Benton 1 odge, No. 25, A F. & A.M.

Regal r communications of the above named of ig. a.kd at 7:30 p. m. on the first and third saturd of each month. Members of sister lodg and sojourning brethren are cordially invited to attend.

RUFUS PAYNE, W. M. GEO. W. CRANE, Secretary.



CHOTEAU LODGE, No. 11, 1, 0, 0, F A regular meeting of the above Lodge will be Lodge room in this city. Sojourning brothers are cordinary invited to attend.

CHARLES CRAWFORD, N. G. PETER McDonald, Secretar.

MONTANA LODGE No. 9, A, O. U. W. The regular communication of the above Lodge convenes at the Masonic Hall every Thursday eve-CHARLES CRAWFORD, M. W S. GENZBERGER, Recorder.

ENIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Crescent Lodge No 4. Meets every Monday night • 7:20, at Castle Hall in Masonic hall.) H. C. McINTIRE, C. C. W. C. RIDDLE, K. of R. and S.

Church Services

EPISCOPAL CHUBCH.
Services will be held every Sunday at the Episopal Church, at 11 a, m., and at 7 p. m. Sunday hool at 12:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is exnet 1 to all.

REV. S. C. BLACKISTON, Resident Pastor

CONGREGATIONAL. Rev. S. B. Demarest, under the auspices of the merican flome Missionary Society, is holding merical flome Missionary Society, is holding ryices at the Court House twice each alternate theath, at II a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath School at m. The public generally are invited to attend.

NOTICE TO ALL

The RECORD has duly contracted under he printing law to do all the legal adverising and public printing for which Cho eau county is chargeable, and has filed he bond required by law.

LOCAL NEWS.

From Saturd v's daily.

Ed. Garrett, from Sun river, is in town. Thomas Berius, of Rocky Springs, is in

Jno. Goom, of Sand Coulee, is at the Grand Union.

Jack Harris is in town filing final proof of his ranch at Highwood.

Class. Everett, from Ft. Maeleod, is in town on his way to Canada.

Buy pulverized soap from Wetzel's when you are going to clean house.

Regular Macleod coach will leave tomorrow with J. T. Lee on the seat.

For Sale.—At I. G. Baker & Co's.—One Canvas boat and one 20 foot rubber boat.

The rice flour at Wetzel's is the best food for children, and makes most delicious

The Riverside Literary Society did not meet last night on account of the bad weather.

Jim Gillett has fifty acres of land on Little Willow Creek broken up ready for tractive ad. of the Romeo and Juliet Travseeding.

We learn that the Silver Belle jumpers and the Smelting Company are trying to effect a compromise.

Hon. Jas. M. Arnoux is expected in town from his home to-night, on business

connected with the county. A large invoice of spring dry goods are expected by express via Billings at T. C.

Power & Bro.'s next week. Pete Gallagher came in from Barker today on horesback on business connected

C. G. Griffith returned this afternoon from Highwood, where he has been sur-

veying the road near Arnoux's place. We understand that a new secret society will be organized here in a few days, Full

particulars will be furnished in a few

dry goods store to buy dry goods at cost. been excellent. Immense bargains in dry goods offered

down to the Teton .

Ford Caldwell returned from Belt creek laugh. this afternoon. He reports that the bridge there is little yet to be done.

again, and of his intention to remain here

through the summer. The snow storm to-day has spoiled a

tended to make a big haul. H. G. McIntire and J. C. Bothine left on the coach this morning for Helena on business connected with the indictment of

the latter by the Grand Jury. Ed. Smith, the popular bar-keeper of the Grand Union, has been presented with a scalp of Gray Wolf, the chief of the Crees who was scalped in the late battle between the Piegans and Crees on the

Marias. All parties, recently indicted by the Grand Jury at Helena, who have given ed a continuance until the November term portant question, in which all of our peoof the District Court except only default- ple feel an interest. The fact that wood ing witnesses.

X. Biedler and Mose Solomon left last night for Helena by private conveyance. A good many lots in the new addition have been transferred lately by quit claim deeds. The first title to any of them is really no good reason why wood should

has not yet been obtained. The vegetable market people are fixing as four or five dollars per cord. up the building adjoining their old place and will soon be in readiness to supply the residents of Benton with any article in the

shape of fruit or vegetables. millinery goods ever brought to Benton. been redeemed .- Independent.

The arrest of one or two of our citizens, From Tuesday's Daily. who immediately gave bonds, yesterday afternoon, caused only a few funny remarks among the boys. The pilgrim car- day. pet-baggers of Helena missed their mark if they supposed for a moment that anything but complete satisfaction could be felt by the Democracy of Benton at any this morning for Highwood and Belt action that the sick candidate could prove Creek. in the way of fraudulent elections. When the Grand Jury meets at Benton, it is not improbable that Botkin may be forced to appear and explain some dirty work for which he and his few Republican friends

at Benton are responsible. From Monday's Daily.

Who is indicted?

We predict a thaw to-morrow at noon. C. R. Lynch left this morning for Helena on the coach.

The Missouri will boom when the next thaw sets in.

Higgins & Ayers have moved into their

new store on Main street. The Helena coach due last night had not

arrived at three o'clock to-day. One of our amateur artists has painted

ome fine scenery for the Travesty. Chas. Ahrens and Chas. Everett left on

the coach for Billings this morning.

The late heavy fall of snow will materially assist the early arrival of boats. An extra coach was sent to the Marias to-day to bring in the Assinnaboine mail.

Al. Lester, Dick Bailey, Peter Butler, W. E. Clark and Pete May, from Barker, are at the Overland.

Cow-boys, call and see the assortment of saddles, chaps, spurs, bits, etc., at Sullivan's challenge shop.

Wood is said to be more plentiful in own since the price tumbled from eighteen to eight and ten dollars per cord. The Macleod coach did not leave this

morning, on account of bad weather, It will probably leave to-morrow morning. Sullivan's challenge saddles of all styles, warranted better than any California or Cheyenne make, or money refunded.

The piano to be used by the Travesty Troupe on Thursday night, is now being uned by one of our leading musicians.

The second load of lumber for the boom | the mail in the skiff. is within 18 miles of town, but the snow storm is likely to detain it there for a

Why send your money to Cheyenne, Twenty-eight-mile Springs. when you can do better at home by getting

We understand that the Clandenin Min- ions. He left agan this afternoon. ng and Smelting Company have recently

Jos. S. Hill arrived at his home at Charleston, South Carolina on the 8th of this month. Joe was quite ill from the

trip, but hopes to recover soon. Grand Union bar mirror with a very at- ports a hard return trip,

esty. The work is really excellent. been postponed on account of the storm.

If you want anything in the saddle and harness line, call on Sullivan, give your

is about 110 feet long, and he has on hand word by the passing coach to Murphy, the finest and best stock of saddles and harness in the Territory. No more Cheyenne saddles. The Sulli-

van Challenge saddle made at Fort Benton anteed for less money than can be produced in America.

The vocal and instrumental music rendered by the Catholic Church choir at the Easter morning service, was probably the finest ever heard in Benton. Father Bandini, on this occasion, preached his arst Next week is the last week at Power's English sermon, which is said to have

Farmers, attention! I will make you a better harness for the same money than Herman Brinkman, Road Supervisor, you can get laid down from any part of has been doing some good work lately. He the United States. I mean what I say. has just finished a road on the hill leading Try me, get your guarantee and be the owner of a harness that will make you

Jos. SULLIVAN. The rapid sale of tickets for the Travesty will be entirely completed next week as performance, to be given in aid of the Sisters' Hospital, was a surprise to all The many friends of Theo. Gibson will parties interested. It speaks well for the be glad to hear of his arrival in Benton charity of our people as well as their confidence in the ability of the Travesty per-

The snow storm which set in at Benton fishing party's fun for to-morrow. Brink- on Saturday promises to be about the se- less than three days. With additional the Clerk of the weather has evidently put the same day it comes from the press. on an extra touch to make up for the long spell of fine weather that preceded the

The sale of seats for Romeo and Juliet time nearly every seat in the house was er or not the Charter granted by the last sold. There never was such a rush for Legislature shall be accepted. The advanpect to go had better "rustle" around to they need not be dwelt upon. We fear, Charter, were against it. Most of the into trouble. What will be the price of cord wood, half the price asked during the coldest part of the winter is evidence enough that simply an imposition which the boom company should prevent for the future. There not be sold in Benton next winter as low

Out of Debt.

Treasurer Weston yesterday drew three hope for prosperity without affording its the arguments against it were certainly T. C. Power & Bro. are contemplating checks aggregating \$35,408.34 for the pay- residents all those safe-guards which in- weak except where they applied to individsetting apart rooms in ther mammoth ment of the last of the Territorial outsetting apart rooms in the class about seventystore, one for a millinery department and standing bonds, together with accrued instore, one for a millinery department and enough is terday, which they say they stole from the engineer was dead, and managed somehow & Co. sold last year over 150 suits of cloth-

The Marias is full of floating ice again. J. H. Emery came in on the coach to-

S. C. Edgerton arrived on the coach this morning, 75 hours from Helena. C. A. Dean and Willie Brinkman left

W. S. Wetzel, J. H. Conrad, Jos. A.

Baker and T. J. Todd were in St. Louison row night. It is the finest thing of the sea-

H. D. Burghardt, S. C. Edgerton and J. M. Marsh came in on the Helena coach this year than ever before in Choteau of Billings. this morning. Jno. M. Power, J. H. McKnight of Ft.

Shaw, and J. F. Churchill were in New York on the 14th. The Macleod coach left this morning The Belt Creek bridge is almost com- sacrifice for the next 30 days, at I. G.

was a passenger. Geo. D. Patterson left on horseback this morning for his ranch on the Shonkin, to has not vet arrived, but will probably ar- the coach last night.

ook after his lambs. This snow storm has stopped all the The Baker and Assinnaboine coaches, in Fort Benton, was married in New York farming operations which were being car-spite of the severe weather and the bad on the 25th of March. ried on at the Shonkin and at Highwood. roads, arrived on good time yesterday af-There will be a prayer meeting to-mor- ternoon.

half-past seven o'clock. All are invited. Judge Tattan last night from Belt creek. Juliet, you had better go at once to the before the snow fell the other day, Postoffice and secure seats, or you will get Frank G. Rose, from Toronto, Ontario, vited to attend.

morning, had a large amount of mail on from Sun River, are at the Grand Union. board, a good deal of which was delayed We understand that the contest for lots turn to S. Wheaton,

No news has yet been received from the itled, and the injunction having been re Presbyterian ladies next Wednesday night, soldiers who went out after the Cree In- moved Judge Tattan will commence isdians. This weather is rather rough on suing deeds on Monday next. Don't forget the election to-morrow for vate conveyance last night from Belt creek

those who vote should see that their ticket | weather to moderate. The Judge is lookreads "For the Charter." ing healthy again. Roberts and Fox took out the Helena | Lieut, Fierbaum is in Benton on his way coach this morning. There being no to Highwood to inspect a lot of potatoes buckboards or jerkies here, they had to for the United States Army at Assinna-

boine, If they prove satisfactory Dave take a large coach, Jim Bender brought in the Assinna- Browne's teams will hand them to Assinboine mail from the Marias this morning. naboine in a day or two. He says it took him three hours to cross

Romeo and Juliet will take place to-mor The Helena coach due Sunday night, row night at Wackerlin's old store. Judgdid not arrive here until 8 o'clock this ing from the large number of seats sold morning. It laid over last night at the there will be quite a large audience. We

Wm. Morrow, in spite of the severe success. Sullivan to make you one of his Challenge | weather, drove to town, from his ranch | on the Shonkin, this morning for provis- terday, states that a party of North Pie- quite over.

gans had just arrived at the Fort with The Fort Shaw Comedy Co, intend giv- seventy-five head of horses stolen from bought a controlling interest in the Silver ing another performance the latter part of the Old Agency. Col. Irvine arrived at this week. The programme of the enter- the Fort on the 21st, and we presume has tainment is quite long and well gotten up, already taken proper steps to have the an-

Mr. Sidney C. Edgerton has returned imals returned. from Helena, whither he went some time since to attend the Territorial Grand Lodge an oversight on the part of the Deity, are Ed. Smith, soap artist, has degorated the of Good Templars. Mr. Edgerton re- still encumbering the fair face of nature

We are very much afraid that this heavy all ears with their discordant voices, and snow storm will seriously retard the con- causing persons to think that Guttenberg Rev. Mills left for Moore's ranch on the struction of the boom, and that it will be should have died some years before he inday with merchandise for W. Whitney at Helena road this morning to perform a almost impossible to have it completed bemarriage ceremony, which ought to have fore the high water comes; but as the une not received their regular weekly dertaking is in the best possible hands it may be finished in time.

A freighter at Bull's Head was overtaorder, and get his guarantee for being the ken by the storm and unable to proceed on best that can be made, or money refunded. his journey. Being without provisions Jos. Sullivan now has the finest harness and not caring to desert his stock under shop in the Territory. His store and shop the circumstances, he was obliged to send vulsive squirms, but itis well-known that fendent, Neel & Co., to forward him some provisions. The latter were sent out to-day.

M. E. Milner arrived in town yesterday afternoon from his ranch on the Shonkin. defys competition. A better saddle guar- Mr, Milner had one of the hardest trips of his life, being compelled to dismount from his horse every hundred yards to scrape the snow from his horse's hoofs. He started yesterday at 11 o'clock and did not arrive here until four.

and is the finest and most complete ever presented to an audience in Benton. nity to see the laughable travesty.

we believe the increase in the RECORD subscription list for the past six months is deliver our weekly edition. Three large elaborate a play as creditably. sacks were delivered at the postoffice last night, but it has become simply impossible to wrap and direct the entire edition in

Incorporation.

To-morrow the qualified voters of Fort erty holders as to more than offset the adshould be obliged to contribute toward the minent citizens. Clean streets, a fire detown expenses of Fort Benton. That the partment, proper administration of justice charter is defective in some points, is very and quick suppression of crime, removal possible; but that it is better than no Char- of obnoxious buildings, good roads and ter all law abiding citizens will believe. adequate drainage, were among the rea-That a town of the size of Benton should sons given for voting for the Charter, and To I. G. BAKER & Co. AND OTHERS:

From Wednesday's daily.

level between Benton and Belt Creek.

The first performance of the travesty of

The monstrosities of the press, which by

The Travesty.

Voting for the Charter

county.

over one night.

count of the storm.

rive during the night.

Ed. Garret left on the Barker coach this Mrs. Fillett will leave for Helena on the morning for Barker. coach to-morrow. Father Bandini left for Sun river this

Geo. Maeden, from Minneapolis, is at morning on the Helena coach. the Grand Union. M. E. Milner left on horseback this af-

Romeo and Juliet, for the benefit of the ternoon for his ranch on the Shonkin. Hospital, to-night.

From Thursday's Daily.

There is over ten inches of snow on the The Helena coach, due last night arrived this morning at half-past six. Don't forget Romeo and Juliet to-mor-Sam Kohlberg will arrive on the next

Billings coach, the one due this afternoon. J. W. Smith, from Assinnaboine, will There will be a larger acreage cultivated leave for Philadelphia to-morrow, by way office. Judges, W. H. Todd, H. P. Rolf,

The Billings coach, due here Tuesday and Densmore. The Billings coach, due last night, has night, did not arrive until to-day about 2 not showed up yet. It has probably laid o'clock.

A splendid line of Boots and Shoes, at a

with J. T. Lee driving. Hugh Munro pleted, but work has suspended on ac- Baker & Co's. Miss Julia Gilliss, Miss Emma Robinson,

The Helena coach, which was due last M. T. Lawrence arrived from Helena on

A. Nathan, of Hirshberg & Nathan, of

There was no mail on the Billings coach

row night at the Presbyterian church, at wm. and Geo. Seifried arrived with and railroad failed to connect. There will be a prayer meeting held to- men regardless of parties: If you intend going to see Romeo and Geo. Seifried had sixty acres of oats sown night at the Presbyterian Church, at half past seven o'clock. All are cordially in-

Ed. Simpson, from the Judith Basin; D. LOST .- A fob charm, on Front street The Helena coach, which arrived this T. Wilson from Ulidia, and J. G. Dunlap between Wackerlin's and Minar's store. A snitable reward will be paid for its reon the reservation has been amicably set-There will be a sociable given by the

> at their church on Front street. No admission fee. All are invited. Judge Tattan and family arrived by pri-Jas. A. Yore and family returned this afternoon from their ranch. We are in-

the incorporation of Fort Benton. All where they have been waiting for the clined to think that Jim is not as fond of ranching as he thought he would be. The first performance of the travesty of Romeo and Juliet will take place to-night

> best thing of the season. Miss Phobe Wright has kindly consented to play the accompaniments to-night stockmen to inaugurate the practice of tuned and the music will no doubt be as

should attend as it will doubtless be the

The storm abated somewhat to-day, and wish the performers the hest possible the weather is now quite mild, but considerable snow has fallen since morning A letter received from Fort Walsh yes- and there is no certainty that the storm is

good as the performance.

press nominates himself for Alderman. there is no reason why it should exist horse, is now able to be around with a Those who are acquainted with Stevens' here. The greatest risk which the cattle cane. We hope he will continue to imcareer in this Territory will probably pre- owner has to encounter is the danger of fer a candidate from the Deer Lodge peni-We would respectfully call the attention

with their grotesque persons, offending have increased its business considerably then is worth about as much as a cow, since the last statement, and shows it to minus three or four years interest on the be in a most flourishing condition. Jack Cook was yesterday arraigned before Judge Kaneuse, charged with breakcitizens, we make it a point to ad- ing into and robbing the store of W. E. minister. The reason for this was Turner. He was bound over in the sum sufficient demand for cattle, now, to en- L. Overfield, J. F. Churchill and W. B.

some degree of muscular activity exists in There will be a meeting of the citizens all reptiles for some time after their Jeath. of the city of Benton at Wackerlin's Hall, We hope that the proper officers of the on Saturday evening, at 71/2 o'clock sharp. interested in the Silver Belle mine have scene would do credit to John Keenan. city of Benton will take measures to secure It is expected that all who feel any interthe immediate interment of the moulder- est in the passage of the recent Incorpora- torneys. The terms of the agreement Romelo and Jumiet-oh, pshaw! you

tilate their views upon the subject. A RECORD reporter attended the full- by the amateur talent of Benton, for the from them. We have never taken much the Travesty, all the same. dress rehearsal of Romeo and Juliet last benefit of the Hospital. The hall has been pains to investigate the matter, but while evening. Wackerlin's old store has been completely renovated and everything is it has been stated by other papers, no bet- will hold a meeting to-merrow night at The Travesty Troupe will have a grand converted by the efforts of a score of ready for the grand performance. The ter acquainted than curselves with the sub- Wackerlin's. Everybody interested in dress rehearsal to-night at the Apollo talented young men into an exceptionally scenery and costumes are the finest that ject, that the jumpers had no legal right to our Charter should not fail to attend, and Theatre (late Wackerlin's old store). The neat little theatre. When it is understood have ever been presented to an audience take possession of the mine, we have allend a hand to helping the city onward. scenery in the theatre is now completed, that beside securing the many properties in the City of Fort Benton, and the whole ways contended that they must have had

required in the travesty, complete sets of affair will doubtless be a grand success. very creditable scenery have been painted, Freeman has consented not to call his No one should miss this splendid opportu- it will be seen what an amount of work paper the Inter-Mountain. The name is has been performed. The costumes are no longer of any advantage to Freeman, Without any desire to blow about our elaborate and elegant enough to do credit the Republican organ of Butte having beprosperity, we feel justified in stating that to a metropolitan stage. The acoustic properties of the hall seemed poor, but the all holders of stock in Republican news- ning & Smelting Company and the other presence of an audience will probably re- papers. The Inter-Mountain recently owners have agreed to purchase the intersomething unprecedented in the history of medy this defect. The impression made threatened to sue the stockholders if they Territorial journalism. The full capacity upon the reporter was that few towns of did not furnish the funds to keep the rotof our office—the largest in Montana—is the size of Fort Benton could furnish an ten concern going, and the stockholders ments of four thousand dollars per month. now tasked to its utmost to print, mail and equal amount of talent, or present so kicked. Those who have shares in the Republican concern at Benton will save per ton for all the ore taken out of the money by giving them away.

press, which is only another name for Ste- the richest mine in the country, and while The election for and against the incorman, Senieur, Merrill and Murphy in- verest of the season. Equinoctionals are help and machinery in the spring, how- poration of Benton passed off quietly tonot usually so severe in this latitude, but ever, we shall be able to deliver the paper day, and resulted in a majority in favor of of several of our most respectable citizens large sum, it is of course only a nominal adopting the Charter. The polls were in this morning's issue of the press Pub- price for a mine that will doubtless handopened at the Overland Hotel at an early lishing Company, in which, we underhour, and much interest was at once man- stand, he denied to the County As- come fairly developed. All parties conifested. Thirty-eight votes were soon sesor having any pecuniary interest cerned are to be congratulated upon the polled, and speculation as to the result whatever. Those whose names have been final termination of this long contested ton, and we hope to see thim on the road commenced this morning, and by noon Benton will pass upon the question wheth- favored the Charter. It was asserted by published in connection with the beer- case. Messrs. Donnelly & Eastman were many that there was a majority of two to thief should at once deny any connection the attorneys for the "jumpers" and one at noon, but others claimed that many with this candidate for the penitentiary; Messrs. Buck & Hunt, Tattan and Toole, seats before in Benton. Those who ex- tages of incorporation are so apparent that votes supposed to have been cast for the otherwise they are liable to get themselves for the company.

the Post Office and take the second night. however, that some of our citizens may business men were in favor of incorporathink that incorporation will bring so tion, but a number of tax-payers were op- this evening's performance of the Travesty does not say is altogether false, but intiwhen the boom is completed, is now an imwhen the boom is completed, is now an imwhen the boom is completed, is now an immates very delicately that the Tribune is

Gen. Meade, one of the principal owners erease taxation without a compensating be sufficient accommodations for the audivantages of incorporation. An inspec- benefit to them. Others had private rea- ence. We are assured that there will be tion of the Charter, however, shows that sons for their opposition which they ample accommodations for all who have or Bismarck, and there are very few towns in erection of it himself. Work, has been the additional burden of taxation will be were not willing to disclose, may purchase tickets. This dirty trick of that Territory that do do not feel superior progressing, on the Spotted Horse mine. very light; and fair minded men will see but which were not difficult the press is in keeping with its recent ateven without a boom high-priced fuel is even that the proposed measure only establishes to guess. The arguments in favor of the tack upon the Catholic Sisters' of Charity, Says the Bismarck Tribnne: About two feet from the surface show free and wire a fair distribution of taxes. It is not charter were numerous enough and the performance this evening being for years ago a locomotive engineer, then running on the Dakota division of the North-the benefit of the Sisters' Hospital at Ben-the benefit of the Benefit of th

Latest of the Cree Raid.

Assinnaboine, March 24, 1883.

Just received letter from Marsh at Ft.

CITY OF BENTON.

Meeting of the Charter Commissioners.

The Charter Commissioners specified in the document which was elected yesterday by a large majority, met to-day for the purpose of dividing the new city into wards, and appointing the judges of election for the respective wards. The following is the result of their deliberations:

WARD No. 1. Polls at W. H. Todd's and B. Tierney. Clerks, H. Ringwald,

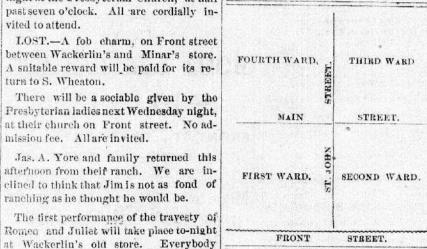
WARD No. 2. At Wackerlin's store. Judges, Richard Brennan, Louis Gross, and R. S. Culbertson. Clerks, W. Early, and C. B. Fowler.

WARD No. 3. At County Clerk's office.

Judges, Tom Cummings, H. R. Buck, and Wm. Rowe. Clerks, C. L. Spencer, and A. B. Keeler. WARD No. 4. At T. A. Cumming's

office. Judges, Geo. W. Crane, Gus. Senfeur, and Rufus Payne. Clerks, Joe. Rasin, and Thos. Ray. The city was divided into wards as fol-

which arrived this afternoon, as the coach lows, and there was expressed an earnest desire to elect a fusion ticket, or the best



Counting Calves.

A movement has been started among ability of such a course is manifest. No ics expect to work on it again in a day or industry can be established upon a really two. solid basis until a standard of prices is established; and so long as calves are thrown | Trustees to-night at 7:30 o'clock, at the ing at a standard price for oattle. The pected. practice of throwing in calves now obtains With characteristic cheek Stevens of the in no other country beside Montana, and losing his very young calves before they have become sufficiently strong to endure inclement weather. fAfter they have beof our readers to the statement of the First come sufficiently strong to pass safely National Bank of Benton, published in through such weather, there is but little this issue, which shows this institution to further risk to be encountered. The calf cow's value, and minus a small percentanimal. That the stock owner should run paper to-morrow. what has been saved is absurd. There is Company, yesterday handed over to Geo. that we thought the thing was dead. of two hundred and fifty dollars to appear able our stock owners to establish rules to Settle, five thousand dollars in cash, for like a galvanized corpse, it gives a few conW. B. Settle will be attorney for the de-

Compromised.

We learn with pleasure that the parties admiration. The tombstones in the last effected a compromise through their atgood grounds for their action and some hope for ultimate succes, or they would long since have succumbed to the vigorous legal efforts of their opponents. The est claimed by the jumpers, for the sum of twenty-four thousand dollars, in install-The company is also to pay five dollars mine from the date of the agreement until the entire sum is paid up. The Silver The consumptive sneak-thief of the Belle is undobtedly one of the richest, if not

> The Bismarck Tribune tells the followin Dakota that claim any superiority to val of the mill, and will superintend the

> ern Pacific railroad, bought two lots in tunnel from the west side of the mountain Fargo. Shortly after the purchase he to tap the lead at the depth of about 200 went to California, and until a few days feet from the surface. since, nothing was heard of him by the people in this part of the country. It is said I. G. Baker & Co. have on hand a large

The Press and the Bevil.

In the little dismal shack Whence the press doth daily erawl, A person dressed in black Sprang from the dingy wall, Addressed the junior editor And whispered in his ear. "The Devil!" cried the man addressed Said the other, "I am here." The wretch turned pale, and shook

Like leaves in an aspen wood. And in faltering tones exclaimed: "I've done the best I could I have lain awake for hours To think of new tricks to try. And, Mr. Devil, oh, dear, good Devil, You can't know how I lie.' The Devil frowned on the trembling wretch,

And his breath was flery hot, And in an awful voice he said: "You're the meanest devil I've got." Just then his eye fell on a press That lay on a table near. He picked it up, began to read. He grinned from ear to ear. Said he, "Young man, I've done you wrong,"

From Fri lay's Daily.

in town.

dred dollars.

(And his voice rose to a shout),

'Ha, ha," cried he, "you're certainly The finest devil out."

Who will be the first Mayor? The Macleod coach is due here to-day. The jumpers of the Silver Bell are still

Dan Blevins, of Highwood, is at the Overland. The Billings coach, due last night, has

not put in an appearance yet. The recipts last night of the performance of Romeo and Juliet were nearly two hun-

The Helena coach, due here last night, did not arrive until four o'clock this afernoon.

W. S. Wetzel has constantly on hand a full stock of the celebrated O'CONNELL O. K. WHISKEY.

We understand that there was a marriage among the colored ladies and gentlemen of our city the other night,

The Riverside Literay Society will not meet to-night. The meeting has been postponed until next Friday night. Wm. E. Evans, John Giester, Robert

Edgar and J. H. Connly, from Ft. Maginnis, are registered at the Grand Union. The late snow has stopped all work on for the Travesty. The piano has been counting palves in stock sales. The desir- Stockings' new building, but the mechan-

There will be a meeting of the School

in as an inducement to buyers, so long school house. Important business will be will there be a marked difficulty in arriv- transacted and a full attendance is ex-Henry Kleinschmidt, who was seriously njured some time ago by the kick of a

> prove rapidly. The estate of W. W. Austin will be sold on Monday next. It is a fine property and a year or two hence will probably be worth ten times the amout for which it can now be purchased.

the fencing of the new graveyard, has been extended to the 14th of April. A age to cover the three years risk upon the detailed advertisement will appear in this

The time for receiving proposals, for

The scenery in Romeo and Juliet is excellent. There are four changes, all the different scenes being objects of art and

Be sure to attend Jomeo and Ruliet-no, tion Act will attend the meeting and ven- are very favorable to the men who have know what we mean, Rumilet and Jomelo, so long held posession of the mine against -that is ntit either-Jelemo and Rumilet. Romeo and Juliet will be given to-night the efforts of the original owners to take it We give it up; but you had better attend

> The citizens of the City of Fort Benton There never was before, in Benton, so

much satisfaction felt over an entertainment, either amateur or professional, as was expressed to-day by those who attended the first performance of Romeo and as large, if not allarger house, this evening than last night, and they deserve it. We suggest that the citizens of Fort

Benton, irrespective of party, should as-

semble in their respective wards, to-mor-

row evening, and make nominations for

city officers. There will not be time to

hold a city convention, but ward caucusses would materially lighten the work of Mon-Clark, the stage driver of the Assinnaboine coach, has just had a pretty rough trip. He became snow blind on the last trip and had to get Walker to bring the coach in for him last night. Clark is doubtless the best and most faithful driver on any of the roads leading into Ben-

again in a few days. We understand that

he was much better this morning. Jim Connelly, of Maiden, is in town and reports the camp booming. He says that the mill for the Collar mine, on its way to the mine at Maiden from Chicago, left Junction City on the 15th inst., and is

that this man a few days since returned to and well selected assortment of samples Fargo, where, upon investigation, greatly to his amazement, he found his lots covered by fine brick blocks. It transpires that Walsh, March 22, 1838. Our Indians several sharp lawyers or real estate sharks house in St. Louis, a perfect fit and perstore, one for a millinery department and the other for dress making. They intend to other for dress making. They intend to arry the largest and finest stock of carry the largest and finest stock of majority.

The difference of the control of the