

FOR THE WHITE METAL

SILVER SENTIMENT IN NEW YORK.

Colonel Bean of New York City. Says There are Many in His State Who Would Follow the Lead of Henry M. Teller. Under Any Banner.

Col. Samuel L. Bean, of New York, was in the city yesterday. Col. Bean is a lawyer who has made enough money out of his practice to retire from the Blackstonian heyday of the great metropolis and watch his less fortunate colleagues fight for fees. Just now he is looking at Red Bluff mining property with the view of investing. The colonel would make a good western man—he is a Republican who repudiates the St. Louis platform.

A MADISONIAN man had a little talk with Mr. Bean yesterday, in which he stated that sentiment in New York was decidedly in favor of silver, among the masses and among people who were not directly interested in the currency question in a business way. Inasmuch as Col. Bean is a man of affairs and one who is in touch with currents events, the information has weight.

"How would New York treat Teller?" was asked him.

"New York, and Pennsylvania, where I am well acquainted, would treat Teller handsomely," replied the Colonel. "No matter what has been said by those who disapprove of his action at St. Louis, there are a larger number of people in these two powerful states who admire the rugged manliness of the man and who would espouse his cause warmly, whether he ran on the Democratic ticket, or whether he headed the straight silver ticket. The vote he would receive at the home of the gold bug would be simply surprising.

"Silver sentiment is kept from coming to the surface and a man must needs be a resident to know of it. Every newspaper, with the exception of Mr. Hearst's paper, the Journal, whether from pure or mercenary motives, I cannot say, is for sound money, and the amount of noise made is something tremendous. The Journal, however, is fast forging to the front as one of the most enterprising as well as one of the most readable papers in New York City, and in time its influence will be felt. Mr. Hearst, as is well known, is a young man of means, and the "sound money" element will not be able to subsidize him."

A. F. Armstead of Red Bluff, accompanied Mr. Bean to Virginia, and together they returned to Red Bluff yesterday afternoon. Col. Bean will leave for New York in a few days, but may return to Montana in the course of a month.

DISAPPEARANCE OF TOM JONES.

Supposed to Have Met His Death in the Waters of the Big Hole.

On Sunday, Andy Zeigler came down from the Zeigler Hot Springs with the intelligence that Tom Jones, of Rochester, has been missing from that place since the night before, and that, although diligent search had been made, the people there had been unable to find any trace of him. He thought that Tom had by some means got into the river and was drowned or had wandered off somewhere without leaving any trail by which he could be followed with any hope of finding him. In response to Andy's request for assistance in the search, John A. Hall, Wm. Rhodes, Harry Layton, and Ed Scales went to the springs, where they made a thorough but ineffectual search, after which they, with the Zeiglers, separated into three parties, one taking the "hog-back" toward Glen, another going up towards Point of Rocks on Beaverhead, and the other coming down the road between the rivers, thus covering

all the roads which could be traversed from the springs, without crossing the Big Hole, which it was impossible to do at the existing stage of water. Neither party could hear or see anything of the missing man, and at night returned home, tired enough after a bootless chase. Layton, however, determined to go to Rochester that night to see if Jones had returned home, but the people had not even learned of his disappearance. Since then, messages have been sent in every direction to places where he was wont to go, but no one, so far as known, has heard of him. There is little doubt in the minds of people here that he has been drowned in the Big hole river. If so, it will probably be some time before his body will be recovered, and it will never be known whether his drowning was suicidal or accidental. Mr. Jones was well known and highly respected in this section of country, and has many friends who are deeply concerned over his mysterious disappearance.—Monitor.

ADJUDGED INSANE.

Mrs. V. B. Case of Lower Madison Taken to the Asylum.

Mrs. Mary F. Case, wife of Van Buren Case of the Lower Madison, was adjudged insane at an examination held Tuesday evening, conducted by Judge Showers, assisted by County Attorney Callaway. It is a case of puerperal insanity, superinduced, perhaps by a hereditary strain of instability with which her family is unfortunately afflicted. Her father is an inmate of a Missouri asylum.

Drs. Ragan and Southmayd were the examining physicians. It took but few minutes to convince the officials and physicians of the unfortunate condition of the lady. Mr. Case departed with her for the asylum Wednesday morning.

What makes this case peculiarly sad is the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Case were married only a little more than a year ago.

THE SENATOR ABROAD.

Hon. Alex Metzler is Summering in Pennsylvania.

Senator Alex Metzler is spending a few days of rest and recreation at his old home in York, Pa. Speaking of his arrival, the York Daily says: "Senator Alexander Metzler, of Montana, is visiting in this city the guest of Dr. James A. Dale. Senator Metzler is an out and out free silver man and as such confidently hopes the election of Mr. Teller as President of the United States in November next.

The Senator has the proud distinction of being the only man who voted for J. Donald Cameron for President at the Republican convention in St. Louis.

VIRGINIA VISITORS.

People Who Have Visited the County Seat During the Week.

Among the arrivals at the Madison house, this week, were:

W. A. Stevenson, J. H. Powell, James Brown, Fred Walker, City; Jno. Lavell, Bamboo Chief; Perry Longfellow, J. B. Howe, Eugene Stark, L. D. Jackson, W. A. Francis, Stephen H. Northy, Dan Meaney, Ole Meyer, Pat O'Donnell, A. C. Buzzard, Butte; Geo. Massingall, Summit; W. J. Havestack, Norris; A. J. Olinstead, Red Bluff; S. M. Bean, N. Y.; T. J. Farrell, Farrelton; D. McGeehan, Easton Mine; C. W. Kellogg, Kennett; C. W. Long, Ennis; P. J. McLeary, Red Bluff; Geo. Graham, Sheridan; A. W. Edwards, H. G. Lee, Billings; Alex McAlister, Sheridan; Alex McMillan, Thomas Marshall, H. T. Fort, Billings; Frank Showers, Boulder; Jno. C. Feaster, Red Bluff; L. C. Gestee, Chicago; M. H. Quirk, Park City; E. L. Holt, Milwaukee; Thos. Thexton, A. M. Bower, Ennis; Jno. Ormeston, Meadow Creek; N. V. Johnson, Kennett; D. W. Callahan, A. C. Anderson, M. L. Davidson, Dillon; Chas. Perry, Last Chance;

Philip Ward, Summit; R. Keiter, Butte; W. G. Pfouts, Butte; Ike Boyer, C. S. Shoemaker, Helena; J. E. Gaylord and wife, Gaylord; F. S. Metzler, York Ranch.

SOME RACE HORSES.

A Number are Here and More are on the Way.

There will be no dearth of horse flesh for to-morrow's events. Many are here now and more are on the way. D. E. Scales, of Twin Bridges, arrived with the celebrated "Yellow Hammer" who makes a specialty of throwing dust in the eyes of his competitors, and who helped materially to break the horse racing fake doctors, who sold mineral salt to the unsophisticated, but who fell down when pitted against the racing men of Sheridan and Twin Bridges. Mr. Scales also has "Red Bird" and "Sal," the latter to be entered in the pony race.

Rocky Hatfield, of Sheridan, is here with a string of Rafferty's horses, among which are "Pigeon" and "Scuddle Back."

Will Simons is here from Ennis with "Sorrel John," a horse recently from the British possessions, and one that is said to be a crack-a-jack. He will probably be entered in the 440 yard dash.

"Old Blutch" will be here of course. A Fourth of July without "Blutch" would be like Hamlet with the Hamlet left out. Will Ennis will be in with him to-night. Mr. Ennis will also bring another horse.

Excursion Rates To Suit Everybody.

The Union Pacific has arranged excursion rates to Buffalo, N. Y., on account of the N. E. A. meeting that will suit the most fastidious. Tickets will be on sale July 2nd, and 3rd at rate of \$65.00. Kati and Lake steamer tickets will be sold on the same dates on the basis of \$69.00, with a final limit of July 15th, with the privilege of having limits extended to Sept. 1st. This means lake steamer from Detroit to Buffalo one or both ways, or one way via lake and the opposite direction via lake steamer from Chicago to Buffalo one or both ways, with rail line in the opposite direction if desired.

Do not forget that on the above arrangement you can have as much or as little lake steamer travel as you wish, thus enabling you to enjoy a short voyage without taking more valuable time than you feel that you can afford.

Detailed information and explanation will be cheerfully given on application to any Union Pacific Agent.

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Will be at the Madison House Virginia City, until

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Gold and Silver fillings. Crown and Bridge Work.

Painless extracting of teeth.

We are prepared to do all work pertaining to our profession, using only the latest and most improved methods. This is an age of improvements and discoveries. Dentistry has taken a great change the last few years and we have taken advantage of it. By attending the best Eastern colleges and special clinics, all our work is painless and fully guaranteed, and we take pride and feel perfectly safe in saying our work cannot be excelled in the west. Call and see for yourself. Don't suffer with your teeth; take care of them and keep them in perfect condition. Your health depends on it.

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Ladies and Children

who travel by the Burlington route are given particular care and attention. Just to illustrate what this means: A few months ago, five children whose ages ranged from 3 to 11 years made the journey over our line from Ellensburg, Wash., to Kansas City, ENTIRELY UNACCOMPANIED.

Tickets, time-tables and full information about our service to Omaha, St. Joseph, Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago, upon application to the nearest ticket agent or by addressing

W. W. Johnston, Com. Agt. BILLINGS, MONT.

FROM A MONTANA MAN.

R. B. Turner formerly of the Revenue mine in Madison county, writes to a friend in this city from North Carolina, where he is engaged in operating a gold mill by the cyanide process, that gold mining, even in that old time locality, is looking up. Even in the mountains of Georgia, where primitive methods have been the rule for many years, the march of improvement in mining is making itself felt. The mines in the south were worked in desultory fashion for nearly a century. The methods used in extracting the ore, were prior to the war, similar to those now in use in many parts of Mexico.

The arastra was in general use and in many cases negroes were employed to pound up the quartz in mortars for the amalgamation. There were no mills, no pans and an amalgamating plant was never heard of. The dirt was put in sluice boxes and was taken up by the quicksilver in the riffles. All the work was done by hand. The ore was put in small sacks, which carried to the surface by the laborers and dumped in a convenient place for the crushers. A good hand could crush about 500 pounds in a day and even with the small cost of labor ore carrying less than \$20 per ton could not be worked.—Inter-Mountain.

Six year old Guckenheimer, Rye \$1 per quart bottle at the Pony Saloon. 3t

Desert Land, Final Proof—Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES Land Office, Bozeman, Montana, June 27, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that Clara M. Ayers of Cameron, Madison county, Montana, has filed notice of her intention to make proof on her desert-land claim number 912, for the east half of section 3, township 8 south, range one east, before clerk of district court at Virginia City, Montana, on Monday, the 10th day of August, 1896.

She names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land:

Mrs. F. C. Cameron, E. A. Keller, Amos Story, William S. Lown, of Cameron, Montana.

C. P. BLAKELEY, Register.

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Desert Land, Final Proof—Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES Land Office, Bozeman, Montana, June 29, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that Amos M. Davidson, of Cameron, Madison county, Montana, has filed notice of intention to make proof on his desert-land claim number 543, for the south-west quarter south-east quarter, and south-east quarter south-west quarter of section 22, and north-west quarter north-east quarter and north-east quarter north-west quarter section 27, township 8 south, range 1 east, unsurveyed, before clerk of district court at Virginia City, Montana, on Monday, the 10th day of August, 1896.

He names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land:

Louis D. Fowler, Amos Story, E. N. Davis, James B. Cameron, of Cameron, Montana.

C. P. BLAKELEY, Register.

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Notice for Publication.

LAND OFFICE at Helena, Montana, June 29, 1896. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before clerk of district court at Virginia City, Montana, on Saturday, August 8, 1896, viz: Simon P. Grim for 1/2 number 290, for the south-west 1/4 south-west quarter and lot 4, section 20; north 1/2 north-west 1/4 section 29, township 5 south, range 4 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: William Walker, Francis Reiter, John T. Dauterman, Benjamin Sink, of Laurin, Montana.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the interior department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

W. E. COX, Register.

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Notice for Publication.

LAND OFFICE at Bozeman, Montana, July 1, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before register and receiver at Bozeman, Montana, on August 10, 1896, viz: John J. Lown, H. E. number 913, for the lots numbers 2 and 5 and east 1/2 south-west quarter of section 18, township 3 south range 1 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: William Reese, W. F. Young, Charles VanBrocklin, of Red Bluff, Henry B. Lake, of Sterling.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the interior department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

C. P. BLAKELEY, Register.

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For the Christian Endeavor convention in Washington, D. C., the Union Pacific will sell round trip tickets at \$67.50. Tickets will be on sale July 3d and 4th, limited to July 19th. It



A Cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—Latest U. S. Government Food Report. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 109 Wall Street, New York.

Notice of Board of Equalization.

The board of county commissioners of Madison county, Montana, will meet in special session at the office of the county clerk of said county, on Monday, July 20th, 1896, as a board of equalization, for the purpose of correcting and adjusting, if found necessary, the assessment roll returned by the county assessor for the current year. Any and all persons feeling themselves aggrieved on account of any assessment made for said year may appear before the board and make such grievance known.

BARCLAY JONES, Clerk.
By H. E. Steffens, Deputy.
Dated July 2, 1896. 38-1d

Democratic National Convention.

For the above meeting to be held in Chicago the Union Pacific will sell round trip tickets at \$51.50; dates of sale will be July 2nd, and 3rd, for return until July 15th. 35-3

City Bonds For Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the City of Virginia, Montana, will on the 18th day of July, 1896, at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the office of the city attorney of said city, and in said city, sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash, coupon bonds issued upon the credit of said city, as follows: Nine Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$9,500) of coupon bonds to bear date of September 1st, 1896, of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each, for the purpose of building and equipping a city hall. Said bonds will bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of March and September of each year, at the city treasurer's office in said city, or at the election of the holder, at the bank of Kuntze Bros., New York City, State of New York.

Said bonds are redeemable in ten years and payable in twenty years from their date, and are issued under the authority of chapter V, part IV, Title III, political code of Montana.

The question of the issue of said bonds was submitted to the qualified electors of said city, at a special election held in said city, on the first day of June, 1896, and was carried by the following vote:

Bonds, yes, 43; bonds, no, 6.

All bids must be in writing, sealed and addressed to W. A. Clark, city attorney, Virginia City, Montana, and must be indorsed "bid for city bonds."

Bidders must signify themselves in advance as to the legality of said bonds, and certified transcripts of the proceedings of the city council will be furnished on application.

An unconditional certified check, or bill of some national bank, or by Henry Billing or Hall & Bennett, bankers of Virginia City, Montana, in the amount of 10 per cent. of amount of bid made, payable to the treasurer of said City of Virginia, must accompany all bids as a guarantee, that the bidder, if the bonds are awarded to him, will pay for said bonds as soon as the same are signed and ready for delivery. The interest accrued between the date of said bonds and the date of the delivery, must be paid to the city treasury of said city. The city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

City incorporated Dec. 30, 1884. Assessed valuation, approximate, \$300,000. Bond valuation \$700,000. No indebtedness bonded or unbonded, and money in the treasury. Population about 800.

Done by order of the council of said city. Dated June 12th 1896.

W. A. CLARK, City attorney and clerk of the City of Virginia, Montana. First publication June 13, 1896. 34-4

Proposals for Wood.

SEALED proposals will be received by board of commissioners of Madison county, Montana, for furnishing 30 cords of red pine and 30 cords of white pine wood, to and for the use of said county, the wood to be delivered in the court house at Virginia City. All bids must be on file with the county clerk on or before Tuesday, July 21, 1896. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated June 15, 1896. BARCLAY JONES, Clerk. By H. E. Steffens, Deputy. 35-4

Summer Normal

Twin Bridges, Mont. Circulars upon request

WILLIAM HOFFMAN, Merchant Tailor.

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