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MONTANA NEWS.
From tue Muntana Post af March 8185, wo condense the following:
Aletter duted Mareh 25 th, from Mr Jolin Whittick, of Pipestone Diatrie atates that the depth of snow hus prevented any greal amount of prospect. iug for sume tifie past, but that some men are loukity about the aouth aide of the hills, now. Messrb. Adame, Me Kinstry \& Co's mill will be in opera. tion eurly next week. Sbafts forty feot in depth have been sunk on the "Juanita," "Liberty," "Enigrant"
and "Philatelphia," whieh prospect well.

A letter from Deor Liodge, dated March 25th, contains the following matters of interma to the conmanity erent. Tho weather is fine, and the hnow nearly ganc of this valley At Blacktoot that nnow is still deep, and very litile ground in sighit. Snow shocs are stilt ith use; and I do not think that tenns vill be able to riath
Ophir, Warhington, Jefferson or Mc. Ophir, Warhington, Jefferson or Mo Clellan Guksten before May The peo ple of Blacktool ure in high epirits. plenty of it Bumitese men are repair ing their plaves handsomely, and prop ing their plaves handsomely, and prop.
orty of all kinds in looking up, except goods. Flour 880 sack s Tobacco 33 @372 9 tb ect.
On the 28th ult , Mersrs. J J Roe \& Co. dispatwhed the steamer Gen Grant, from St. Lonia, up the rirer, for the purpose ot pieking up the ireight droppedat differeut points, last jear, on secount of low water, ect.
A correrpondent writing from Bannack cily, rays :
Guluh mining, it is my mature and honest opinion, will be more protitable, this year, than at any previous time since the paltoy daye of placer mining in Bannack, when one hundred dollars to the pan, and more, wan frea quently on Jimmy's bar, and fortunes were sluiced out in a few months. Mesars. Smith and Graeter have bought this bur, it being situate in near the terminus of the Bannack diteh, of which they are, I believe, the princis pal stockholders. They intend to put in large flumes, and to sluice the whole thing through. Wbo would not like a share in that "Golden Fleece ?" Bvery miner is confident that they bave a fortune in this alone besides the numerous dry gulches weat and south of Bannack, which are known to be rich, and will be easily worked when thuy bring in their new ditch above the head of these places. Thesu enterprising gentlemen have now the best storo in Bannack, ard are, duabtlese, on the bigh road to wealth and public usefulness.
The oreuk claims are yet unworked, but have been prospected for six or eight miles, and are known to be rich Oapital and nombination are required here, and no individual miner can work bis claim-on account of the amount of water, which necessitates a syatem of drainage.
Descending a khort distante on the ather side, the Blue Wing District is reached. Here a perfect network of silver quartz veins, among which the Huron, Blue Wing, Arizona, Wide West and Silver Rose stand preemi nont; slmply because shafts have boen on them, and their richners has been proved up, and thoroughly tested.
Musars: Sears and Wright are aink ing on the Silver Casket lode, their own discovery, for Mr. Fowler, of Nuw York, who has gone east for a mill and other macbinery. This same range of mountains extends to the north to the Rattlesnake Diatrict, where the veins again crop out. The odes at this latter place are very rich in silver and galena. Lieutenant Johnson is still rinking on the Eaton, the ore of which aseays very high. The best leads of this district, as far as I know, are the Legal Tender, the White Oloud, the Now World; the

Watson and the Dictator ; but ther are a thousand others just as good Quiten number of pronpectors have been sinking upon their various dicoveries during the past winter They deserve miuch eredit, for their in tentione are good "on the face; " and wo. hope, at no distant day, to see these poor, honeat men, richly reward ed. If capitalisth would buy from them, instead of purchasing from speculatork in " wild-cat," they would nevir rum, ILeir burgani

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