



The Last Saturday of the Big Mid-Season Sale

Only three more days of our Mid-Season Sale—three days of money-saving for you. Seasonable merchandise that you need now, not later on, at a saving in price. This mid-season will positively end Wednesday, when the doors close at 6 o'clock.

Only Three More Days to Buy Suits, Silk and Wool Dresses at A Saving of One-Fifth

Where can you find a better investment than which we are offering you? If the banks in Missoula would offer you 20 per cent for your money you would be the first one there when they opened up. We are offering you dependable, seasonable, up-to-date merchandise, suits and dresses right now when you need them, at a saving—not at the end of the season, but in the middle of the season. Some of you that need suits and dresses haven't realized what this means to you. You still have today, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday to act. They then go back to their regular prices.

Remember, One-Fifth Off

THE NEW SPRING COATS

10 Per Cent Off on All the New Spring Coats for Misses and Women

Buy your spring coat here now at a reduction which lasts only during our mid-season sale. Here you will find the season's newest novelties in style, material and colors.

Our mid-season sale offers you opportunities to buy your summer supply of tailored waists at a big saving to you. It will pay you to inspect the waist stock and see.



SPECIAL

The June Pictorial Review patterns are now on sale. Mail orders for patterns require 2 cents extra for postage.

The summer quarterly fashion book is now on sale.

NEW SCHOOL LAWS EXPLAINED

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT SETS FORTH IMPORTANT CHANGES IN LETTER TO TEACHERS.

After making a thorough study of the new laws as codified by the last legislature, County Superintendent Edna Reinhard has selected some of the points of change of special interest to teachers and incorporated them in the following letter, copies of which have been sent to every teacher of the county:

The Letter.

Teachers of Missoula County—Dear Teachers: As you know there are several changes in our school laws, and as many of them are very important to you, I trust this letter may prove helpful in some ways.

"The teachers' examinations come the last Thursday, Friday and Saturday in the months of April, August, October and February. The second grade certificate is the lowest grade issued. The subjects required are reading, writing, arithmetic, spelling, grammar, geography, physiology, United States history, civics (federal and Montana), and theory and art of teaching. This certificate is valid in any county in the state for a period of 18 months. The first grade certificate requires the applicant to be examined in the subjects required for the second grade certificate and these additional subjects: American literature, physical geography, elementary algebra, through quadratics and school management. The applicant must have had 12 months of successful teaching experience, having passed a successful examination in all the subjects named and in these additional subjects, physics, plane geometry and elementary psychology.

"Any teacher who attends the University of Montana summer school and obtains credits for work done will be entitled to have the grade raised on his or her certificate a certain number of points in the subjects studied. Any teacher attending the Montana Normal college summer session, and who finishes the subjects studied and obtains credit for the work, will be given the grade upon his or her certificate obtained at the normal without further examination.

"A certificate of attendance at any reputable summer school for teachers will, when recorded with the county superintendent of schools, be sufficient to excuse any teacher from attending the teachers' institute. Any grade of 80 per cent or more in any subject will excuse a teacher from writing upon that subject again unless it is the wish of the applicant. This applies to second grade as well as other certificates. Thus, a teacher writing for a certificate for the first time, and failing to secure the certificate, would be required to rewrite upon only those subjects in which the applicant fell below 80 per cent.

"The questions in theory and art of teaching, school management, reading and elementary psychology are usually based upon some one book. Lists of the books chosen are always published in 'The Inter-Mountain Educator,' our state paper, which no Montana teacher can afford to be without.

"Trusting that this information may prove of some help to you, and wishing each and all of you an enjoyable, beneficial and inspiring vacation, and assuring you that I am at your service at all times, I am, very sincerely yours,

EDNA REINHARD, County Superintendent.

IMPROVED IRRIGATED Farm Loans 8% THREE, FIVE, TEN YEARS With Privileges GEO. F. BROOKS Real Estate and Loans First National Bank Building

MR. AND MRS. FENDRICH LOSE LITTLE DAUGHTER

The sudden death of Margaret Mary, five-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Fendrich, shortly after noon yesterday, brought a shock and sincere sorrow to the large circle of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fendrich in this city. The baby has been delicate since birth, but her parents had been encouraged to believe that she was gaining strength and would soon be quite well. The funeral service will be held this morning at 11 o'clock at the family residence, 1620 South Second street. Rev. Father DeLeon, will conduct the service and interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

HERE IS WARNING FOR THE PROFANE

B. W. Bown, who was arrested Wednesday night for using offensive language on the street, was tried in the police court yesterday. He complained that police officers had been trailing him, and pleaded not guilty. The evidence against him was sustained in a short time, however, and Judge Von Platen named a fine of \$10. Bown desired to write away the penalty in jail instead of paying the fine, but before he could be imprisoned relatives sent the money and he was freed.

DEAN OF WOMEN HOME.

Miss Mary Stewart, dean of women at the university, returned yesterday from her trip to the eastern part of the state. While away she lectured before the Woman's club of Billings and also inspected several high schools in the neighborhood of Billings.

WARRANT CALL.

On presentation at my office I will pay outstanding warrants of the city of Missoula, as follows: All general fund warrants registered prior to July 3, 1911, and being warrants number 11,897 to 11,782 inclusive. Interest will cease on above warrants after April 25, 1913. GEORGE P. PORTER, City Treasurer. Dated April 25, 1913.

FRESHMEN TO DRESS BIG "M" TODAY

CLIMBING OF SENTINEL, PICNIC LUNCH AND DANCE WILL MAKE RED LETTER DAY.

If the side of Mount Sentinel appears to be in possession of some invading army this afternoon no alarm need be felt, for the spectacle of tumult will be only the university freshmen giving the big "M" its annual spring dressing. Today will be very much red letter for the freshmen. The afternoon and early evening will be spent on the hill repainting and strengthening the "M" and in the enjoyment of a picnic spread which will follow the work. In the evening they will be guests at the long-deferred junior dance. This dance was won by the frosh from the upper-classmen by a basketball victory on Charter day, but the juniors have succeeded in "stalling off" the first-year men until, to escape the epithet, "cheap sports," they were forced to give the ball.

The letter on the hill was built by the sophomore class when its members were freshmen last year, and the stunt of repainting was assigned to this year's freshmen. The custom of giving the care of the "M" into the hands of each incoming class will be made annual. Some sort of landmark will be left by each class as it performs its task on the letter.

MURDER CHARGED TO WOMAN.

Vancouver, B. C., April 25.—Following the verdict of a coroner's jury last night Mrs. Ida L. Ironmonger, aged 35, a maternity nurse and mother of four children, was arrested on a charge of having murdered Mrs. Nellie Chestnut Anderson, who died April 23, under suspicious circumstances.

SATURDAY SPECIAL Old Jordan Whisky Eight Years Old \$1.00 A BOTTLE Today Only Goods delivered to any part of the city.

SOLOMON'S FAMILY LIQUOR STORE Bell, 57—Phones—Ind., 594. 115 E. Main St.

WORDEN'S GROCERY

SATURDAY SPECIALS

- Three pounds eastern creamery butter \$1.00
- Fresh ranch eggs, per dozen 25c
- Three cans corn 25c
- Three cans string beans for 25c
- 18 pounds sugar \$1.00
- Three one-pound packages white figs 25c
- One-half box family soda crackers 85c
- 100-pound sack of potatoes 40c
- Bran, per sack \$1.15
- Oats, per cwt. \$1.35
- Wheat per cwt. \$1.50
- Hay, per cwt. 75c
- Chop feed, per cwt. \$1.60
- Straw, bale 35c
- Whole corn, cwt. \$1.65
- Cracked corn, cwt. \$1.75

Fresh fruit and vegetables at reasonable prices.

Spinach, lettuce, tomatoes, green onions, radishes, cucumbers, celery and cauliflower.

Strawberries, oranges, bananas, pineapples, apples and grape fruit, all fresh.

Make your husband happy Sunday by purchasing a neat package of 25 5-cent cigars for only 85c.

Make the wife happy Monday by purchasing One No Rub wash board for 40c

10 bars of soap 25c Watch these Specials Every Saturday

Garden City Auto Repair Shop 107 Pattee Street The best equipped shop in western Montana. Light machine and automobile repairing and overhauling. S. G. CHAFFEY, Mgr.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Magazines, P. O. news stand. Shoes—Mapes & Mapes—Shoes. Ben Morris of Sunset had business in Missoula yesterday.

Fresh roasted coffee at Ellsberry's. Special sale popular music 10c. Orvis Music house.

Fred Gilbert of Lolo spent the day on business in Missoula. Beautiful new pumps and Oxfords in suedes, patens, gummetal, tans and red—AA to EE—Mapes & Mapes.

F. G. Hopkins was here yesterday on business from Sloan. Reeves' Meat Market. Both phones. If you want 8 per cent money talk to Taylor & Pearson.

W. C. Irwin of Hamilton was a visitor in the city yesterday. Dr. Willard, osteopath, 1st Natl. bank.

Dr. Louise Smith, osteopath, Masonic temple. Phone 618; res. 533 red. A. W. Schultz of Carlton had business in the city yesterday.

Send us your mail orders on new spring shoes and Oxfords. We pay the parcel post charges. Mapes & Mapes.

George W. Rhodes was a visitor in the city yesterday from Clinton. We will clean your wall paper and guarantee results. Lutz, Ind. 2391.

Marsh, the undertaker, phone 231. Charles Allard of Polson came into the city on business yesterday. Dr. Ward, veterinarian. Both phones.

Wanted—Good 8 per cent city loans. Wheelon-Rossi Co. E. A. Hannah of Phillipsburg spent the day with friends in Missoula.

Special sale popular music 10c. Orvis Music House. We pay parcel post charges on all mail orders on shoes and Oxfords. New goods are in. Mapes & Mapes.

E. L. Brennan, a business man from DeBorgia, visited Missoula yesterday. Stenographer Dawson, Montana Bk. Money to loan on ranch and city property. H. D. Fisher, 113 E. Main.

Mrs. Gertz and Mrs. Cheatham of Hamilton, spent the day visiting and shopping in the city. Handy scratch pads and walter checks for sale at The Missoulian office.

White shoes and white Oxfords at Mapes & Mapes. Dr. M. H. Kuhl left last evening by automobile for Pullman Spair to attend some sick horses at the McQuar-

rie lumber camps. Dr. Kuhl will return this forenoon and leave for Carlton shortly after noon. R. W. Angevine is expected to return today from a business trip to Butte and Great Falls.

Money to loan on chattel security. Room 210, Montana Bk. Ask for new descriptive catalogue. Missoula Nursery company.

A son was born yesterday at St. Patrick's hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Riley Eldridge of St. Ignace. Dainty suede button Oxfords, gray, brown and black, at Mapes & Mapes.

F. G. Moore, chiropractor, Ham. Bk. Any disease: exam. free. Bell 1084. Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Smith moved yesterday into an apartment of the Cyr flats, 143 South Fifth street east.

R. V. Johnston, pianist, American theater; teaches piano, theory, etc. Farmers—a few pairs of \$5.00 knee boots at \$3.75. Mapes & Mapes.

A son was born yesterday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hansen at their home, 1819 South Fifth street west. Dr. Anna James, osteopath, Higgins block. Phone 834 black.

Special sale popular music 10c. Orvis Music House. Miss Frances Anderson has gone to Victor to be the guest of Miss Norma Fowler for two days during the Victor school track meet.

Frank Borg, optician; glasses correctly fitted. 221 Higgins avenue. R. M. Cobban Realty company has moved to rooms 69-70 Higgins block.

Gravel Young, county attorney of Sanders county, was a visitor in Missoula yesterday, having important legal business in hand. Martin's Art Needle Shop. Cloaks, suits and dresses on the way to Missoula's new postoffice.

R. J. Cobban and E. B. Barnard were in the city yesterday from Butte, both gentlemen representing the West-Ingoussis General Electric company. Fishermen—a few pairs of those \$7.50 hip boots at \$5.00 at Mapes & Mapes.

C. H. McLeod of this city and Harry C. Keith of Kalspell have gone for an automobile trip up the Bitter Root valley. They expect to be away for two days. Humane society. Call up 899, red or black. P. O. box 60. R. F. D. 1.

Newton H. Schweiker, optical specialist. Rooms 203-205 Montana Bk. Attorney Walter W. Patterson, assistant division counsel for the Northern Pacific railway, spent the day in Missoula, looking after legal business for the company.

S. W. Hudson, chiropractor, B. & A. Bldg. Any disease. Examinations free. W. B. Geary, vice president of the Capital National bank of St. Paul, visited friends in Missoula yesterday, and incidentally looked after various matters of business.

Photo coupons, not out of date, issued to Missoula county people by any photographer will be redeemed at the Ward studio. W. M. Farley of Darby underwent an operation Thursday at St. Patrick's hospital. The attending physician yesterday reported him to be in good condition for recovery.

Mrs. S. E. Jarvis, Goodwin corsetiers, will open parlors in Hammond block May 1. Ladies are invited to inspect the much-favored corset. H. P. Rockwell of New York and George H. Haisley of Spokane spent yesterday in Missoula on business for the Yawman & Erb company of Roch-

ester, N. Y. Mr. Rockwell is agency manager of the dealers' department for the company and this is his first visit in Montana. Miss Antoinette Hofstetter of the forest service, has been enjoying a visit with Miss Grace Donovan of Lommon, S. D., for the past few days. The young lady departed yesterday for Pacific coast points.

The regular monthly meeting of the Western Montana Building & Loan association will be held at No. 115 Higgins avenue, this evening.

The Theaters

Empress.

"The Bride of the South." Captain Wendell, sojourning in Fairfax, Va., falls in love with Diana Mosby, the daughter of Colonel William Mosby, and after a romantic courtship proposes and is accepted. As the lover goes to get Mosby's consent the old man receives a letter from General Robert E. Lee, telling him that war with the north is inevitable, and asking him to prepare a recruit regiment. Mosby offers Captain Wendell a commission, but Jack remains loyal to his uniform, and old Mosby becomes enraged and orders him away, telling him no union sympathizer can marry his daughter. Jack receives orders from the department of war and reports to his regiment. Colonel Mosby leaves for the front, cheered by the people who line the streets. Sometime later Jack's regiment captures Fairfax, Va., after a thrilling battle, in which many lives were lost, and the cannon and bombs create much destruction. News of the capture of his home town reaches Mosby, and he determines to penetrate the union lines to assure himself of his daughter's safety. Wendell rushes to the home of Diana, and she is so overjoyed at seeing him again that he has little difficulty in persuading her to marry him. Mosby has some daring adventures with union soldiers, but finally reaches home. He attacks Captain Wendell with a drawn pistol, but Diana throws herself in front of Jack, crying, "Don't shoot dad, he's my husband!" The old man is furious, but is forced to depart by the arrival of a squad of soldiers who are on his trail. Wendell saves him by denying having seen him, thus throwing the soldiers off the track. Two weeks later Colonel Mosby with a strong force attacks Fairfax and recaptures the city. The fight is terrific, thrilling infantry and cavalry charges being shown. The bridge across the river is blown up by the union soldiers to check the advance of the confederates, but the cavalry charges into the water and fights its way across the stream. Captain Wendell is killed and Colonel Mosby is shot through the arm. Covered with blood, and his mangled arm dangling at his side, Mosby dashes into his own home, Diana attempting an affectionate greeting, but the maddened Colonel drives her from the house. Diana gives birth to a child who grows into a beautiful girl and is the means of bringing her mother and grandfather together again, but not until there are many strong scenes through the last half of the film.

Relief Department TO GIVE BIG DANCE

The Fire Department Relief association of Missoula announces its first dance to be held at Elite hall on the evening of May 15. The organization is the cooperation of firemen for the purpose of taking over and handling the firemen's disability fund collected by the city, the plan being made possible under one of the laws of the last legislature. Committees have been appointed and the association promises to make it mighty pleasant for its friends upon the occasion of its first ball, one that will probably be made annual.

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Devoe Paint is right according to many years of practical experience. It's a scientific paint; it costs less for a job, and the final cost—the wear—is cheaper for you. Whatever painter you get, insist on Devoe; if he doesn't like it, get another painter. We're back of the paint.

Simons Paint and Paper House, Agent

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Large tract farm and grazing land, fine soil and good water right, for unnumbered city property. Also small farm, very fine with good water right for clear and choice city property. A fine modern 6-room dwelling for \$3,500. One-half in town lots.

W. H. SMEAD COMPANY Higgins Block Phone 212 Red. Missoula, Mont.

Chicken Dinner.

Chicken dinner at Margaret hotel. Bonner, every Sunday evening at 5:30 o'clock.

The Popular Route Through the Land of Fortune NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY

Four through electric lighted flyers daily each way, operating between Chicago, St. Louis, Twin Cities, Duluth, Superior and Seattle, Tacoma and Portland, passing through Missoula at convenient hours, affording excellent service to travelers.

All through trains carry standard and tourist sleeping cars, coaches and the famous Northern Pacific dining cars, on which are served the "Great Big Baked Potato."

Arrive.	WEST BOUND	Leave.
10:40 p. m.	No. 1	10:50 p. m.
12:40 p. m.	No. 3	12:50 p. m.
11:59 p. m.	No. 5	12:09 a. m.
8:20 a. m.	No. 41	8:30 a. m.
EAST BOUND		
5:18 p. m.	No. 2	5:28 p. m.
7:20 a. m.	No. 4	7:30 a. m.
8:28 p. m.	No. 6	8:40 p. m.
6:35 p. m.	No. 42	6:45 p. m.
BITER ROOT BRANCH		
4:20 p. m.	No. 205	8:40 a. m.
8:25 a. m.	No. 206	3:25 p. m.
COEUR D'ALENE BRANCH		
4:15 p. m.	No. 193	11:35 a. m.
11:30 a. m.	No. 195	
10:10 p. m.	No. 196	8:45 a. m.
	No. 197	
	No. 198	4:30 p. m.

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