural stimulation in the real estate business. Sales of lots for building purposes are of frequent occurrence and the many contemplated improvements have attracted the attention of outside contractors. The demand for buildings of every sort is still strong and there is not a vacant house in town to meet this demand.

It is not at all likely that Forsyth will ever suffer from a boom, but all signs appear to justify the belief that before the snow whitens the surrounding hills next winter the town will have experienced the greatest era of improvement in its history. There is much to be done this year, new store buildings are needed, more dwellings, side walks and all the other appurtenances of a growing community are needed, and the construction of these will furnish employment throughout the summer for all our workmen.

With characteristic enterprise the credit for the first addition to the business portion of the town under the new order of things can be claimed by a newspaper. The News comes out this week in its commodious new quarters on East Main street.

State News.

Governor Toole has appointed Samuel Dinsmore, of Missoula, to succeed D.E. Bandmann, of the same city, as a member of the state board of horticulture for the term expiring February 17, 1903.

The annual meeting of one of the oldest range livestock association in the west, the Wyoming Cattle Growers' association, was held last Friday at Cheyenne. It was the twenty-sixth annual meeting and was attended by no less than fifty members.

Sam O. Connell, retailer of beads, looking glasses and plug hats among the Cheyennes, left this morning for the agency after a considerable stay in town. Sam became intimately acquainted with the ways and idiosyncra-

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sies of the slot machines before he departed.—Yellowstone Journal.

State Superintendent Welch of Helena has addressed a circular letter to the various county superintendents calling their attention to the forthcoming annual meeting of the National Teachers' association to be held at Detroit, Mich., beginning July 22. He states that he is anxious to have Montana represented by as many teachers as possible.

The damage suit of Lee Eisenberg vs. the Donovan-McCormick company, which had been on in the district court for three days, came to a sudden termination yesterday afternoon on the reconvening of court, when the attorneys for the plaintiff filed a stipulation for dismissal of the action as settled, each party paying its own costs. The court discharges the jurors and witnesses in the case and dismissed the action in accordance with the stipulation.—Gazette(19).

Church Notes.

At the meeting of the Ladies' Aid society Wednesday there was a vacant place that will not again be taken. One of the most active members, the one who was often the first to arrive and the last to drop her work, had taken the wings of the early morning and left us to mourn our loss. Though true as steel to her family and ever caring for all their needs, anxious for their best interests as she saw them, yet her generous, self-sacrificing life was given to the good of all around her. Mrs. Bailey Waddingham was a strong personal character, and in society, in the lodges and in the church life she will be missed by all who had the privilege of her friendship.

From the beginning of the church work in this town her hands have ever been busy for its advancement. We will not only miss her work, time and talents all so willingly given, but her personality was a great help to all our work. And from our choir we will listen long to hear a sweeter or stronger voice or one bearing to the listener more of the spirit and pathos of the song. While she is gone, her church work abides for good and we hope will constantly increase.

Henry Ward Beecher spoke of the prayer meeting as "the watch fire of the army of the Lord." Have you your fire burning? Come Friday at 8 p. m. and help us kindle a warmer glow in each others lives. It will help you in the struggle of life.

Masters Donald Guy and George Westaby secured the prizes for the most scriptural verses given in the Junior League. The first prize was a handsome bible and the second a nicely bound copy of "Black Beauty." If you think this good work and will help us procure the prizes, we will be glad to continue the effort.

The Junior League had an exceptionally interesting meeting last Sunday afternoon. Your children we are anxious to have attend next Sunday. At the church is a good place for future men and women to begin the foundations for their future.

During the hot weather we will have the church as cool and well ventilated as opened windows will make it. We will greatly appreciate your attendance at the morning services as well as the evening.

The friends who so kindly gave us their aid in the services Sunday have our gratitude. We consider ourselves very fortunate to have so many people who can and are willing to assist us with the music. Few places indeed have so much talent among its own people.

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