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## POSTOFFICE REGULATIONS.

**MAILS CLOSE.**  
Eastern, general and local 8:00 p. m.  
Eastern, fast mail 12:20 p. m.  
Western, general and local 8:00 p. m.  
Western, fast mail 12:20 p. m.  
Specials, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 7:30 a. m.  
Tongue River, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 7:30 a. m.  
Sadie, Saturdays 2:00 p. m.  
Kewilton, Mondays and Fridays 7:30 p. m.  
Blatchford Special, Mondays and Fridays 7:30 p. m.  
Office closes 8:00 p. m.  
Office opens 8:15 a. m.  
Money order closes 7:30 p. m.  
Registry closes 7:45 p. m.  
Sundays—Office open from 12 to 1 p. m.  
CHAS. W. SEYDE, P. M.

## Northern Pacific Time Table.

**LEAVE MILES CITY GOING WEST.**  
No. 1 Pacific Express 8:45 a. m.  
No. 3 Pacific Mail 11:30 p. m.  
No. 53 Express Freight 11:30 p. m.  
No. 35 Way Freight 8:30 a. m.  
**LEAVE MILES CITY GOING EAST.**  
No. 2 Atlantic Express 12:55 p. m.  
No. 4 Atlantic Mail 12:55 p. m.  
No. 54 Express Freight 11:35 a. m.  
No. 36 Way Freight 4:30 a. m.

## Official Directory.

**STATE.**  
Member of Congress, C. S. Hartman, Helena  
Governor, J. E. Rickards, Helena  
Lieutenant Governor, Alex. Bokim, Helena  
Secretary of State, L. S. Bennett, Helena  
State Treasurer, F. W. Wright, Helena  
State Auditor, Andrew B. Cook, Helena  
Att'y General, Henry J. Haskell, Helena  
Sup. Pub. Ins., A. S. Stevens, Helena  
Chief Justice, W. Y. Pemberton, Helena  
Clk Supreme Ct., Hon. Webster, Helena  
E. N. Harwood, Billings  
Associate Justices, W. H. DeWitt, Butte  
**FEDERAL.**  
Surveyor General, Geo. O. Eaton, Helena  
U. S. Marshal, J. H. Furey, Helena  
Collector Int. & Exc., J. H. Mills, Deer Lodge  
Register U. S. L. O., S. Gordon, Miles City  
Receiver, A. T. Campbell, Miles City  
Weather Observer, H. R. Boynton, Miles City  
**DISTRICT.**  
Judge Seventh Judicial District, Hon. Geo. R. Milburn, Miles City  
Official Stenographer, Fred W. Knudler, Miles City  
**COUNTY.**  
State Senator, R. Swift, Ekalaka  
State Representatives, J. R. McKay, Miles City  
L. A. Hoffman, Miles City  
Sheriff, J. Hawkins, Miles City  
Treasurer, W. E. Savage, Miles City  
Clk and Recd., A. H. Swardinger, Miles City  
Clk Dis. Court, W. J. Zimmerman, Miles City  
County Attorney, C. H. Loud, Miles City  
Assessor, Geo. E. Newman, Miles City  
Surveyor, W. S. Snel, Miles City  
Coroner, C. B. Lebecher, Miles City  
Supt. of Schools, Mrs. J. E. Lecher, Miles City  
Public Adm., Henry Nave, Miles City  
Commissioners, W. S. Snel, Hathaway  
T. J. Graham, Rosebud  
**TOWNSHIP.**  
Justices, John Gibb, Miles City  
Constable, H. Hogan, Miles City  
**CITY.**  
Mayor, Jepp Ryan  
City Attorney, C. R. Middleton  
Clerk, S. Gordon  
Treasurer, G. W. Allerton  
Chief of Police, E. S. Jackson  
Police Magistrate, John Gibb  
**ALDERMEN.**  
First Ward—H. W. McIntire, N. P. Sorrenson.  
Second Ward—Thos. Gibb, W. H. Hullard.

## PHYSICIANS.

**DR. R. G. REDD,**  
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.  
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**DR. E. F. FISH,**  
PHYSICIAN SURGEON AND OBSTETRICIAN.  
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## SOCIETIES.

**A. F. & A. M. Yellowstone Lodge No. 26** meets at Masonic Hall on first and third Wednesdays of each month.  
**L. O. O. F. Outer Lodge No. 13** meets in their hall every Monday night. Sentinal Encampment meets first and third Friday of each month.  
**K. of P. Crusader Lodge No. 7** meets at Odd Fellows hall on the first and third Thursdays of the month.  
**I. O. G. T. Star of the West** meets at Masonic hall every Thursday evening.  
**G. A. R. U. S. Grant Post, No. 14** meets at Odd Fellows hall on the first and third Thursdays of the month.  
**A. O. U. W. Tongue River Lodge No. 35** meets on the 2d and 4th Thursdays of each month.  
**S. of V. Col. E. Butler Camp, No. 4** meets the second and fourth Saturdays of each month.

## CHURCHES.

**EPISCOPAL** Emanuel Church, cor. Palmer and Eleventh streets. Services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Holy communion first Sunday in each month after morning service.  
Rev. J. P. Pritchard, Rector.  
**METHODIST** Church, corner Eleventh and Pleasant streets. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings.  
Rev. F. G. Boylan, Pastor.  
**PRESBYTERIAN** Church, corner Main Street and Montana Avenue. Services Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Rev. J. Scott Miller, Pastor.  
Christian Endeavor Society meets one hour previous to the evening service.  
**CATHOLIC** Church of the Sacred Heart, corner of Main and Fourth Streets. Services first and third Sundays of the month. High Mass at 10:30 a. m. Sunday School at 2:00 p. m. Vespers and Benediction at 7:30 p. m.  
**BAPTIST** Church, corner Tenth and Palmer Streets. No pastor.  
Pastor Chaplain L. Newton Ritter preaches once each month and conducts a devotional service every Thursday evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. During the winter, these services are suspended.

## DR. GRAVES SUICIDES

### Closing Scene in a Tragedy That Was Once a Reigning Sensation.

Five Letters Written to Different Parties by the Dead Man.—The Act Was Premeditated.

DENVER, Sept. 3.—Dr. T. Thatcher Graves, formerly of Providence, R. I., was found dead in his cell at the county jail about nine o'clock this morning, where he was awaiting a re-hearing on the charge of having poisoned Mrs. Barnaby, a wealthy widow, also of Providence. The poisoning is said to have been done to cover up Dr. Graves' alleged defalcations as manager of Mrs. Barnaby's estate. The doctor took his own life, using morphine. In a satchel in the doctor's cell were found five letters, the first one having been written August 9 last, showing that his suicide had been contemplated since then. The following is the first letter opened: "To the coroner of Denver county. Dear Sir: Please do not hold an autopsy on my remains. The cause of death may be rendered as follows: 'Died from per secution; worn out, exhausted.' Yours respectfully, T. Thatcher Graves, M. D." The last letter is directed to Capt. Crews, jailer of the county jail, and is full of bitterness to County Attorney J. N. Stevens, who secured Dr. Graves' conviction in the first trial, and has been working hard to again have the doctor convicted. In the second letter, which is dated August 25, Graves denounces Stevens as a liar, and adds: "My lawyers have full receipts showing that I never wronged the estate of Mrs. Barnaby, and that the estate now owes me outside of the legacy by the will. The public sees what I have to expect from the villainous, cowardly falsehoods of Stevens. I cannot expend more money fighting him. I must take the only means to prove it for my wife and dear, honored, aged mother." Notwithstanding the above letter Capt. Crews, in an interview, indignantly denies that Dr. Graves committed suicide. He says the doctor died of a broken heart, and to use the Captain's words, "Was murdered by the attorneys for the state, who have harassed the old man to death." The other letters left were one each for Mrs. Graves and the board of county commissioners and the public. Mrs. Graves was informed of her husband's death shortly before noon, and for a time was almost crazed with grief. Notwithstanding Dr. Graves' request that no autopsy be held upon his body, a rigid investigation into the cause of his death will take place. Dr. Graves, before his death, said he was penniless and thought it no more than right that if the county paid the cost of his prosecution, it should also be willing to appropriate enough to enable him to defend himself. The decision of the county to try him again undoubtedly prompted Graves to put into effect his idea of suicide, which it is plain he had been contemplating for some time. Dr. Graves' letter to the public is a long document, in which he reviews his story of his remarkable case. He denied that he ever committed the crime with which he is charged and declared that his prosecution was accomplished with money and political influence.

## A Brave Engineer.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 3. E. H. Rummel, chief engineer of the Ashland division of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, was killed at Pratt Junction, fifteen miles north of Antigo, Wis., this morning, while trying to save the life of a child playing on the track. He saved the child, but slipped and fell under the wheels, his right arm being cut off near the shoulder. He died before medical assistance could be secured. Mr. Rummel was accompanying the directors of the Northwestern road, who were making an inspection of the recently purchased Lake Shore road in a special car.

## Chicago Cattle Market.

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—Flower & Lowery, 233 Mont. 1363lb. 83.00. Ryan Bros. 150 Mont. 1133lb. 83. J. B. Hunter, 57 cows, 727lb. 82.30; 20 heifers, 717lb. 82.30. Sheidley Cattle Co., 186 Mont. 1222lb. 83.55. W. Boice, 72 Mont. 1313lb. 83.50; 38 cows, 1112lb. 82.40; 27 Mont. cows, 1080lb. 82.80; 12 Mont. cows, 1288lb. 82.65. M. Davitt, 38 Mont. cows, 1340lb. 83.61.

## Bicycle Frenzies, Attention.

Purchaser wanted for a Victor Wheel—Pneumatic or Victor Arch tire. Not a second hand wheel, but fresh from the factory of the Overman Wheel Co., model of 1893. Will be sold cheap for cash. Apply at this office.

## THE RACES.

Everything Arranged for Some First-Class Sport.

The September meeting at the race track, which opens tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock, promises to be one of the most exciting ever held on the grounds. So many unexpected horses appeared on the scene that the original program was found to be unsatisfactory, and it has been decided to change the flat races, the result to be announced in the morning. The hurdle, steeplechase and bicycle races will all have numerous entries, and are sure to be attractive. There are so many events for each day that it has been decided to call the first race at 1 o'clock, and the admission will be 50 cents.

## Crosby's Crime.

William Crosby, the colored boy who is charged with burglarizing Chas. Johnson's house, had his preliminary hearing before Justice Gibb this morning. Attorney Myers appeared for the prisoner, and argued that while there had been a burglary committed, there was no evidence to show that the defendant was the perpetrator of the crime, and that in the absence of such evidence it would be an unnecessary expense to the taxpayers to have the case proceed under the action named, and so requested the judge to try him for petty larceny, which crime would come within the jurisdiction of his court, and would be settled with the least possible expense to the county. The judge took the matter under advisement until 2 o'clock. At the appointed hour the court decided to hold the prisoner to await the action of the district upon a charge of burglary, with the usual \$1,000 bail, and as Crosby was unable to give it he was committed.

## No Ball Game.

At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the time set for the ball game between Keogh and Miles City, found the grand stand at Athletic park fairly filled, and the home team on the ground. After waiting an hour it was learned that it was impossible for the Keogh team to come down, and in consequence of which Manager Butler returned the gate money to the gathered crowd.

## It Should be in Every House.

J. B. Wilson, 371 Clay st., Sharsburg Pa., says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, that it cured his wife who was threatened with pneumonia after an attack of la grippe, when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cooksport, Pa., claims that Dr. King's New Discovery has done him more good than anything he ever used for lung trouble. Nothing like it. Try it. Free trial bottles at John Wright's drug store.

## The World's Fair—What It Means.

It means that from May let until Oct. 31st there will be an exhibition in Chicago the triumphs of all the ages. The rarest and choicest specimens of the handiwork of man from the nations of the earth will be there to instruct and delight. That for six months Chicago will be the most cosmopolitan spot on the globe. That the American people will have the wonderful opportunity of mingling with and observing the habits and characteristics of the people of every nation in the world. That "villages" of the different foreign countries, constructed by and made up entirely of people direct from such countries, will be a most interesting feature of the fair. That the American citizen, of whatever foreign birth or parentage, may carry himself back again to the land of his origin by visiting and studying these foreign "villages." That a few days or weeks spent at the World's Fair will be worth years of travel. That this is the grandest opportunity the American people have ever had for interesting study and pleasure, and that a trip to Chicago during the next six months would be the event of a lifetime.

## Mountain Tourist Gazing with Raptured Eyes upon the scene spread out before him.

Among such surroundings as these he must be a poor clad indeed who does not feel a sense of exultation, an uplifting of his—  
Guide—Y-a-u-s, I reckon we're high onto 4,000 feet above the salt water this mornin'.—Detroit Tribune.

## WANTED—Salesmen, to sell our choice and hardy nursery stock.

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## POSTOFFICE ANNALS.

1879—Death of Rowland Hill, inventor of the penny postage system; buried in Westminster abbey.

1880—Postal savings banks introduced in Holland and several other countries; very successful.

In 1880 the Swedish postoffice carried 117,652,735 letters, postal cards, journals and packages.

The Chilean postoffice handled last year 17,000,000 letters and 34,000,000 papers. There are 306 postoffices.

China has 8,000 offices for post cards and 2,040 offices for runners. The amount of business done is unknown.

Turkey has 1,150 postoffices, but no records are kept of the amount of mail handled.

There were in 1891 1,492 postoffices in Mexico, which handled 125,000,000 letters, newspapers and packages.

Brazil in 1890 carried 18,000,000 letters and 19,000,000 packages of printed matter. There were 2,733 postoffices.

The annual number of letters that pass through the world's mails is computed at 8,600,000,000; of newspapers, 5,600,000,000.

The annual business of the Swiss postoffice comprises 110,000,000 letters and 74,000,000 papers. There are 1,485 postoffices and 1,675 letter boxes.

In 1890 the postal department of Norway handled 27,248,400 letters and 24,552,300 pounds of books.

The postal traffic of The Netherlands during 1890 comprised 66,000,000 letters, 30,000,000 postcards, 30,000,000 newspapers and 4,000,000 miscellaneous packages.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

## THE JEWELER'S ART.

A new flower spoon has a stem which terminates in a white enamel lily.

A pitcher in gilt filigree is a trifle scarcely more substantial than a soap bubble.

A glass service for the king of Italy recently made is intended for the use of 150 people.

An egg steamer is in the shape of large eggs held over an alcohol lamp, and on the cover is a bird with outstretched wings.

A number of pieces of silver gilt with dead surface have been recently seen. They are perhaps more attractive than the polished gilt.

There is a new demand for intaglios. The mannishness of women's attire seems to require an intaglio ring as a proper accessory.

There seems to be a fashion for rings with oblong settings. These have an almost geometrical accuracy in the gold outline. Within are precious stones in one or two rows. One ring had cross-lines of gold set with small stones at the points of intersection.—Jewelers' Circular.

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H. B. WILEY, Cashier. C. L. CARTER, Ass't Cashier.

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