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We have just received a large shipment of Picture Moulding, Room Moulding, 16x20 Picture Frames, Violin, Mandolin and Guitar Strings, Photo Supplies. Mrs. E. N. HAUGEN, Choteau, Montana.

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The Montanian and Chronicle.

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BY C. E. TRESCOTT.

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ALL ADVERTISING BILLS PAYABLE THE 1ST OF EACH MONTH.

The Detroit Tribune claims that a woman cannot lead a band. Perhaps not but she has made many a good man whistle for his dinner.

When the government begins to use Martha Washington's picture on a postage stamp, it will not be polite to pound the stamp to stick it on an envelope.

William Jennings Bryan says that it is his ambition to be a private citizen. Now will the dear people refrain from putting his trolley pole on the live wire of the capital.

The St. Marys Canal.

By this time next year, according to F. H. Newell, chief engineer of the arid land reclamation service, work will be in progress on the great St. Marys canal project, and within two years after the work is commenced, enough land, now practically barren, will have been reclaimed to provide homes for thousands of settlers. Mr. Newell, who is in charge of all the surveys being made for the purpose of reclaiming arid lands in various parts of the west states that the preliminary surveys on the St. Marys project are further advanced than on any other government work of this character.

"Field parties, consisting of from 15 to 20 men are engaged in making surveys in the St. Marys district," said Mr. Newell at the Grandon last night, "and there is no doubt in my mind but that we will be ready to submit plans and specifications for the great work early in the winter. We will submit a number of alternative plans and the department will decide which one is to be followed. The only difference in the plans will be in the number of acres designed to cover and consequently the varying cost of the project. These plans will arrange for a canal to cover all the way from 200,000 to 500,000 acres.

Mr. Newell will remain in Helena several days, and while here he expects to meet Charles D. Walcott, director of the government surveys, who is coming west to inspect a number of works.—Helena Independent.

The Only Right Way

To get at the superiority of one thing over another is by comparison, and after traveling over every line between Minneapolis and Chicago the traveler will admit that the North Western Line represents the superior degree of railway comfort and luxury in its elegant North Western Limited. This statement was made by a prominent Minneapolis man. For further information address to T. W. Teasdale, G. P. A., St. Paul, Minn., or E. A. Gray, Gen. Agent, Helena, Mont.

His Epitaph.

The weather man lay dying. Motioning to his sobbing friends, he waited until they crowded around his bed to listen to his dying words. After giving directions for the disposal of his property to the best advantage, and outlining the general features of his funeral, he murmured: "And I want you to get a nice tombstone for me, with these words carved on it: 'Probably cooler.'"

Ringling Bros. Circus.

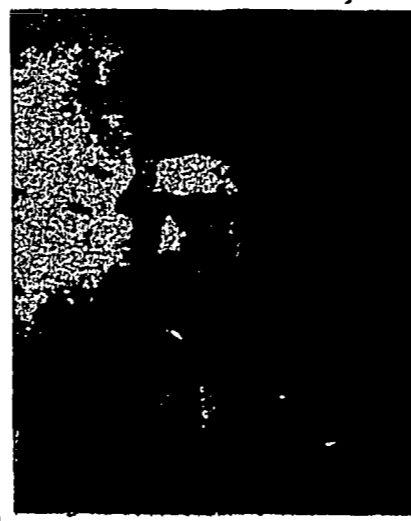
Special excursion rates on all lines of travel have been arranged for by the management of Ringling Bros.' World's Greatest shows, and those who wish to go to Great Falls where this great circus exhibits Tuesday, Sept. 2nd, can do so at a comparatively small expense. This will be the only point in this vicinity where the show will exhibit this season and no one should miss the opportunity

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HENRY F. GUTH, OF SHELBY.

Henry F. Guth, the merchant prince of Shelby, whose portrait appears above, was born in Germany where his boyhood days were spent. When about twenty one years of age Mr. Guth came to America, settling in Iowa. From Iowa he removed to Washington, where he was engaged in the mercantile business up to about six years ago when he purchased the Wittmeier stock of general merchandise at Shelby. Largely through the efforts of Mr. Guth the town of Shelby is today the best town in northern Montana on the line of the G. N. Railway between Havre and Kalispell.

To see it. This circus has been the leading arena exhibition of America for several years, but the show is never permitted to exist upon its reputation. Although it long ago passed the point of competition, every year sees a greater and grander show. This years performance is entirely new and the magnitude of the exhibition dwarfs anything of the kind ever before attempted. There is a triple ring exhibition given by 300 high salaried artists from all parts of the world, a trained animal department, presenting educated bears, seals, dogs, ponies and elephants; a magnificent horse spectacle; a vast menagerie which exhibits the only giraffe on earth; a gorgeous revival of the old Roman hippodrome and many other features. Circus day opens with a brilliant street parade, two miles in length.

Advertised Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the postoffice at Choteau, Montana, for week ending Aug. 18 1902.
Black, Jim
Guardipee, Chas G
King, Miss Maggie
Orriano, Antonio
Phillip, Mrs Rosey
Persons calling for the above letters will say "advertised."
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320 acres good hay land fenced, in Township 25, Range 6 West, at \$125 for the winter.
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I have a complete 12 foot bar outfit in good condition for sale cheap.
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Try that Hair Tonic, it will grow hair on a fence post, at the City Drug Store.

FOR SALE.

One organ in the best of condition. Terms to suit purchases. Call and examine or address,
J. E. BURKE,
Choteau House.

FOR SALE.

1280 acres of land with 60 shares of Eldorado water. Also 320 acres of land situated on the Muddy.

J. E. WEBB.

LOST. \$5.00 REWARD.

One buckskin horse branded on left shoulder. \$5.00 reward will be given for his return to owner's ranch.
A. K. PRESCOTT.

Desert Land, Final Proof—Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Helena, Mont., Aug. 19, 1902.
Notice is hereby given that Ida M. Dorrance, assignee of Janie N. Furman, of Augusta, Mont., has filed notice of intention to make proof on his desert-land claim No. 3994, for the w2 ne4, sec. 34, tp 21 north, range 8 west, before C. O. Covington, U. S. Com'r at Augusta, Mont., on the 28th day of September 1902.
He names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said:
James G. Furman, Walter W. Williams, Pronties Parker, Arthur Woods, all of Augusta, Mont.
FRANK D. MIRACLE, Register.
First pub. Aug. 22

NOTICE.

Persons are hereby warned not to shoot or trespass on our premises.
SANDS CATTLE & LAND CO.

FOR SALE.

A well improved ranch of 160 acres adjoining the Choteau townsite. Call on J. G. Bair. wtf.

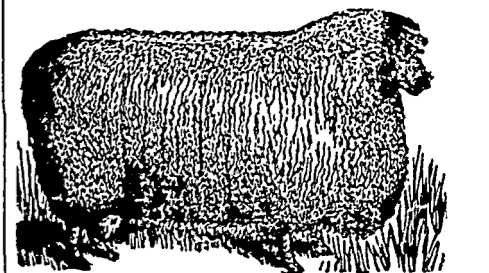
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400 Yearling

FRENCH MERINOS

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Peter Eyraud,

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BUCKS

FOR SALE.

The undersigned has for sale Two Hundred and Fifty head of yearling and two-year old

French Merinos.

These Bucks are the best shooers in Teton county. An inspection by intending purchasers is solicited. Prices reasonable.

J. B. ESCALLIER,
SHELBY, MONT.

Notice To Creditors.

Estate of Margrette Wagnild deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Margrette Wagnild deceased, to the creditors and to all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within 4 months after the first publication of this notice to the said Administrator at the law office of J. E. Erickson at Choteau, Mont., the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said Estate Dated Aug. 15 1902.

OLE WAGNILD Administrator of the Estate of Margrette Wagnild deceased.

J. E. ERICKSON Attorney for Administrator.

That face and hand cream at the City Drug Store is a beautifier.