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The bellicose relic of ancient history who presides over the wavering destinies of our Twin Bridges cotemporary, got "riled" at our little pleasantry of last week concerning the hay press attachment to his office, and in consequence tore off several yards of verbiage for our special benefit. We decline to argue with him on the question of the kind of press on which the Montana Post was printed. It is a matter that is of little interest to our large and growing list of readers (larger, by the way, than that of any other newspaper published in Madison or Beaverhead counties.) However, we will say, for his especial benefit, that we are of the opinion that the Post was printed on a hand press, similar to the machine now used by the Monitor Publishing Company, and mayhap the kind used by Ben Franklin, a century and a half ago.

The first copy of the Normal Herald, edited and published by Professor C. W. Birchard, at Twin Bridges, was circulated all over Montana this week. It is a very creditable number and adds to the lustre of Professor Birchard as an educator. The Twin Bridges Normal school is an excellent institution and its enterprising president deserves something more substantial than the excellent reputation which he is building up.

With the completion of the telephone line the MADISONIAN expects to better its out-of-town news service considerably. News will then be received by wire up to the time of going to press from all points on the line between Leterville and Virginia City. We present to our readers this week a considerable amount of county news, including a breezy letter from the Bridges.

Judge Showers and the local attorneys did those who would have been summoned as jurors a good turn this week by deciding not to call a jury for the present term of court. Just at this season, when the farmers and placer miners are up to their ears in work, jury duty is a great hardship.

The coming event in Southern Montana is the ninth annual meeting of the Southern Montana Fair Association, which will be held at Twin Bridges, September 3rd, to 6th, inclusive. This season's program is made up of strong attractions and those who fail to attend will regret it.

FROM CAMP LLOYD

COMPANY D RETURNS FROM CAMP.

The Boys had a Good Time and Some Hard Work With it—The Company Stood Third in the Competitive Rifle Shoot.

Captain Reif and his company returned from Fort Ellis Saturday evening where they had been to attend the state encampment of the National guard. The boys put in ten days of good hard work and returned home much the better for it. Company D, did not win the trophy in the competitive rifle shoot but was only two points behind company G, of Butte, which aspires to be the crack company of the regiment, and which is the pet and training school for most of the regimental officers. In the maneuvers, manual and personnel, Company D showed up equal to any other company in the regiment and Capt. Reif was the recipient of many compliments on the good soldiering of his company, Col. Wallace, of the regulars, Uncle Sam's detailed representative, being especially complimentary.

The course of sprouts which the boys were put through was a rigid one. The routine was strict by regulation, six hours each day being spent on the drill ground.

Company H of Bozeman won the trophy, the winning score on all ranges being 750. Company G of Butte stood second on a score of 734; Company D third, scoring 732. The individual scores of the Virginia rifle team were as follows:

	200 yds.	300 yds.	500 yds.	600 yds.
Lieut. G. E. Lowman	38	36	39	41
Sergt. C. W. Mead	34	36	39	28
Sergt. L. Romey	37	41	42	37
Private K. Ellingson	33	39	31	29
Private A. Parke	33	42	38	39

On the last day the regulation medals, won at last year's shoot, were presented in person by Gov. Rickards. Among the fortunate ones of company D were: Sharpshooters—(gold badge) Corporal L. Romey, Lieut. Lowman, Sergt. E. Plumb.

Marksmen—(silver badge) Sergt. A. L. Romey, Lieut. A. J. Gainan, Sergt. C. W. Mead, Private C. A. McNulty.

First class—(gold button) Privates A. M. Parks, B. Hunter, J. Hamilton, E. Valencour, James McClurg, W. Daugherty and J. C. DeJarnet.

Second class—(silver button) Private T. Eagleton.

Third class—(copper button) Privates O. Stone and Chas. Pigeon.

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FRANK TAYLOR DEAD.

He Was Well Known in Virginia in the Early Sixties.

Frank Taylor, who was a well known business man of this city in the early days, is dead. All the old timers of this section of Montana will remember him. Speaking of his demise an Idaho paper says:

Frank Taylor, a Hailey mining man, owner of the Snowfly, Montana, and other mines on Deer creek, and superintendent of the Nay Aug, is no more for this world.

Arthur Smith, proprietor of the Alturas hotel, received a telegram yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock, from Col. G. V. Bryan, who is in Zion, reading as follows:

"Frank Taylor died suddenly to-day. Have wired his relatives."

Mr. Taylor left Hailey for Salt Lake City several months ago, to place himself under medical treatment for catarrh and lung troubles, and made his home at the Walker house.

The deceased was all of 55 years of age, and possibly 60. He was in Montana thirty years ago, and when he left there for Wood river he gave away real estate near Helena that is now worth a million dollars. He was, while in that territory, of the firm of Thompson & Taylor, merchants, and became fairly well off. He has spent thousands of dollars in the mines of Wood river.

He has a married sister in Florida, and a brother in the east. He was unmarried.

Mr. Taylor was a thoroughly honest and upright man, and his sudden death will be a sad surprise to his friends and acquaintances here.

VIRGINIA VISITORS.

People Who Have Been in Town During the Week.

The following are out-of-town arrivals at the Madison house during the week:

Herman Blank, Lexington, Ky.; Wm. H. Hable, Tampa, Fla.; E. T. Gengnagel, Helena; John Frink, Butte; M. J. Seigfried, Barton Gulch; S. Donaldson, Jacksonville, Ore.; Prof. H. A. Ganke, John S. Baird, Butte; Mrs. Geo. Padgett, Red Bluff; R. E. Haskell, Meadow Creek; W. Musser, Easton; F. Murray, Granite; J. E. Thompson, Butte; Hugh O'Donnell, Joplin, Mo.; H. E. Gordon, Summit; Otto Eckles, Junction; Eugene Valencour, Easton; Judge T. A. Luce and wife, T. H. Lethlan, Bozeman; W. A. Smith, S. H. Duffy, Butte; Walter S. Hartman, A. D. McPherson, Bozeman; Hon Frank Showers, Boulder; Peter Leonard, Butte; G. Kyes, Richmond Flat; John C. Peterson, Home Park; Max Meyers, Thos. H. Brawhan, H. N. Fitch, Samuel McLra, Sheridan; Walter Beck, Junction; H. Selesinger, Butte; L. Rice, San Francisco; W. A. Francis, Butte; Joe B. Watkins; Lawson, Mo.; P. A. Largey, Butte; A. C. Buzzard, Spring Gulch; Bert Shultz, J. S. Snider, J. J. Rosenberger, Sheridan; Wallace Green, Ennis; F. M. Rogers, Puller Springs; R. P. Owens, Butte; John Lovelle, Puller Springs; F. S. Metzel, York Ranch; F. B. Kirby and wife, Cameron; T. D. Haidr, Whitehall; Miss G. H. Kirby, Edith S. Hunter, Twin Bridges; Hall H. Noble, Jefferson Island; C. A. Baker, Butte; R. L. Bradley, Sheridan; P. J. Brophy, Butte; Jas. Miller, Edith Mills, Maud McGuire, Edgar Birchard, Sheridan.

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