

CITY AND STATE.

From Wednesday's Daily.

Send your watch and jewelry repair work to D. G. Lockwood's jewelry store.

The homestead entry of John N. Finch, located south of Landusky, is being contested by Charles Phillips, who claims the entryman has not established residence thereon.

Gus Lantz, who has been in jail awaiting trial on a charge of stealing Justice Pypers' overcoat at Havre, pleaded guilty in the district court today, and was given one year in the penitentiary.

A dispatch from Chicago announces the death of J. J. Crowley, special agent of the United States treasury department, with whom several local residents became acquainted during his occasional visits here.

A shooting scrape is reported from Mondak, the new Valley county town near the Montana-Dakota line, in which A. Young was seriously wounded by Simon Ridel. The victim is not expected to recover.

Joseph Pritchard, who is under a charge of destroying a dam in an irrigating ditch near Chinook, was ordered today by the district court to be released upon his own recognizance, to appear for trial when called upon.

Justice Jere Sullivan, acting coroner, returned today from Highwood, where an inquest was held upon the body of the late Edward Keaster yesterday afternoon. The evidence produced at the inquest was similar to the first reports of the tragedy, and a verdict of suicide was returned.

John K. Smith, one of the oldest residents of this part of Montana, died last night at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. R. S. Culbertson, from a complication of diseases incident to old age. The deceased, who would soon have reached his ninetieth birthday, had been a resident of this city since the early eighties and had a large circle of friends by whom news of his death will be received with deep regret.

From Thursday's Daily.

Professor and Mrs. J. W. Lenning have moved into the Charles Lapey residence on upper Front street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lapey and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Moore left this morning for California, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Thomas Hogan was brought in from Zortman today by Deputy Sheriff Minugh, to serve four months in jail for escaping from an officer while under arrest. Sentence was imposed by Justice Baird, of Zortman.

It is announced that a new schedule for the westbound passenger train will go into effect Sunday morning on the Montana Central. The train will be due here at 1:48 a. m., nearly two hours earlier than at present.

Constable I. M. Rogers arrived from Box Elder today with John Maher and John Frame, who are charged with disturbing the peace. The complaining witness is a neighbor who claims he entertained the accused at supper and that they afterwards assaulted him without provocation.

The funeral of the late John R. Smith was held this afternoon from the Methodist church and was attended by members of the Oddfellows' lodge, of which order the deceased has been a member since 1847, and by a large number of friends and relatives. Interment was made at Riverside cemetery.

Suit has been commenced in the district court by the Security State bank, of Havre, against H. G. Campbell, to recover on an overdraft of about \$682. The complaint alleges that defendant deposited in the bank some checks to the amount of \$1,760, drawn by the Columbia Falls Lumber company on a Minot institution which refused to cash them, and checked against this deposit to the amount for which suit is brought.

From Friday's Daily.

Hay for sale by the carload, ton or bale. Will deliver Tuesday and Friday of each week. Orders may be left at Green Bros' store. J. P. Williams.

Mrs. Edward Keaster, of Highwood, wishes to return thanks to the many friends and neighbors for their kindness during her recent trouble and bereavement.

A petition for letters of administration in the estate of the late Edward Keaster has been filed in the district court by Mary Ann Keaster, widow of the deceased.

Chas. E. Duer left this morning for Helena, from which place he will accompany Mrs. Duer and granddaughter to the Pacific coast, where they will visit for a few weeks.

M. E. Miller and W. P. Sullivan left this morning on an extended trip through the eastern states, during which they will visit Washington, New York and other eastern cities.

Alfalfa seed raised in the Milk river valley is finding a demand in eastern markets. It is reported from Chinook that a carload shipment was made re-

cently from that point to Chicago, the shippers receiving 11¢ cents per pound.

John Maher, charged with assault and battery, was tried before a jury in Justice Sullivan's court yesterday afternoon, and a verdict of guilty was returned. The defendant was fined \$75 and costs of case, amounting to about \$134.50. The trial of John Frame on a similar charge was continued until tomorrow.

A Washington dispatch says the survey and allotment to Indians of lands in the southern portion of the Black-foot reservation is provided in a bill introduced by Senator Carter. The northern portion is to be opened to settlement by homestead and payment of \$2.50 an acre. Ownership of streams is reserved to the state of Montana.

Lewistown Is After Railroads.

LEWISTOWN, Jan. 16.—The people of Lewistown do not propose to allow anything in the way of boosting their resources to let the railroads know they are on the map and are after more railroad connections. A highly enthusiastic public meeting was held in the courthouse last night at which it was decided to open a red hot campaign to induce the railroads, especially the Milwaukee, to build in this direction. The Milwaukee already has a corps of engineers working in the Judith. Overtures will also be made to the Great Northern to take in Lewistown on its Great Falls-Billings line. A committee of 15 was appointed to proceed with the matter. A subcommittee of three was named to interview the railroads, especially the Milwaukee. The enthusiastic tenor of the meeting indicated plainly that the metropolis of the Judith will not sit idly by and see railroad lines built in this direction overlook one of the best trading points and most promising cities in Montana.

Welch Refunds Graft Money.

HELENA, Jan. 17.—The case of the state of Montana against W. W. Welch, former state superintendent of public instruction, which had been set for February 26 in Judge Henry C. Smith's court, will not come to trial, the action having today been dismissed by Judge Smith upon the motion of County Attorney Leon A. LaCroix. Mr. Welch was charged with a violation of the law in failing to pay over to the state certain funds, the total being about \$470, upon his retirement from office a year ago. Mr. Welch claimed that the funds alleged to have been misappropriated were in reality funds that were due him from the state, but this contention was disputed by the state, and the prosecution followed.

In his motion for leave to dismiss the information against Mr. Welch, Mr. LaCroix gave as the grounds for dismissal that there was not evidence sufficient to justify a conviction of the defendant, and that the defendant has paid into the state treasury the full amount of his alleged defalcation.

Remy Jury Could Not Agree.

HELENA, Jan. 18.—After being out 113 hours the jury in the case of the state against Camille Frederic Remy was discharged this forenoon by Judge Henry C. Smith in the district court. The jury was given the case last Saturday afternoon. Not until yesterday did it ask for any special instructions or intimate whether or it would be able to agree.

It is started in to consider the case the jury took 114 ballots. It is understood that the first ballot resulted in seven votes for a verdict of murder in the first degree. The last ballot, it has been stated, resulted in eleven votes for manslaughter and one for acquittal. The man who held out to the end, it is understood, was A. O. James, a telegrapher, who was foreman of the jury. It is understood that after holding out for acquittal he agreed to vote for manslaughter if the jurors would leave the penalty to be fixed by the court. This several of the jurors would not consent to, and the jury finally agreed to disagree.

County Attorney Leon LaCroix stated today that he would again prosecute Remy. The trial has attracted more attention than any recent trial in Helena. Remy was charged with the murder of young Wesson Oliver, of Dillon, whose body, partially buried, was found near Wolf creek. Remy had been seen in company with Oliver and the crime was laid to him. It was shown that he had tried to dispose of some of Oliver's property. Remy made for the Canadian line in the northwestern part of the state, and crossed it before the officers found trace of him. He was later arrested at Vancouver. At the trial he admitted the killing, but claimed he had fired at Oliver in self-defense. In defense of Remy it was shown that Oliver on several occasions had exhibited his pistol in a threatening way with a view of enforcing his demands.

Tobacco is sure to do its deadly work if you give it time. A Philadelphia woman, who was an inveterate smoker, has just died at the age of 135.

MONTANA NEWS BRIEFLETS.

A Budget of Readable Short Items from Various Parts of the State.

ANACONDA, Jan. 16.—For two hours this afternoon Anaconda and Deer Lodge valleys were swept by the fiercest storms in many years. At the weather observatory above the Washoe smelter the velocity of the wind registered as high as 100 miles an hour. Several inches of snow fell.

HELENA, Jan. 16.—James M. Robinson, a "squaw man," pleaded guilty to giving whisky to a Crow Indian, before Judge Hunt in the United States court today, and was sentenced to the county jail for 90 days and fined \$100. Robinson averred that he was drunk when he gave the bottle of liquor to the Indian, who was his wife.

BOULDER, Jan. 16.—An electrical device has been recently installed at the Boulder-Wickes tunnel, seven miles north of here, by the Great Northern Railway Co., which will insure added safety to travel and traffic, it being in the nature of gates placed at each end of the tunnel, and when a train enters the tunnel the gates are closed, and are not opened until the train makes its exit. This will insure safety to the track-walkers and section men who have occasion to pass through the hill.

MISSOULA, Jan. 16.—There is a bad time ahead of Mrs. Emma J. Roe and Smith Higgins, who are on their way to Alaska, and who have in their possession \$2,000 insurance money which belongs to Mrs. Roe's children. Win Stanley & Rhoades, agents for the American Bonding company of Baltimore, have charged the pair with grand larceny, the woman as principal and the man as an accomplice, and they will be arrested at Juneau tomorrow, if the boat they are on arrives there then, which it is expected to do.

GREAT FALLS, Jan. 17.—Fire today practically destroyed the Rowell school building on Boston Heights, a part of the city, entailing a loss of about \$8,000, with \$3,500 insurance. The fire drill with which the pupils are familiar probably accounts for the excellent manner in which they formed a line and walked away from danger.

HELENA, Jan. 17.—In the suit of Sam Woods vs. the Co-Operative Ranch company, transferred from Cascade county, Judge Smith today named J. W. Speer, of Great Falls, permanent receiver of the company, continuing the \$20,000 bonds which Mr. Speer had heretofore. The petition of the receiver to pay \$20,000 in judgments was not passed upon by the court.

GREAT FALLS, Jan. 17.—Guilford Losie, a switchman employed in the Montana Central yards at this place, was killed this morning by being caught between the switch engine, upon which he was riding, and a car to which it was about to be coupled. Losie was an old railroad man and had worked here about three months.

HELENA, Jan. 17.—The case of the United States against D. Burke and S. McBride was submitted to the jury late this afternoon. The defendants, who are residents of Missoula, are charged with the unlawful cutting of timber on the public domain. During the day the defendants testified as did Inspector L. B. Glavis in rebuttal. The jury found both Burke and McBride guilty. Their lawyer will tomorrow move for an arrest of judgment.

BUTTE, Jan. 17.—Frank E. Curran and Roy Phillips, engineer and top man respectively of the Gem mine, have been arrested in connection with the death of James Moylan, foreman of the mine, whose body was found on the trail near the mine, Jan. 8. The complaint is filed by a brother of the alleged murdered man, who claims that his brother was especially disliked by Curran and Phillips and that they had several times threatened to kill him. The body will be exhumed and an autopsy held.

BILLINGS, Jan. 17.—Fifteen bucks charged with deserting their squaws are languishing in jail at the Crow agency. Since Ben Long Ear and Mrs. Crooked Arm eloped, a number of other Indians have concluded it was no longer necessary to live with their wives, and so frequent became the complaints that the Indian police have rounded up all of the offenders that could be caught, with a view to punishing them for desertion. It has been learned at the agency that Ben Long Ear and the squaw who ran off with him are on the Flathead reservation, where they are being entertained by friends. They will be returned to the Crow reservation.

Frauds Sent to Prison.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Henry Wulff, former state treasurer of Illinois, and Justus Loeb, who were associated in the operation of the Continental Financing company, were today sentenced to two months in the house of correction and each fined \$100. The men had pleaded guilty to the charge of using the mails to defraud. Wulff, who had been prominent in politics in Chicago for twenty years, was unable to speak, declaring that his heart was broken.

THE CITY MAN.

His Lot in Life Compared With That of the Farmer.

According to the National Magazine, "men in the cities work twice as hard as the farmers, and they get few or no holidays. Thousands and thousands of professional men, clerks and men in small business enterprises delve and toll their entire lives away and at the end are carted out to the cemeteries without having had any more leisure or enjoyment in their lives than a horse on a treadmill. The rat they toll along in is as narrow as a case knife." This is not the farmer's view of the city man, whom he sees only during vacation, when the city man is taking a brief and much needed rest. The farmer sees him sporting his "glad rags" and mistakenly imagines him to be all the year round only an idle butterfly, consuming the produce of the horny handed son of toil. The truth, it is held, is that the city man, as a rule, is the harder worker and gets much less enjoyment out of life. He longs for the rural scenes and occupations of the farmer; his dearest hope is to get back to the country to spend his last years. A few of the city folks make a big lot of money and get their follies and amusements in the newspapers, but the great majority of city toilers live a very monotonous and stupid as well as a very laborious and poverty stricken life. The farmer, it is concluded, has "the real thing," while the city man has only barren aspirations and disappointments. The contented farmer is not only the wisest but the happiest of mankind.—Baltimore Sun.

American Stock Growers' Association.

On account of the meetings of the American Stock Growers' association, National Live Stock Growers' association, and National Wool Growers' association to be held at Denver, Colorado, January 29th to February 3rd, the Great Northern railway will make a rate of one first-class fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip. Dates of sale January 27th to 28th. Final return limit February 10, 1906.

See the local agent of the Great Northern railway for full particulars.

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The chances for living a full century are excellent in the case of Mrs. Jennie Duncan, of Haynesville, Me., now 70 years old. She writes Electric Bitters cured me of Chronic Dyspepsia of 20 years standing, and made me feel as well and strong as a young girl. Electric Bitters cure Stomach and Liver diseases, Blood disorders, General Debility and bodily weakness. Sold on a guarantee at W. J. Minar's drug store. Price only 50c.

Terms of Court, 1906.

CHOUTEAU COUNTY.

Tuesday, March 20.  
Tuesday, June 25.  
Tuesday, October 23.

VALLEY COUNTY.

Tuesday, February 20.  
Tuesday, May 22.  
Tuesday, September 18.  
Tuesday, November 27.

TETON COUNTY.

Tuesday, March 20.  
Tuesday, June 12.  
Tuesday, September 18.  
Tuesday, December 11.

Hay for Sale.

Have hay for sale, or will take stock to winter or run by the year.  
HENRY ELM, Culbertson, Mont.

To Ranchers and Others.

Any person caring for any of my stock this winter will be paid any reasonable price. Stock is branded LC on left thigh.  
LEWIS MUMFERT, Beatrice, Mont.

To Bridge Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received by the county clerk of Chouteau county, Montana, up to the hour of 3 o'clock p. m. of March 6th, 1906, for the construction of a combination bridge across Milk river at a point about one and one-half miles from Dodson station, on the Great Northern railway. Said bridge to be 200 feet long, 18 feet wide, and 80 feet of approach; set in steel tubular piers filled with well driven piles and concrete. Bidders to submit their own plans and specifications. Bids must be accompanied by a certified check for 10 per cent. of the bid, payable to Jno. C. Sullivan county treasurer. A bond of double the amount of the bid will be required of the successful bidder. Bids should be addressed to the county clerk and marked on the outside to indicate their nature. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.  
By order of the board of county commissioners.  
W. R. LEET, Clerk of the Board.

Notice of Probate of Will.

In the matter of the estate of George Godfrey, deceased.  
It is hereby ordered that Thursday, the 1st day of February, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the court room of said county, at Fort Benton, in the county of Chouteau, be, and the same is hereby, appointed the time for proving the last will and testament of George Godfrey, deceased, and hearing the application of Mary Ann Godfrey for letters testamentary; and any person interested may appear and contest the said will, and may file objections in writing to the granting of letters testamentary to said petitioner.  
It is further ordered, that notice be given thereof by the clerk of said court by publication not less than ten days before said 1st day of February, 1906, in the River Press, a newspaper printed and published in said Chouteau county.  
Dated January 18th, 1906.  
CHAS. H. BOYLE,  
Clerk of District Court.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Ephraim Nottingham, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executor of the estate of Ephraim Nottingham, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to W. J. Pennington, at the Grand Union hotel, Fort Benton, Montana.  
M. RYAN NOTTINGHAM,  
Executor of the estate of Ephraim Nottingham, deceased.  
Dated January 11, 1906.  
First publication, January 12, 1906.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Thomas Lannon, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Thomas Lannon, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator with the will annexed at the Stockmen's National Bank, Fort Benton, in the county of Chouteau, Montana.  
LOUIS B. SHEPHERD,  
Administrator with will annexed of the estate of Thomas Lannon, deceased.  
Dated December 26th, 1905.  
W. S. Tower, attorney for estate.  
First publication Dec. 26, 1905.

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