CITY AND STATE.

From Wednesday's Daily

Miss M. Rheams, of McGowan, is visiting with friends in this city.

Mrs. C. K. McKendry left today on a visit to her former home in Oklahoma.

Wm. Young and wife are among the visitors in town from the Hawarden country.

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

Mrs. W. Bust and little son were received at St. Clare hospital today from Big Sandy.

Attorney Chas. A. Rose arrived from Havre today on probate business in the district court.

N. J. Coddington, of Minot, N. D., agent for the Werner Piano company, was among today's arrivals.

For choice seed, Swedish selecoats and six-rowed brewing barley, see C. W. Vaughan, Fort Benton.—Adv.

John Enman was taken to the county jail today to serve out a fine of $50 for carrying concealed weapons. The prisoner was committed by Justice Kinder.

August Bresch arrived last evening from his home in the Nine-Mile country with the body of his little son, who died Monday night after a brief illness from scarlet fever.

The members of the several committees in charge of arrangements for the Roundup meeting are requested to meet at the city hall tomorrow (Thursday) evening, at 8:00 o'clock, to decide upon important features of the celebration.

A contract was awarded to H. D. Wickhorst today for an addition to the Stockmen's National bank building, upon which work will commence as soon as weather conditions permit. The plans for the new building are arranged with a view to its partial use for postoffice purposes.

Terms of court for the new county of Sheridan, which has been attached to the twelfth judicial district, have been set in a joint order made by Judges Tattan and Utter. The terms will begin May 8, September 30, November 4, and December 2, court to be held at Plentywood, the county seat of the new county.

The report of the weather bureau station at Havre shows a low range of temperature during the past month, compared with average conditions for March. The minimum was 22 below zero in the last week of the month, the lowest on record for so late a date. The precipitation during the month was 0.65 inches, an amount slightly in excess of the normal.

The fact that the Montana law makes taxes immediately due upon personal property that is being removed from the county was impressed upon a Utah sheep buyer today. Assessor E. L. Crane discovered that about 3,900 head of sheep recently purchased in this vicinity were about to be loaded for shipment to Utah, and reported the outfit for assessment. The owner settled with the county treasurer by paying taxes to the amount of about $200.

From Thursday's Daily.

Harry Cosner, a well known business man of Malta, was among today's arrivals.

F. M. Pugsley arrived today from Tacoma, Wash., on a visit with friends in this city.

Frank Plevka, of Graceville, returned today from a visit of several weeks with friends at Myrtle, Minn.

Geo. H. Shanley, the Great Falls architect, arrived today on business relating to building improvements in this city.

C. W. Vaughan, who is among the visitors in town, reports a snowfall of about eight inches yesterday in the Nine-Mile country.

Chas. Thompson arrived from the east today, accompanied by Mrs. Thompson and family, who will make their home in this city.

Patrick J. McBride has brought suit in the district court against Mary A. Smith, to recover an indebtedness of $400 alleged to be due on a promissory note.

A declaration of intention to become an American citizen has been filed in the district court by Arthur Adair, of Tunis, a former resident of Canada.

Several Northern Pacific trains went through on this division of the Great Northern today, the Northern Pacific track in eastern Montana having been badly damaged by floods.

Word was received from Nine Mile today that a daughter of Gustav Bresch died last evening from scarlet fever. This is the second bereavement suffered by the family within three days.

Manuel Dammel was brought in from Clear Lake at midnight last night and taken to the Sanitarium. The patient is in such a serious condition that relatives in Washington have been notified by wire.

Among the building improvements in progress is a five-room residence that is being built for C. O. Fisher, of the Missouri River Lumber company. It is located on River street, south of Odd Fellows' hall.

Frank Radlock, of Big Sandy, who is serving a ninety-day sentence in the county jail for assault in the third degree, has been granted a diminution of sentence by Governor Stewart in response to petitions from local residents. The action of the governor is subject to approval by the state board of pardons.

A telephone message received last evening announced that Claude Douglas, a young man employed at the Frields ranch near Lonetree, had been stricken with paralysis, and was in a serious condition. Dr. Murphy left for Lonetree at an early hour this morning, but the roads were so bad that his rig was wrecked and he had to return to town.

From Friday's Daily

T. A. Thompson and wife, of Clear Lake, were among today's arrivals.

Girl wanted for general house work. Apply to Mrs. A. E. McLeish.—Adv.

Ball and bat free with any boy's cloth suit in the store. T. C. Power & Bro. Ltd.—Adv.

J. E Meade, who is engaged in the general merchandise business at Shelby, is among the visitors in town.

Attorney F. E Stranahan returned today from Glasgow, where he has been attending district court the past few days.

The members of St. Paul's auxiliary will serve a chicken pie supper Saturday evening, April 12, in the building next the Toggery.

Mrs. W. J. Minar was taken seriously sick yesterday, while driving to town from the Shonkin, and is under the care of a physician.

The body of Edmund Bradford, who committed suicide Monday night, has been prepared for shipment to Fredricksburg, Va., where burial will take place.

A suit for divorce has been brought in the district court by Rose A. Beckman against W. H. Beckman, the complaint alleging non-support and desertion.

The members of Company M. are requested to call at Ward & Morrison's immediately and have their measures taken for blue uniforms. Captain W. F. Wilford, commander.

T. C. Power & Bro. have just received their new spring line of wall paper samples, the most complete line ever shown in Fort Benton. Also the largest assortment of dining and rocking chairs ever shown. One solid car.—Adv.

The remodeling of the Mission theater will begin in a few days. The additional extension and latest improvements will make one of the best up-to date theaters in this part of the country and its many patrons wish it all success.

Charles Nobel and J. C. Howard, of the Arrow creek bench, are being held in jail at Lewistown on a charge of cattle stealing. The accused were arrested by Fergus county officers upon complaint made by Stock Inspector Kennon, of this city.

A news item from Malta says Frank Baker, a cowpuncher, was bound over to the district court in the sum of $3,000 on a somewhat peculiar charge. He is accused with having saturated a straw hat with alcohol, then setting it on fire and placing it on the head of Chris Coffer, a sheepman. Coffer was badly burned and probably disfigured for life.

The clerk of the district court is in receipt of an order from the state board of prison commissioners, confirming the suspension of sentence in the cases of Jake Bishop and Fred Johnson. The order requires that defendants shall report to the authorities every thirty days, that they abstain from using intoxicating liquors and frequenting saloons, and that they respect all Montana laws.

Patrons of the local postoffice are making vigorous protest against what appears to be unnecessary delay in the mail service. The mail from the west, which arrives at 11:34 p. m. remains at the depot until the arrival of the westbound trains the next morning, and when these are late there is no mail delivery from either direction until the accumulated shipments reach the postoffice. These conditions call for prompt attention by the department.

Notice to Stockmen.

The annual meeting of the North Montana Roundup association will be held at Fort Benton, Montana, on Tuesday, April 22, 1913, commencing at 1:30 p. m. A full attendance of members of the association is desired.

CHAS. H. GREEN, President.
T. A. CUMMINGS, Secretary.

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AFFECTS FINAL PROOFS

New Regulations Will Benefit Entrymen on Enlarged Homesteads

The commissioner of the general land office at Washington has issued revised regulations relating to final proofs, the new rules applying especially to enlarged homesteads. Briefly, the regulations now provide that the same proof for an original entry will also go as proof for an additional entry, irrespective of the fact that such additional entry was made after the original.

The new instructions in part are as follows:

"When proof is submitted on both entries at the same time, by showing the cultivation of an amount equal to one-sixteenth of the combined area of the two entries for one year, increased to one-eighth the succeeding year, and that such latter amount of cultivation has continued until offer of proof. If cultivation in these amounts can be shown, proof may be submitted without regard to the date of the additional entry, i. e., the required amount of cultivation may have been performed in whole or in part on the original entry as made, and proof on the additional need be deferred only until the showing can be made. Such combined proof may be submitted not later than seven years from the date of the original entry.

"In instances where proof is first made on the original entry meeting the requirement of the homestead law respecting residence, no further showing in the particular will be exacted in making proof upon the additional entry; neither will a period of residence be exacted in proof upon the combined entry in excess of that required under the original entry.

"Proofs heretofore submitted, and which have not been acted upon, will receive consideration under the provisions of this act and the act of June 6, 1912.

"Where proofs have been heretofore submitted, but were rejected solely because compliance with the requirements of the law did not continue for the required period after the date of the additional entry, applications for reconsideration will be entertained if seasonably filed."

Montana News Briefiets.

BUTTE, April 1.—Judge Michael Donlan tonight "canned" his jury in the criminal session of the district court when it returned a verdict of acquittal in the case of Thomas Kirby, charged with highway robbery. The court intimated it was useless to hear further cases with that jury.

BILLINGS, April 1.—A freight train of 50 cars, it is reported here, was wrecked by a washout on the Milwaukee road between Lombard and Judith Gap today. Four Burlington trains are still tied here as a result of the high water and ice from the Little Big Horn river washing out two thousand feet of track near the Crow agency.

BUTTE, April 1.—Former United States Senator W. A. Clark has wired his newspaper in this city, the Butte Miner, that he had contributed $2,000 to the Ohio flood sufferers and had instructed his other Butte enterprises to contribute $500. The local fund today is close to the $6,000 mark. Anaconda today sent $500 more, making the total from that city $5,500.

GLENDIVE, April 1.—Fed by an immense volume of water resulting from the melting snows the Yellowstone river is on a rampage and the low lands in this vicinity are flooded. The condition was made worse this morning when the ice began breaking up. At the ranch of E. J. Berry, a short distance west of here, the water rose almost to the top of the house. The occupants were rescued in boats.

DILLON, April 1.—Mrs. O Jensen narrowly escaped death in a gasoline explosion at her home in this city, her life being saved by Homer Kent, son of John Kent, who hearing the noise, rushed into the house and with his pocket knife cut away the blazing portions of Mrs. Jensen's dress. Mrs. Jensen had placed some gasoline in water and was washing curtains in a room where a fire was burning. The gas ignited, causing the explosion.

Floods in Eastern Montana

MILES CITY, April 2.—Railroad travel from the east is completely blocked at present by washouts on the Northern Pacific, and on the Milwaukee from Marmath, N. D., at intervals to Mobridge, S. D. At Colgate a gorge in the ice covers the track six feet high.

GLENDIVE, April 2.—As a result of the rapid rising of the Yellowstone river here, many families living in the lower parts of the city have left their homes and taken refuge on the high lands.

Charles Krug, a wealthy stockman of this city, is marooned at his ranch 15 miles from here with water up to the second story of the house and flowing so swiftly there is little hope of rescue. Word also was received that Joseph Devitt, a rancher, and several others are marooned near the town of Savage on an island that is rapidly being inundated.

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