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| Woman's Club | Missoula |
| Moiese Valley Club | Dixon |
| University of Montana | Missoula |
| Iota Nu Fraternity | Missoula |
| Baptist Church | Missoula |
| Sisters' Academy | St. Ignatius |
| Isis Theater | Missoula |
| Benton Hotel | Missoula |

There are also nearly 100 homes in and near Missoula that boast of a Kurtzmann.

KURTZMANN PIANOS SATISFY

Hoyt-Dickinson Piano Co., 125 East Main St.

PERMANENT REGISTRATION IN MONTANA EFFECTIVE THE FIRST OF NEXT JULY

Senate Bill No. 68 Provides for All Qualified Voters to Be Listed in One Big Book in Each County by Precincts which Shall Conform to Wards in Cities—County Clerks to Act in Capacity of Registry Agents.

On and after July 1, next, Montana will begin a new regime with reference to the registration of voters. No more will agents hold forth in the various precincts, for it will be up to the county clerk to write the names of all qualified voters in a monster book provided for that purpose and this important duty may be attended to on any day in the year except Sundays and legal holidays, barring a period of 30 days immediately preceding an election.

According to the provisions of the new law, which was senate bill No. 68, the county clerks of all counties of the state are ex-officio registrars, who shall perform all of these duties without extra compensation.

The law is now in force, but the books will not be available until shortly before July 1, when they will be opened for the work.

There is one "great register," in which all names of voters of the county are inscribed by precincts, and in addition there will be a separate book for each precinct or ward.

Ten-Mile Limit.

Voters who live within a radius of 10 miles of the courthouse must appear in person at the office of the county clerk and register, and those who reside at a greater distance may go before a justice of the peace or notary public, furnish the required information and make an affidavit which will be forwarded by such officer to the county clerk. The official performing such work is entitled to a fee of 25 cents, which is paid by the county.

The following is the information which must be forthcoming and which is written in the great register: Name, age, occupation, height, nativity, naturalized—when and where, residence—street and number of section and

township, postoffice, length of time in the state, county or city, school district or ward and physical disabilities, if any.

The Big Feature.

At least one good feature of the new law is that after a voter has once registered he is not required to do so at any future time, provided he remains a qualified elector of his particular locality and exercises the right of franchise.

In case a registered voter fails to vote at any general election it is the duty of the county clerk to remove his name from the register and when this is done, another registration is necessary in order to entitle him to cast a ballot.

The books are closed for registration 30 days before any election, general, county, or city, and for an equal number of days prior to that time the clerk shall cause notices to be published in every newspaper in the county to the effect that the registry books will be closed on a certain date.

School Elections Also.

After the names have been written in the great register, they are transcribed in the precinct and ward books and two lists shall be sent to the city or town clerks where such voters reside, and in case the election is for school trustees the lists shall be furnished the clerk of the school board.

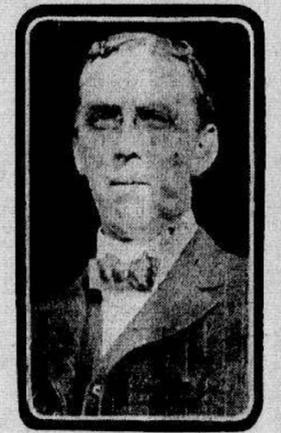
MUCH-BOUGHT MAN IS FISHER

CONGRESSMEN AND CONSERVATION ORGANIZATIONS WANT HIM TO SPEAK.

Chicago, March 25.—One of the early delegations to wait upon Walter L. Fisher, new secretary of the interior and the third member of President Taft's official family to be chosen from Chicago, now that he has assumed the charge of his new office, probably will be a commission of several of his Chicago friends of years' acquaintance who will formally invite him to address one or more of the sessions of the nineteenth National Irrigation congress, which are to be held here late this year.

Plans to have Secretary Fisher as a guest of the congress were outlined by members of the Chicago board of control immediately after the news was flashed from Washington that Secretary Ballinger's successor was to be the Chicagoan of conservation and traction fame.

That Mr. Fisher will appear on the speaker's platform of the congress is practically a certainty, and it is not improbable that his address will be made on the closing day, December 9, at which time the president himself is



WALTER L. FISHER.

to speak. Aside from his natural interest in all things pertaining to Chicago, the new secretary has a vast knowledge of conservation matters, having for years made a study of conservation in all its phases, and is unusually well posted in federal and state laws governing the control of water powers and waterways. These matters always have been of vital importance to irrigation interests and few other subjects have stirred up more discussion at the congress sessions in past years.

Will Visit West.

Having been invited already by various boards of trade and other community organizations of the west to visit that portion of the nation which his office is more directly concerned with, especially at this time, it is not unlikely that Secretary Fisher will arrange early for a personal tour of inspection throughout the west, north-west and southwest. On conservation Mr. Fisher's thoughts far from the contentions of his predecessor, but he is not, like his friend of years, Gir-

The Crescent Store

NORQUIST, TINKEL CO.

SALE AT SPENCER'S DRAWS CROWDS

RUSH THAT SPECIAL SALE CALLS FOR MAKES CLERKS JUMP ALL DAY LONG.

Despite the fact that there was a March snowstorm in the air when the hour for opening the big clearance sale at Spencer's yesterday morning, there was an interested crowd waiting for the doors to open. The throng filled the sidewalk and reached out into the street before the hour arrived for the start of the sale and the spacious salesroom of the establishment, the largest in the city, was none too large to accommodate those who wished to participate in the opening.

The rush continued all day. The sales force had been largely augmented to meet the demands of the occasion, and the clerks were on the jump until the closing hour last night. At times it was exceedingly difficult to attend to all at once, so great was the rush, but the Spencer organization was complete and thorough and handled the business splendidly.

There was a slight lull in the rush at noon, but it was brief and after the lunch hour the hurry was renewed. That noon respite was the last of the day. The unpleasant weather of the afternoon did not prevent a record-making crowd from attending the sale. All departments were busy until late last night. It was a weary but well-satisfied lot of salespeople who closed the store after the first day of the great sale.

COOKIES IN GERMANY.

Cookies in Germany are designed by artists, and some of these quaint little "Lebkuchen," as they are called, are sent to this country for sale. They resemble a part of the Fatherland itself, so distinctly German are they and so different from anything made by the housewives of this country. In Germany "kuchen" baking has been an art for hundreds of years, and each one of the great baking cities has a reputation for its own particular kind of cakes.

Like everything in that country, the "kuchen" baking is learned slowly and thoroughly; boys are apprenticed and serve their regular time at the trade before they become head bakers, and often the calling goes down from father to son. Many women are also engaged in the industry.

SUGAR SWEET PEAS GROW IN COLORADO

Fairest of all sunshine, invincible man with a hoe, and every ready irrigation have blessed and caressed and quite satisfied the thirst of mile high Colorado to have her yield a greater percentage of saccharine to her sugar beets than those grown elsewhere, as well make her contribute a larger amount of sweetness to her sugar peas which she always does—Colorado's sugar peas are natively sweet, and not the outcome of being closely related to a sugar refinery. Colorado sugar peas are tender and far more palatable than other peas. These two points, together with their natural and unequalled sweeter quality, make them so decisively wherever they are known, whenever they are shown. There is no method of description unless one has tasted them, one cannot imagine how much finer in flavor they are to others that are sweetened with so much or more sugar. Colorado sugar peas are much preferred to the oftentimes unjustly termed fresh garden peas by all who have contracted the delightful habit of eating them. When you order today kindly tell the grocer to put a can of Colorado sugar peas in with the rest of the good stuff that helps to make life an enjoyable and not a miserable proposition—then you also know.

GOT HIS FACE SLAPPED.

Lajunta, Colo., March 25.—Henry Engelbrecht, a switchman employed by the Santa Fe railroad, today shot and probably fatally wounded Mrs. Charles Morrison, the wife of a neighbor. He then went to his home and shot himself in the temple dying instantly. A quarrel which raged yesterday in Mrs. Morrison slapping Engelbrecht in the face, preceded the shooting.

REGISTRATION FALLS BELOW FIRST DAY

FORTY LESS THAN A THOUSAND QUALIFY TO VOTE AT COMING CITY ELECTION.

When the registry agents in the four wards closed their books at 9 o'clock last night, just 960 had qualified as voters in the coming city election. The record of the day was 262, as contrasted with 698 for the first day of registration. The record in figures:

	Fri.	Sat.	Total
First ward	117	57	174
Second ward	117	59	176
Third ward	275	72	347
Fourth ward	188	74	262
Totals	698	262	960

RAILROAD TO APPEAL TWO DAMAGE CASES

A motion for a new trial in the case of Margaret Pryn, and others against the Northern Pacific Railway company was argued before Judge Webster in the district court yesterday. The motion was submitted. Mrs. Pryn was given a verdict for \$5,900 several months ago and the railroad wishes to take the case higher up.

Similar action was taken yesterday in the case of Clifford Bourgaunt against the Northern Pacific. The plaintiff in this case was given a verdict for \$4,800 some time ago.

ON WAY EAST.

Mrs. Andrew Hanson and daughter Aileen of Hamilton spent Saturday in the city visiting with Mrs. H. P. Murray. Mrs. Hanson is on her way to La Crosse, Wis., where she has been called on account of the illness of her father and mother.

PLAGUE IN TRINIDAD.

Kingston, Jam., March 25.—Bubonic plague is prevalent in Trinidad.

FOLLOW THE CROWDS TO Darbee's Closing-Out Sale 'NUFF SAID

CRESCENT OPENING SUNDAY SCHOOLS PRETTY AFFAIR

EXHIBITS OF ARTICLES FOR WOMEN'S WEAR IN SPRING ARE ENTICING.

The spring opening at the Crescent store fully maintained the reputation of that exclusive establishment for women. The big store was handsomely decorated and the exhibits of the dainty effects for spring won the admiration of all who beheld it.

Never has the Crescent presented a more attractive appearance than it did when the expert decorators had finished their work and Manager Martin had pronounced all ready for the opening.

Friday morning the doors were thrown open for the gratification of the women of the city who like and appreciate good things. There was a host of attractive models in the ready-to-wear department, all entirely new and most of them entirely exclusive. Never has a showing at the Crescent had never attempted before and emphasized the wisdom of the new policy of the management in making it exclusively a woman's store.

In the millinery department, the showing was particularly interesting. The newest models were shown and interested the visitors greatly. The showing of dress goods was extensive and beautiful. Hundreds of visitors saw and admired to show yesterday and the day before.

FORMER MONTANA GIRL GIVEN WORTHY PLACE

Spokane, March 25.—Miss Edna Vreeland, a graduate of the domestic science and arts departments of the Montana Agricultural college, who has just finished a course in training for Y. W. C. A. secretaryship, has been appointed manager of the cafeteria department of the Spokane's Young Women's Christian association, which will make a feature of domestic science work.

Miss Vreeland is working on a plan to form service clubs to train young women for work in private families. There is a large demand for this class of help in Spokane and throughout the Inland Empire, and it is expected that several clubs will be organized within the next 30 days.

MAJOR GLOVER DIES.

Indianapolis, March 25.—Major John R. Glover, 75 years old, who was appointed consul at Havre by President Garfield, serving also under President Arthur, died at a hospital here today.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS IN MEETING

TWELVE HUNDRED DELEGATES EXPECTED IN SPOKANE APRIL 25 TO 27.

Spokane, March 25.—Twelve hundred delegates, representing all parts of eastern Washington and Oregon, north and central Idaho and western Montana, are expected to attend the annual convention of the Inland Empire Sunday School association in Spokane, April 25 to 27. They will be entertained on the Harvard plan, being provided with rooms and breakfast in private homes.

Rev. F. B. Foster, chairman of the reception committee, has arranged plans to meet every train coming into the city on April 24 and during the time the convention is in session and delegates will be escorted to their place of entertainment. Judge J. H. Bowers, chairman of the entertainment committee, announces that preparations are being made to care for all visitors. The delegates have been apportioned among the denominations as follows:

Presbyterian and Methodist, 250 each; Baptist and Congregational, 200 each; Christian, 150; United Presbyterian, 50; Methodist South, United Brethren, Evangelical and others, 25 each.

"Extensive preparations are being made for the entertainment of our friends, as well as making the programs of the three-day convention the most interesting and instructive in the history of the association," said Judge Bowers, "and we are looking forward to at least 1,200 delegates, though we are in position to take care of several hundred more."

"There will be prominent speakers from the northwestern and coast states, also from eastern centers, and on the whole the program of the convention will be arranged on such lines as to give added interest to Sunday school work not only in the inland empire, but throughout the Pacific slope country."

SENT UP FOR LIFE.

Denver, March 25.—Michael H. Murphy, who was found guilty this week of the murder of Anatolia Wonderle, who refused to accept his attentions, was today sentenced by Judge Bliss to life imprisonment.

ARMS IN TOWN.

Dan Arms, right-of-way agent for the Missoula and Hamilton Traction company, arrived last evening to spend Sunday in the city.

NO QUORUM.

Albany, N. Y., March 25.—Fifty-eighth joint ballot for United States senator no quorum.