

You May Attend Court Next Week

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CITY AND COUNTY.

Mrs. Albert Stamm of Dillon is the guest of Mrs. Cheely.

Mrs. Amos Wiles left for her home at Royal, Montana, Tuesday.

Sheriff Haines has been the busiest man in Madison County this week.

Prof. Bovee will give a ladies' necktie social at the Madison this evening.

"Wicked Tom Baker," came up from the Bridges in time to enjoy Thursday's yzpher.

The Odd Fellows are in mourning for several brethren who have passed into the Great Beyond and consequently will not give their annual Thanksgiving ball.

John F. Saylor, the well known cattleman, is spending a few days in Virginia. His family are visiting friends in Adobetown. Mr. Saylor recently shipped a train load of cattle to Chicago.

W. J. McDougal came up from Sheridan last Saturday. Mr. McDougal recently made a shipment from his mine, the Octopus, which netted handsome results. Ten tons brought him something over \$1,000.

Wm. Waggoner, of upper Madison, was in town this week. He was accompanied by Richard Code and Ike Irish, of bear eating fame. Mr. Irish was in to prove up on government land and the other gentlemen were his witnesses.

At a special meeting Monday night the Maccabees decided to give their first ball and reception next Thursday evening—Thanksgiving—They propose to make it an enjoyable occasion, and those who fail to attend will miss a jollification.

John Haggerty, having completed his work on the Conner properties, left for Leiterville yesterday morning, having accepted a position on the Leiter mine. John enjoys the reputation of being one of the best all round miners in Montana.

Will Deimling left for Dillon Wednesday to take charge of the electrical construction of Matt Orr's electric light and power plant, now building, and for which the Montana Electrical Company has the contract. There are few better electrical engineers in Montana than Mr. Deimling.

Senator Alex Metzler was a passenger on Saturday's coach enroute to Montana where, subsequently he made a large shipment of fat beef cattle to the Chicago markets. Mr. Metzler informed a MADISONIAN man that his calf crop for the past season was the best he had had in years, having branded nearly 1,000 head. Mr. Metzler may visit his Pennsylvania home before returning to Montana.

Thursday's blizzard was one of the most severe storms ever visiting this locality. It must have been a fragment of some Dakota zyper, that in some way tore itself loose from the main body and flew off at a tangent through Montana. One of the brick chimneys of the Episcopal church was blown down.

Martin McLain, the local Li Hung Chang, and Prof. C. Bovee this week consummated a deal whereby they became proprietors of G. Moritz' tonorial parlors. They contemplate a few improvements which will make their establishment one of the best of its kind in Montana. The combination is a strong one and will undoubtedly do a flourishing business.

During yesterday's blizzard George Henderson's tunnel house at Summit was burned. The fire started at noon while the employes were at dinner, and was caused by a stove which happened to be in close proximity to the wall. The wind was blowing a hurricane at the time and nothing could be done to save the building. The loss to Mr. Henderson, including the tools and miner's clothing stored in the building, will amount to about \$200.

Dan McCloud left Leiterville Sunday for the gold fields of South Africa. His destination is Johannesburg, where his brother went about a year ago. His brother is running a diamond drill at that place, for which he receives \$15 per day. Mr. McCloud is an experienced drill man and has been promised a position immediately upon his arrival. He will write an occasional letter to the MADISONIAN, which he has ordered sent to his address in South Africa.

A ten-stamp concentrating mill will be placed on the Cook property in Williams gulch in the early spring. The vein on this property is well opened and discloses a body of ore having a uniform width of three feet and a value of about thirty dollars of which three-fifths are gold, two-fifths silver. There are no stringers and no special pay streaks, but the entire vein is solid pay ore from wall to wall. The vein crosses the gulch and is opened on both sides by tunnels in the mountains; on the east side there is 300 feet of stopping above the tunnel and on the west side 500 feet. Driving these tunnels from 300 to 500 feet further will make this one of the largest and best mines in Montana.

The town was full of celebrities this week. Prominent among them were M. L. Wines, the bright young public prosecutor of Silver-Bow county, who is now serving his second term. Mr. Wines is one of the council for Morgan Jones, she man who is to be tried for murder December 2. Bob Smith, who forsook the false idols of Democracy to become the leader of the Populist party, and who ran for congress on that ticket last year, was here as was also Henri Burleigh, of Dillon, who, by the way, is thinking of opening an office in Virginia. Mr. Burleigh was twice elected county attorney of Beaverhead. Edwin Norris of Dillon, who has served as city attorney of the metropolis of Beaverhead, and who might be said to be the favorite son of the unfortunate Democracy of our sister county, having twice received the nomination for county attorney and been repeatedly tendered a place on the legislative ticket was here also. Bozeman contributed Judge Luce, who ran for a place on the supreme bench last year against Judge Hunt, and whose eloquence seems to come from the pit of his abdomen so deep and sonorous is his voice; Walter Hartman, who objects to shining in the reflected glory of his distinguished brother, and who is an able lawyer, and C. E. Holloway, county attorney of Gallatin county.

A STORY OF THE EARLY DAYS

The Flour Riots of the Sixties.

As Told by Patrick McGovern—Tobacco on a Parity With Gold—How Fay Harrington Laid the Foundations of a Butte Bank

Pat McGovern was in town yesterday and in reminescent mood. He was looking for a tobacco cure and that brought back to his mind the days when everybody in these parts were gold bugs. On one occasion he gave an ounce of gold for a pound of tobacco. The fact that he did it has nothing whatever to do with the present monetary question but if that wasn't a 16 to 1 proposition, what is. One ounce of gold for sixteen ounces of tobacco and he was mighty glad to make the trade.

Then the mood was fairly on and he told of other matters, finally leading up to the famous bread riots, concerning which many in Virginia will remember because of actual participation. Notwithstanding the fact that it is a repeater Mr. McGovern's version will be interesting.

The year of the big storms, when the freighters were tied up about half way between Virginia and Salt Lake City "corners" were numerous and prices proportionately high. That is the year when Harry Warmington bulled the candle market by purchasing a dozen boxes. Harry will tell the gentle reader all about it on the slightest provocation. Fay Harrington, then in the heyday of his youth, made a stroke of Napoleonic financeering and laid the foundation of the wealth of the Silver Bow National Bank by cornering all the matches in town, in consequence of which brimstone went out of sight.

The local merchants formed a flour trust. The combine was so successful that flour, which in the fall, was slow at \$18 per hundred weight, rose to the neighborhood of \$1 per pound. There was a sufficient supply of flour to last until spring, and the various members of the combine, in order to keep the price up, had flour "cached" in every conceivable hiding place. As the price went up the poor devils who were getting bread but once a day rebelled, and resorted to socialistic methods. A mob of about 200 visited one establishment, and demanded flour at a reasonable price. Shotguns behind a barricade of flour drove them away. About a week later they organized in Nevada. They halted at Mr. McGovern's cabin, near the old brickyard, and to him it seemed that the procession extended clear to Junction, three miles below. They were out for flour, and for blood if they didn't get it. They wanted to know of McGovern if he had any flour and he told them he had three sacks, unlocking the cabin door and telling them to help themselves. They evidently didn't expect so generous a proposition, and told him to keep his flour, but wanted him to accompany them to Virginia, where they proposed to "clean up" every store in town. McGovern didn't go but the crowd did, and what they did subsequently is a matter of history. Every store in town was forced to give up the precious bread-stuff, but received credit for it from the peoples' committee, which sold the flour to all comers at about 40 cents a pound, while consumers rejoiced at the fall flour had taken and the hotels added the cuisine by furnishing bread twice and in some instances three times a day, without raising the price of board—\$18 per week.

The flour riot was a howling success, and there are many men in Virginia and Montana who participated in it.

SOME MADISON COUNTY NEWS

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.)

Chas. Eicney, of Manhattan passed through the valley last Sunday on his way to the county seat. On his return he intends to get 100 head of yearling heifers if he can get them at reasonable prices.

Will Conway came over from the Revenue last Saturday with his outfit. He has finished his work on the Flat and expects to winter at Nevada.

Ike Irish went to town last Monday to prove up on his homestead. He took Dick Coade and Bill Waggoner along with him to do the necessary swearing.

Frank Searles and Fred Kohls are engaged in trapping coyotes at the Johnson ranch on Slade Creek. So far they have caught one coyote and three sheep dogs.

HARRISON HAPPENINGS.

Belongs of Springtown People for the Week.

HARRISON, Nov., 19.—[Special Correspondence.]—B. N. Smith was in Butte one day last week.

A representative of the D. J. Henesey Co., called on our Mercantile establishment Saturday.

Joe Watson has gone to Utah to spend the winter.

Leon Gorison is over from Meadow Creek this week.

Miss Agnes Smith is at Logan this week.

Jack Roberts, the genial merchant is preparing to build a ware-house, that he may carry a larger stock of general merchandise.

J. H. Wells of Bozeman preached at the School-house Sunday.

SHERIDAN MATTERS.

Illness of James Walter—Death of Little Chester Ogden.

SHERIDAN, Nov. 12.—[Special Correspondence.]—J. L. Waller, the genial "Jimmie" from Leiterville, has been in town for some time quite sick. We are sorry to say that his condition has not materially improved.

Chas. Hill started on a visit to home folks in Ohio, the 19th inst.

Mrs. Della H. Wilcomb, (?) county superintendent was in town Wednesday.

DIED.—Chester R. Ogden, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ogden. The grief stricken parents have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement.

Dr. P. J. Ragan of Virginia City was in Sheridan on professional business Wednesday.

T. Benton Letter leaves for Chicago today.

Mrs. Richard Foreman has been quite sick for some time, but is convalescent at the present writing. SIMONIDES.

The following arrivals are registered at the Madison House this week: Thos. Thexton, Hemsted Park; Dr. Sh. Stand, E. Paugh, John L. Hartman, Wallace Green, O. B. Varney, Bert Maynard, Emma; W. J. McDougal, Octopus mine; C. L. Dahler, Robt B. Smith, Helena; M. O'Donnell, St. Louis; L. H. Farnesee, Buffalo, Wyo.; J. Conner, Great Falls; Al Buzzard, Cal. Gulch; C. L. Aweeney, Manhattan; T. H. Lethean, Cherry creek; J. Linn, Whitehall; L. A. Luce, W. L. Holloway, W. S. Hartman, Bozeman; J. W. Summers, M. H. Miller, W. J. Gallahan and wife, John T. Seyler, Tom Baker, Twin Bridges; Wm. M. Leg, J. E. Woods, Rochester; Frank Showers, T. J. A. Moughan, W. W. Wickes, Boulder; M. L. Wines, W. J. Chenoweth, Ike Binnard, H. Schiesinger, Butte; H. Burleigh, Edwin Norris, Dillon; Frank Conway, Farrelton; Joseph Hyde, Wm. Nurenberger, Summit; Geo. McLeod, J. Himmell, J. K. Hartt, John Haggarty, Dan McGeehan, Sheridan.

In Memorium.

Whereas our Heavenly Father, in his all wise Providence, has removed from membership in our society our beloved brother John H. Davis, therefore be it

Resolved, That while we bow submissively to the will of the Most High, yet we deeply mourn the loss of our departed brother.

Resolved, That the heartfelt sympathy of the members of the C. W. B. M., be extended to his family in their trial and affliction, and commend them for consolation to Him who orders all things for the best. That these resolutions be placed on the minutes of the society, and that a copy be transmitted to the family of our deceased brother, and also to the MADISONIAN for publication.

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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

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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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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.

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