

GREAT FALLS Street Fair and Carnival.

Six days of magnificent exhibition and popular recreation.

The Mighty Midway Shows Of the

George Jabour Oriental Circus and Menagerie Co.
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Mexican Theater, Algeria Theater, German Village Animal Show.
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The Finest merchants and manufacturers' display
ever SEEN In Montana.

SCORES OF LOCAL ATTRACTIONS.

Monday JULY 8 to Saturday July 13.

Special Reduced Rates on all Railroads leading to Great Falls. The people of Northern Montana are invited
to spend the week at the Electric City.

Geo. F. Miller of Bellview was in town Monday. It is rumored that he has purchased the Dan Gray ranch on Willow creek. Price not made public. This is an excellent ranch and together with what land Mr. Miller already owns will be one of the best stock ranches in Teton county.

S. W. Mack who has conducted a shoemaker's shop here for the past year has closed shop and quit business. So that Choteau is now without a shoemaker.

SHELBY NEWS.

Sam H. Wood has a force of men employed on one of the Montana Cooperative Ranch company's ranches, fencing and otherwise improving the same, it being their intention to raise thoroughbred rams.

Peter Wagner arrived here on the 23th with two full blood hereford bulls and six grades which he is holding here for sale. These, together with the Durham bulls of Raffenburg Bros., will give the ranchers a good choice. H. F. Stoltenberg, Frank Hughes and Hilger Bros. have purchased some bulls from these bands.

No. 18 east bound freight on the Great Northern railway struck a band of sheep belonging to Eb Rose on Sunday morning, killing and wounding over two hundred.

Pearson Bros. had the misfortune to lose upwards of two hundred yearling and two year-old sheep last week by eating poison weed of some description, near the Sweet Grass station shearing sheds.

Some women of the half world thought they could run an establishment anywhere they choose, but no sooner had they moved into their chosen location than the deputy sheriff waited upon them with a couple of warrants. They were taken before Justice Dawes and entered a plea of not guilty as charged in the complaint. Their case was set for hearing on the 2nd and 3rd of July respectively. They furnished bonds for their appearance, one of them in the sum of \$200 and the other in \$100. By the determined action of some of the ladies here they will not be allowed to run their establishment, it being directly in front of the residence portion of the town and a petition is in circulation asking the county attorney to enforce the law in regard to such houses.

What is the matter with Uncle Sam? In this neck of the woods the Canadian Normans take contract work from the railroads, import their teams and machinery without a word of protest from anyone, but if an American goes over there, under their new regulations, he has to give a bond to employ none but British subjects.

Did anyone ever hear of a wolfer turning a full grown wolf loose, in order to breed another year, as charged by the Great Falls Tribune? If the fools who write such stuff would get an outfit and go wolfering for one season they would acquire a little practical knowledge and know better than to inflict pain upon the public by such imaginings.

Shearers are plentiful enough, but shearing weather is scarce.

Doc. Beaupre, Alex. Longmuir and Jesse Taylor were some of our Choteau visitors last week.

Dick Crockford took a business trip to Great Falls last week.

It was no fault of Shelby that Pearl Kennedy was not elected queen of the carnival. Every one so far as known here has voted for her, some as high as a dollar's worth.

What are we going to do with our county roads? It looks as if they would have to be fenced in to keep them in repair, as no one here wants the honor of road trustee.

Wm. Alyward and Tom Meade took a trip to Choteau last week.

Frank Hughes and Thomas Meade bought a bunch of 150 head of yearling and two-year-old steers, paying \$24 per head for them. They will take them to the Rocky Ridge for the summer.

F. D. Kingsbury & Co. are now unloading a car of wagons and Deering mowers at Blackfoot.

The Eclipse Livery Stable.

J. M. LAUGHLIN, Proprietor

First Class Accommodations for
Stock of All Kinds.

Will Buy, Sell or Trade
Horses.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Helena, Mont.
June 28, 1901.

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 Edgar B. Newhall, U. S. Com'r. at Big Sandy, Mont., on Aug. 12, 1901, viz:

STEWART CARTER.

For H. E. No. 838 for the lot 3 sec. 2, tp. 27 n., r. 12 e., spt. 1/4 a 1/4 of sec. 35, tp. 28 n., r. 12 e.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

M. H. Porens, George Porter, Peter C. Carter, John Becker, of Big Sandy, Mont.

GEORGE D. GREENE,

Register.

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Life.

The morning sun from azure sky
Beams over land and sea,
The flowers bloom, the waters play,
All nature laughs in glee.

At noon dark clouds the sky o'ercast,
The dark wind sighs and moans,
The rain drops fall, the thunder roils,
All nature weeps and groans.

To life's short day the law applies:
As rain clouds come and go,
So passing sorrows make of life
Alternate joy and woe.

R.

Kippered Kipplets.

Is this July or has December returned?

For 48 hours last week there were neither trains nor mail from the east, caused by washouts near Glasgow.

George Bird Grinnell arrived on one of the delayed passenger trains Friday evening and is the guest of J. B. Monroe.

Hon. J. A. Kennedy is occupying his suburban villa at Blackfoot again.

James McDevitt came up from Conrad Friday evening and went to Browning on a quest for saddle horses.

The prospects for a 4th of July celebration here are so meagre that many of the young people are going to Cardston across the line to enjoy the holiday. The races and other amusements there begin on the 1st and will continue six days.

The woods is full of surveyors now days. The G. N. engineers are working all along the line, the geological corps are at different points along the foot of the mountains setting monuments on which data is stamped and those engaged in the preliminary survey of the great St. Mary's canal have begun their work in that vicinity.

Heretofore the altitude of Blackfoot has been noted at 4472 feet above sea level, but the corrected measurement makes it 4189 feet. Other points where

observations have been taken are as follows. Mains' 4460 feet, Swift Current 4700 feet, Milk river ridge 6380 feet, Duck Lake 5060 feet.

Messrs Haines and Collins, Forest Reserve officials, have been inspecting the Swift Current country and returned to Blackfoot Friday proceeding thence to Kalispell where they expect and hope to find a more salubrious climate.

The Bonner's Ferry beef buyer went to Robare the latter part of the week where he purchased a car load of steers and cows which were loaded at Blackfoot Sunday.

The new stockyard at Browning is very complete in all its details and will be a great accommodation to shippers here.

Doctor Beaupre and Alec Longmuir left Choteau the other day enroute for the Sweet Grass hills where they go semi-annually to gather a few bags of coarse luggets from their mines, and incidentally astonish the natives of the county seat with their lavish display of wealth. We cannot understand why these gentlemen should break the quarantine during the tempestuous night of the 25th nor account for their loud calling for some one to come and extricate them from the mazes of shacktown at Blackfoot 70 miles west of their destination, unless the Doctor in the exuberance of his spirits indulged in too great an exhibition of sign talk and as a consequence pulled too strongly on the haw line. Some unregenerated miscreants hinted that he had sinister designs upon the I D frog pond, but we, considering our long acquaintance with him, indignantly repudiate this insinuation as a base slander, and rise to explain that these gentlemen came hither for the sole purpose of presenting their sore arm certificates.

The Blackfoot and Altyn stage will leave for Swift Current points on Monday, Wednesday and Friday and return to Blackfoot Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of each week.

The medicine lodge in an abbreviated form will be permitted on the 4th, but the affair will be devoid of its usual sensational features.

The Great Northern has about completed its big job at Willow creek bridge and will next move its force to Browning where there is another big job of excavating and filling to be done.

CHOTEAU.

Choteau and Augusta will play ball at this place on the 4th.

James Gibson has purchased the old Zimmerman property in the southwest part of town. Mr. Gibson expects to repair and remodel the buildings for the purpose of making for himself and Mrs. Gibson a home.

John V. Davies is looking after business matters in the county seat.

Mrs. Wamsley returned Tuesday from Pondera where she had been visiting with friends.

County Attorney S. Ulgrove and J. E. Erickson attended to legal business in Pondera on Monday last.

Dr. Brooks returned from a trip to Cut Bank last Sunday. He reports that his small pox patients at that place have entirely recovered and quarantine has been raised.

While Miss Pearl Kennedy failed to secure sufficient votes to elect her the queen of the Carnival at Great Falls, the vote she got was a high compliment to her popularity and her friends feels well pleased.

R. S. and Ora Brown, of Dupuyer, attended the funeral of their brother Solon H. last week.

T. M. Mead and William Aylward, of Shelby, transacted business at Choteau Friday and Saturday last.

Charley Thomas, of Birch creek, was shaking hands with old time friends in the county seat, last Monday.