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Local Happenings of the Week.

M. J. Ryan transacted business in Beach last Friday.

Read the ad of the Dickinson Horse Sales Co. in this issue.

Lost—A large bunch of door keys. Finder please return to this office.

J. R. Cornell was here shaking hands with his many friends this week.

Miss Lola Wallace spent Sunday with her parents at Saddle Butte.

C. C. Stockstill returned on Sunday from a month's visit in the Twin Cities.

Joe McFillin returned on Tuesday after spending the past several weeks at Cedar.

Mrs. L. C. Faltermeyer is suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism this week.

Mrs. J. L. Collins returned to Wibaux on Saturday after an extended visit at Omaha.

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fuller on Saturday morning, March 18.

J. W. Jones and C. W. Hooker left for Chicago on Friday where they expect to buy a bunch of fine draft horses.

All those knowing themselves indebted to Chas. Gertenson will please call at the First National Bank for settlement.

J. B. Nation, Wibaux Block, is the only Land Attorney in Miles City making a specialty of land office practice and Contest cases.

Rudolph Babler passed through here one day last week while en route to Sandstone, on the new Milwaukee, with a party of land seekers.

Mrs. E. J. Sifrit, former landlady of The Graham, was a brief visitor at Wibaux last week, while en route from the Pacific coast to St. Paul.

Preaching service will be held in the Congregational church at Wibaux next Sunday morning. No service in the evening on account of special meeting at Sentinel Butte.

Mrs. W. H. Rucker, entertained a few of her lady friends on Tuesday afternoon. Those present were; Mrs. R. H. Smith, Mrs. Fred Zopfi, Mrs. E. Stockstill and Mrs. Al Davis. An excellent lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Darby are the proud parents of a pair of twins, both boys, who came to brighten their home, last Friday evening. This is the first birth of twins ever reported in the columns of the Pioneer and we wish the boys and their parents the best of luck.

Owing to our inability to set type last week, we were unable to make mention of the fact that a decided change had been made in the postoffice building. After removing the partition between the land office and the lobby, a new one was put in on the oppositeside from the postoffice, and the new enclosure is now being used by the jeweler—therefore, mail orders will be promptly attended to.

Frank Cannon, having become interested in the banking business in Missoula, came here a short time ago to dispose of his property, and on Thursday last he made a long stride in the direction, when he sold his fine residence and lots on the north side to Henry K. Schuster, who owns a large tract of our rich Beaver land, south of town. Mr. Schuster's former headquarters has been at Glendive, but, much to our pleasure, we understand that he expects to become a permanent resident of our little city in the near future.

C. R. Clifton, of Carrington, Ferry, Mont., was a guest at the Pickering a few days this week.

J. C. Kinney sold a fine team of mares to Ira Park and one draft horse to Mr. Nollie the first of the week.

L. S. Patterson disposed of his land interests here, this week, to J. C. Kinney and Fred Zopfi before leaving for an extended sojourn in Mexico.

Mrs. Anna Peck, having made final proof in support of her claim, which includes the town site of Yates, in company with her daughter departed for their home in Minneapolis, this week.

As we go to press we are in receipt of a photograph of the ruins of the Big Timber fire of Friday, March 13, showing a part of the section in which fifty-seven buildings were burned, at a loss of about \$400,000.

A few days ago a rather bashful young woman went into a store carrying three chickens. She asked the price of chickens, and at the same time put them on the counter. The clerk did not know the chickens' feet were tied, and asked if they would lay there. She bit her handkerchief and ducked her head and said: "No, sir. They are roosters."

J. A. Barker returned from Glendive on Tuesday with his son and daughter, Orlando and Grace, from whom the doctors expected to remove skin for grafting on the elder daughter, Maud, but upon investigation it was learned that their skin was not in healthy condition for grafting, and it will be necessary to look elsewhere. We understand that Maud is improving slowly, but that with the best of success the doctors say it will require at least six weeks more of treatment at the hospital. Mrs. Barker, who has been confined to her bed with rheumatism is, at this writing, reported to be no better.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere and heart-felt thanks to those who so kindly assisted us in our late sorrow and bereavement.

Ernest Baker
Mr. and Mrs. G. Sommerfeld
and family.

School Notes.

BY JOE DUPONT AND WILLE RUCKER.
"There are gains for all our losses,
There are balm for all our pain;
But when youth, the dream, departs,
It takes something from our hearts,
And it never comes again."
—RICHARD H. STODDARD.

Grover Cleveland was born in Cladwell, New Jersey, March 18, 1837. Shortly after, his father, a Presbyterian clergyman, moved to central New York. It was before the days of railroads, and the journey was made by schooner up the Hudson to Albany, and thence by packet on the Erie Canal. Young Grover was pursuing his academic studies when his father's death left him, at sixteen, without a dollar to continue his education. Having made several efforts to earn his living, he borrowed \$25, and started west to carve his fortune. At Buffalo, he entered a law office, begun on Blackstone at once, and, in 1859, was admitted to the bar. His "marked industry, unpretentious courage, and unswerving honesty" won him rapid promotion. He was elected Governor of New York, and afterwards president of United States for two terms.

We have received our set of Ridpath's History of the World.

Beatrice Lynch was absent one half day this week.

The crooked backs of many of the pupils of room 8 are being improved.

Publishers Met at Dickinson.

In a recent issue of the Mandan Pioneer Editor Spears announced his desire to have the editorial staff throughout the Missouri Slope country get together and form a publisher association, and as a result of this action several of the newspaper men of that immediate vicinity met at Mandan, and appointed the necessary officers to form a temporary organization.

This meeting being very successful it was agreed, by those present, to call a meeting at Dickinson on March 14, with a view of increasing the membership in order that the organization be made a firm and permanent one, and accordingly a large delegation of "ye scribblers," numbering twenty or more, met at that bustling little city. Shortly after the arrival of the west bound passenger, the Dickinson editors arranged automobiles for the visitors and several hours were spent in sight seeing, terminating at the newly erected armory where they were photographed by Captain Osborne, before repairing to the club rooms where the meeting was held. W. Harry Spears who acted as temporary president was permanently elected to that office, and other officers were elected as follows:

Edw. Sullivan of the New Salem Journal, secretary; W. Hall of the Glen Ullin News, Treasurer; M. L. Ayers of the Dickinson Press, first vice-president; Mrs. Barrier of the Flasher Hustler, second vice-president; Walter A. Shear of the Wibaux Pioneer, third vice-president, and J. M. Bussen of Der Volksfreund, Richardson, fourth vice-president. An executive committee was elected as follows; W. Harry Spears, chairman; Edw. Sullivan, secretary; W. A. Carter of the Dickinson Post; J. W. Brinton of the Beach Chronicle; E. W. Irish of the Mott Pioneer, and E. K. Jenkins of the Dunn County News, at Manning.

The meeting was a success, in every sense of the word, and many questions of importance to the publishers in the Missouri Slope country were discussed.

At 6:30 the party was escorted to the dining parlors of the St. Charles hotel where they were tendered a banquet by the Dickinson editors, who spared no pains in making the meeting—especially this part of the occasion—an exceedingly pleasant one. Covers were laid for about twenty-five guests, and white and red carnations benign in evidence added their quota of beauty to the richly spread tables, and suffice to say that right here is where they forgot their troubles.

At the close of the meeting a vote of thanks was tendered the Dickinson publishers for their hospitality.

Smoke the Red Seal cigar!

Sealed Bids Wanted.

Sealed bids will be received until Thursday, March 26, 1908, at the First National Bank at Wibaux, for the completion of one well, 10 ft. in diameter; 20 ft. deep; walled with stone one foot thick, without mortar. Contracts will be let for four more wells of like dimensions.

Committee:

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J. C. KINNEY
SAM CARLSON.

Announcement.

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