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Is situated on the National Park Railroad, twenty-eight miles from Livingston and about the same distance from the National Park. At this point the Northern Pacific Railroad company are building a Depot, Section House, Water-Tank, Etc., and many other substantial improvements are going on. The town is indorsed by the railroad company, who own a one-half interest in the same, and will do all in their power to further its interests. The lands lying north and south are exceedingly fertile, and west cattle ranches are numerous; east are the celebrated Mill Creek, Emigrant Gulch and Six Mile Mining Districts and in the place itself thrift, energy and intelligence are to be found among its citizens. The Villard Mining Co's claims adjoin the town on the east. The Gold and Silver bearing quartz mines in Emigrant Gulch are very rich, as are the Placer mines. Coal mines within one mile of the town are being vigorously worked; and Iron, Lime and Sandstone abound. Before the town was platted, lumber was on the ground for a number of buildings, and before the town was entirely surveyed buildings were in course of construction.

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### Returned Tourists.

Last evening the following honorable party returned from a visit to the National Park; John S. Pillsbury, ex-governor of Minnesota; Loren Fletcher, speaker of the legislative assembly of the same state; C. M. Loring, an alderman and prominent citizen of Minneapolis; A. J. Edgerton, chief justice of Dakota; A. Richmond, of Buffalo, N. Y., and J. P. Story, of Waukesha, Wis. They were of the Villard party, and stopped off the returning train last Wednesday morning for their trip to the Park. They are stopping at the Merchants.

### MONTANA NEWS.

A. Devine of the Billing Herald, has gone east.

A Chinaman in Missoula has the leprosy.

Blaine Walker, a Helena newspaper reporter, is at the point of death.

Villard did not give the people of Miles City an opportunity to entertain him.

J. H. Ming has bought the Cosmopolitan hotel in Helena. Abercrombie & Chew still hold the lease.

Among the names of the new streets laid out in the Bismarck capitol addition appears Montana avenue.

J. R. King, of Billings, one of the old-timers of Eastern Montana, has just married Miss Ash, of the same place.

Senator Vest and delegate Maginnis will go north from Benton to the Canadian Pacific and take that road for St. Paul.

Jack Hams, who killed George Gaston and wounded another man at Little Missouri, has been arrested and is now in Miles City for examination.

A lunatic named Solomon Cohen, was picked up near Deer Lodge a few days ago and sent to the asylum. He is from New York where his wife and children live.

Last Friday evening, at Anaconda, William Keefe, aged twenty, shot and killed John O'Neil, aged fourteen. Both boys had been drinking and it is claimed that the shot was accidental.

A greater part of the Piegan and Blackfoot reservations, north of the Missouri, are to be thrown open to settlement by the terms of the Indians' agreement with Vest and Maginnis.

Smith & Elliott have driven in 3,000 head of Texas cattle north of Driscoll's range in the Little Missouri country. They left Texas in May with 15,000, and sold all but 3,000 on the road up.

A company has been formed with a capital of \$20,000 for the purpose of erecting building, machinery, etc., for furnishing steam power and electricity for electric lights, steam for heating buildings, etc., in Helena.

A banker and mine owner of Butte and two capitalists of Omaha, and some others, representing a capital of \$3,000,000 or more, have secured all that is desirable of Shoshone Falls, and the property is to be improved at once.

A number of enterprising citizens of Miles City jumped a portion of the Fort Keogh reservation the other night and began staking off lots in anticipation of the indefinite time when government should declare it open. No one seems to know what started this sudden move, but it will probably result in nothing.

At the recent session of the district court at White Sulphur Springs, two divorces were granted, J. J. Bowles was found guilty of an attempt to commit murder, and sentenced to seven months in the Territorial prison, and Henry Lee, a Chinaman, convicted of the murder of Sam Lee, another Chinaman, at Maiden, was sentenced to be hanged Feb. 5, 1884.

### NEWS NOTES.

A party of peasantry are in incursion in Austria.

Yellow fever is less prevalent in Guaymas, Mexico.

A hundred persons were poisoned by the use of canned meat at the Connecticut state prison.

Passenger rates between Chicago and Louisville are now down to one dollar.

Work on the capitol building in Bismarck goes forward night and day. Electric lights are used.

A negro was lynched in Columbia, S. C. for outraging a girl twelve years old and stabbing her sister.

Two men bought a quart of bitters at Quincy, Ill., in lieu of whiskey and drank enough of it to kill them from the effects of the drugs it contained.

Ed. Short of Whitmore, Texas, killed his step father in 1875. He left the country and remained away till a few days ago, when he returned and was arrested.

Geo. Ryan, a ten year old boy connected with Barrett's circus, died at Effingham, Ills., from the effect of a fall received while trying to turn a double somersault.

Herbert Root, president of the National bank at Valley City, Dakota, is under arrest for perjury. He has been principal in a great deal of civil and criminal litigation of late.

In St. Louis a drummer named Richard Whalen, fired a shot on the stage of a variety theatre at one of the actresses upon whom he was hopelessly mashed, and then shot himself dead.

Hamilton, a cadet in the Washington military academy, has been dismissed for conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman. Kerne, another hopeful of the school, has been suspended.

Gen. Winfield Scott Keys of California, has applied for a divorce from his wife on the ground that she is the wife of another man. She denies it. Scott was divorced from a former wife in order to marry her as she is ravishingly beautiful.

In the Chicago Board of Trade a weather report stating that the indications were of frost liable to injure corn was torn down, and corn declined when in the nature of things it should have advanced. That is a new dodge on the part of the bears.

The annual report of the Northern Pacific company for 1883 shows the gross earnings \$7,855,458; increase, \$2,425,153; expenses, \$5,336,929; increase, \$1,744,089; net earnings, \$2,518,529; increase, \$661,064. Receipts from land sales and miscellaneous sources, \$9,476,024. The earnings of the express company were \$227,729; expenses, \$85,404; net earnings, \$142,324.

### Wagner, the Composer.

Wagner was not a rapid or regular worker, though he used to say that he was always composing. Most of his poems had been written when he was young, which accounts for the rough hewing of the verses, and he was wont to recite passages of them to himself as he went out for his afternoon's walk, accompanied by his two Newfoundland dogs. Walking, he would seize tunes floating through the air, "now like mists, now like swarms of bees buzzing on the wing, now like legions of singing gnats" (this is what he writes in his unpublished autobiography), and try to make them settle on his verses "as on a mirror." When he was at Bayreuth he had a favorite walk, leading to the hermitage—the bondoir or sulking house of the Electors of Bavaria in olden times, when their Serene Highness, tired of beer and politics, would take to metaphysics and French winks for a change. Over the two miles of road lying between Bayreuth and this retreat Wagner could roam undisturbed, for the little Franconian peasant boys and girls who saw him from afar would nimbly skip out of his way, having heard from their parents that the affairs of Germany would somehow get out of joint if they disturbed the great man in his meditations.

### Renan on Death-Bed Recantations.

What would be a source of desolation to me would be to have to go through one of those periods of disintegration in which a man who has had strength and virtue is but the shadow and the wreck of his former self, and often, to the delight of fools, destroys the laborious structure of his life. Such an old age is the worst gift the gods can confer upon man, and if such a fate be in store for me, I protest beforehand against the weaknesses which soften the of the brain might induce me to consent or subscribe. It is Renan sound in brain and heart as I now am, not Renan half decomposed by death, as I should be were I to molder slowly out of existence, whom I wish people to hear and believe. I protest against and repudiate beforehand the blasphemous which the darkness of my last hour might wrest from me against the Eternal.