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 * And if so *
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NEW STAMP MILL FOR THE EASTON
 Will Be Built in Early Spring.

And Will Treat Only the Second Class Ore—Will be Built at the Mine—Fully One Hundred Men Will be Employed at the Easton Next Season.

Major Henry Elling will build a new ten stamp concentrating mill at the Easton mine in the early spring. The work of construction will begin as soon as the weather will permit. The plans for the mill are complete, the machinery has been ordered, and the contract for a large portion of the building material signed. The mill will have a capacity of 30 tons daily and is designed to treat only the second grade ore from the mine. The Junction mill will be kept busy on high grade ores.

This encouraging news means that at least 100 men will be on the Easton pay roll next summer, a fact that the citizens of this section congratulate themselves upon.

The Easton mine is certainly a wonderful property. There are not many mines in Montana like it. There is said to be a wealth of mineral in sight now—nearly 100,000 tons.

The new mill is to be built with the idea of putting in additional stamps when necessary. The new arrangement will be a great time saver, as the Junction mill will work on high grade ore only.

It is unnecessary for the MADISONIAN to hope that the new departure will be a success. That matter is assured. No news could be more welcome just at this time. Through Mr. Elling's enterprise Virginia will be lively next season.

Don't forget the date of the Christmas pop corn social to be given at Armory hall on the 22 inst. General admission 50 cents, children 25.

ROYAL Baking Powder.
 Highest of all in leavening strength.—U. S. Government Report.

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We have just issued an extensive catalogue, and we pay stage or express to any part of Montana on all orders of \$2 or over. Send for our catalogue which will be mailed to you free, and see if we are not what we claim, as cheap as any Chicago house.

DILLON MONTANA.

The C. O. D. Store.

BUCK BROWN OF BANNACK

Is in Town and in Reminiscent Mood.

He Fought With Gen. Price But is a Black Republican—A Cousin of Warren Toole—Some of His Experiences—An Interesting Character.

"Buck Brown" (Bramel,) the frontiersman and miner of Bannack, was in the city during the week. Buck is a character in his way and his checkered experiences would abash the wildest literature ever graced by the yellowest covers of modern fiction. He frankly admits that he first saw the light of day in Missouri, and is as keenly appreciative of a joke on his native state as any westerner that ever shinned a persimmon tree in the bright lexicon of youth. Buck is a cousin of Warren Toole, but unlike his illustrious relative never enjoyed any advantages except in the way of adventures and mining. He served three and one half years in the Confederate army, mostly under Price; was in many engagements and saw much active service, but during which time he stoutly maintains that he was (and is yet) the blackest republican ever accused of rank abolitionism. Being asked how he accounted for his C. S. A. allegiance, he replied that "we were a set of d—d fool youngsters." He relates instances of putting Yankees in prison when he shed tears for them, knowing that on rebel rations—such as he got—without the chance of foraging, they would starve to death.

Another war instant he loves to recall was the case of a mere boy, one of many Yankee prisoners, that he was detailed to guard while enroute to Andersonville. The boy "with bright liquid eyes of a girl" was badly wounded and begged of Buck to send a letter to his mother in Iowa. This was strictly complied with after the youth's death down in Dixie, whose remains were honored with a coffin through rebel guard's exertions, and for many years Buck wrote letters of condolence, "in the name of God," to that Yankee mother who lost her only boy in the Union service.

Then came his western adventures when assisting in carving a route to the Black Hills. In the meantime he served as route agent for Wells Fargo & Co., and in the government employ—and it was Buck, while in the capacity of sheriff, who killed the notorious "California Joe," (Mose Millner.) He came to Alder Gulch and Bannack in 1865 and has followed mining ever since. He says that there is lots of gold yet untouched in Bannack, but his ambition is to discover and get action on one more rip roaring live mining camp before Father Time concludes to perpetrate the harvest act on his "benign old Missouri form."

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
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Gold! Gold! Gold!

At present, there is more of this precious metal in South Africa than anywhere else. For all necessary information as to how to reach the Gold Fields of the dark continent, the cost of transportation, etc., apply to E. V. Maze, general agent, Union Pacific system, at Butte, Montana. All correspondence will receive prompt attention, and the Union Pacific being a direct point to New York, is prepared to book passengers to all parts of the old world at lowest possible rates. 3-8t

SHE IS A RUSTLER.

A Virginia School Teacher Who Sabes Finance.

There is a young lady employed as a teacher in the Virginia City public school whose ability as a financier is decidedly worth mentioning. She has taught school four or five years, and early in her pedagogical experience purchased a 20 acre plat of land in the fruit belt of the Snake river near Boise City, Idaho. About three years ago the land was planted to prune trees. She has in the meantime paid for her land and the improvements thereon out of her munificent salary, which as the average Montanan knows would not be enough to keep the average young man in cigarettes and picadilly shoes, after paying for his board and keep. Her orchard will bear next year and she can reasonably expect a profit of at least \$1,000 for next season. In the course of two or three years, as the trees grow, this amount of annual profit will double. She will then be in a position to retire from public service. If she continues to accomplish such feats of Napoleonic finance much can be expected of her. What is her name? Oh, that is a personal matter.

RUTH SAUERBIER'S STORY.

She Tells About "Child Life Among the Indians."

Recently Miss McCloud had each of her school children write a story, the incentive being that the best composition should be published in the MADISONIAN, and the following written by little Ruth Sauerbiere, age 12, is submitted:

Indians are very queer people. The babies are kept in a cradle until they are a year old. The cradle is made of a flat board with straps around it and covered with skin. All you can see of the baby is the little copper colored face. When the squaws go out in the field to work they tie them on the bough of a tree.

After the girls can walk they have to learn to pick berries, carry water and wood, and as soon as the boys are old enough to learn to shoot, they have to shoot a bird and squirrels and catch fish.

The women do all the hard work. The men do such work as hunt and fish and fight.

They do not live in houses, but in wigwags, which are made of skins and furs stretched over three poles. If the men are not hunting, they are sleeping or smoking. Men are very lazy.

NOTICE

For Proposals for the care of the county Poor and Furnishing Medicine and Medical Attendance.

Notice is hereby given that the board of county commissioners of Madison county, Montana, will, at its regular December, 1895, session, receive, and it hereby invites sealed proposals for the care, support and maintenance of the sick, poor and infirm of said county, for the term beginning on the first day of March and ending on the 31st day of December, 1896; such proposals to include and cover the entire cost of provisions and clothing for and caring of the sick, poor and infirm, and all burial expenses that may occur during said term. Sealed proposals are also invited at said December, 1895, session, from resident practicing physicians of said county, to furnish medical attendance and medical and surgical treatment to the sick and infirm poor of said county and such persons as may be confined in the county jail during the calendar year 1896. Such attendance and treatment to include attendance upon and medical and surgical treatment of such sick and infirm poor and persons that may be confined in the county jail, whether affected with contagious or infectious diseases or otherwise.

The board also invites proposals at said session, for furnishing medicines for the sick and infirm poor and such persons as may be confined in the county jail for said year 1896.

Such proposals must be addressed to the clerk of the board, plainly marked so as to designate what the proposal is for, and must be filed with such clerk on or before the second Monday in December, 1895. The contracts, if awarded, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder.

The board reserves the right to reject the proposal of any person whom they deem unsuitable as a contractor, or to reject any and all proposals.

BARCLAY JONES,

County clerk and ex officio clerk of said board.
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Wanted.

2000 cords of wood. Inquire of Henry Elling. 1-4t

Close Connections With the N. P.

Commencing May 15th and until further notice, the stage for Sappington will leave Virginia City at 7:30 a. m., running through to Sappington without lay-over arriving there at 7 p. m. The Northern Pacific through east-bound train passes Sappington at 12:50, midnight. The train for Butte and all points west passes Sappington at 6:36, a. m.

For the return trip the stage will leave Sappington at 7 a. m., running through to Virginia City, without lay-over, arriving at 7 p. m.

The very best steel range with six holes and twenty gallon reservoir is sold by the Dart Hardware Co., Dillon, for fifty-five dollars. Every range warranted to give satisfaction. 51-3

SHEENEY MIKE

IS IN LIMBO

Bound Over to the District Court

Where He Will Attempt to Exploit How He Did Not Steal a Stamp Mill—His Bonds Fixed at Six Hundred Dollars.

Jake Newman, alias "Sheeny Mike" is in limbo. Justice McGown concluded that the evidence against him was of a nature sufficient to justify him in binding the prisoner over to the district court, placing his bond at \$600, which Mike failed to rustle. So Mike went back to jail where he will cogitate on the futility of human hope, philosophize on the way of the transgressor and with less vigilant officials might endeavor to spirit away and sell to some of the new counties the jail fixtures and steel cages.

The hearing occurred Saturday, Col. J. E. Callaway appearing for Newman and County Attorney Lew. L. Callaway for the state. Newman entered a plea of not guilty to the charge—that of grand larceny. The defence brought up the question of jurisdiction, which was argued and overruled.

John McFadden, one of the men to whom Newman is alleged to have sold the stolen mill, testified to the effect that he first met Newman at Silver Star some time last spring. Newman informed him that he had a second hand, three-stamp mill for sale, something which McFadden and his partners were in need. Newman informed McFadden that he was buying old iron for the East Helena smelter and that he could not get much for the mill as old iron; that if McFadden would give him \$25 or \$30 or \$50 when he was able so to do he could have the mill. McFadden thought the mill too cheap to be good, but he informed his partners of the proposition on his return to Laurin. They looked upon it with favor, and concluded to accept it. Finally the mill was taken to the mine.

Subsequently Newman gave McFadden a bill of sale, which is in the nature of a legal curiosity. It read something as follows:

Lanry, August 20, 1895.—Solt ton John McFadden one 3 stamp mill in full and * * * mill by J. Newman. Paid in full and the * * * John the mill * * * John McFadden and * * * J. Newman.

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The World's Fair Tests
 showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflammation of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Notice of Taxes Due.

STATE of Montana, County of Madison, Office of the County Treasurer.

Notice is hereby given that the State and County taxes for the year 1895 are now due and payable at the office of the County Treasurer, at the Court-house in the City of Virginia, County of Madison, State of Montana. Said taxes will be delinquent on Monday, the second day of December, 1895, at six o'clock P. M. of said day, and unless paid prior thereto ten per cent will be added to the amount thereof; and the law requires that property upon which taxes are delinquent shall be immediately advertised for sale or seized and sold for the payment of said taxes and costs.

Dated this sixteenth day of October, 1895.
 J. ALBRIGHT,
 Treasurer of Madison County

FOR SALE—A second hand steam engine; stationary, seven horse power; used for a time in this office, but displaced to make room for a smaller engine; needs some repairs; \$80 cash buys it. This is a bargain. Address "Madisonian."

For first class tailor made clothing consult J. Newman.

Don't pay twenty-five per cent. more for a steel range than you can buy them for from the Dart Hardware Co., Dillon. 51-3

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