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NOTICE

Copy for change of advertising must be in this office by Tuesday evening to receive the proper attention.

As a gentle reminder, don't forget that the county fair is close at hand.

Dr. Crippin will have some tall explaining to do if he expects to make a cool headed jury believe he is innocent, should the jury demand to see his wife alive and well.

The Anaconda Standard says that Ethel Leneve does not bear a close resemblance to Caesar's wife in all particulars, but neither is she strongly suggestive of the wife of Macbeth.

The Meagher County Republican says that the county wants a new court house. We are not well enough informed to know whether this is right, but we know one thing—it needs it bad enough.

All is quiet along the banks of the Smith and Musselshell. They say, Except now an then an aspiring politician is heard, As the coming campaign draws nigh.

In this issue will be found an article setting forth the legislation secured for Montana, during the session of congress recently closed. A close perusal will show that this state has been favored with a great deal of legislation which will prove a great benefit in the development of Montana.

A great deal of credit is due our Montana delegation at Washington in securing this legislation, as it was by no means an easy matter. It took a great deal of hard labor and persistence on their part.

The Melstone Mirror during the past several weeks has been tottering at the edge of the grave, through the lack of support on the part of the business men at that place. The Mirror has always given the people of the little railroad town a paper twice as good as what its patronage warranted, and we believe that the present manager of that sheet is acting unwisely by continuing the publication. There are so many enterprising little cities in Montana who are anxious to secure a live paper and are willing and able to support one, in at least a half decent manner.

We Haven't Heard Anything Yet.

It is now reported that an organization is being perfected in both Yellowstone and Meagher for the purpose of fighting the aspirations of county divisionists "to the last ditch." While Roundup is still in the game, it would seem that plenty of work is yet cut out for the boosters up there. —Forsyth Times-Journal.

Uncle Ira must be somewhat misinformed, as there has not, as yet, been any such stand taken by the citizens of Meagher county in that direction. The people of Meagher county are not opposed in any way to the new proposed Musselshell County, unless the people of that territory see fit to come too close to the borders of Meagher County. The people of this county will then fight the aspirations of county divisionists "to the last ditch." It hardly seems possible that the Roundupers will play the part of hog that strong.

WILLIAM A. Clark, ex-senator and copper millionaire of New York, Paris, and sometimes, Butte, and his cohorts have not yet successfully squelched the plans of many independent Democrats to demand a state convention endorsement of a candidate for the United States senate. A number of leaders in the northern and eastern part of the state declare they will carry the endorsement plan to the floor of the Democratic convention at Livingston next month, as they believe this is the only way that Clark can be forced into the open or made to realize that his senatorial ambitions are a serious menace to the possibilities of Democratic success.

W. G. Conrad's chief organ, the Great Falls Tribune, is continuing its campaign for the elimination of Clark

through convention endorsement. The T. J. Walsh forces also believe that if endorsement is decided upon, Clark will not dare try for the senatorship, and they are anxious to have him eliminated.

Friends of Con Kelley, attorney for the Amalgamated and another Butte candidate for Democratic senatorial honors, assert that he will probably also join the convention endorsement forces at Livingston, as he does not relish a gum-shoe fight, such as the Clark managers have mapped out.

THE NEWS MAIL BAG

ROTHIERNAY

The forest fires are still burning in the Snowy Mountains. The old timers in this community say that it will not be checked until snow flies or we have a good rain.

Mrs. Albert Taylor is doing the baking for those engaged in fighting the flames in the mountains.

L. P. Stiggen has nearly finished haying. Mr. Stiggen left his hay in the field to fight the flames, but decided later that the hay needed his attention more than the fire.

The Rothiernay stage still makes its regular three times a week trip.

Ed Massing was in Hedges Friday for a load of supplies for his ranch.

Haying is nearly over in the valley.

NIHILL

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pawelson of Harlowton made a business trip to Nihill Sunday in their auto.

Nihill and vicinity was visited by a fine shower Sunday afternoon.

Ballard Bros. and Smith are preparing to operate their large 35 horse plowing outfit, which they bought recently of the Minneapolis Threshing Co. After a few days plowing at their home farms they will be able to do plowing for the many ranchers about Nihill.

A. K. and Ted Johnson spent Sunday at Nihill and report flax and other crops doing well at their ranches.

Harry Ballard and Miss Hazel Connelly made a flying trip to Nihill Sunday afternoon. Harry says he likes this country and its people better each day.

R. E. Edwards & Sons moved their threshing outfit 8 miles south of Nihill Saturday to Receiver Hedges ranch, where they have 400 acres to thresh. They will also thresh several smaller jobs between Hedgesville and the Snowy Mountains.

Postmaster Shanahan has offered a fine full blood heifer calf to the first young man of Nihill who becomes a benedict. It is understood that several young men have already bought halters with which to bring home the coveted young cow. Among the early purchasers are Arthur Tubbs, W. F. Coleman, Art Edwards, Ted Johnson, Harry Ballard, A. K. Johnson and several others. Time limit Aug. 15.

NEW SHAWMUT

Guy Davis and wife were Harlowton visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Longmore and daughter Buehla, who have been working in the Pioneer Hotel, left for Baker City, Ore., last Wednesday.

P. M. Price transacted business in Harlowton Tuesday.

Chas. Scherneck returned from a trip to South Dakota Thursday. Operator H. N. Pratt arrived Thursday to work as third trick operator for the Milwaukee here. This makes Shawmut a continuous night and day telegraph office.

Deputy Sheriff Johnson and Marshal Karnop of Harlowton came over and gathered in one of the men working on the Graves ranch. No particulars.

Operator C. R. Moore arrived Monday to relieve A. E. Ewing, on second trick at the depot, Ewing having left the service.

Wm. Munger from Lewistown spent Wednesday night in the city.

Ralph Burbridge visited in Lewistown a few days this week.

Chas. Scherneck and F. J. Hagan have been in Lewistown this week helping out on the extra work the Munger-Corry Land Co. have on their hands there.

Chas. Scherneck left for Aberdeen Monday evening to be absent for some time.

A very pleasant time was enjoyed at the dance given at the Pioneer hotel Saturday night. About fifty couples tripped the light fantastic, a good crowd coming from Harlowton, Martinsdale, Hedges, Barber and Ryegate.

Mrs. Simkins and daughter while driving from Barber to Shawmut Saturday night lost control of their team and in the resultant mixup both jumped from the buggy seriously injuring themselves.

Mr. Bumeister's wife and three daughters arrived from Madison, Wisconsin Friday and will make Shawmut their home. Mr. and Mrs. Bumeister will run the hotel themselves now and much better service may be expected.

R. C. Hoover and E. G. Allen of Minneapolis, John Cailey of Spokane, and L. E. Mack and family of Daretown, N. J., were guests at the Pioneer this week.

VanDusers bridge outfit was moved to Ryegate Saturday.

TWODOT

The Reds played ball at Melville Sunday and carried away the honors—16-13. It was a close game but the clever twirling of Fluhr seemed to insure victory from the start. Moore caught a nice game and a pretty catch by Hutton in left field was among the features. Fluhr placed 17 strike-outs to his credit. The squad will invade White Sulphur Springs next Sunday and endeavor to bag the final game of the series with the "Springers." Twodot was well represented and was urged on to victory by the following, who went over in cars: Geo. K. Robertson and C. W. Shumaker and wives, Miss Jewell Shumaker, Mrs. Letah Jacobson, D. N. Hart and wife, N. R. Hutton and wife, W. Flatt and wife, Miss Helen Lyons, C. F. Williams, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Roderbaugh, P. J. Moore Sr. and Miss May Fausnaught.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Huidekoper entertained Hon. C. P. Tooley and wife and W. C. Husband and wife Saturday and Sunday at their American ranch home.

J. P. Rose of Roundup and Carter Jackson of Harlowton visited the McFarland's last week. Mr. Geo. McFarland entertained Messrs. Rose, Jackson and Spring with a few days fishing on Checkerboard.

Lots in the old townsite will be put on sale this week.

The base ball boys gave a most enjoyable soiree Friday evening last.

J. Francis Spring is here shaking hands with friends and incidentally boosting his line of woollens for gentlemen.

BIGELK

William Doble and wife have returned and will reside here in the future.

Virgil and Miss Myrl Moore and Miss Dawes of Bozeman are visitors in town this week.

James Norton and wife were visitors in town one day last week in their auto.

John Brown was a visitor at the Post office on Sunday.

Mrs. G. D. Martin was in town visiting Thursday.

The crops are looking fine in this vicinity, although we are having a very dry spell.

Mrs. John Jacobson of Maudlow is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Shumaker.

The Misses Myrl Moore and Jewell Shumaker and Mrs. Jacobson were visitors here Monday.

Blanche and Ernest McMahon were in town on business Monday.

George Walker and wife left Sunday for McLeod.

Haying is nearly finished, and was all put up without any rain. Montana is the country to raise good crops and gardens.

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