

FOR CHRISTMAS IDEAS.

Concluded From Fifth Page. machine-like and yet graceful movement, bowing from side to side, stopping when she ran down in the midst of a bend, and continuing from that exact point where she would have been.

After the inspection the critical buyers concluded to take the dancing doll, and so Miss Wilder was accordingly boxed up and sent for \$29.25. The lights were then turned down and Miss Inez Hudnall reappeared as a fairy in an exquisite gauzy dress, with golden tulle and a crown of flowers.

A number of gentlemen from all parts of the state arrived in Helena Tuesday to attend the business meeting of the Shriners, likewise the banquet of the same. The following officers were elected: Potentate, Edward D. Neill; chief raban, Anthony Harritt; assistant raban, R. G. Young; high priest and prophet, Moses Morris; oriental scribe, Sol Harris; secretary, G. L. Tracey; recorder, George Booker; imperial representative, G. H. Casey; first ceremonial master, Ed. I. Zimmerman; second ceremonial master, D. O'Neil; standard bearer, M. L. McCaw; marshal, L. W. Baker; outer guard, M. N. Major; director, A. C. Logan.

The store on Broadway where the ladies of the Presbyterian church gave their sale Thursday presented a very busy appearance that day. In the corner to the left were displayed the fancy articles, which will no doubt figure among the best of the season.

The open session of the High School Literary society was well attended, and those present were well pleased with the evening's entertainment. The following is the programme, to which the participants responded in a creditable manner, and which was well received, as was shown by the hearty applause of the audience.

Paraphrase on Holmes. By members Instrumental. Live. Richard. Recitation. "Autocrat at Breakfast Table." Adele Teague. Review of "Professor at Breakfast Table." Lily Howard. Recent Criticisms on the Late O. W. Holmes. Flora Rossberg. Vocal Duet. Oeie Russell, Blanche Steadman.

The Minuet club, which was so popular last year, has been reorganized and will entertain themselves and their friends by a series of hops, which bid fair to be quite as enjoyable as the one last year. The president of the club is N. N. Davidson; Frank Jacquemin is the treasurer. The members are: Messrs. Davidson, Jacquemin, Fisher, Henry, Martin, Duerfeldt, Morse, Ray, Betness, Alexander, Wallace, Miller, Cooper, Keninger, Emery, Gibson, Church, Doherty, Ross, Criley. The ladies present at the opening hop were Mesdames D. S. Taylor, Wait, Davidson; Misses Matthews, Langborne, Crum, Cleary, Miller, Ray, Platt, McComas, C. C. Cory, Anderson, Dickerson, Knobb, Alt-miller, Sneed, Littlefield. The opening hop Friday evening was a very pleasant affair, and an auspicious one for the club expects to accomplish for the season.

Miss Shaffer entertained, Friday evening, a company of friends at drive whist. A very merry time was had with the game and it resulted in the head prizes being won by Miss Woodman and Mr. Merritt; they were a souvenir spoon and a silver grip tag. The foot prizes, "Longfellow in Cloth," and a "pair of—kiddie" otherwise known as a jumping-jack, and a couple of rag dolls, fell to the lot of Miss Mathias and Mr. Emery. The refreshments, under Mrs. Norrie's supervision, were of unusual excellence, and consisted of sandwiches, olives, stuffed dates, chocolate, pink and white ice cream and cake. Those present were: Messrs. Woodman, Harley, Richardson, Hopper, Reifernath, Olds, Mathias, Magnus, Williams, Fullerton; Messrs. Williams, Woodman, Merritt, Norris, Young, Shaffer, Emery, Reifernath, Logan, Gardner.

The glorious weather of the past week, the full moon, the smooth ice, skates old and new, all have formed a combination quite irresistible, and every night couples, flocks, bevies, droves of people, young and old, and so young, have been going out to the lake at Broadwater. The street railway companies have put in benches on the banks, and rows of electric lights. The former are supposed to be for those who tire, and while that is a convenience, the benches are not much used except for the ladies to while their secretive buckle on the skates. The energy of the young people has been expended chiefly in this exhilarating pastime of skating, and card parties and other quieter forms of pleasure have been left in the background.

"The Boys" of the "Thirty-three" and the "Recherche" clubs have effected an organization for the winter for dancing purposes, and will give their first Friday evening at the Business College hall. They have decided to retain the name "Recherche Club." The officers are: R. Prosser, president; J. Ming, secretary; A. B. Johnson, treasurer; E. Yaeger, advisory committee. Following is a list of the members of the club: John Ming, Hillman, Prosser, Fritz, Harry Yaeger, K. Pruitt, Wit-

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Table Linens. Fine Cream Damask Table Linens, at 50c, 60c, 75c, 85c, 91, 91.25 a yard, less 20 per cent off. One-Fifth Reduction. Bleached Table Damask at 50c, 60c, 75c, 85c, 91, 91.25, 91.75, 92, 92.50 a yard, less 20 per cent reduction. ONE-FIFTH OFF. Eiderdown QUILTS. 20 PER CENT. OFF. Fine Quality Silklike, 4 and up-wards. Genuine Silk Eider Down Quilts, \$7, \$7.50, \$8, \$10 and \$12.50. All subject to 20 per cent off, or a reduction of one-fifth up to and including Christmas eve.

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mer, H. Preuitt, Charlie Yaeger, Flisk, McMurray, Thompson, Langley, Rinda, Walker, Bowden, Sullivan, Potter, Cannon, Dahler, Curtis, Holter, Hill, Tague, Greis, Fred Yaeger, Hodges, Bullard, Loeb, Reink, Criley, Stylus, Ricker, Murphy and Wilson.

A masquerade ball is to be given at Wickes on Christmas night. The best of music and a good time guaranteed, and all respectable people are invited. Every one will be requested to raise his or her mask to the door-keeper before entering. Two fine prizes will be given for the finest costumes, two for the most comical characters, one special prize to the man with the biggest feet, and one for the lady acting the character she represents the best. The ball will be in the I. O. O. F. hall, Christmas night, under the management of the Alta dancing club; spectators, fifty cents; tickets, including supper, \$2.50.

Personal and General. W. J. Ennis, of Ennis, is visiting in the city. E. W. Beattie left Friday for a trip to the coast. J. T. Fronzer, of Marysville, was in town Thursday. Wm. Parkinson, of Granite, is visiting relatives in the city. Will A. Moore left yesterday to visit relatives in Chicago. Wm. Roe, of Gregory, is in the city visiting friends on an extended eastern visit. Dr. J. S. Hammond, of Butte, was in the city last week for a few days. Mrs. Lancaster, of Missoula, was visiting friends in the city last Friday. Dr. and Mrs. C. K. Cole returned Monday on an extended eastern visit. R. Lockey is making trips to various cities in the eastern part of the state. E. W. Knight, Sr., left last week via the Northern Pacific for a trip to Chicago. T. H. Kleinschmidt has been confined to the house by a severe rheumatic attack. Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Calloway, of Virginia City, were visitors in town last week. A. C. Logan was in town last week, one of the members attending the Shriners' banquet. Nathan Godfrey, of the Musselshell, is in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Kleinschmidt. The Lenox sewing circle met Wednesday with Mrs. Floyd-Jones, Miss Burke being the invited guest. Emery Cobb, of Kankakee, Ill., was in the city last week, the guest of Capt. and Mrs. T. P. Fuller. Mrs. A. C. Sandberg, who has been visiting Mrs. R. Nelson, returned Tuesday to her home in Butte. Fred Sterling leaves to-day for Minneapolis, where he has accepted a position with a firm of jobbers. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fisk returned home last Thursday, the former from New York, the latter from Michigan. At the meeting of the Chromatics, Tuesday, Beethoven was the composer discussed, and his music played. R. S. McClure, otherwise known as "Buddy," formerly of this city, now of San Diego, is visiting relatives. Mrs. D. A. McDonald and Miss Stella Anderson, of Basin, were visitors in town last Wednesday and Thursday. Mrs. Hersey is expected home this week from Portland, Dr. and Mrs. Hersey will occupy rooms in the Dexter block. Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Burton came down last week from Choteau, and expect to remain in Helena during the winter. Mrs. W. D. Anthony left Saturday for Billings, whither Mr. Anthony has preceded her. They will spend the winter there. R. T. Bayless, C. W. Goodale, J. N. Ralston, F. W. Hathaway were among the Marysville visitors in the city this week. The last whist club formed was Monday evening, and met at Mrs. Wm. Steele's. The members are Messrs. and Mesdames Steele, Lockwood, Selben, Webster, Clem-

Louis; J. C. Skinner, Daedwood; L. F. Thornburg, Milwaukee. Mrs. Thomas Frost gave a birthday party to a number of her lady friends Friday evening. A number of handsome presents were received. Those present were: Mesdames Reiboh, Carter, Cyle, Startman, Keller, Koltrapp, Tamkin, Ison, Misses Frances Keller, Mabel Reiboh.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Mason expect to leave this week to take up their residence at Marysville, where Mr. Mason has charge of the station of the Northern Pacific railroad. They leave many friends in Helena who regret their departure. Mr. Mason will be succeeded in his position here by W. H. Ross, of Anoka, Minn. Mrs. T. C. Power gave a complimentary evening of cards to the West Side Whist club Thursday evening. The game which seemed to be played with more zest than usual was followed by delicious refreshments. All the club members were present. The first prize, a silver sugar shovel, was won by Mrs. Hauser; the second, a cut glass olive dish, by Mrs. Cory. Wednesday evening occurred the third of the series of entertainments, literary and musical, under the auspices of the A. O. H. P. The programme included the names of Miss Alice Kinley, Gladis Alexander, Mrs. Penicard, Mrs. P. D. Lee, Miss E. G. Hart, Mrs. J. Lucas, Dr. Holden, J. W. Eddy, Col. J. Sullivan. Afterward dancing was in order. The Garnet camp No. 195, Woodmen of the World, had an enjoyable evening Tuesday. Their wives, sisters and best girls were invited, and an evening of cards and dancing followed, pleasantly broken by a substantial supper about midnight, served by waiters in fantastic garb. There were about fifty couples present, who appeared to thoroughly enjoy the entertainment.

Mrs. Wm. Steele entertained the Caven-dish club Friday afternoon. The members present were Mesdames Carter, Cory, Chadwick, Henry, Cannon, Babcock, G. Tracy, Wm. H. Curtis, Raleigh, Kleinschmidt, Davis, Lorenz, Curtis, Harwood; the guests were Mrs. Hodges and Mrs. C. W. Cannon. The first prize, a silver jardiniere, was won by Mrs. Cory, score 22. The second, a silver stamp box, by Mrs. Harwood, score 45. The West Side Whist club was entertained last Monday evening by Mrs. Blockett. The members present were: Mesdames Hauser, Allen, Cope, Holter, Slich, Martin, Ward, G. Tracy, Curtis, Cory, Hill, Cullen. The guests were Mesdames Brunell, P. Kennett, O. Bradford. The first prize, a silver mounted card case, was won by Mrs. Brunell. The usual refreshments followed the game. The departures over the Union Pacific for the week are: A. M. Wilson, Miss Dutton, Chicago; C. DeCarley, P. Deitsch, B. Pratt, J. O'Marr, San Francisco; M. Abbott, T. Lord, Kansas City; Misses and Mrs. Carr, E. W. Collins, Los Angeles; W. Ames, Sioux City; F. Purton, St. Louis; W. H. Morris, Salt Lake; John Miner, Portsmouth, O.; J. P. Huntley, Fort Dodge; George Kinkel, of Manhattan, New York; via Salt Lake and Denver.

Mrs. M. B. Kershaw entertained a number of friends Monday evening, in her parlors. The occasion was in honor of the Misses Miracle. Progressive whist was the game and resulted in Mrs. Blockett capturing the first prize, a box of soap. The second prize, a silver mounted card case, was won by Mrs. Brunell. The usual refreshments followed the game. The departures over the Union Pacific during the week include the following: Mr. and Mrs. F. Linton, Los Angeles; Albert Richards, D. A. Wing, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Snodder, C. H. Norton, W. A. Moore, E. C. Freppent, Chicago; Rev. E. B. Pace, Portland, H. C. DeWitt, Kansas City; E. T. Merritt, T. H. Nettleton, St. Paul; Miss Mamie Halcum, Carbondale, Ill.; Alex. Butler, Portland; Andrew Reirdy, Galena; O. M. Hauser, St.

which a number of gloves were practiced. The first retail will take place shortly after New Year's. The programme will contain solos, duets, quartets, and choruses to be announced later. Each member will have a number of tickets to be given to friends, and to those fortunate ones is promised a genuine treat. Brownies' Fairy Dress Ball. A Brownie and Fairy private fancy dress ball will be given by Mrs. Sulgrove's juvenile pupils on Thursday evening, Dec. 27. Admission strictly limited to holders of invitations, which may be obtained from Mrs. Sulgrove.

A Running Fight. Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 15.—At White Creek turnpike three unknown men rode through the toll gate, refusing to pay the tolls and intimidating the keeper, who swore out warrants before Justice and Constable E. D. Manlove went in pursuit, and a little ensued, in which Manlove was shot dead and Wilkerson and a man named Terry badly wounded. One of the unknown men was also badly wounded. Marcelous Results. From a letter written by Rev. J. Gundersman, of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist church at River Junction she was brought down with pneumonia succeeding a gripe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last for hours with little interruption, and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at Parthen-D'Acheul Drug Co. Regular size 50c and \$1.

Strike Satisfactorily Settled. Washington, Dec. 15.—A satisfactory settlement between the striking drivers and conductors and the officers of the Metropolitan Street Railway company having been arrived at last night, the men returned to work to-day. The settlement, though involving reduced pay, also provides for shorter hours, and the men regard it as a victory. Buckle's Arnica Salva. The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Parthen-D'Acheul Drug company. The Spokane Post. Washington, Dec. 15.—Representative Wilson, of Washington, has introduced a bill for the establishment of a military post at Spokane, in accordance with the recommendations of Gen. Olla and the war department. It provides that 1,000 acres must be provided by the city of Spokane. The American Beauty owes her prestige more to a clear complexion than to any other attribute. A cup of Park's Tea will enable any one to possess this. It cleans the skin and removes pimples and that sallow, muddy look. Park's Tea is used by thousands of ladies for the complexion. Without being a cathartic it cures constipation. Sold by Parthen-D'Acheul Drug Co. The Northern Pacific is the only line running through trains to St. Paul, Minneapolis and the east.

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By virtue of an execution in my hands, issued out of the district court of the First Judicial district of the state of Montana, in and for the county of Lewis and Clarke, in the suit of First National Bank of Helena, against Peerless Jennie Mining Company, duly attested the 24th day of November, A. D. 1894, I have levied upon the right, title and interest of the said Peerless Jennie Mining Company, in and to the following described property, situated in Lewis and Clarke county, state of Montana, viz: The Little Jennie Lot No. 2, west, being mineral entry No. 237, designated by the surveyor general of Montana as Lot No. 25, containing 20.27 acres, in township 8 N., R. 4, west, being therein designated as lots No. 50, 51 and 52, A. and B., in township 8 N., R. 4, west; also a certain tunnel claim or right, commencing at the county recorder's office of Lewis and Clarke county, Montana; also the Queensbury lode, designated by the surveyor general of Montana as Lot No. 28, containing 20.66 acres; the foregoing claims are all recorded in Book 7 of Deeds, pages 87 and 88, in the office of the county clerk and recorder of Lewis and Clarke county, Montana, to which said records reference is hereby had for a more full and complete description of the said premises.

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of December, A. D. 1894, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, to-wit, at the hour of 12 m. at the front door of the court house, in the city of Helena, said county and state, I will sell all the right, title and interest of the said Peerless Jennie Mining Company, in and to the said above described property, to the highest bidder for cash in hand.

Given under my hand this 27th day of November, A. D. 1894. CHARLES D. CURTIS, Sheriff. By FRED E. HOSS, Under Sheriff. Toole & Wallace, Plaintiffs Attorneys.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. U. S. Land Office. Helena, Mont., Sept. 20, 1894. Complaint having been entered at this office by Mary W. Russell against William K. Hartman, for abandoning his homestead entry No. 574, dated Oct. 30, 1891, upon the 1/2 sec. 24, 25, 26, and 27, sec. 10, township 16 N., range 5 W., in Lewis and Clarke county, Montana, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 15th day of December, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS. ASHBOURN K. BARBOUR. Attorney and Counsellor at Law. Mason Temple, - - Helena, Montana. MASENA BULLARD. Attorney and Counsellor at Law. Will practice in all the courts of record in the state. Office in Gold block, Helena, Montana.

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