

ANACONDA, MONTANA, SUNDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 10, 1895.

Realm of Society

ANOTHER B will have to be added to the name of the B. and B. club which has been such a popular conductor of social affairs in Anaconda for several years. The ladies have now lent a hand and propose to help the Bachelors and Benedict's in the matter of entertainment, therefore the name will have to be amended to read the Belles, Bachelors and Benedict's club. The postponement of the party caused a disappointment to many, but was a very tender and appropriate tribute to the bereaved ones. Next Thursday evening, however, there will be one of the finest affairs of the season at the Montana. Dancing will begin promptly at 9 o'clock, this by the special advice and request of the ladies, and is a decree unchangeable. Professor Kennicott has collected, at the instance of the Belles, a fine orchestra, headed by Van Orton of Butte, and the music will surely be superb. Lunch will be served at midnight. The ball is in honor of the lady guests journeying in the city and will be as complete in appointment as the leaders of society know how to make it. Dr. Spelman returned yesterday from his tour of eastern cities. Miss Hattie McCarthy visited friends in Butte yesterday. R. Hay Anderson of Ponsobny was a guest in this city Friday. Mrs. W. C. Murphy and daughter Helen of Missoula were guests of Mrs. M. B. Miles during the week, and expect to visit friends in Butte this week. Misses Grace Wisner, Mary Congdon and Adolph Charette have been selected to represent the Delta Sigmas in a joint debate with the Butte high school, March 8, at the auditorium. Mrs. James Shields entertained at dinner Sunday last J. McMurray and I. C. Williams. Mrs. D. Cohen was the guest of Butte friends this week. Walter S. Hayes of Helena visited friends in Anaconda on Thursday. D. J. Hennessy of Butte was in Anaconda several days this week. A party of young folks had a very jolly sleigh ride on Thursday evening. They drove about the city and down the valley, and made the hills ring with their shouts of fun. The merry makers were Misses Lingo, Nash, Mary Jones, Laura Beebe, Clara Thrahen, Florence Stevens and Annie Tucker; Messrs. J. Congdon, Archie Lingo, W. F. Graham, Robert Ball, George Martz and Jesse Fitzpatrick. E. J. Nadeau has returned from the East. His father, who is sick, called him away, was much improved in health. Miss Nellie Shea has been quite sick this week with la grippe. D. B. Turner of Revenue was a visitor with friends Wednesday. Misses Cornelia FitzPatrick and Grace Wisner were the guests of friends in Butte the first of the week. A pretty wedding was celebrated at St. Paul's Catholic church Wednesday morning, when Moses Riberdie and Miss Christina Peterson were married by Rev. Father Allaya. The bridesmaid was Miss Etta Dalton and the groomsmen were Alex Saure. The happy couple will be at home at 407 Chestnut street, after a wedding tour of Montana cities. Miss Grace M. McFarland of this city and John B. Fisher, county clerk and recorder of Deer Lodge, were married in Helena last Monday evening. The bride was one of Anaconda's brightest and fairest young ladies, and the groom one of the prominent young men of the state. They are at home in Deer Lodge on South Main street. Attorney John Lindsay of Butte was in Anaconda Tuesday. Mrs. William Coleman of Deer Lodge visited her sister, Mrs. W. J. Matthews, this week for a few days. Conrad Kohrs of Deer Lodge was in Anaconda Monday last. W. H. Gehrmann of Butte was in Anaconda for a few hours last Monday. Herman Moses and bride of Butte were in the city last Sunday on their wedding trip. Major Dawson and wife of Butte were guests at the Montana last Sunday. On Sunday afternoon a crowd of young people enjoyed a sleigh ride down the valley and a dinner at Warm Springs. Those who made the trip were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard, Misses Navarro, Dumphy, Beebe, McCarthy and Nason, Messrs. Healey, Smith, Moore, Ainslie and Berry. A delegation of Sunday visitors, composed of Messrs. J. V. Long, Joseph A. Lewis, Dr. W. M. Schultz and John Maginnis came over from Butte and enjoyed the Sabbath day with their friends in this city. W. E. Hall of Butte was in this city yesterday and called on many friends. Mrs. A. G. McIntyre and daughter Ruby of Walkerville, are the guests of Mrs. F. W. Harrison for a few days. Mrs. J. V. Long returned to Butte Thursday, after a pleasant visit with friends. The Ladies' reading club is having very pleasant and enjoyable afternoons every Monday in the Montana hotel parlors. Romola is the book under discussion. St. Mark's guild will meet with Mrs. W. E. Bond at the Montana hotel on Thursday afternoon. A nansy high five was given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. C. H. Williams at her home on Hickory street in honor of her cousin, Miss Biekenbach of Burlington, Iowa. The partners and tables were assigned by vari-colored pannies, which were selected by the guests at the opening of the afternoon's pleasure. Fifteen of the young ladies of the city were present, and sat down to four tables to test their skill and enjoy the game. Miss Lizzie Evans won the first prize, a china bon bon dish, and Miss Barnes the consolation prize, an after dinner coffee set. The fa-

vors were pannies, hand-painted and were beautiful souvenirs of the occasion. The guests present were: Misses Hattie Evans, Lizzie Evans, Kate Evans, Barnes, Coburn, Peters, Melloy, Dorothy Surprenant, Durston, Rueger, Gleeson, MacDonald, Douglas, Henderson of Salt Lake, and McKenzie. IN BUTTE. BUTTE, Feb. 9.—Sleigh ride parties and ice skating have been the main features of the week. The ice rink has been crowded, and big sleigh loads of merry people have gone in every direction out of town during the week. Mrs. H. I. Wilson entertained a large party of her friends at the parlors of the Butte hotel on Monday evening. There were six tables at high five. The prizes were won by P. A. Largey and Geoff Lutz, and the booby prizes by Mr. and Mrs. Jones. An elegant supper was served in the dining room, followed by dancing until a late hour. The Y. M. I. and the Y. L. I. had a very enjoyable picnic at Thornton Springs Monday evening. About 80 were there. The Calamity club entertained its friends at a sleigh ride Friday evening at Thornton Springs. The party consisted of 30 lively couples. A number of the Antlers and their friends had a jolly sleigh ride Monday evening. The High Five club met with Mrs. W. McC. White on Thursday evening and the party was made a Valentine party. The winners of each game received a lovely Valentine and the losers received Valentines not quite so lovely. Those present were Mrs. W. M. Twoby, Mrs. Frank Shaw, Mrs. Thomas Lavelle, Miss Annie Black, Mrs. Dr. Freund, Mrs. C. H. Palmer, Miss Bessie Palmer, Mrs. L. A. Sisley, Mrs. George E. Rockwood, Mrs. F. P. Holbrook. A very elaborate supper was served, to which the husbands of the ladies present were invited, together with Messrs. Collins and Armstrong. The High Five club will meet next Monday evening with Mrs. George E. Rockwood. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Darch entertained delightfully Wednesday evening at a progressive whist party. The ladies' prize, a silver candlestick, was won by Mrs. J. H. Vivian, and the gentlemen's prize, a lovely card case, by Dr. J. W. Reed. The Primrose Whist club was very pleasantly entertained Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lynch. The prize for ladies was won by Mrs. C. F. Lloyd, and the prize for gentlemen by O. Hight. The Afternoon Whist club will meet Monday with Mrs. J. H. Vivian. O. Hight will leave in a few days for New Orleans. M. C. H. Palmer and Miss Bessie Palmer expect to leave Monday for the East. James Forbis is expected back from New York soon. Last Monday evening Mrs. W. McC. White gave a delightful dinner in honor of Miss Clara Wilcox. Cards were played during the evening. Edgar Strassburger treated a dozen of his friends to a sleigh ride Thursday night. W. V. Lawlor has returned from California, leaving his wife there much improved in health. Mrs. John Noyes and Miss Dollie Noyes have returned from New York. Misses Mary and Pansy Kirkpatrick have returned from Salt Lake. W. M. Jack is visiting old friends and looks hale and hearty. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Dixon and Willie Dixon left Thursday for San Francisco. Judge Dixon and Willie will start for Honolulu while Mrs. Dixon will await their return. John B. Read and R. J. Watson left Tuesday for southern California to be gone a month. James A. Murray is in Mexico. Wesley Warren gave a farewell to Willie Dixon on Wednesday evening. The Butte Lodge of the Degree of Honor had a splendid time at a sleigh ride party Wednesday evening. Captain Hoatson has been confined to his room for a few days, but is improving. F. T. McBride has been ill for a few days. John Caplico and Mr. Cardwell left for California Thursday. Miss Annie Williams will leave for school in Wisconsin in a few days. A dinner was given Tuesday evening to the members of the "Button club," at the residence of Colonel O'Leary of Missoula gulch. A very nice time was enjoyed by all present. Those were "Click" Berry, president; Peter Raymond, vice president; Tom Wilkinson, secretary, Arthur Lingley, treasurer, and about 12 other members. Dinner was served in elegant style. Oysters a la Raymond. Crabs a la Lingey. Tortoise a la Berry. Mouton a la Wilkinson. The oysters instead of being served on the shell were served on "buttons." Wine and cigars were passed around. After dinner speeches and songs were given by the officers of the club. The first speech was given by "Click" Berry, subject, "Are Eggs Fish or Vegetable?" One by Raymond, also Wilkinson and Lingley. The songs were by Peter Raymond entitled Button Club, Raymond Tom Wilkinson—How is Your "Pettit" Boy Arthur Lingley—Get Home Earlier at Night "Click" Berry—I Have to Dig Them From the Grave Berry The rest of the evening was spent in playing cards and other amusements and a jolly time was had by all. Clara C. Good and F. B. Scott were united in marriage on the evening of Jan. 31 at the Presbyterian church in the presence of a few friends. A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, No. 117 Platinum street.

Mrs. and Mrs. Good will be at home to their friends after Feb. 7 at No. 617 South Dakota street. Misses Lillian and Nannie Vivian entertained a large company of their friends at a sleighride party this afternoon. A very jolly party drove out to the springs and back in the big band wagon, and on returning were entertained at lunch by Mrs. J. H. Vivian, who was assisted in caring for the little ones by Misses Kittie Noble and Birdie Scott. The invitations were very pretty and novel, bearing portraits of Lillian and Nannie, for whom the party was given. The invited guests were Harold and Mary Sands, Charlotte and Frances Russell Marjorie Forbis, Jeannette Gillie, Master Montetooth, Carrol Burgess, Frankie and Margaret Leonard, Roger Lane, May Dugan, Ada and Marguerite Holmes, Mabel Fletcher, Bessie and Flonnie Hammer, Edna Cannon, Stanley and Mabel Quinn, Reed McBride, Jean and Dollie Lavelle, Mercie and Kent Lewis, Pauline Sweeney, Edna Hester, Leta and Clarence Lavelle, Fuity, Vivian and Rosecoe Evans, Herbert, Walter and Irma Silverman, Willie, Bertie and Marguerite Darch, Bertha Walsworth, Clarissa Talbot, Flonnie and Belle Tuohy, Jessie and Carrie Wharton, Dot and Alice Hopkins. Mrs. J. J. Haggerty left yesterday for Port Angeles, Wash., to spend several weeks. A very pleasant surprise party was given to Miss Annie Phillips by Workers lodge No. 29, I. O. G. T., on Thursday evening. The evening was spent in games and amusements, after which lunch was served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Ragsdale, Mr. and Mrs. Christensen, Mr. and Mrs. Caddy, Mr. and Mrs. Hungate, Misses Phillips, Tallon, Tuttle, Braake, Woods, Hansons, Ragsdale and McLaughlin, Messrs. Meily, Gavan, McDonald, Phillips, Hall, Larson, Heswood and Hutchinson. At the Mountain View M. E. parsonage, Rev. Dr. Rollins officiating, on the 2d inst., Frank Peterson and Mary Semberg, both of Butte, were married. At the same place and by the same minister Austin Sloan and Ailie Putnam, both of Anaconda, were married on the 3d inst. On the 7th inst., at the same place and by the same minister, Edward Wilton and Josie Pernoud, both of Anaconda, were married. A very unique Valentine social will be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the Mountain View M. E. church at the residence of Mrs. Albert Gunderson, Meaderville, Friday, the 15th inst. This will be a rare treat and a large company is expected. One of the events of the season was the first social of the "Chosen Friends," a new order which was instituted in Butte on the first of the year. The bazar given by the Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church of Centerville on Thursday and Friday was a success socially and financially. The choir did itself credit, as did all taking part in the opening programme, while the exquisite taste manifested in the material prepared for sale was most commendable. A generous public responded substantially, to whom thanks is tendered by all concerned. One of the social events of the season, enjoyed greatly by South Butte people, was a sleighing party given to the members of Rose Leaf lodge No. 4, Degree of Honor, last Tuesday evening. About 50 persons crowded into three large sleighs that were in waiting and were soon on their way rejoicing. A stop was made at Silver Bow junction, where a hall was in readiness for a merry dance, which was enjoyed for several hours by all present. Refreshments were served during the evening. The only feature not so pleasant was the coming home through a blinding snow storm. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Calderhead, G. W. Connick, G. W. Phillips, R. H. Hungate, F. G. Korenke, J. A. Good, C. B. Jolly, P. Maurin, George Witcomb, H. P. Copey, Mrs. W. A. Clark, Mrs. J. C. Flint and daughter, Mrs. J. Williams and daughter, Mrs. McDuffie, Mrs. King, Misses Boland, Williams, Estabrooks, Fairweather, Moore and Peterson, Messrs. Bates, McManis, Peters, Freeman, Brown, Ferguson, Allen, Gieseke, Irish, Stenson, Wilkinson, Smith, Enright, Strode, Rodgers, Shonken. Misses Sadie and Josie Jones were at home to their friends Friday evening. Games were played, a delicious repast served, and all had a good time. The guests were Judith and Martha Bernheim, Ray Jacobs, Trekia Bender, Maude and Alice Davidson, Edna Cannon, Bessie and Freddie Hammer, Augusta, Dorothy Magual, Sadie and Eddie Mayer, Bennie Rosenthal, Herbert Waller and Ira Silverman, Julia Levy, Lillie and Dolph Wertheimer, Regina Poltrovich and S. C. Cohen, Theresa Pincus, Grace Whitney, Lillie Stevenson, Fannie and Max Goodstein, Dave Simon, Elliott Levy, Elsie, May and Harry Goldman, Grace Stevenson, Masters Sultan, Goldberg, Fulton, Evans, Emma Buell, Minnie Rosenstein, Adolph Heibronner, Jennie and Ray Abrahama, Ollie Hall, Clara Nelson, Mildred and Bertram Kahnweiler, Howard McIntyre, Julius and Arthur Jonas. Judge Speer and bride returned to Butte this week and are stopping at the Butte. W. W. Cheeley of the Madisionian is in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Paschal and Messrs. Monteath and Metcalf are in town over Sunday. Capt. John McCormick was able to be out today after a week's illness. A card party was given Tuesday evening at the residence of Mrs. A. F. Gray, Nevada avenue, in honor of Miss Cornelia FitzPatrick and Miss Grace Wisner of Anaconda. Quite a number of the young ladies' friends were present and an enjoyable time was spent by all. A birthday party was given by Adonis Page at the home of his parents on South Gold street, Tuesday evening. About 30 friends of the young gentleman were present. DEER LODGE DOINGS. DEER LODGE, Feb. 8.—Allen Bowls of Philipsburg came up last Monday to accompany his brothers, Howard and Cliff, who have entered the Montana college for the remainder of the term. Miss Evelyn Van Gundy, recorder of the

Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W., of Deer Lodge, had a very interesting article in the last issue of the Montana Workman. President Danforth preached at the Presbyterian church in Butte last Sunday. E. Girard of Warm Springs was a visitor in Deer Lodge last Monday. Attorney Edward Sebnarkow went to Helena last Tuesday and returned Thursday. Captain James H. Mills spent last Tuesday with his family in Deer Lodge. Mrs. O'Halloran of Garrison spent last Saturday and Sunday in the city, the guests of her parents. Mrs. O. J. Warren and Musagriff of Warm Springs visited friends in Deer Lodge last Thursday and Friday. Mrs. David Sharpe, having rented her furnished residence on Main street, to Clerk and Recorder John Fisher of Deer Lodge, she has gone to Butte to reside. O. B. O'Bannon spent a few days of the past week in Anaconda, having been called there on business. C. H. Barrett of the E. L. Brouner company has been out of town the past two weeks, returning home last Thursday to resume his duties in the clothing department. John Fisher of Deer Lodge and Miss Grace McFarland of Anaconda were married last Monday evening at the residence of H. F. Peterson, on Rodney street, Helena. Rev. James Heid of Bozeman performed the ceremony. Among the friends who attended from Deer Lodge were Messrs. J. G. Morony and John Fitzpatrick. C. D. Joslyn and daughter returned home last Monday from the East. Miss Addie Marcotte of Deer Lodge and Joseph Le Bonet of Avon were married at the Catholic church last Tuesday morning at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Father De Ryckere performing the ceremony. They left on the early train for their future home in Avon. J. F. Hundley came in and spent Sunday with his family in Deer Lodge. Last Tuesday evening was one of great interest to the members of the A. O. U. W. lodge of this city. They met at the hall and initiated the following gentlemen into the order: H. J. Toomey, J. E. Marcum, J. H. Smurr, S. T. Young, C. J. Kallig, H. W. E. Morton, Christian Sebruch and J. S. Breth, after which a bountiful lunch was served in the reception room. This lodge is growing very rapidly. It has been more largely attended during the past few weeks than ever before in this city. Aubry Robinson, a student of the school of mines at the College of Montana, visited Marysville last week for the purpose of examining the mill and mines of that place by way of adding to his fund of knowledge already acquired in that line. John Penglase came up from the Mammoth mill last Wednesday, bringing fine reports from the mill and mine. County Auditor George S. Miller admitted a man to the hospital this week who was unfortunate in having his limbs badly frozen during last week's storm. Aubry S. Blair, who lately resigned his position as deputy clerk of the district court in Deer Lodge, has secured a position in Bozeman with the milling company. Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Larabee entertained a number of friends at their home last Wednesday evening. THE UNIVERSITY CITY. MISSOULA, Feb. 9.—Perhaps the blizzard paralyzed the social side of the residents of the Garden City; perhaps some other causes rendered the week quieter than the preceding one; at any rate, whatever the cause assigned, there has been a slight lull, which made the entertainments afforded enjoyed with even more zest. Much interest hinges on our actors and actresses, who, on Feb. 15, will entertain the public in "Narcisse." As a portion of the proceeds will help to relieve the Nebraska sufferers, most people are glad to combine charity with enjoyment in this way, for Missoula people are, if anything, sympathetic and quick to relieve suffering. Down goes the hand into the pocket at the first call and when it is withdrawn the silver forms a good handful. Still aspirants for histrionic fame crowd each other thick and fast as to tread upon each other's heels so fast they follow. Several prominent members of Laurel lodge No. 11, K. of P., want to be actors and will be actors. The lodge has made arrangements with Herr Bandmann for the presentation of "Damon and Pythias" for the benefit of the order, and on Tuesday, Feb. 19, at the Bennett opera house in Missoula, the Herr, assisted by Frank McConnell and several knights, members of Laurel lodge, the play will be given. No trouble will be found in securing a perfect cast, for among the Pythians are many whose histrionic ability is recognized as magnificent by members of the lodge, who have had an opportunity to see them act. Besides the weekly routine of family teas, lightened with a guest or two, symphonies common to Missoula, we have had the semi-monthly hop of the Missoula Dancing club, and that is sufficient atonement for lack of entertainment, if lack there has been. The semi-weekly sound of discreet revelry always proceeds from the Pythian hall, where the bravest and fairest share the glowing hours with flying feet and soft eyes look love to eyes which speak again. Friday night's dance was one of the most enjoyable of the season. A number of persons were in attendance from the outside. The music was excellent, the floor perfection and the attendance just right for comfort. Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Francis entertained a party of friends at their pleasant rooms in the Union block Tuesday evening. The Mandolin club contributed to the pleasure of the guests. Delicious refreshments were served and at a late hour the guests expressed their enjoyment of the event to their popular host and hostess. Mrs. George F. Brooks entertained the Whist club Wednesday evening at her apartments in the Union block. Everybody seemed just in the humor to thoroughly enjoy the game, and the entire evening was voted unusually delightful. Miss Hastings and F. G. Pearson won the first prize, Mrs. S. G. Murray and J. H. T. Ryman the consolation. A delicious luncheon was served subsequently. Present were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lister, S. J. Coffee, J. M. Carnahan, S. G. Murray, G.

T. McCullough, E. A. Winstanley, H. T. Wilkinson, Mrs. S. B. Pearson, J. Van Blarcom, Miss Hastings, J. H. T. Ryman and F. G. Pearson. Tuesday night a large party went to Grass Valley in sleighs and danced the night out. The return was not the pleasantest trip imaginable, as a high wind, cold as ice, had to be faced. Several were slightly frost bitten. Those comprising the party were: Mrs. John Moore, Mrs. S. G. Kamsay, Misses Bowland and Mulcars of Butte, Mrs. Enders of Butte, Misses Menard, Taylor, Ecklund, Lucy, Marie McCormick, Norah McCormick, Delphine Cyr, Delaney, Scharzer, De Varger, Pope, Maley, McNulty, Hess, Pattit, Katie Booth, Lillie Booth, Thorne and Mrs. Freeman. Messrs. John Devine, James A. Walsh, James Douell, Brust Greenough, Professor Young, McDermott, Masters Ramsey, John Moore, McClellan, Dauphin of Minneapolis, Pampin of Butte, F. J. J. Quirk of Spokane, Arthur Higgins, Bert Donley, Deffebach, Charles Sinter, Frank McDonald, A. W. Woodworth, Walter Hogan, Joseph Willet, Thomas Landers, George Bolles, Dan Heyfran, McThomas, Carl Hoblitzel, John Mason, Frank O'Leary, John Downing, Thomas Searles; Theodore Bedard, Lulu Richards, Louis Hammel, Mr. Demers, Frenchtown. Mr. and Mrs. John Price returned to their home in Hope early in the week, after a pleasant visit in this city. Mrs. W. C. Murphy went to Anaconda Sunday for a few days' visit. Mrs. C. F. Reardon has been quite ill, but is now much better. Miss Hattie Ward will teach at Bonner in place of Miss Margaret Robertson, who takes a well-earned vacation. Mrs. Ronan has placed two of her daughters at the Sisters' school. J. W. Mercer leaves to-day for his place of business, Monte Cristo, much improved in health. Mrs. Ronan left for the agency Tuesday afternoon. Dr. Hammond of Butte was in Missoula the past week. Miss May Franklin of Helena is visiting Miss Straughn. Mrs. H. W. Turner received news a few days since of the death of Miss McKennon's mother at Houston, Texas. Miss McKennon was quite recently the guest of Mrs. Turner. A. H. Coffin, who erected the oatmeal mill at Missoula last fall, returned to the East Thursday, where he will reside in the future. Colonel McGowan visited Missoula for a couple of days, returning to his home at Horse Plains Wednesday. County Attorney Dixon is back from Helena, where he was called on professional business. Representative Latimer came in from Helena for a stay of a few days. Obed Peppard has a severe attack of rheumatism which confines him to the house. Mrs. Alex. Dorn returned to her home at Aries Tuesday after a week's visit in this city. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Marshall returned Tuesday from Helena. Alex. Demers, of St. Ignatius Mission, came to Missoula early in the week. L. C. Trout, wife and eldest daughter, of Ronan springs, visited the city Wednesday. Mrs. Al Green has returned from Helena, where she went for treatment for her eyes. C. H. McLeod returned Wednesday from a business trip to Helena. Peter Winne of Helena, well known over Montana, came through this city on his way to Hamilton Wednesday. Henry S. Amos of Minneapolis, Minn., and party passed through Missoula Wednesday, en route for the coast. G. N. Hartley was welcomed back from Helena Wednesday. C. E. Woodworth and wife have taken apartments in the First National bank block for the rest of the winter. Sam Kohler, a prominent business man of Helena, arrived in this city Wednesday. J. F. Hundley, agent of the Northern Pacific at Garrison, left for his home Wednesday morning. Will Franklin of Helena, traveling salesman for a large eastern establishment, stopped off to visit the Garden City. R. D. Steele of Bozeman passed through on his way to Hamilton where he assisted in the organization of a K. of P. lodge Tuesday evening. W. F. Fuller, paymaster of the United States army, was among Wednesday's arrivals in this city. Frank Lebean has purchased "Polaris," the rink formerly owned by P. P. Kern. Mr. Lebean contemplates some improvements which will increase the patronage. Robert Menstrun, H. W. Thompson, Homer Case, James Fussy, J. M. Evans, T. B. Thompson, F. C. Stoddard and others, accompanied Mr. Steele of Bozeman to Hamilton in the interests of the new K. of P. lodge instituted there. William Toole officiates as chancellor commander and the new lodge starts out with a large charter membership. Secretary Hoolitzel, of the Lotus club, has notified applicants admitted to membership that it will be necessary to liquidate the initiation fee of \$5 and regular dues of \$1 for February by Feb. 11. The Lotus seems to be flourishing and already notice has been given of a motion to be introduced at the next meeting to increase the initiation fee to \$10. H. P. Clark, agent at this point, accompanied by his wife, departed for Butte Wednesday morning for a brief visit. H. F. Ruzer of the Bartington line came over from Helena to work for his line and will stop here for a few days. M. B. McClellan of Minneapolis, one of the firm of the McClellan Paper company, left Tuesday for his home. Low E. Williams of Ravalli county came in from Helena early in the week and soon left for his home at Stevensville. Louis Odell, formerly employed at Victor, has succeeded George McLeod in the employ of the W. A. Menstrun Liqueur and Bottling company. Mr. McLeod recently was transferred to Bonner. Judge W. H. Francis, attorney for the Rocky Mountain division of the Northern

Pacific, went to Stevensville on an official visit Tuesday. F. W. Jones, one of the Missoula Mercantile employes, has returned from Butte. N. P. Krone of the Del Norte ranch went to Stevensville Monday for a brief business visit. A. S. Demail of Hamilton returned from the East Monday and departed Tuesday for his home. The Ladies' Guild of the Episcopal church held an important meeting Thursday at the house of the president, Mrs. J. E. Power. The ladies are in active preparation for a dinner to be held on St. Valentine's night. There are promised several attractions, a Valentine postoffice, fortune telling, etc., for all of which patronage is solicited. Mr. and Mrs. William Dyson contemplate a removal from rooms in the Hammond block, which they have occupied for a long time, to the residence of Mrs. J. B. Pearson. Senator Cooper of Ravalli county was in the city in the fore part of the week on his way to Helena. G. N. Hartly was in Helena for several days this week on business connected with his opera house. Dr. Musagriff of Warm Springs, always a welcome visitor to Missoula, was in the city Thursday. T. W. McConnell, clerk of the district court, is in Philipsburg on official business. Peter Winne, a Helena capitalist, came over from Helena Wednesday and went to Ravalli Thursday morning. Miss Mary Ronan of the Flathead agency is visiting Miss Grace Lambert. Mrs. E. C. Shively left on yesterday's west-bound train for a business trip to Spokane and will be absent several days. Miss Straughn has issued invitations for a dinner party which will take place next Thursday evening, when she promises some unique effects for the entertainment of those fortunate enough to enjoy her favor. Joseph T. Carter, Indian agent of the Flathead reservation, is in the city and will stop a few days. Sheriff McLaughlin has been in Helena for the past few days. L. L. Wright, formerly of this city, but now conducting a jewelry store in Hamilton, was in town Thursday meeting old friends. Mrs. Gallup of the Kootenai, who has been visiting Missoula and Bonner, left for the 'oeur d'Alene Thursday, en route for her home. Messrs. Devine and Walsh contemplate giving a dancing party in K. of P. hall before Lent. These gentlemen arranged the sleighing party to Grass valley last Tuesday. Marcus Daly and party, Con Kohrs and several other prominent gentlemen arrived Thursday in Mr. Daly's private car '4019' with the regular west-bound train. They immediately proceeded to Hamilton by special train. A party of railroad officials, General Manager C. H. Warren and family; J. O. Pate, superintendent of motive power; J. P. Stevens, chief engineer, of St. Paul, of the Great Northern, came in two special coaches with Friday's train. They propose becoming better acquainted along the lines they represent and with the country generally. They are en route for points along the coast. SEVEN DAYS IN GREAT FALLS. GREAT FALLS, Feb. 9.—The ball given by the Cascade Musicians' union in Realty hall, Monday evening, for the benefit of a sick member of the union was well patronized. A concert by the Black Eagle band and various members of the association preceded the ball and was a feature of the evening's entertainment. Dancing was commenced at 10 o'clock and continued for several hours. A good sum was realized. Dr. J. H. Fairfield left Monday for St. Paul, after spending a few days there he will proceed to Aylmer, Ont., where he will be married to Miss Ella Arkell, a niece of George Woods of this city. The bride, as well as the doctor, have a host of friends in Great Falls who will welcome them back in about a month. Mrs. J. K. Clark and children left Monday for Salt Lake on a visit. G. N. Hartley, manager of the Bennett opera house in Missoula, was in the city several days the fore part of the week. It is rumored that he has partially closed the contract for a lease on the Great Falls opera house for a period of two years. B. F. Vaile of Bozeman, grand chancellor of the K. of P., was in the city the first part of the week on lodge matters. He also visited Sand Coulee in company with G. A. Gockstetter and other prominent citizens. J. B. Long, a well known cattle and sheep buyer of Sycamore, Ill., has arrived in this city. S. S. Hobson, the Lewistown banker, spent several days here last week. Mrs. J. C. Barker returned Monday from her old home in Bedford, Ind., where she was summoned several months ago by the illness of her sister. T. E. Healey of Neihart came down from the silver camp Wednesday. J. A. Dyble and L. B. Evanson came over from Anaconda Thursday. C. B. Graham left the middle of the week for Louisiana. He will embark in the fruit raising business. A number of the young friends of John Mitchell tendered him a surprise Wednesday evening at his home on Fourth avenue south. Among those present were Misses Mary Oakland, Anne Whyte, Amanda Erickson, Delphine Huff, Kittie and Belle Lux, Anna Ferguson, Louis Howard, Masters James Christner, Dallas Huff, Otto Tanhauser, John Howard, P. Chronister, John Poe. John Peterson of Wolf Creek and Miss Mar on Otto of this city were married in Helena Wednesday. Both have a legion of friends in Great Falls. Mrs. S. A. Ogden and daughter of Monarch left Thursday for a visit at Jackson, Mich. The ladies of Eastern Star will give another social at Masonic hall next Thursday evening. Last evening a number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hedge gathered at

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