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SHERIDAN BRIEFS.

SHERIDAN, July 30.—[Special Correspondence.]—Mrs. Belle Murray, of Helena, has been spending a week with Mrs. O. P. Wright. She, with her three children, left on Wednesday's coach for Twin Bridges.

Miss Flora Duncan has spent the past week camping in the mountains, some two miles above Letterville, being the guest of Mrs. J. R. Hedley.

Mrs. Chas. Hill and children, of Letterville, have removed to their new home in the valley, while Mr. Hill is still employed at the mining camp where he has been for several years.

Mr. Frank Bowman made a trip to Dillon last week, and returned, and is spending this week in that city in the interest of the Dillon Tribune.

Rev. Smith and Mr. Day went fishing one day last week and caught a goodly number of the finy tribe in Mill creek a few miles below Sheridan.

Miss Nettie Rossiter and her cousin, Miss Alice Wight, of Mass., went to Virginia City last week to visit relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Rightenour, of Boulder, are spending a few days with their mother, Mrs. Mary Rightenour, of this place.

Miss Minnie Sippel, who has spent the past two years in the southern part of California, for her health, returned to her home last week for a protracted visit with her family and friends. Miss Minnie was a bright correspondent for the MADISONIAN for Editor Kiser, at one time, and has also been an occasional contributor of the Twin Bridges Monitor, and the Rockies magazine. Her many friends welcome her return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Cornforth went to Rochester last week Thursday, and returned on Friday, visiting their daughter Mrs. J. E. Dickey.

President Martin, of Deer Lodge college, was in town the first of the week in the interest of the school he represents. As there was no public announcement of his coming, people failed to hear him, as a speaker.

Mr. H. D. Rossiter made a trip to Summit on Sunday.

James Dudley has returned from his trip to Utah and is employed as blacksmith at the M. G. M. & M. Co's mine on Wisconsin creek.

Mr. E. L. Dickenson is home from Dillon and is helping with the carpenter work on the Episcopal church, which is being rapidly pushed to completion. Rev. Hooker being one of the workers as well as the pastor of the church, he will hold service here next Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. Andrew Linfors, with her daughter, niece and nephews, went to Dillon on Saturday to visit friends and to let the children attend the circus.

Whortleberries are reported very plentiful up Mill creek, and a number of parties have been in search of them.

Mr. and Mrs. Trerise, of Letterville, were in town last week Thursday.

J. M. Fitch spent the first of the week in the mountains at camp Hedley on Wisconsin creek.

The sweet strains of music that the Silver Cornet band send floating out on the evening air, is duly appreciated by the rural inhabitants of the town.

Earnest Falkner is working at the Montana mines on Wisconsin creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Cornforth went to Twin Bridges on Wednesday to visit at Mr. Wilhart's.

Rev. Oliver, of Twin Bridges, was a guest in town on Thursday. He and Rev. Smith exchange pulpits on Sunday preaching here in the evening and possibly morning also.

Rev. Smith's sermon last Sunday evening was a most earnest and excellent one. His text was taken from the first half of the third verse of the 21st chapter of John, from which he drew lessons of the Christian life; representing the whole hearted, the half hearted and the wavering soul in its zeal for the work of the Master. It was listened to by an attentive and appreciative audience, which nearly filled the church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cummins, of Helena, will spend a few days in town

the last of the week, visiting friends and in the interest of the M. W. university, of which institution Mrs. Cummins is preceptress and one of the foremost educators of the state.

On Saturday the Foster Bros. left for Dillon with a shipment of ore from Wm. O'Brien's mine on Indian creek. These mines have been steady producers for the past year and are remunerative.

The Ruby Mining Company, of Wisconsin creek, have improved the outlet of one of the group of Alpine lakes, at the source of this stream, by putting in a bulk-head so as to make the lake serve as a reservoir, in case of need for their placer mines. They are extending the bed-rock flume up the gulch rapidly.

H. A. Hull, brother of Prof. Hull of the Dillon public school, has started up his quartz mill on Nugget gulch, and is doing custom work for Messrs. Peterson, Golden, and others. The test run giving satisfactory results to the owners. It has long been thought that this section was rich in mineral deposit and the well directed labor of the present owners has verified the prediction.

There has been a find of rich ore only a few feet from the old M. G. M. & M. Co's. mill on Wisconsin creek. Supt. Wright began work last week to put a grade from the mill to a mine farther up the hill, where quartz was taken out last fall and where a nice run of ore has been placed on the dump, and in doing so uncovered a blind lead, which crosses the Sally Ann lode, and some valuable ore as being taken out. They are now sinking on it, having a depth of about forty feet. The mill, a ten stamp one, started Tuesday, to see that everything was in working order. A test run will soon be made. This mining camp has taken on new life, and has a lively appearance.

Advertised Letters.

The following list of letters are remaining in Sheridan postoffice, Montana, for the month of July, 1896. If not called for in 30 days will be sent to the dead letter office, Washington, D. C.: Bennett Geo. I; Cavanaugh Thos. I; Homes A. J. I; Smith D. H. I; Larson Mrs. Anna I; McKay Thomas I; Reed Nellie I.

Persons calling for the above will please say advertised. Jas. G. Walker postmaster.

CENTENNIAL VALLEY.

MAGDALEN, August 5.—[Special Correspondence]—There is quite an excitement in this part of Madison county over the discovery of some gold mines near the head of the Missouri river in the main range of the Rockies, near the dividing line of Montana and Idaho. Hon. J. V. Bower, of St. Paul, Minn., and James Blair and W. N. Culver, of Magdalen, Mont., located a mine they call the crater, which assayed very good. Others in the valley have located several claims. Hardly a day passes but what some one stops at Picnic springs enquiring the way to the gold diggings. The excitement increases. Some gentlemen from Camas have located mines on Tom creek, in the same range of mountains. Bishops and Wright, of Shotgun, have located three mines at the head of the Missouri river, their ore assayed \$60 to the ton.

Mrs. Dora Nelson, of Dillon, is visiting Mrs. W. N. Culver at Picnic springs.

James Blair has gone to Jackson's Hole on a three week's trip.

Mrs. Burnside has returned from Salt Lake where she went to consult the physicians concerning her health. The Miller boys have just returned from Dillon where they purchased a new mowing machine of the Dillon Implement Company.

Madam Rumor says that one of our wealthiest bachelors is about to lead to the hymeneal altar, one of the most popular young ladies in the valley.

Mrs. J. Sherwood, of Lake, Idaho, is at Salt Lake City in St. Mark's hospital. They say they can entirely cure her in three weeks, and her friends are glad to know she will soon be home in perfect health.

S. B. Burnside and W. N. Culver sold a bunch of cows and calves to a Butte butcher.

S. B. Burnside has gone to Butte on business.

Will Metzel, of Warm springs, was at Monida a few days ago on route to Dillon.

A family from the Rosebud are camped at Ed Blake's helping him put up hay.

Mort Hart of Dillon is clerking in

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Mrs. Culver was told the other day by a gentleman from Bozeman, that she had the finest garden he had seen this side of Red Bluff.

Henry Hatchett and his sister accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Shangle, of Albion, Idaho, to the head of the Missouri and gold mines last week on a pleasure trip and had a very pleasant time.

Miss Edith Virden, of Dillon, who is teaching the school on Long Creek will soon finish her term.

Fred Hanson has just completed a beautiful little boat, named the Anna L., and launched her on the upper Red Rock lake.

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