

### BEAUTIFUL WEDDING NEAR CORVALLIS

IN 'PRETTY' CEREMONY, MISS LOUISE WEHR BECOMES MRS. O. M. BRYAN.

Corvallis, Dec. 9.—(Special)—A very beautiful wedding took place at the residence of Mrs. Clara Kentner, just west of Corvallis, when O. M. Bryan and Miss Louise Wehr were united in marriage.

The happy event occurred Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock with the Presbyterian pastor, Rev. Robert Lee Lewis, officiating. The Presbyterian service was read and the double ring ceremony performed. The bride is one of the beautiful young ladies of the valley and is greatly beloved by a large circle of friends. The bride was attended by Miss Lena Dwyer, and William Wehr was best man.

The groom was formerly engaged in business in this place, during which time he made a wide range of friends. He is at present connected with the railroad offices at Moberg, S. D.

The couple will leave Tuesday for their residence at Moberg and after a short stay there will go to Missoula for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan carry the best wishes of the community for a long and prosperous life.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Apollonio, the Misses Gladys and Mildred Watson, Henry McVey and Miss Lena Dwyer, all of Victor; Mr. and Mrs. James Harding, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Rowe, J. Llewellyn, all of Corvallis.

#### TO HAMILTON.

Corvallis, Dec. 9.—(Special)—Dr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Coughenour, who for many years have resided near this place, removed Monday to make their home at Hamilton with their son Joseph, Jr., who will assume the duties of his office as clerk of the district court on Jan. 1. This arrangement will hold only during the busy court season. When court is not in session they will again resume their residence at their beautiful home on the ranch, three miles north of Corvallis. The doctor's son-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cava, will make their home this winter in the old family residence.

#### COMING FROM ENGLAND.

Corvallis, Dec. 9.—(Special)—Mrs. Joseph Bowden received Saturday a telegram taken by wireless from an ocean-going steamer bound from England, that her nephew, an engineer on board the vessel, would make port at New Orleans on Dec. 12. He inquired if his cousin Dudley, could not motor his aunt to meet the boat. Mrs. Bowden left Saturday afternoon on the 2:30 train for Missoula to take the Milwaukee on the way to the Mardi Gras city. Mrs. Bowden was accompanied by Leslie Goodfellow, brother of Jack Goodfellow, the sailor aboard ship.

#### HELENA MURDER TRIAL.

Helena, Dec. 9.—(Special)—Henry Sims was placed on trial in the district court today on a charge of murdering Alonzo Irving in the Capital Club the night of October 3, 1912. Both the defendant and his victim are colored, and Irving's reputation was bad before the shooting.

#### YOUNG THIEF TO JAIL.

Kalspell, Dec. 9.—(Special)—E. R. Smith, 17 years of age, convicted of stealing \$100 from a woman of bad repute in Whitefish, was today sentenced to four months in the county jail by Judge Erickson and scolded lectured upon the error his ways.

### THREE CANDIDATES FOR INSPECTOR

MEN TO LOOK AFTER MONTANA COAL MINES TAKE THE EXAMINATION IN HELENA.

Helena, Dec. 9.—(Special)—When Governor-elect S. V. Stewart considers the appointment of a state coal mining inspector, his choice will be confined to three men—J. B. McDer-mott, the present incumbent of the office; Hest Heever of Roundup, and W. H. Franklin of Red Lodge, the last named two appearing before the board of examiners for state coal mining inspector today to have their fitness for the office passed upon by a board composed of practical coal mining men.

This is the only state office for which aspirants must submit to an examination before their names can be considered. The examination will be concluded some time this week. The examining board is composed of C. C. Anderson of Red Lodge, general manager of the Northwestern Improvement company; Howard L. Stockett, manager of the Bear Creek Coal company at Bear Creek, and Richard Price, fire boss of the Washoe mine at Washoe.

#### HAMILTON BRIEFS

Hamilton, Dec. 9.—(Special)—Miss Isabel Gilray spent yesterday in this city with relatives. She returned this morning to her work at Bitter Root.

A. J. Hork, county clerk and recorder, went to Missoula yesterday. He returned this evening.

The Table Supply company is moving its stock today into the McGrath building, recently vacated by the J. C. Moore bakery.

L. V. Selles, the representative of the Elliston, White Chautauque company, returned to Hamilton this morning to close up the contract for next summer's Chautauque.

Court Bailiff Sam See spent yesterday with friends in the upper part of the valley.

Judge Woody of Missoula is in Hamilton today. The judge represented a client in a case in the district court.

A large number of the young people of this city spent yesterday skating on the local mill pond. The ice was excellent and warm weather made the day's sport most enjoyable.

A turkey shoot was held yesterday at the local gun club grounds. A shoot at Darby attracted a few local shots to that place.

#### IN DISTRICT COURT.

Hamilton, Dec. 9.—(Special)—The water right suit brought in the district court by George A. Blair et al. against the O. W. Kerr company et al. came up for trial this morning, but was settled by stipulation. The case of George Brooks against Jacob Ludwig, an accounting, which was also set for today, was taken up early this forenoon. The case for tomorrow is another damage suit brought by John Ferrell against Dr. W. T. Thornton, proprietor of the Thornton hospital at Stevensville.

#### GETS FIVE YEARS.

Kalspell, Dec. 9.—(Special)—Henry Jondrow, charged jointly with Charles MacHell, with the burglary of the homestead cabin of R. W. Main on the reservation last July, was today convicted by a jury in district court and sentenced to five years in the state penitentiary. On motion of Assistant County Attorney Thompson the charge against MacHell was dismissed following the close of the trial.

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### DIVORCE LINE DRAWN BY CLEMENTS

HELENA JUDGE WILL NOT TRY ACTIONS WHICH BELONG IN OTHER DISTRICTS.

Helena, Dec. 9.—(Special)—Hereafter, residents of Montana not residents of this judicial district, who wish to be divorced, will have to go elsewhere. Judge J. M. Clements putting in effect a new rule today under the provisions of which he will refuse to try divorce actions the parties to which live in other judicial districts.

For several years residents of Great Falls and northern Montana counties have been coming to Helena to have the bonds of matrimony released.

The judge said he was prompted to make the rule because the docket of his court was beginning to be clogged up with too many divorce actions in which the parties do not reside in this judicial district.

#### STEVENSVILLE NEWS

Stevensville, Dec. 9.—(Special)—Mrs. M. D. Fitzjarrals and baby have returned from spending a few months visiting at Marion, Iowa.

Frances E. W. Zentz, an expert horticulturist, has returned from the upper Bitter Root where he had been to view some land in the vicinity of the Charles Heights.

Mrs. Perry Foust delightfully entertained the members of the Twilight club at her home Friday night.

Mrs. John McLaughlin, assisted by Miss Martha Angus, was host to the Ladies Reading Room society Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. McLaughlin. A number of invited guests were present and a very pleasant time was spent.

The students of the eighth grade entertained at a party in the Grand hall Friday. A large number were present and an enjoyable evening was spent.

The usual monthly bungling job of burglarizing was pulled off Friday night in Porter & Buck Bros. grocery store. The cash register was rifled, and the papers, receipts and contents were scattered around the floor. There was no money in the register and the other two money drawers that contained about \$12 were overlooked. No goods were found missing by the proprietors and it is not known that any damage was done. Entrance was gained through the basement, and the exit through the back door, which was left open. The Stevensville Trading company, Amos Buck and John Dowling stores have lately experienced about just such marauding apparently done by the same persons.

Mrs. Chester Cheatham and Miss Jessica Strong spent the end of the week in town.

A farmer's institute will be held here commencing tomorrow afternoon, December 13, and last until Tuesday evening. Farm topics, dry farming, dairying, gardening, poultry and home making will be discussed by distinguished speakers from the agriculture college and abroad. Ladies and young folks are invited to be present. Afternoon and evening sessions will be held.

A splendid panorama painting showing typical Montana scenery, is being displayed in the windows of the Stevensville Mercantile company. The picture is a part of the display of holiday goods that the store has for Christmas, but the beauty and artistic work of this picture is so good that more than ordinary interest has been taken in seeing it. Miss Margaret Davis, an employe of the store, has completely surprised Stevensville by her artistic work. The panorama is about 30 feet long.

TWO FIRES. Winnipeg, Minn., Dec. 9.—Two fires here early today caused losses aggregating \$130,000. The wholesale hardware house of Mackenzie brothers and a tent factory adjoining were damaged \$60,000. A short time earlier the building occupied by the Saturday Evening Post burned, caused a loss of \$50,000.

### MAYORS MAY MEET IN HELENA

CAPITAL CITY'S EXECUTIVE SUGGESTS SCHEME TO GET SOME GOOD LAWS.

Helena, Dec. 9.—Mayor R. R. Purcell of Helena is taking up with the other mayors of cities and towns throughout Montana the question of holding a meeting in this city during the coming session of the legislature and suggests that the meeting be held beginning Wednesday, January 15. It is Mayor Purcell's idea that such a conference would result in much good and would be valuable as an aid to the members of the legislature in the enactment of laws which are needed, the amendment of such as are not satisfactory, and the abolishment of certain statutes which are considered by many to be unwise and undesirable.

The wisdom of holding such a meeting in the Capital city during the session of the legislature is apparent for the reason that the mayors may have the opportunity of meeting members of the legislature in person and explain their individual reasons for or against certain laws. In this way influencing the molding of legislation favorable to the different cities and towns of the state. As yet replies from the mayors of other cities of the state have not been received.

### BURTON MUST SERVE THIRTY-YEAR TERM

Kalspell, Dec. 9.—(Special)—George W. Burton, self-confessed slayer of Fred Long, who was shot to death at his ranch near Whitefish September 25, was sentenced to 30 years in the state penitentiary at hard labor by Judge Erickson this morning. Burton, when asked if he had legal reasons why sentence should not be pronounced, denounced his counsel, T. D. Long, as having been unfaithful and derelict in his duty but the court assured the prisoner he had been ably and efficiently defended. Burton killed Long, for whom he had cherished animity, when the latter scuffled with him following an altercation at the Long ranch where Burton had gone after night. Long was shot three times in the head with a .45 calibre Colt's revolver. Burton pleaded self-defense.

#### CORVALLIS NOTES

Corvallis, Dec. 9.—(Special)—Rev. G. T. Bond of the Methodist church South, Missoula, returned home Saturday after a series of evangelistic meetings. The services were with great power and a deep impression for good has been made upon the community. The people deeply appreciate the presence of Mr. Bond and his splendid work.

I. M. Fischer, agent for the Norwich Union Fire Insurance company, was in town the last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shell are at Belgrade visiting the former's mother.

William Palmer of Woodsdale left home Monday morning to hunt his horses. He became lost in the woods on the west side, and did not find his way out until Thursday evening. He was severely chilled by the cold and suffered greatly. It is hoped that no serious result will follow.

The merchants of the place are busy getting their holiday goods on display and giving the community the first touch of the approaching gift season.

Mevin M. Bryan of Moberg, S. D., is the guest of William Wehr.

The Presbyterian church will hold a dedicatory service in recognition of the completion of the extensive renovations upon the building free of debt. The Rev. J. H. McJunkin of Missoula will assist in the service.

Messrs. Daniel and Carl Hoblitt and Lars and William Christopherson returned after a fine hunt in the Ovando country with four deer, having killed all five of our best and most valuable deer and came upon a large herd of deer. They have been scarce on the east side and the hunters had poor luck. The game moved about 24 miles from Grantsdale in a southerly direction.

#### COPS AND LIQUOR.

Los Angeles, Dec. 9.—The enactment of an ordinance making it a misdemeanor to give or sell liquor to a police officer on duty will be asked by Chief of Police Sebastian, as a result of the revolver duel yesterday between Sergeant William Hackett and Patrolman E. E. Walker. Nine shots were exchanged, only one bullet, which lodged in Walker's shoulder, taking effect. Walker opened fire when Hackett informed him he had been suspended by the chief and Sebastian said today that the public should be protected against police officers who drink.

#### REFORMERS APPEAL TO TAFT.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Taft was appealed to today to take some action looking to the suppression of certain

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