

Around the County

WINDHAM. The appointment of George H. Kirk as teller in the Bank of Windham brings a man permanently into the town who will be a great benefit to the community in more ways than one.

For a number of years he has been connected with the Chicago & North-western Railway system in the capacity of traveling freight and passenger agent, and any one with a grain of common sense must know that Mr. Kirk is a man of superior business ability, as otherwise he could not have held a position of this kind. And so far as the man's integrity is concerned no one has ever had any reason to doubt him for he is a fair shooter and open and above board in all of his transactions.

The Leader is delighted that Mr. Kirk is now a citizen of Windham, for he is progressive in spirit and he can always be relied upon when it comes to taking a stand for the best interests of the town.

Messrs. Moulton and Barney, two county commissioners, were up in this part of the county on Wednesday in the interest of good roads. With Charles R. Sutton and A. D. Peters, road supervisor for this district, they went to Leigh to see about some road improvements which has been badly needed there for a long time, and from there they looked over the field in the neighborhood of Mike Mikkelsen, and to the credit of the commissioners, they didn't forget to investigate the just claim of a large number of ranchers who have petitioned for a new road between here and Utica.

Rev. Everett Jones of Kendall, who has been holding Presbyterian services every two weeks at Roy, announced last Sunday that that was his farewell sermon as he was removing to Gilman to take up the work there.

The English Lutheran congregation have completed arrangements for a new church building at Roy and this week commenced work on the foundation. The site chosen is immediately west of the school house. The building will be 28x44 feet with an entrance hall in front which will be extended up to form a spire.

The rapidly increasing acreage in the Roy district being placed under cultivation has for some time been attracting the attention of the elevator men. As a result the Western Grain & Lumber company of Lewistown have let a contract with the Empire Construction company of Great Falls for the construction of an elevator at this point.

Contractor Munson and Oscar Kindlund will begin work on the walk to the school house this week. This will be a pretty busy summer for Mr. Munson.

The fact that a site has been selected and ground will be broken today or tomorrow for a creamery plant is good assurance that sufficient stock has been subscribed to guarantee success of the enterprise, at least in getting started.

Dave Hilger, Bob Ferguson Jim Wilson, a prominent Flathead sheep man and John A. Malone, a prominent Baraboo, Wis., lawyer, made a trip down to the Lepper ranch last week in which Mr. Malone is heavily interested. Mr. Malone set a few lines of type for the Review, just to show us that he had not forgotten the cases.

William Langs shipped out two carloads of hogs to the Seattle market on Wednesday from this point, and he also shipped two carloads from Buffalo and Benchland on Monday.

A meeting of the baseball fans was held in the basement of the Murray building last Tuesday evening and after thoroughly discussing the baseball situation elected C. H. Kelley, Ed Daly and H. S. Woodward as directors for the coming year and empowered them to select a manager and make other arrangements to get a team together to represent Hobson on the diamond this season. The outlook now is that we will have a bunch of ball tossers this season that was better than last season's and that means that the other towns will have to travel faster than ever to beat us.

MOCASIN. The work of excavating and the making of the concrete foundations for the Montana Flour Mills elevator was begun Monday and will soon be ready for the superstructure.

A meeting of the newly elected board of education of the Moccasin schools met Saturday afternoon and organized by electing L. V. Jackson as chairman of the board and William Brownlee as clerk. W. P. Preston and M. Hogan constitute the other members of the board. Preliminary steps were taken toward the submission of the question of sending the district for the erection of an eight-room school house to the voters at an early date.

JUDITH GAP. Fred Irish, the Snowy mountain

THE PARADISE OF THE PACIFIC

JOHN D. WAITE TALKS INTERESTINGLY OF HIS STAY IN THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

John D. Waite, president of the Bank of Fergus county, who, with Mrs. Waite, has just returned from a visit of four months in the Hawaiian Islands and Southern California, says that there is no place quite like Hawaii and the Judith Basin after all.

They found that for them the playground of millions and the Paradise of the Pacific could offer no charms like the rugged mountains and rolling wheat lands of their home.

Fear the Japs. "We found Honolulu to be a wonderful place," said Mr. Waite Friday. "It is intensely beautiful, and the climate would be delightful after one got used to it, but seemed superlatively cold to us. Hawaii is a peculiar country for the reason that the natives are too indolent to do any work themselves and the Japanese have almost the entire industry of the country in their charge. Sugar cane is the big crop, and wonderfully profitable, yielding in fact about \$500 to the acre. Fine apple cultivation is their other big industry, but even that is giving way to sugar cane because profit in the latter is so much greater. The Japanese people carry on case-raising for the natives by contract, from planting to the marketable product. The Japanese people there are multiplying, and at the present time outnumber the natives 15 to 1. Being citizens of the United States the Hawaiians fear that the thousands of Japanese children now growing up will some day outvote them all out of voting.

"There are many American tourists in Honolulu this winter, many of whom formerly chose Europe. We witnessed the mid-winter carnival with floats and all kinds of celebrations. In Southern California, where we spent two months after our two months in Honolulu, we enjoyed every day as it came. We purchased a little roaster in which we traveled hundreds of miles on boulevard roads, taking a new direction every time. The had some unusual weather in California as well as everywhere else this winter, and in some places the big fruit growers have had to resort to smudge pots to save their crops from frosts.

"We found prosperity everywhere we went, in no section did there seem to be poverty or want. What is to be done with the surplus is what seems to be the chief concern in many cases. Money is plentiful in California and easy to get hold of. The prosperity wave seems general."

WINFRED. Fred Liese will be with Billings again this year.

Ray O'Donnell has landed a job with Butte in the Northwestern league.

E. J. Benjamin was in from his ranch at Woodhawk the first of the week. He reports considerable stallions in that section, Clarence Potts being the latest to come down with the disease.

The W. C. T. U. will serve supper at Polzean hall in Winfred on Tuesday, April 25. Rev. C. M. Donaldson of Lewistown, Mont., will be present to give an address in the interest of the Dry Montana league. Special music. If you are interested in a dry state be sure and come.

DEATH OF S. DRINKARD. Stephen Drinkard passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Naomi Croghan, in the Snowy mountains on last Thursday evening at 6:15.

He had filled the various relations of life, as son, husband, father, brother, friend, and filled them well. Who can do honors. He was a man of generous impulses and never forgot the hospitable ways of the pioneer for he had been a pioneer in Missouri and in Montana.

Seventy-seven years and nine months before the hour of his death, Stephen Drinkard was born in Monroe county, Mo. On the 29th day of April, 1837—28 years ago he was married to Elizabeth Halliburton. From this union ten children were born, six of whom are living.

When still a young man he entered the Methodist Episcopal church and from that time until the hour of his death he was prominent in church work where ever he was as a minister and a layman.

Besides his wife, who has been with him for fifty-eight years,—from the time they were married when they were nineteen years of age—he leaves to mourn his demise a host of friends and six loving children: Mrs. P. M. Noel, of Utica, this state; C. A. Drinkard, a prominent citizen of Lewistown; W. C. Drinkard, of Kolin, this state; Mrs. C. E. Shortley, of Natal; Mrs. Keith Caldwell and Mrs. Naomi Croghan, of this city.

The funeral services, which was conducted by Rev. C. D. Bradley, pastor of the M. E. church at Garnett, and Rev. C. M. Donaldson of the M. E. church in Lewistown, was well attended. Friends for miles around, as well as many from Lewistown, Moore, Straw and Buffalo were present. The tribute to Mr. Drinkard was not altogether as a man and neighbor but great respect was shown his memory for the reason that he had been a soldier in the Civil War, a member of the famous Price's cavalry.—Judith Gap Journal.

After having been on strike for over a week the men engaged in the retort houses of Paisley (Scotland) Gas Works returned to work, the council offering to submit their claim to arbitration of the Board of Trade.

MORE LAND CONTESTS. Contests have been filed at the land office by Joe Laurie of Benchland vs. John E. Howard of Lewistown for se 1-4 of section 2-16-14e, claiming preference of right by reason of prior statement; W. A. Hodges is attorney for contestant. Joe A. McDonald filed a claim of abandonment against Cynthia Gernert for the N 1-2 se 1-4, e 1-4, sw 1-4 of section 8 and nw 1-4, section 17-n-24e. R. C. Cromer is attorney for contestant.

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ROOSEVELT DELEGATES ARE DEFEATED IN MASSACHUSETTS; OHIO GOES FOR BURTON.

BOSTON, April 25.—Massachusetts will be represented in the republican national convention by an unpledged delegation, if the outcome of today's primaries may be judged from slightly more than half of the total vote tabulated at 11 o'clock tonight.

The returns left little doubt that the unpledged group of candidates for delegates at large, headed by Governor McCall, had defeated the ticket whose members had declared themselves for the candidacy of Theodore Roosevelt.

At 11 o'clock tonight only three districts, the Tenth, Eleventh and the Twelfth, comprising the city of Boston, had reported complete returns for district delegates, in each of these districts unpledged delegates were elected over Roosevelt men. There were similar contests in the 13 other districts.

There were contests in 11 districts among the democrats, but these were personal and all the candidates were understood to favor the re-nomination of President Wilson.

IN NEW JERSEY. TRENTON, N. J., April 25.—Returns from the primary election in New Jersey for the national delegates today indicate that, in contests in the republican party between delegates pledged to Colonel Roosevelt and those preferring to go to the Chicago convention unpledged, the unpledged candidates were successful.

There was no opposition in the democratic party to the election of delegates favorable to the re-nomination of President Wilson.

Returns from all sections of the state said that an exceptionally tight vote had been polled.

The delegates-at-large to the democratic national convention are Gov. Fielder, States Chairman Edward E. Grosscup, United States Senator William Hughes and Congressman Thom as J. Scully.

Delegates-at-large to the republican national convention are David Baird, State Chairman Newton A. K. Bugbee, Hamilton F. Kean and Ira A. Kipp jr.

The progressives did not participate in the primary, having failed to poll sufficient votes in the last general election. Delegates to the progressive national convention were selected at a state convention several weeks ago.

IN OHIO. COLUMBUS, Ohio, April 25.—Republican and democratic organization slates for delegates-at-large to the national conventions were chosen today in a state-wide presidential preference primary marked by distinct apathy.

Theodore E. Burton was designated as the favorite of republicans and President Wilson of democrats, for their respective presidential nominations. Delegates elected by each party previously had pledged their support to one of these Democratic voters expressed their choice of Thomas H. Marshall for re-nomination as vice-president.

The number of ballots bearing the names of Theodore Roosevelt, Henry Ford, Charles E. Hughes and William J. Bryan, written by hand, was small and consisted of comparatively little significance.

The republican delegates-at-large elected, in the probable order of votes received, are: Senator Warren G. Harding, Governor Frank B. Willis, John J. Sullivan, Cleveland attorney, and William Cooper Procter, Cincinnati manufacturer.

Democratic delegates-at-large, in order of votes received, are: Former Governor James M. Cox, James E. Campbell, Justice Harmon and Senator Atlee Pomerene. Late returns indicated that Frank S. Monnett of Columbus, who is opposed to re-nomination of President Wilson, had received a substantial vote, but not enough to make it possible for him to overtake Senator Pomerene.

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Next Meeting at Columbus. BUTTE, Mont., April 26.—With the selection of Columbus as the next meeting place, election of officers for the ensuing year, and a debate over resolutions condemning the congressional union, the business of the first state convention of democratic women's club was concluded today.

Mrs. Rose Rust of Butte was elected president of the organization. The other officers are: Mrs. Henry Sherlock of Helena, first vice-president; Mrs. Maria Lappin of Anaconda, second vice president; Mrs. M. D. Riddle of Shelby, third vice president; Mrs. Daisy Logan of Columbus, recording secretary; Mrs. Nora Sanger of Butte, corresponding secretary; Mrs. A. E. Spriggs of Helena, treasurer.

The fight over the convention's attitude towards the congressional union was one of the enlivening features of the convention.

NELS DARLING IS EXPECTED TO COME HERE EARLY NEXT MONTH. Secretary L. D. Blodgett has received a communication from W. E. Cummings of Billings stating that the local chamber can secure the services of Nels Darling to address business men of Lewistown on Saturday, May 6, and possibly on Friday evening, too, if desired. This will be welcome news to all who heard Mr. Darling when he was here last summer.

Mr. Blodgett also received a note from E. P. Mathewson yesterday in which he expressed his sincere regrets at not being able to be in Lewistown yesterday to address the business men's luncheon and further stated that he hoped to be able to make the trip over here about the middle of May.

MARCH ON PEKING. SAN FRANCISCO, April 26.—A rebel advance on Peking, the capital of China, has been ordered by the Chinese revolutionists, according to a Shanghai dispatch to the Chinese republic association here today. An army of several hundred thousand troops under Luy Ung-Ting, formerly commander of Yuan Shi Kai's forces in Kwangsi province, and Gen. Lung Chi Kwang, formerly with the government troops in Kwangtung, will begin the march upon Peking soon, it was stated. Both leaders are said to have deserted Yuan Shi Kai with their forces.

NOTED INDIAN CHIEF IS DEAD

GREAT FALLS, April 22.—Rocky Boy, head of a wandering band of Chippewa Indians, that in some manner were omitted from a state in lands when the rest of the tribe received their allotments and which for the last 30 years or more have wandered about in Northern Montana, is dead. He died on April 18 on land which friends of the tribe are trying to have set aside for them on the former Fort Assiniboine reservation, word being received by friends here today. The exact age of Chief Rocky Boy is not known but he was over 80 years of age. The old chief was a picturesque character and he became personally known to most of the men in public life in Montana as well as in Washington through his constant efforts to rectify what he believed were the wrongs of his people in the matter of allotment. About the time the European war broke out much amusement was occasioned in the White House in Washington by the receipt of an official communication from Rocky Boy informing the president that he desired to be engaged in that struggle.

TWO MORE CONTESTS. Two contest cases were filed at the land office Saturday, one by Chas. J. Kauffman of Grass Range vs. William P. Bates, involving the SE 1-4 NW 1-4, NE 1-4 SE 1-4 of section 25, 18N, 23E, and lots 1, 2, 3, 13b, 24E, alleging abandonment. J. E. McKenna is attorney for contestant. The second was filed by Harry C. Gaylor of Melstone vs. Mary C. Johnson of Melstone for the SW 1-4, 26, 12N, 23E, alleging abandonment.

Weekly Statement of Federal Reserve Banks. WASHINGTON, April 22.—An increase of nearly \$9,000,000 in the total resources of federal reserve banks during the week ending April 21 was reported today by the reserve board. The weekly statement shows:

Resources. Gold coin and certificates in vault, \$29,582,000; gold settlement fund, \$74,785,000; gold redemption fund with United States bonds, \$1,473,000. Total gold reserve, \$316,140,000. Legal tender notes, silver, etc., \$9,505,000. Total reserve, \$325,645,000. Bills discounted and bought: Maturities within 10 days, \$9,048,000; from 11 to 30 days, \$13,868,000; from 31 to 60 days, \$26,137,000;