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10 55	Lethbridge	8 15
9 45	Stirling	9 45
8 30	Tyrrell's Lake	11 05
8 10	Brunton	11 25
7 25	Milk River	12 10
6 25	*Coutts	1 05
5 50	Sweet Grass	1 45
5 00	*Kovin	2 45
4 10	Rocky Springs	3 45
3 15	Shelby Junction	4 45

DAILY.

2 50	Shelby Junction	5 10
2 00	Conrad	6 05
12 40	*Pondera	7 30
12 25	Brady	7 50
11 30	*Collins	8 45
10 45	Clark's Spur	9 35
9 10	Steel	11 20
8 35	Vaughan	12 01
7 55	Willard	12 40
7 45	Great Falls	12 50

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Attorney Weed Suspended.
Helena, May 26.—The supreme court today suspended E. D. Weed from the practice of law in Montana for two years, after finding him guilty upon three of the accusations made against him by Theodore Mayer. The court declined to permanently disbar the attorney, the evidence of Mr. Weed's good character leading the court to temper the punishment with mercy.

The court was unanimous in reporting the conclusion that Mr. Weed should be punished. Justice Pigott prepared the decision of the court. The court dismissed the fourth accusation against Mr. Weed relative to his having collected money for George Leekley and failing to turn it over to that person. The court finds that the accusation relative to Mr. Weed deceiving Theodore Mayer in the land deal is sustained, as well as the charges that he deceived Angell Schwendeuer in collecting their claims against a mining company.

In concluding its opinion the court says: "The judgment of the court is that the accused, Elbert D. Weed, be and he is hereby suspended from his office of attorney and counsellor and deprived of the right to practice as such in the courts of Montana, for the period of two years, to-wit, until the 26th day of May, 1904, at the expiration of which time he may, upon proper petition, supported by satisfactory evidence of good conduct meantime, be restored to his privileges. Let the judgment be entered."

A Safe Distance.
A Berlin dispatch of the 8th says: Professor K. Bierkland, the Norwegian physicist, was in Berlin recently for the purpose of demonstrating the powers of his electro magnetic cannon before a number of experts in electrical artillery. Manufacturers has offered to buy the invention for immediate exploitation, provided Professor Bierkland will increase the length of the piece used in the trials, so that it will throw a projectile weighing two tons a distance of twelve miles.

Theoretically the device can throw a projectile weighing two tons a distance of ninety miles, or even further, by sufficiently prolonging the tube. The principle upon which the new gun acts has not been made public, but it is known that the projectile is expelled from an ordinary cast-iron tube thickly wrapped with copper wire. This tube combination of course could be made more cheaply than the cannon now in use.

No explosive gases result from discharge of the new gun.

Professor Bierkland's invention has stirred up great interest among technical observers, some of whom are of the opinion that it signifies a greater revolution in fighting material than that brought about by discovery of gunpowder.

Lord Pauncefote Dead.
Washington, May 24.—Lord Pauncefote, the British minister to the United States, died at 5:35 o'clock this morning. The improvement which had been noted in his condition during the past week received a sudden check about 6 o'clock last evening, when it was noticed that he was experiencing difficulty in breathing. Dr. Jung, his physician, was immediately sent for. He decided upon a consultation, and Dr. Thayer of Johns Hopkins university arrived about 2 o'clock this morning. When Dr. Thayer left the embassy at three o'clock the ambassador was resting so comfortably that a cablegram was sent to his son-in-law, Mr. Bromley, in London, that there was no immediate danger. Soon after 3 o'clock a weakness of the heart developed and his pulse began to collapse. He died so peacefully that it surprised even his physician. At the bedside when the distinguished diplomat passed away were Mrs. Pauncefote, the Hon. Maude Pauncefote, Miss Sybil and Miss Audrey, Dr. Jung and a Mr. Radford, one of the clerks attached to the embassy.

Her Privilege Gone.
New York, May 24.—Suit was entered in the United States district court today by the Countess of Bonna Vista against General Brooke, of the United States army, for \$350,000. The countess alleges that General Brooke abrogated rights held by her through inheritance to the privilege of conducting the slaughter house at Havana and to the distribution of meats and the collection of the fixed charges for said meats. The countess claimed these privileges by virtue of a royal decree by the King of Spain, dated 1704.

New Land District.
Register George D. Greene and Receiver John Horsky of the Helena land office yesterday received official notice of the establishment of the Great Falls land district and a description of its boundaries. Commissioner of the General Land Office Binger Herman says that further notice of the precise time when the land office at Great Falls will be ready to receive applications and to transact business will be given by the register and receiver for publication.

In his notice of the establishment of the district Commissioner Herman says: Notice is hereby given that, by an act of congress approved April 28, 1902, all that portion of the state of Montana bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of the state and running thence west on the national boundary line between the United States and British possession to the point intersected by the eastern boundary line of the Blackfoot Indian reservation; thence south along the line of said reservation to where it is intersected by the eastern line of the Lewis and Clarke forest reservation; thence south on said line to the southwest corner of township 22 north, range 3 west; thence east along the line between township 21 and 22 north, to the northeast corner of township 21 north, range 4 west; thence south along the line between ranges 3 and 4 west, to the north east corner of township 14 north, range 4 west; thence east along the line between townships 14 and 15 north to the southeast corner of township 15 north, range 3 east; thence north to the northeast corner of said township; thence east along the line between 15 and 16 north, to the southeast corner of township 16 north, range 10 east; thence north along the line between ranges 10 and 11 east, to the northeast corner of townships 18 and 19 north, to the northeast corner of township 18 north, range 12 east; thence along the line between ranges 12 and 13 east, to the Missouri river; thence south and east, following the Missouri river to the east line of the state of Montana; thence north along said line to the place of beginning, be, and the same is hereby constituted, a new land district, to be called Great Falls land district of the state of Montana; and the land office for said district shall be located at the town of Great Falls.

Tribute To Our French Ally.
Washington, May 24.—Tribute was paid today to the memory of Jean Baptiste Donatien de Vimeuze, Vicomte de Rochambeau, when the Hamar monument to the illustrious patriot and general was unveiled in the presence of the president, his cabinet, a distinguished delegation representing the French government and many other prominent guests. The statue is placed in Lafayette square, opposite the Lafayette monument, where a vast crowd of people congregated this afternoon to witness the unveiling ceremonies.

President Roosevelt spoke briefly and extolled Vicomte de Rochambeau. Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, sounded the clarion note of the day, delivering the chief oration. Both addresses were sincere eulogues of the character, devoted fealty to the cause of liberty and the courageous qualities of the hero whose statue served to inspire the sentences.

Helped School Funds.
Helena, May 24.—The permanent school funds of the state received a liberal donation from the United States government today when Governor J. K. Toole turned over to State Treasurer Barrat a check from the treasurer of the United States for \$15,763.61, representing the 5 per cent commission the state is allowed upon the money received for a stated period from the sale of public lands in Montana.

Combine Broken.
Woolbuyers who are operating in the western states appear to be attempting to run a gigantic bluff on the growers. Montana's clip is not ready for the market yet, but will be within the next six or eight weeks, and the growers of this state may profit by the experiences of their Idaho brethren.

The dispatches from Idaho are to the effect that some lively wool sales took place there, and about 2,300,000 pounds changed hands in one day at prices ranging from 12 to 13 cents. The sales, however, were not made until after the woolbuyers' clique had been given a good scare. This is the way it happened, according to a Boise telegram: "The buyers who have been stationed here for several weeks were quietly resting on their oars, having, it is alleged, entered into an agreement to entertain each other and let the growers cultivate a willingness to accept lower prices than they were asking. This stopped sales, and for two weeks or more there had been no movement."

"Monday night some men entirely strange to this field dropped in. These men were representing houses that have not been represented in this section. Before breakfast one of them had taken a 200,000-pound clip at better than 12 cents. News of the sale got out as soon as the clique of buyers got abroad, and after comparing notes the old stagers found their works had been stormed, and that they would have to move rapidly if they were to get wool. The news was flashed up and down the road to those hanging round other places, and all hands started out to get wool.

"The tales of wool that had been hung so long were dropped, and every man was scrambling for wool. As a result 2,300,000 pounds changed hands at Boise, Mountain Home, Caldwell, Layette and Weiser. The price for the best clip was 13 cents, the average being about 12. Heretofore 12 cents was the best price talked about for the choicest wool in the market."

May Promote Ireland.
Rome, May 23.—The vatican is discussing the probability of the archdiocese of New York sending in the name of Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul, with the names of Bishops Chas. McDonnell of Brooklyn, N. Y. and Auxiliary Bishop John M. Farley of New York, as candidates, from whom the propaganda shall select a successor to the late Archbishop Corrigan. The belief in this possibility is based on the idea that the Catholics of the archdiocese are anxious to have a cardinal as archbishop and that none of the American archbishops or bishops have such a good chance of obtaining the scarlet beretta as Archbishop Ireland.

Bounty Claims Are Many.
Bounty claims are still piling up with the state auditing board at a great rate. During the last two weeks an unusually large number have been sent in from all parts of the state. According to the number of claims filed, the extermination of the snarling wolf and sneaking coyote is progressing at a great rate.

There are now on file with the auditing board claims amounting to about \$75,000. These funds from which these are paid contains about \$11,000. These figure indicate the extent to which the state can go in settling with the slayers of preyed beasts. It is probable that the board will order another batch of claims paid.

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Imposed the Limit.
Herbert H. Matteson, the defaulting cashier of the First National bank of Great Falls, who pleaded guilty Monday to the first count in the indictment returned against him last week by the federal grand jury, was sentenced Tuesday morning to ten years in the penitentiary by Judge Knowles, who imposed the maximum penalty. There were ninety counts in the indictment, and the eighty-nine charges remaining were dismissed by the United States district attorney.

The charge to which Matteson pleaded guilty alleged that he had made a false report to the comptroller of the treasury as to the condition of the bank for the period that ended September 30 last. In that report, which was made October 10, Matteson swore that the bank had to its credit in the hands of its reserve agents \$285,098.81, when as a matter of fact, it had only \$37,098.81. Matteson's counsel made an earnest plea for clemency. In passing sentence, Judge Knowles spoke of the position of bank officers to society, of the trust that the people necessarily imposed in them and of the necessity of punishment when any of these officers failed in their trust.

First Dillon Wool Sold.
Glendive, May 26.—The first wool sale of the season to be recorded at this point was the clip of Jordan & Williams, numbering about 15,000 pounds, purchased by J. C. Morse, representing the firm of Harding & Cavelry of Boston. The price paid was 13½ cents. The clip is said to be an unusually fine one, a large per cent of it coming from young sheep.

Prospectors Are Blocked.
Butte, May 23.—The attempt to rush into the Thunder Mountain district before trails were passable has resulted in several thousand men being blockaded on the Sities trail in northern Idaho, and they are reported to be in desperate straits. A letter from Sities says that three pack trains with provisions have been started from that point for the relief of the prospectors. It is feared that many fatalities have resulted. The snow is deep and the trail dangerous, and will not be passable for a month.

No Unbelievers.
The man who says that advertising does not pay at the rates established by newspapers of large circulation simply maintains that all publicity is a failure. Yet, as Printers' Ink observes, by using printed letters and bill heads and by placing goods in his window and before his door he proves that he believes in advertising according to his lights. When he shall test newspaper advertising and shall compare the returns with the cost, he will be convinced that this best and comparatively cheapest form of publicity pays well.

Native Printers' Stick.
Mail is still coming to the house for the late Amos J. Cummings. A letter and accompanying package, which he would have greatly prized, has just arrived from Manila. It is from Frederick Power, who voyaged hither as a printer, and who expresses thanks for some kindness that Cummings did him.

Power forwarded a native printer's "stick" which belonged to Aguinaldo's printing office, and which was captured when the little Filipino chief was driven out of Tarlac province. It is a small stick of wood, some ten inches long, having a space about six inches in length hollowed out and roughly lined with brass. Though the native printers set their type, the stick holds but a line, because the native printers set but a line at a time.

The interesting trophy will be forwarded to "Big Six" Typographical union, in New York of which Amos Cummings was a member of many years. Up to the day of his death he always carried a card of this kind in his pocket.—Washington Post