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CLEAN-UP SALE
Toilet and laundry soap cut down to sell at no profit to us.
Sunny Monday
Glycerine White
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Toilet soap, box 25c
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Toilet soap, box 25c

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3 Bars 25c

FISH SALE
All the best brands of canned fish are included in this sale.
Sea Lion, domestic sardines, per can 5c
Sardines, can 10c
Gold Label and Underwood's sardines in oil, 3 cans 25c
Deep Sea Tuna, like chicken, per can 15c
Razer minced clams, flat can, 15c
Anchovies, large flat can 25c

DRIED FRUIT
Currants, big brand, 2 pgs. 25c
Seeded Raisins, Christmas cake, 2 packages 25c
Fancy Peaches, 2-lb. package, 35c
Fancy Prunes, 2-lb. package, 30c

CAUGHT!
On the Run About Town

Sleepily I roll and tumble, then I waken and I gasp; just what means this noise like thunder, which my quaking nerves doth rasp; sleepily I try to bring my absent spirit back to earth and to see if I am dreaming of the ocean's booming surf; who ever heard such fearful racket; such a clanking, whanging roar, suddenly a moment's silence; then that fearful noise once more; am I really in old Turkey facing allied cannon's boom; am I in old Vulcan's workshop, or am I still in my room; slowly I come back from dreamland, rub my sleepy eyes and lo! I am lying on my downy and the noise comes from below; surely I raise the window; gone is every chance for rest and the thoughts of vilest murder are now rampant in my breast; but my fighting mood soon passes and my thoughts I do refute; when I see a great, big husky throwing lump coal down a chute.

City Clerk William Smith has been receiving letters every week in regard to the system of street lighting in Missoula. The announcement that Missoula has installed this new system and the desire to learn what success is being met with here prompt the letters which are from other cities which are figuring on installing the new magnette arcs. Mr. Smith has been turning these communications over to the light company and Manager Sydney Lech has been giving out the information. "Missoula is getting lots of advertising from her new lighting system," said Mr. Smith. "Since the system has been installed here I have received on the average of two letters a week. Other cities are figuring on new lighting systems and they want to know how Missoula is making out. The Garden City is getting a good deal of advertising out of the new lights and that in addition to the perfect lights."

We Are Now Displaying a Very Pleasing Line of Christmas Goods

Below we give a partial list of our holiday line. Useful gifts that always please. They are serviceable and of practical daily value. We have endeavored to select such goods as would afford both satisfaction and saving to our customers.

FOR THE LADIES
Toilet Sets, all kinds.
Hair, Cloth and Hat Brushes.
Fine Christmas Stationery.
Manicure Sets, all kinds.
Imported and Domestic Perfumes.
Hair, Cloth and Hat Brushes.
Johnston's Gait's and McDonald's Candles.
All kinds of Toilet Waters.
Leather Cord Cases and Purses.
Conklin's Fountain Pens.

FOR THE MEN
Leather Tourist Cases.
Safety Razors, all kinds.
Ebony and Silver Military Brushes.
Smoking Sets.
Imported and Domestic Cigars.
Callish and Meerschaum Pipes.
Leather Purses, Bill and Pass Books.
Leather Chair and Card Cases.
Silver Shaving Sets.
Rubber-stamped Leather Brushes.

Christmas Cards and Letters
We are agents for the famous Davis (of Boston) line of Christmas letters and cards and have a very complete line. Every lady visiting our store this week will be given a sample of our Select Lily of the Valley perfume, as long as they last.

MISSOULA DRUG CO.
Wholesale and Retail Druggists

the least interested in the cause of equal suffrage, are cordially invited to have part in this pleasant social meeting.

Young People's Meeting.
The Young People's society of the German-English Evangelical Lutheran church will hold a business and social meeting this evening in the school building. All members and friends will be made most welcome.

A Birthday Surprise.
Mrs. E. L. Ruffner arranged a pleasant surprise for Major Ruffner, Monday evening, in the form of a dinner to celebrate his birthday. The table was artistically decorated with Christmas colors and about it were seated Colonel and Mrs. Maury Nichols, Captain and Mrs. E. B. Mitchell, Mrs. Bowen, Major and Mrs. Ruffner, Clark and Gretchen Ruffner.

Informal Dinner.
Mrs. Leonard was hostess at an informal dinner Sunday evening, in her home at Fort Missoula. Her guests were Colonel and Mrs. Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Foote and Mrs. Lyons.

Congregational Ladies.
The Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church will meet, Thursday, with Mrs. W. H. Smead at her home on Eddy avenue. All members and friends are invited to be present as there is much work to do in connection with the bazaar to be held by the society this week.

Gough-Meeks.
The marriage of Miss Rena Gough and O. P. Meeks was solemnized last evening at 6 o'clock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ward in Residence addition. Rev. J. W. Bennett performed the ceremony in the presence of about 25 relatives and intimate friends. Mrs. Newell Gough played Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" for the entrance of the bride party. The bride wore her traveling suit of dark blue cloth with hat and gloves to match. Mr. and Mrs. Meeks left last evening for their wedding journey, which will be an extended one through Arizona, California and old Mexico. They expect to return to their home in Frederick, Oklahoma, some time in the spring. Mr. Meeks is a prominent business man in that city.

Simes-Harrison.
Miss Villa C. Simes of Hadley, Minn., and O. T. Harrison, assistant cashier of the Farmers' and Merchants' State bank of Plains, were married at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the parsonage of the Presbyterian church. Rev. J. N. Maclean, D. D., performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Harrison will go today to their home at Plains.

Lina Sewing Circle.
Mrs. Charles Heckler entertained the Lina Sewing circle of the Daughters of Hermann lodge, yesterday afternoon at her home on North Fifth street. The members present were Mesdames Schatz, Walterskirchen, Wagner, Gierrog, Hubert, Schilling, Hicker, Wright, Lathrop, Horman, Matischewsky, Blindauer, Shogd, Hornsby, Bishop, Kunz; Mesdames Anna Schatz and Freda Heckler, while guests of the circle were Mesdames Ross, LaGrandeur, Stowe, Freund, Saeger, McDonald, Murphy and Pulliam. After a lively game of whist was played and prizes awarded, there was a tempting lunch served by the hostess assisted by her daughter. A feature of the pleasant affair was a surprise for Mrs. Theresa J. Walterskirchen who served a long and successful term as president of the circle. Mrs. Heckler made a clever speech and presented Mrs. Walterskirchen with a solid gold brooch bearing the emblem of the order of Sons and Daughters of Hermann in colored enamel. Notwithstanding her complete surprise and confusion, Mrs. Walterskirchen managed to make an appropriate speech of grateful appreciation of the beautiful remembrance.

The Start Takes More Time Than the Race

Start a savings account NOW and be there at the finish.

Three per cent. Interest on Savings.

The First National Bank
Missoula, Montana
CAPITAL AND SURPLUS \$400,000.00

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BEST-ELECTED MAN THE WRONG SAUSAGE IS JOHN MORIN KILLS VANSTONE

FORMER RESIDENT OF MISSOULA LEADS THE COUNTRY IN MAJORITIES.

MISSOULA MAN DIES AT LOCAL HOSPITAL FROM STRYCHNINE POISONING.

John M. Morin of Pittsburgh, formerly of Missoula and fondly remembered here, will go to Washington and take his seat in congress as the best-elected representative in the United States. This means that Mr. Morin's majority, 26,975, transcends that given any other candidate for membership in the lower house. He is a progressive.

The Pittsburgh Press has the following to say about Mr. Morin's record-breaking run: "The announcement in Harrisburg of the official count of the votes cast in Pennsylvania at the recent election brought a flood of congratulatory telegrams to Director John M. Morin of the department of public safety. The figures which are printed in another column show that Director Morin had the highest vote in the state for congressman-at-large. This news, following quickly the count showing that Director Morin led his ticket in Allegheny county, aroused great enthusiasm among his friends.

The friends of the director say that they have special cause for delight over the vote. They declare it stands as a rebuke to those who tried to besmirch the director in the midst of campaign. They are, perhaps, most delighted over the result in the county as showing the esteem in which the director is held in his home.

The Pittsburgh Dispatch, under a Washington date, carries this story: "John M. Morin of Pittsburgh will come to congress with the record of having obtained the largest majority given any member of the next house of representatives. The returns show that Morin had a total of 618,537 votes for congressman-at-large, and his highest opponent has 357,382. This gives Morin a majority of 260,975.

Members from Texas are claiming that the two members elected at large from that state will have the greatest majorities, but they have lost sight of Pennsylvania, where the conditions were such as to give the candidates-at-large such a large vote."

We Dive Pretty Deep

Into the merits of an article before even considering its admittance to this store. A few cents from this market are all you need to convince you that our meats are decidedly better than the ordinary, order a few for breakfast and there'll be no complaint about lack of appetite. Have some for lunch and the question of what to choose for that meal will never bother you again. Try them today.

Central Market
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West Main St.
Phones: Ind. 471 Bell 15

Since the announcement has been made that Secretary A. J. Brewster will not accept the position of state fair secretary, rumor and guesswork have taken the field and are now occupied in naming Mr. Brewster's successor as head of the local chamber of commerce. Among the names suggested is that of L. D. Howard, who has been a resident of Missoula for the past 12 years. Mr. Howard has traveled for the Day Produce company and is now here as a one-time, but now working insurance. Mr. Howard's wide experience and his familiarity with the needs of this district should enable him to fill the position satisfactorily if he is chosen for the place.

In Lou Kennedy's window on Higgins avenue can be seen as fresh as a sweet potato as anyone is likely to meet anywhere. It was discovered among a shipment of sweets received at "Wagoner's" store. Lou immediately called upon it and the potato is now a decorative feature of Kennedy's display window. It resembles an elephant and is an almost perfect reproduction. The trunk is slightly curved to one side, Mr. Kennedy improvised on the eyes and used very bad judgment in his selection of colors. One of the eyes is a blue matchhead and the other is red. A good many people viewed the freak yesterday.

Adam Thielens is making his yearly before Christmas visit in Missoula. He came out from the head of Windfall gulch, over WINDFALL snow which varied in depth from three to 11 feet. He will not stay long, however. "I have to hurry back," said he yesterday to the Man About Town. "There is no one to feed the cat. When I get home I'm going to take her over to Charlie. He is on Fish creek this winter, he went over there to be where the horses could get food. I'll take the cat over to him this spring. It's only 24 miles and the snow is not deep yet. We have great snow this winter; the ground is not frozen and there has been snow as deep as eleven feet already, but it has settled down to three feet now on the top of the divide. That means there will be no high water in the spring, but we will have good water all summer. That is always so when the snow comes in November and melts hard. Things are looking good in Windfall, with good water next summer we will have a good cleanup in the fall. I had a fine year this season. It has been good hunting, too, this fall. I killed one deer that was the biggest and fattest I ever saw. Over in Fish Creek Charlie has been having good hunting. He had some visitors last week. Herwig was there and got some deer. I wish I had not left my cat. Then I could stay longer, but I must hurry back now."

SALE OF FANCY ARTICLES.
The Ladies' Aid of the Christian church will hold a sale of fancy articles—handkerchiefs, aprons, work bags and home cooking—in the church parlors, Thursday afternoon and evening.—Adv.

FUNERAL TODAY.
The funeral of Mrs. Augusta Zinser, who died Monday morning, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Lucy chapel. Rev. Gustav Mertz will conduct the ceremony and interment will be in Missoula cemetery.

William Vanstone, aged 45, is dead of strychnine poisoning, taken some time during the early hours of yesterday at his home, 221 Union avenue. He died at the Northern Pacific hospital at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. It is not known whether or not he took the poison with suicidal intent, but as he writhed in pain, Vanstone told the hospital physicians that he had "fixed" a sausage "for a dog" and then had eaten the soft-sausage by mistake. He was alone in the house at the time and, he said, could call no one to his assistance. Here is the story of this case, as it was told to Coroner Marsh.

Coming home from the business district Monday night, Vanstone stopped at the home of a married daughter, Mrs. Dennis Nadeau, on North Fourth street. There he ate a midnight lunch, part of which consisted of wiener-wursts. Two or three of these he took on home with him. He was the only occupant of the house that night, his wife and a younger daughter being at the Nadeau home. Before he left Mrs. Nadeau's residence, Vanstone threatened to kill himself, she told the coroner. "Don't do that," she is said to have answered, "but come over for breakfast in the morning." Vanstone is said to have replied: "If I don't come, you come after me."

At noon he had not arrived and Mrs. Nadeau dispatched her youngest sister, aged about 12, to see what was the matter. The child found her father in agony. He instructed her to get "Babe" in a hurry. "Babe" is Mrs. Nadeau, who arrived as soon as possible and assisted in having Vanstone hurried to the hospital. There he said that he had been in spasms all night and all day but that he "couldn't get out to call anybody." He explained in detail how he had bit one of the sausages open and had sprinkled its inside with crystals of strychnine. "I hid it on the table," he said, "and pretty soon I picked one of them up and ate it. I guess I must have gotten hold of the wrong one. I wanted to poison a dog."

A small bottle of strychnine, two-thirds full, was found on the table.

Members of the family have stated to Mr. Marsh that they did not believe Vanstone sincere in his threat to kill himself, as he had done them many times before that he intended to commit suicide.

William (Bill) Vanstone was well known about Missoula and had many friends. He was for years a member of the local fire department and had been in the employ of the Northern Pacific, having charge of the heating plant. Lately he held a similar position at the Northern Pacific hospital. He was just returned from a hunting trip. He had been in Missoula a quarter of a century.

Last night Coroner Marsh notified a brother living in Hope, Idaho, and the dead man's parents, whose home is in Malta, Ill. Vanstone is survived by three daughters, three brothers, his wife and his father and mother.

"There will be no inquest," says the coroner, "unless there are developments."

HELP FOR FAMILY GIFTS

Gifts for the home are welcome in every household and may be given as individual gifts or to the whole family collectively. Most families appreciate a pretty and useful article for the home far more than small individual gifts which are of no particular use to anyone.

We gladly lay any purchase aside. All goods bought of us are engraved by us free of charge.

Kohn Jewelry Company
Florence Hotel Building

Carving Sets	Ramekins	Metal Wares
Sterling Silver	Mantle Clocks	Alarm Clocks
Coffee Percolators	Sets of Forks	Steak Planks
Chafing Dishes	Bronzes or Pottery	Pan Dishes
Toast Racks	Dinner Gongs	Jardiniere
Cut Glass	Knives and Forks	Crumb Trays
Casseroles	Silver Plate	Candlesticks
		Flower Vases

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Kurtzmann, Knabe, Baby Grand piano, musical instruments and sheet music.
Next to Golden Rule Store.

MRS. R. R. CASE IS DEAD.

Mrs. Martha Case has received news of the death of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Robert R. Case, who passed away in Manila, November 2. Mrs. Robert Case had many friends in Missoula, which was her home for many years before she went to the orient to join her husband. She had been ill for a year. A crooked fever brought on the sickness which caused death. Besides her husband, Mrs. Case left five daughters.

NOTICE.

Now stock fish, 2 K Norway herring and L'Anon berries at Broman's, 622 Woody street.—Adv.

That fifteen-cent smoke, five cents.—Adv.

Roberts Marshall
315 SO. HIGGINS

South Side Grocers
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Piquant Sauces

CAPER SAUCE BOTTLE.....35c
The kind to use with mutton.
CHILI SAUCE, each.....30c
Miller's Chili Sauce, sweet and delicious.
MANDALAY SAUCE.....35c
"Hoi's" product compounded of the spices and herbs of the East Indies.
OYSTER COCKTAIL.....25c
Just try it, that's all.
TOBACCO SAUCE.....50c
Hot enough for the coldest day.
TOMATO BOUILLON.....30c
Fine for Meat and Soups.
WORCESTERSHIRE.....35c
Lou & Perrin's, the standard old variety.

LOCAL SOCIETY

German Ladies Meet.
The Ladies' Aid society of the German Evangelical Lutheran church will meet this afternoon at the school building. All members and friends are cordially invited to be present.

Missionary Meeting Postponed.
The regular meeting of the Baptist Ladies' Missionary society which should be this week, will be postponed until a later date. There will, however, be a meeting of the advisory board this evening in the church.

A Suffrage Tea.
The ladies of the Sixth precinct will give a suffrage tea, this afternoon, from 2:30 o'clock until 6, at the home of Mrs. S. H. Russell, 405 South Sixth street east. All ladies who are in

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Or broil a steak, or fry a chop—no matter what kind or cut of meat, if you bought it from us it will be juicy and tender. There are no choice cuts in this shop to be sold at fancy prices. All our meats are of high quality and bring fair prices. We lose no customers, but we gain new ones all the time.

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