

REILLY'S
Missoula's Largest Grocery

UTAH TOMATOES
10c Per Can

Exclusive agents for the following brands: Crestana Flour, Barrington Hill Coffee, Fort Snelling Canned Goods, Manor House Coffee, Dustbane Sweeping Compound.

FRUIT AND CIGAR DEPARTMENT
Open on all days until 10 p. m.
PHONES: Bell, 98; Ind. 544.
Next to Postoffice.

Valentines

We are this year showing the largest and most select line of Valentines ever brought to Missoula—selections that will not only please you but also please the party to whom it is sent. We want you to make your selection early, before the stock is broken. Prices from 5c to \$2.50.

Missoula Drug Co.
Prescription Druggists
Phone 16, Hammond Block

We Can Supply You
with your high school books.
A full line now on hand.

H. H. Bateman & Co.
Agents for Remington Typewriters

BLANK BOOKS
LOOSE-LEAF BOOKS
CARD INDEXES AND OFFICE SUPPLIES
Agent for Underwood Typewriter, Typewriter supplies.

J. W. LISTER
114 East Main Street

Rowland, The Jeweler
Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry
Special attention given to FINE WATCH REPAIRING.
114 East Main Street.

MISSOULA HOTEL
Rooms for Rent
Steam heat, telephones, electric bells, etc.; single or en suite, most centrally located house in the city. Rates reasonable.

A Warning

Don't send the little one off to school handicapped with poor eyesight. Clear sight means quick thought and the ability to think quickly brings success. Parents who realize this responsibility for the future success of their children will not delay in having this very important question decided. In fitting glasses for children we use every effort to create the perfect vision so absolutely necessary. There is no duty that you more imperatively owe to your children than that of having their eyes regularly examined by our careful and competent opticians. Eyes examinations are free, and when glasses are fitted it is done at the lowest charge consistent with skillful service.

Kohn Jewelry Company
Florence Hotel Building

CAUGHT ON THE RUN ABOUT TOWN

E. H. Polleys of the Polleys Lumber company returned yesterday from a visit at Lincoln, Neb., where his company is preparing to discontinue its headquarters. "We shall move from Lincoln in a few days," said Mr. Polleys last night, when asked about his trip. "The business of the old company has been entirely transferred to the new corporation and just as soon as we can close up the local affairs at Lincoln, we shall shut up the office here and concentrate our forces here. We are shaping things for an active season here; there are the additions to be made to the mill here and the arrangements for a busy season's run. I anticipate a good business season. I was surprised to note the improvement there has been in the situation in the east; business is vastly better there than it was 60 days ago, and it is improving all the while. The people are feeling much better, too. There has been a complete change since the first of December. Wherever I went I heard discussion of the improvement of the Harriman lines; this great piece of construction work has lived up to the whole section to the south of us and is certain to have its effect in our own territory. I don't think I ever observed a change so decided as that which has taken place in the central west during the last 60 days."

It is natural enough to see Walter M. Bickford in town and to know that he is living here. "Bick" used to be one of Missoula's notables, and now, after digressions into other fields, he has returned to his former home and is here to stay. He received a cordial welcome as he moved about town yesterday. He didn't find as big a percentage of people whom he knew in town as he walked about, but there were enough of the old-timers to make him feel at home. Missoula is a good place and she is glad to have her old friends return. It was the testimony of the returned wanderer yesterday that he was glad to get back. "Missoula looks better than ever to me," said he to a Missoulian man yesterday morning. "There have been a good many changes, but I have been here often enough to keep in some sort of touch with the changes and it is not so bad that I can't find my way around all right. There is one thing about Missoula that has always seemed good to me; it has a good percentage of Yankees in its population; they always look good to me."

MAKING ROADS

Frank Conley came down yesterday from the road-builders' camp at Nimrod, where some of his men are constructing a model highway on the Three Mile grade. Mr. Conley spent the afternoon visiting with his friends here and talked a little with a Missoulian man who wanted to know something about the way things are going at Nimrod. "The boys have made a good start," said he. "They are getting up the hill with nothing worse than a six per cent grade and have about 500 yards of the work finished. It will be the first of April before they have this piece of work done. Then they will be able to show you as good a piece of highway as there is in the mountains. The work is going on without any trouble; there is some of it that is hard, but the boys have had good practice and are getting on in fine shape."

NEW JOB

P. M. Major has a new job. He is buckling down to it and hopes to like it better than the retail grocery business. Mr. Major has the western Montana field for Griggs, Cooper & Co., the St. Paul grocery supply firm. He will make Missoula his headquarters and will travel from here. "I expect to like the work," said Mr. Major yesterday. "I have become fond of the place and the firm whose account I have obtained is one of the good ones. It will be a little different from the store, but I am sure I shall like it."

If you drink, drink Old Meeker, 40 per cent small grain, sour mash whisky.

BIDS FOR MENU ASKED BY CHAMBER

The chamber of commerce has decided to call for bids for the serving of the menu for the Red Apple banquet on February 18 at the new Puget Sound station. The bill of fare will be one of the best that has ever been served at any banquet given by the chamber and it has been decided to have it properly prepared and served. The crowd will be large and the expense heavy and competitive bids were considered best. The plans and specifications of the big feed can be found and examined at the chamber of commerce rooms where everything will be explained by Secretary Breitenstein.

Attention, I. O. O. F.

All Chevaliers of Canton Ridgely No. 3 and visiting Chevaliers are requested to meet at I. O. O. F. hall in full dress at 1:30 p. m. Tuesday, Feb. 7, to attend the funeral of Chevalier William Crawford. By order of command.

Music Lessons.

Prof. Gustav Fischer, teacher of violin and piano, 419 S. 3rd St. Bell 359.

FOR SALE

\$2,100 for a nice 6-room house and two lots, good barn, chicken house, lawn, shade, good cellar, and on the car line. Terms are \$600 cash, balance to suit purchaser.

Deakin's Corner Grocery
228 Cottonwood Street.
Ind. Phone 2732.

MONEY

To loan on improved city and farm property.

8% Interest

For three or five years with privilege of repayment of whole or part in two and a half years.

Winstanley Realty Investment Co.
134 Higgins Avenue
Missoula

POLITICIANS SAME ALWAYS

EVEN IN GOLDEN DAYS OF STATESMANSHIP POLITICS WAS A GAME.

Dr. Dunway delivered the fifth of his series of lectures on American history in the county high school building last night before an encouragingly large audience. He took as the topic of his lecture "The Ratification of the Constitution in the Several States," discussing interestingly and in detail the troubles of each constitutional convention.

He began his lecture with a short discourse on the work in the continental congress, tracing the progress of the new articles of government through that body until they were submitted to the separate states for ratification. The lecturer then took up public sentiment in general, telling of the general distrust among the people and of the arguments most commonly advanced by the opponents of the friends of the constitution, and of the final sharp division in the formation of the federalist and anti-federalist parties.

The latter part of the lecture was by far the more interesting, in that it threw a light on a comparatively unknown feature of the ratification of the constitution. In discussing the ratification of the constitution by the separate states, Dr. Dunway brought out a remarkable history of political intrigue and filibustering, of long and heated debates and of bitter divisions, which were nothing less than remarkable, when viewed in the light of history as it is told in the average elementary textbook.

"We are prone to consider these men who were influential in bringing about the ratification of the constitution as a purer statesmanship than exist today," said the lecturer. "As a matter of fact, they were politicians and they played the game of politics as a game and in the same manner that our politicians play it today."

In support of this statement, Dr. Dunway told of the ruction in Pennsylvania, where the anti-federalists in the legislature bolted in order to prevent the federalist majority from ratifying the constitution by breaking the quorum, and of how, after argument and the force of law had proved ineffectual, the bolters were forcibly carried into the legislative chamber, the doors locked after them, and a quorum being present, the constitution ratified. He told of the interesting way in which a federalist minority won for the constitution in Massachusetts by persuading John Hancock and Samuel Adams to turn to their side; of how John Hancock was won over by the offer of Massachusetts' support for the presidency and Samuel Adams by the use of a corporate power which compelled delegations of laboring men to wait on him and ask him to aid in ratifying the constitution.

The lecturer discussed Alexander Hamilton's gallant fight against almost helpless odds in the New York legislature, which finally won for the constitution in that state. He told of how Rhode Island and North Carolina were forced into the Union, after its establishment by the passage of discriminatory tariffs. The whole history of the fight, as he showed it, was a revelation and was more than interesting.

From this point, which leaves the country breathlessly awaiting the turn of events which will bring the success or the failure of the new government, Dr. Dunway will continue in his sixth and last lecture next Monday evening.

Barber & Marshall
The South Side Grocers
Bell Phone 20, Ind. Phone 420

THE NAME OF LIPTON
Is a Guarantee of Quality.
Lipton's Coffee, per pound, only 40¢

An English packed coffee of the same high quality as his tea. We are exclusive agents.

TRY A NEW COFFEE
BARBER & MARSHALL
RELIABLE GROCERS

WHIPPLE LECTURES AT UNIVERSITY

BOZEMAN PROFESSOR TALKS INTERESTINGLY OF PRUNING. COLLEGE NOTES.

Yesterday at the university Professor O. B. Whipple of the state agricultural college delivered his first lecture on horticulture, taking as his subject "The Fruiting Habits of Plants and Their Relation to Pruning."

The lecture was illustrated with lantern slides and was exceedingly interesting. In the discussion of the subject attention was called to the structure of branch and fruit buds, which are formed in late summer of each year, and the formation of which is closely related to the nutrition of the plant and its rate of growth. As the proper development of fruit is dependent upon an adequate leaf surface, the practice of pruning must conform to the habits of the plant and take account of the relative position of leaves and flowers or fruit. Different classes of trees must, therefore, receive different treatment in the matter of pruning, and the peach, the cherry and the apple must be managed in different ways.

Today the lecture will be given in the forestry lecture room, on the first floor of the main building, and will deal with the subject of "Orchard Culture." The public is cordially invited.

Basketball Double-Header.

At 4:10 this afternoon the contesting teams in the university's interclass basketball series will play a double-header, the sophomores meeting the juniors and the freshmen the foresters. Ten cents admission will be charged.

Games Tomorrow.

Coch Cary of the university has made arrangements for a basketball game to be played between the varsity team and a fast team from Fort Missoula. The game will be played tomorrow evening at 8:30 o'clock and promises to be the best which has been seen here this season.

Baseball Tonight.

The Spiders and the Missoula Mercantile teams of the Garden City Indoor Baseball league will meet in the university gymnasium at 8 o'clock this evening. A fast game is certain. No admission will be charged.

Baseball Meeting.

At 4 o'clock this afternoon there will be a meeting in the university gymnasium of all of the men who are interested in baseball, for the purpose of planning for the spring season. A full attendance is urged.

Notice.

The officers and members of Covenant lodge No. 6, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet at the hall Tuesday, February 7, at 1:30 o'clock, to attend the funeral of our brother, William Crawford. H. E. BLAKELY, Noble Grand.

Attention, Elks.

All Elks who can will please meet at Odd Fellows' hall today (Tuesday) at 1:30 p. m. to attend the funeral of Brother William Crawford. GIL HEYFROM, Acting Secretary.

NEW PLAN ADOPTED BY GOVERNMENT

LEASING OF POWER SITES TO BE SIMPLIFIED—CHIEF ENGINEER MERRILL ARRIVES.

O. C. Merrill, chief engineer of the forest service with headquarters in San Francisco, will spend today with the local forestry officials. Mr. Merrill stops in Missoula on his return trip to his home from Washington, D. C., where he has been in consultation with Chief Forester Graves and the secretary of agriculture in connection with service for the leasing of power sites. Engineer Merrill has supervision over the water power division of the service and his work in Washington has been to perfect details of the new arrangement which will now soon be put into effect in this and other field districts of the reserve.

Old vs. New Plan.

Under the old plan of leasing power sites the government's rental was based on the number of kilowatts which the plant to be constructed would generate, the rental being fixed at so much per 1,000 kilowatt hours per year, for a term of 50 years.

Under the new plan there will be several changes. First, the basis of rental will be on the horsepower actually generated by the plant; second, the operation of the plant during the first 10 years will be a basis for the charge to be made the remaining 40 years of the lease. Applicants will be issued a temporary permit to those who wish to develop power, the charge to be made on a rated capacity of the plant the power company will be allowed six or nine months to complete specifications of operations as a basis for the lease for the first 10 years, which will run from 10 cents to \$1 per year per horsepower. At the end of 10 years the net power will be rerated and a rental of \$1 per horsepower per year will be charged for the remaining 40 years of the lease.

These are the general plans of the new arrangement. The details will be taken up by Engineer Merrill and forestry officials here today.

BACTERIOLOGY TALK BY DR. F. D. PEASE

At the university library hall at 11:30 o'clock this morning Dr. F. D. Pease will deliver the second lecture of the series on public hygiene which has been arranged by the university. His subject will be "The Science of Bacteriology." Dr. Pease is secretary of the city board of health and the combination of the technical knowledge with its practical application will make the lecture most interesting.

The public is most earnestly invited to attend the lectures of this course to be given by the several doctors of the city. Every householder in Missoula should be interested. The things to be presented will be practical. They have to do with the health and sanitation of the home. It will not be necessary to attend all of the lectures to get the good from each one as each will be complete in itself. However, the whole series will be of interest.

The Best on Earth

Organized 1857
THE NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO. OF MILWAUKEE.

OSCAR M. OLSEN
District Manager, Missoula County
Postoffice Box 396.

Its policy contract is unsurpassed and its net cost lower than any other company.
THERE'S A REASON

OUR BRICKS BUILD BEST

They Build Both Houses and Fortunes

Come in and Let Us Explain Our Plan

—SEE—

"The Man at the Desk"

Standard Lime & Brick Company
112 E. Cedar. Phones Bell 1060 Ind. 1662

Skirts to Close

Three big lots of Dress Skirts, including wool Panamas and serges; colors, fancies and black, at greatly reduced prices.

Lot 1	Lot 2	Lot 3
\$2.50	\$4.50	\$6.50

CASHMERE HOSE

Too large quantities on hand necessitates these cuts.

Misses' and Boys'	Ladies'
35c Misses' - - 25c	25c kind - - 19c
35c Boys' - - 25c	35c kind - - 25c
35c Boys' - - 27c	40c kind - - 25c
60c Homemade 50c	50c kind - - 35c

SPENCER'S

R. GWINN, M. D.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist
Glasses Fitted
Examination Free
FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

FRESH CHOICE CUTS

Careful Housewives

consult their own best interests by visiting the Union Market. In all of Montana, for excellence of stock and lowness of price we stand unexcelled.

Union Market
130-132 Higgins Ave. Phone 117

Fine Watches and Repairing Diamonds

E. H. DEMING
Jeweler and Optician
120 Higgins Avenue, Missoula, Mont.

USE SMITH'S COUGH BALSAM FOR COUGHS AND COLDS AT
Smith's Drug Store
And
South Side Pharmacy
Agents Eastman Kodaks

Window Glass At SIMONS
212 Higgins Avenue

MIX & SONS
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAY, GRAIN AND WOOD
Knowles' Block 204 South Third
Phones: Ind., 745; Bell, 377.

HENLEY, EIGEMAN & CO. GROCERS
115 Higgins Avenue
Bell Phone 87. Ind. Phone 474.
The best of everything in the market.

ACROSS THE RESERVATION
Take the large 30-passenger sight-seeing auto; leaves Ravalli at 7 a. m., arriving Polson 10:30 a. m.
STANLEY SCARCE, Proprietor

INSURANCE REAL ESTATE, LOANS
Agents Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company.
PETTITT & OSBORNE