

FRUIT SHIPPED FREE FOR EXHIBITION IN MISSOULA

STATE SOCIETY TO HAVE BIG PROGRAM AND MAKE EXHIBIT A FEATURE.

State Horticulturist M. J. Dean returned home yesterday morning from a trip through northern Montana and the Flathead country, where he has been on general inspection work.

Mr. Dean is now busy preparing a premium list and program of the coming season. It will be published in about 10 days or two weeks.

SAVAGE WILL LECTURE IN RESERVATION TOWNS

St. Ignace, Dec. 23.—(Special)—H. N. Savage, supervising engineer for the reclamation service for the northern division, has accepted invitations from local commercial clubs and will talk on reclamation work at St. Ignace on December 26, at 2 p. m., and at Polson on December 27, at 2 p. m.

Drilled in Scotland and sold throughout the world. JOHNNIE WALKER—Born 1820—Still Going Strong. Yerricks, Distributor, 121 West Front—Adv.

Wheat and Oats \$1.25 100 Lbs. Good Hay 70c per 100

I have just purchased 4,000 bushels of this fine wheat and have special prices on ton lots while unloading cars while now on track.

W. B. BURKHART THE CASH GROCERY One-Half Block South of Lowell Bell Phone 272. Ind. 2688.

LOCAL BREVITIES

87 money to loan. J. M. Price Co.—Adv.

George Rhodes was in the city yesterday from Clinton. Magazines, Smoke House, E. Cedar—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Monson were here yesterday from Arlee.

You will regret it if you do not see an Edison Disc—Orvis—Adv.

N. J. Tillman of Florence had business in the city yesterday.

Christmas wreaths, 36c—Nursery store, Montana block, Bell 192—Adv.

Charles Parrell was a visitor in the city yesterday from St. Ignace.

Field date coal, \$4.25 ton. Bell 19.

R. H. Kilburn was in the city on business yesterday from Ovando.

Money to loan. Houston Realty Co.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Dalbey of Arlee visited Missoula yesterday.

Learn to dance the tango according to Maurice. Ind. 2682—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Britton were visitors in Missoula yesterday from Arlee.

Beautiful party slippers from New York—Mapes & Mapes—Adv.

Mrs. Edna Kammerle left Saturday for Los Angeles where she will spend the winter.

Music bags 25 per cent on dollar. Hoyt-Dickinson Piano Co.—Adv.

W. R. Gassecock has returned from Ovando to spend the week with his family in this city.

Dr. Anna James, osteopath, Higgins block, Phone 834 Black—Adv.

Miss Orpha O'Neal is here from Plains, to spend the holidays with Miss Verena Lindfors.

Will you listen to just one record and be convinced—Edison Disc—Orvis—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McNally and John Rice were among the arrivals in Missoula yesterday from Ovando.

Dr. Louise Smith, osteopath, Masonic temple, Phone 618; res. 533 Red—Adv.

Mrs. Fannie G. Kinney is a guest in the city from Thompson. She will be here about 30 days and later go to California for the winter. Mrs. Tom

Kinney came with her into Missoula to spend the week with Mrs. John Rankin. Mr. Kinney will join the family party today.

Ruling Pachen of Big Fork called on some of his friends in Missoula yesterday and left later for Helena.

Laugh and grow fat at the Dog and Monkey Hotel, at the Bijou theater tonight.

N. G. Tevis came in from his home near Florence yesterday for a day of visiting and shopping in Missoula.

Sheet music. Largest collection of new songs in city. Hoyt-Dickinson Piano Co.—Adv.

Mrs. Effie Burgett of this city was operated upon yesterday morning at St. Patrick's hospital.

Closing out all Victor machines and records at 20 per cent discount at Orvis—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Polleys arrived in Missoula yesterday after a wedding journey through cities of the northwest.

Handy scratch pads and waiter checks for sale at The Missoulian office—Adv.

Mrs. Frank P. Chapman and little baby went home to Dixon yesterday after being for two weeks at St. Patrick's hospital.

Violins—Closing out our stock at half price, \$3 and up. Hoyt-Dickinson Piano Co.—Adv.

Miss Lutchenger, who was operated upon 19 days ago at St. Patrick's hospital, was able to leave the hospital yesterday.

Closing out all Victor machines and records at 20 per cent discount at Orvis—Adv.

Mrs. T. J. McAdams and Mrs. A. C. Walker came into the city yesterday from Alberton to do Christmas shopping.

Stenographer, Dawson, Montana Bk.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith leave this morning for Butte there to spend Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. James Track.

Closing out all Victor machines and records at 20 per cent discount at Orvis—Adv.

Mrs. Duncan Fisher and two children came into the city from Keystone yesterday. They will be here over Christmas.

Best carnations in town, \$1 per dozen, for Christmas—Bell 192—Adv.

Mrs. Al Rissman, who has been for two weeks under a physician's care in this city, will leave today for her home in Darby.

Marsh, the undertaker, Phone 321—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitesitt of Corvallis were in Missoula yesterday upon their return from a month's visit in Illinois and Missouri.

Dr. Willard, osteopath, First National bank—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. James Adams have come from Thompson Falls to spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Brown.

Dancing pumps and slippers from New York—Mapes & Mapes—Adv.

A. D. Cox of Nevada, Mo., is here to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cox. He will go later to Los Angeles for the winter.

Money to loan on ranch and city property. H. D. Fisher, 113 E. Main—Adv.

Mrs. John Pope came over from Butte yesterday to spend Christmas with relatives. Mr. Pope will come to Missoula on the local Christmas morning.

One demonstration will convince the hearer—Edison Disc Phonograph—Orvis—Adv.

Professor L. J. Ayer returned yesterday from St. Ignace and Leon, where he gave university extension lectures, his subject being "Social Unrest."

The Missoulian has the best duplicating second sheets for letters, \$1.00 per 1,000—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Ferbrache will come from Hamilton today to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Morrell and little Miss Frances Alexander Morrell.

Best holly, 25c a pound—Nursery store, Montana block, Bell 192—Adv.

W. J. Tiedt, formerly of Darby, returned to his home in this city yesterday, after an extended visit in eastern cities, particularly in New York and Washington.

Miss Laura Johnson, who is attending Coeur d'Alene college at Coeur d'Alene City, Idaho, has come to spend the holiday vacation with her mother in this city.

Full line of records for the Edison Disc Phonograph just received, Orvis—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Williams and their children will go this afternoon to Lolo to spend Christmas in the home of Mrs. William's parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Hollensteiner.

Drop in any time—you will find others listening to it—Edison Disc—Orvis—Adv.

Harvey Avery was able to be removed to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Avery, yesterday, after being for a month in the Northern Pacific Railway hospital.

Dr. Ward, veterinarian Both phones—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Campbell of Stevensville spent the day in Missoula. They have been for the last three weeks traveling through the Canadian northwest and are now on their way home.

See our assortment of plants for Christmas—Nursery store, Mont. Bk.—Adv.

Thomas McNicholas of Butte applied yesterday for homestead entry on 40 acres including unit "A," the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 11, township 19 north, range 21 west.

Mrs. Marlon Parks and daughter, Miss Ethel Parks, came into Missoula from the Bitter Root Inn yesterday to meet Mr. Parks who was to return from a business trip to Kansas City and other points east.

Mrs. Nell Helwig and Mrs. E. L. Guyas accompanied by John Blake came into Missoula yesterday from Deer Lodge. They will be guests in

Come to The Golden Rule Store TODAY The Last Day Before Christmas--- The Store of Practical Gifts.

For the last minute shoppers we want to say that our stocks are still complete. This is the store of practical gifts—the kind that gives a lasting remembrance. Today is the last you can shop before Christmas, so be sure to come in today—if possible, in the morning, as you will get better service.

Furs for Gift Purposes in Our Closing-Out Sale at One-Third and One-Half Off

Special Xmas Sale of Silk Hose. One or more pairs of silk hose make a nice gift and one that is appreciated by any woman, and before buying them elsewhere come here and see the saving in price our special Christmas sale offers you.

FURS. Make a very handsome gift, indeed, and right now, while our Closing Out Sale on all ready-to-wear is on, you can buy them at a saving of one-half to one-third less. Special 65c Spun Silk Scarfs, Each 50c.

GLOVES Are welcomed by everyone. Everyone needs gloves; one can't have too many pairs. So you're safe in giving them. Golf Gloves, Mocha gloves, Fabric Gloves, English cape and two-clasp French kid.

The Christmas Handkerchief Store of Missoula. Buy your Christmas handkerchiefs here. Hundreds of different kinds to choose from. Prices range from two for 5c and up to \$1.50 each.

You Will Find Just What You Want Here for Him. A Gift of Gloves, Men's Handkerchiefs, Men's Sweater Coats, Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, Men's Sets Garters and Arm Bands.

COEN-FISHER CO. The Store open this evening. A Blow to the Cost of Living! Speak of the cost of living and most men cite comparisons without end—How much more meat costs. How much more coal costs. How much more clothes cost.

Missoula Mercantile Co. A Delayed Shipment Game Boards Specially Priced at One-Third Less Than Regular. No. 1 Crown Combination Game Boards, cuts show both sides, on which fifty-six different games may be played.