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Wanted

WANTED—SEALED BIDS FOR FURNISHING lumber and material for a school house on section 23, township 12 range 26. Plans and specifications can be seen at the home of J. J. Richardson, Flatwillow, Mont. Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. J. J. Richardson, Clerk.

Lost or Strayed.

STRAYED—A BALD FACED SORREL mare; wire cut on right front foot; branded like cut on left thigh; weight about 1300 lbs. \$10 for information leading to return to A. K. Randall, Moccasin, Mont. 12-21-16-11

LOCAL BRIEFS

John Wilson of Stanford is in the city. Mrs. L. D. Smith of Windham is in the city. E. Miller of Denton was in the city Saturday. P. Stockholm arrived Friday from Geraldine. S. S. Hobson was in the city from Great Falls. S. L. Wilson of Buffalo is a caller in the city. Tom Perkin left on Monday's train for Helena. A. S. Wright was in from New Year Monday. F. H. Clinton of Anaconda spent Friday in the city. Wade Stillwagen of Roy is in the city on business. Clarence Nixon of Denton is in the city on business. H. Hootman of Denton spent Friday in the city. Jack Summers, wife and children are in the city from Roy. Mrs. I. L. Koenigsberg of Cottonwood bench is in the city. George Van Cleave of Fergus is a business caller in the city. C. H. Steele is in the city from his ranch on upper East Fork. Walter Kojetin of Danvers is a business visitor in the county seat. County Commissioner Barney and son of Denton are in the city. Charles H. Newton of Alice, Montana, is a visitor in Lewistown. J. B. Holmes of Benchland was a business caller in the city Tuesday. Farm loans; lowest rates; no cash commission; no delay. B. A. Cumming, 406 Bank-Electric building. Curtis Peck, a Winifred realty dealer, is transacting business in the metropolis. A. R. Frame, a prominent rancher of the Roy country, is a visitor in Lewistown. Morris McLaughlin, a clerk at the Buffalo bank, is in the city visiting with relatives. C. W. Nelson and wife of Grass Range were in the city from their ranch Saturday. James Lovell, a business man of Moore, was transacting business in the city Friday. Homer E. Gies, the Winnett attorney, was a business caller at the county seat Tuesday. Mrs. Harrison of Denton is in the city, having disposed of her restaurant at that place to a Great Falls party. Joseph King, Jr., who has been ill will pneumonia, is improving rapidly and will soon be able to leave Woodlawn hospital. Fireman Ramsey, who was severely burned in the recent wreck of the Milwaukee at Harlowton, is reported as getting along nicely. Ben F. Hills and G. M. Falls of Coffee Creek, are delegates to the Farmers' Federation at Billings which meets December 19-22. Mrs. Beaton, formerly Miss Edith Daves of Lewistown, spent Friday in the city. She will leave shortly for Spokane where she will make her future home. Zensal stops the itching of eczema. Sold by Seiden Drug Co.

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We have recently made arrangements for unlimited funds to place on good, desirable farm land. We can now make you the lowest rate and offer optional payments. It is to the interest of anyone planning on making a farm loan to see us before placing your loan. We make loans promptly and you get your money quickly. No red tape. You deal direct with us. We Make FARM LOANS at 8 PER CENT With Optional Payments. Lewistown State Bank H. L. BILLS, President.

Dick Schmidt of Winnett is a visitor in the city. R. W. Ross of Billings spent Friday in Lewistown. L. P. Sharp of Moore is a business caller in the city. John Parker left Tuesday for his home at Stanford. Frank Wadsworth was in the city from Roy Tuesday. Mrs. Archie Harrigan of Grass Range is in the city. Rudolph Miller made a business trip to Moore Friday. J. C. Ford of Denton left for an extended visit to Omaha. Lois Wiper of Winnett was visiting in the city Tuesday. J. W. O'Brien of Hobson reported for jury duty Monday. Miss Frances Peacock of Lennep is a visitor in the city. M. B. Boorman, the Roundup attorney, was in town Monday. N. W. Clayton, the insurance man of Salt Lake City, is in town. R. M. Murray of Billings is transacting business in Lewistown. A. Stockpall and M. Finch of Denton were in the city Monday. Gus Peterson of Natal was a business caller in the city Tuesday. Miss Minnie Nelson of Mankato is visiting in the city with friends. Mrs. Frank Stephens from the Maginnis country is a visitor in the city. Miss Jessie Boles, a teacher of the Utica schools, was in the city Sunday. William E. Woods, a prominent rancher of Beckett, is a visitor in the city. Frank Barta Jr., a prominent rancher of the Moore country, is a caller in the city. Attorney I. W. Church of Great Falls, is in the city attending to legal matters. J. Terrell, a prosperous rancher of the Moore country, is a caller in Lewistown. Mrs. Effie Potter is in the city from Spokane visiting with her sister, Mrs. Sam Weaver. Mrs. Gill Koolstra left Tuesday for Chicago where she will visit during the holidays. E. V. Alexander, editor of the Winnett Times, was a business caller in the city Saturday. J. Wernick, special agent of the Milwaukee with headquarters at Seattle, is in the city. Charles Packer left on Monday's train for Denver where he will visit for several weeks. E. R. Cobb, a prominent real estate man of the Geyser country, arrived on Monday's train. C. E. Lowrey, a prosperous farmer of Windham, was a business visitor in the city Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Parker and children of the Hobson country are in the city on business. Tom Erickson, a fireman on the Milwaukee, left Sunday for an extended trip in the east. Mrs. B. F. Gordon left Saturday for her home at Straw after several days' visit in the city. State Game Warden J. L. De Hart of Helena attended the meeting of the sportsmen here Friday. Arthur J. Harding, a prosperous homesteader of the Sand Spring country, was in the city Tuesday. Mrs. A. E. Mortz of Moore left on Saturday's train for her home, after visiting for several days in the city. For eczema try Zensal. Sold by Seiden Drug Co. Mesdames Quin Pierce and Burma Davenport are in the city from Moccasin visiting with Mrs. C. W. Wilson. John A. Anderson left on yesterday's train for St. Joe, Mo., where he will spend the holidays with relatives. Miss Lizzetta Stokes, who formerly attended the local business college, is in the city from Big Timber on a short visit. C. B. Ainsworth, the well known estate dealer, returned to Lewistown Saturday evening after a business visit at Ryeagate. Al Stroebel of the Montana Elevator company returned to Lewistown last evening after a few days' visit in Meagher county. Eighth grade examinations will be held in Lewistown on Jan. 10 and 11. Lella M. Baker, County Superintendent of schools, 12-21-31. Mrs. T. A. Berkin, who has just returned to the city from a visit in the Flatwillow section, leaves today for a business trip to Helena, where she will spend the winter. Mr. and Mrs. John Davis of Hornick, Ia., are Lewistown arrivals, coming in on last night's Milwaukee. They are en route to California for the winter. Marriage licenses have been issued to Charles Petranek and Miss Margaret Moore of Roy, and Elmer W. Beck and Miss Elsie Anderson of Lewistown. Charles Rish and J. J. Gallinger and wife left yesterday afternoon over the Great Northern for Pittsburg, where they will visit for some time. Julius Barney, the laundry magnate, has returned home from a stay of some length at Helena, where he has been working after his interests. Minnie Peters, a homesteader of the Denton country, left on Monday's train for Omaha, where she will visit for several months, returning to her claim in the early spring. County Superintendent Lella Baker has taken advantage of this season, when the country schools are closed, to run down to Salt Lake City to spend Christmas with her mother. Thomas Marlowe, a prominent attorney of Missoula, attended the sportsmen's convention here. This is Mr. Marlowe's first visit to Lewistown and he is greatly impressed by the size and activity of this city. Mrs. A. M. Peterson of Grass Range spent several days visiting in the city. Mr. Peterson formerly worked for the Milwaukee here, but at present holds the position of agent at Grass Range. Judge Carruth and wife of Havre represented the entire northeastern part of Montana at the sportsmen's convention Friday. Judge Carruth is a prominent citizen and an enthusiastic sportsman of Havre. This is his first visit to Lewistown and he is greatly enthused over the size of the city. Plenty of money to loan on well improved farms and ranches at 7 1/2 per cent, and on second class farms at 8 per cent. No red tape of any kind. Come in and see me or mail me your application. John M. Howland, Immanuel Block, Lewistown, Mont.

Lewistown Markets Corrected daily by the Lewistown Chamber of Commerce for the benefit of the farmers of Fergus county. Wheat—No. 1 northern, \$1.41; No. 2 northern, \$1.36; No. 3 northern, \$1.29; No. 2 hard Montana, \$1.33; No. 3 hard Montana, \$1.26; No. 4 hard Montana, \$1.18; No. 1 durum, \$1.39; No. 2 durum, \$1.32. Flax—No. 1, \$2.50; No. 2, \$2.45.

J. Chester and wife are in the city from Winifred. Miss E. Brown arrived on Friday's train from Straw. O. C. Osburn, a real estate dealer of Miles City, is in town. N. Straatman of Coffee Creek is a caller in the county seat. Charles M. Barnes left Sunday for his ranch at Tegen, Mont. Jim Shoemaker of Helena is transacting business in the city. Hans Nelson, from the Castle creek country, is a business visitor. Mrs. Pribble of Winnett was a business caller in the city Sunday. W. C. Wright and wife of Harlowton are business callers in the city. William P. Sullivan and wife of Square Butte are business visitors in the city. A. W. Beck, a prominent rancher of Castle Butte is in the city on business matters. Albert Faelin, a prominent farmer of the Ross Fork country, was in the city Saturday. Mrs. N. J. West left yesterday for Denver, where she will visit until after the holidays. Galen Heise, salesman of the Hart-Parr company of Great Falls, spent Sunday in Lewistown. Mrs. Harry Lay left Friday for San Francisco and other California points to spend the winter. George F. Baumgartner, a brakeman on the Milwaukee, left Monday for Texas to spend Christmas. Cole Peck, formerly employed at Lehman's department store, left on Monday's train for Chicago. L. G. Parsons, assistant cashier of the First National bank at Moore, is a business caller in the city. J. H. Kidd, a well-known homesteader of the Brooks country, was in the city Monday, making final proof. George Wigeland, one of the leaseors of the Cumberland mine at Malden, is transacting business in the city. Emil Edman passed through Lewistown yesterday on his way to Winnett after several weeks' visit in Minneapolis. P. J. Osweller returned Saturday from the western coast after visiting in Portland and Seattle for the past ten days. Mrs. Tobin and daughter, Miss Mabel, have returned from a pleasant visit with their friend, Mrs. Hatton, formerly a resident of this city, but now located in Lewistown—Harlowton Press. Douglas C. Morrison and Vera R. White, both of Pine Grove, were married Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock by Rev. A. Pfau at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford White, 313 W. Bebb street. Mr. and Mrs. Morrison will make their home at Pine Grove.

SIX LEWISTOWN MEN HAVE SUCCESS IN HUNTING ELK

Each having bagged an elk, a party of six Lewistown business men returned Tuesday after a week's hunting expedition near the borders of Yellowstone National park. In the party were Phillip Laux, James Weaver, John Gilkerson, Gus Hodel, Charles Woodworth and Ed Weaver. Each man got his. It is said that Gilkerson had a thrilling experience and a lot of trouble in landing his elk. He used the last shell and only succeeded in wounding the animal. It was then up to Johnny to run the elk down, which he did after a valiant effort.

SNOW IS DEEP.

Reports from various parts of the county indicate a heavy snowfall of past week. In Lewistown it snowed considerably yesterday, and sleighing is good. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lake of Natal, who were in the city yesterday, report four feet of snow in the Snowy foothills, the heaviest known there this early in the season. James Apple of the Great Divide near Heath says in places drifts are twelve feet deep. Eugene Howe of Beaver Creek, who is living in Lewistown, reports the heaviest snow in years in that section. The heavy coating of snow is welcomed by the farmers.

ROUGH FUNERAL HELD.

The funeral services of the late Robert Roush, of Denton were conducted Tuesday from Creel's chapel. Rev. Chas. M. Donaldson officiating. The deceased was a workman who at various times had been employed by Mr. Eagan. Mr. Miller and others near Denton. As the whereabouts of relatives was unknown Mr. Eagan and Mr. Miller arranged for the funeral.

FOR THE CENSUS.

Born—December 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Welsh, a son. Born—December 14, to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Byassee, a daughter. Born—December 14, to Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Barnore, a son.

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WOULD REVOKE THE LICENSES CITY IS TO HAVE A POLICE MATRON

The city council Monday, after listening to a summary of the result of the trials of rooming house keepers by City Attorney O. O. Mueller, has already appeared in this newspaper except Col. C. H. Shomo and Mrs. Shomo, whose cases were held under advisement until yesterday morning when they were adjudged guilty and a fine of \$150 each imposed. Previous to that the total fines imposed were \$1,950. Police Matron. The police committee reported in favor of the employment of a police matron to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mrs. Berkin. Mayor Symmes announced that he would make an appointment in a short time, to be submitted to the council. Mrs. Julia Snyder filed her petition for appointment as police matron. The Woman's club submitted a petition signed by 495 members asking for the appointment of a police matron. To Lead Grand March. An invitation from the Lewistown Typographical union to the mayor and council to attend the charity ball, to be given by the union on December 25, was accepted and Mayor Symmes was instructed to accept the invitation to lead the grand march. E. E. Carruthers was appointed custodian of the municipal skating pond with police authority. Judge E. W. Mettler was given leave of absence for thirty days. Pay Detectives. The bills of Detectives J. R. Little and W. H. Thompson, brought in here to investigate the rooming houses, amounting to \$330, were allowed. The park committee and city engineer were instructed to take up the matter of constructing ditches at the old city park and surveys of the new city park were ordered. The Great Northern was instructed to open Prospect street, in Judith place. A petition for a street light near the easterly end of Judith place was referred. Mrs. Sadie Miller and Mrs. Cora M. Roberts filed petitions for rooming house licenses, both being referred. Community Tree. A. A. Franke represented that plans had been completed for a community Christmas tree and asked that the committee be allowed to place the tree, next Saturday night from 6:30 until 8 o'clock, on Main street between Fourth and Fifth avenues and to rope off a space for the school children, who will sing carols and hymns. Granted. Charles J. Marshall, representing the Empire bank, called attention to certain warrants issued on boulevard improvement district No. 1, in regard to which some complications have arisen, and asked that an adjustment be made. The bank had bought the warrants because the city had pledged its faith and credit to back them and the bank had not made any particular profit from the deal. It would be unjust for the city to make the bank stand the loss, if there was to be any loss. The mayor stated that he would take the matter up with the finance committee at once and make a report. Chief Bebb, reporting for the fire department for November, stated that he had had five alarms during the month, with a total loss of \$25. The expenses of the department were \$573. The cost of maintenance for the auto truck was \$5.55, as compared with \$38.60 for the fire team. Those attending last night's meeting in addition to Mayor Symmes, were City Attorney Mueller, City Clerk Pitton, City Engineer Birkland, Chief Ray, and Aldermen Matthews, Vestrem, Smith, Kindschy, d'Autremont and Wentworth. DEATH OF MRS. CORRELL. Mrs. Anna Correll, widow of David Correll, died Saturday at her home at the corner of First avenue and Daves street, after a long illness. The deceased was 42 years of age and is survived by two grown daughters here and one residing in the state of Washington. The funeral was held at the Rev. E. L. Kechley of the Christian church officiating. MR. CHASE LEAVES. F. H. Chase of the agricultural department of the college at Bozeman, who spent the past week assisting Carl Peterson with the farm work meeting, left yesterday for Great Falls and Helena, where he will hold conference meetings with the agricultural departments. SHED IS BURNED. A shed on Water street, above Tenth avenue, next to the J. W. Seiden residence, caught fire Friday afternoon and the fire department was called out. The shed, a cheap affair and some furniture, were destroyed. The total loss, however, was very small.

CHRISTMAS AT THE CHURCHES

SERVICES IN HONOR OF THE GREAT DAY TO BE HELD HERE ON SUNDAY NEXT. THE COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE. Arrangements have been practically completed by all the churches for the usual Christmas services to be held next Sunday, December 24. There will also be elaborate Christmas trees for the children of the Sunday schools. Community Tree. The most notable feature of the whole Christmas observance this year will be the community Christmas tree, to be set up on Main street, near Fifth avenue. All the churches and the schools are co-operating with the Chamber of Commerce on this feature and a special committee is working diligently to make the tree a success. The exercises will be somewhat out of the ordinary this year. On Saturday evening next the school children, who have been specially trained by Miss Edith Foley, superintendent of music in the public schools, will carry out a program of carols and hymns around the tree, this singing to last about half an hour. Copies of the songs have been printed for general distribution. Then, when the singing is over, Santa Claus will come down Main street hill in a gorgeous equipage, provided with hundreds of lit sacks of candy that will be distributed. The tree, of course, will be beautifully illuminated and tastefully decorated. Following is in brief, an outline of the Christmas observances of the various churches: Episcopal. Sunday—Regular morning services at 11. Children's Christmas tree at the Parish house at 7:30. Monday—Corporate communion of the parish at 8. Morning prayer following at 8:20. Special choir and music at 11, with second celebration of the Holy Communion. The church will be decorated by T. R. Haller and committee. Christian. Saturday—Christmas tree for the primary grades at 3. Sunday—Special Christmas services at 11, with special music by Miss Schofield and Mr. Pogram. The White Gift service will be observed on Sunday evening at 7:30. Methodist. Sunday—Christmas services will be held at 11, the subject being, "Christ's Message of Peace." The special White Gift service will be observed at 7:30 with a special organ recital and a tree for the children. Baptist. Sunday—Regular morning services at 11. Christmas tree and entertainment by the Sunday school children at 7:30. Presbyterian. Sunday—The White Gift service will be observed with special music by the choir at 11. The subject of the sermon will be, "The Prince of Peace." Sabbath school at 12:15. Special song service of Christmas carols at 7:30. German-English Lutheran. Sunday—Christmas program and tree given by the children of this church will take place at the old K. H. Roberts. A cordial invitation is extended to all. The program given by the children will be as follows: German-English Lutheran Sunday school program—"The Wise Men From the East." Hymn—Congregation. Responsive reading. Prayer—Pastor. Recitation, "Greeting." Geo. Wagner Song—Sunday school and class. "The Christmas Story." Questions

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St. Leo's. Sunday—Mass at 6:30, 9 and 10:30. There will be no other special services. German-English Lutheran. Sunday—Christmas program and tree given by the children of this church will take place at the old K. H. Roberts. A cordial invitation is extended to all. The program given by the children will be as follows: German-English Lutheran Sunday school program—"The Wise Men From the East." Hymn—Congregation. Responsive reading. Prayer—Pastor. Recitation, "Greeting." Geo. Wagner Song—Sunday school and class. "The Christmas Story." Questions

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Five Hobson men were exonerated Tuesday afternoon in Judge Brassey's court when they appeared on a hearing charged with criminal assault. The men involved were Rono Wadley, Ollie J. Rosenlund, Hestie E. Palmer, Loyd Sedgewick and James Maloney. The charge filed against them by the state was criminal assault. The defendants were represented by J. C. Hutton and Charles J. Marshall. Judge Brassey granted the motion of the attorneys for the defense that the cases against the men be dismissed on the ground that probable cause was not shown. THREE NEW CONTESTS. Three new contests were filed yesterday in the local land office, in each instance abandonment being alleged. Carl F. Bergstrom of Winnett has filed a contest against August F. Krouzer, address unknown, for land situated in 11-16-27. H. E. Gies is attorney for contestant. C. Henry Lewis of Roy has filed a contest against William Draves of Winifred, involving homestead filing in 33-33-22-23. McKoin & Cromer are attorneys for contestant. Wallace J. Craig of Grass Range has filed a contest against C. Yates, McKoin & Cromer being attorneys for contestant. CHRISTINA BOOMING. James McDowell and Paul Knots, two well known business men of Christina, were in the city Tuesday. They report business in their town good, a new bank and another elevator being at present contemplated for that city. Mrs. William Ogde, an employe of the Power Mercantile company, left on yesterday's train for Pierre, S. D., where she will spend the holidays with her parents.

\$500.00 REWARD The undersigned, members of the Flatwillow and Tyler Creek Stock Protective Association, offer a standing reward of \$500.00 for the arrest and conviction of any person stealing or killing any cattle or horses belonging to us. OWNERS BRANDS J. B. Bowser on left ribs C. A. Erickson on left ribs John C. Fishburn on right ribs Perry C. Heath on right shoulder George R. Jackson on left ribs Dorman Jackson on left shoulder William P. Kizer on left shoulder C. A. Nelson on left shoulder Marcus Nelson on right shoulder James H. Newman on left shoulder Thomas G. Nielsen on left thigh T. E. Nichols on left shoulder F. D. Sheeks on left ribs N. C. Nelson on left ribs F. T. Golver on right hip EDWARD C. RUSSELL, Secretary. C. A. NELSON, President.

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DAN CUPID HAS VERY BUSY DAY DOUBLE WEDDING WITH BRIDES AND GROOMS FROM WEST SIDE, IS THE FEATURE. POPULAR SCHOOL TEACHER WEDS. A double wedding occurred at the Methodist parsonage Tuesday afternoon, the contracting parties being Rupert McCafferty and Miss Ethel M. Fane and both of Coffee Creek, and Peter Duntour of Coffee Creek and Miss Julia Zenisek of Denton. The two ceremonies were performed by the Rev. Charles M. Donaldson. GILBERSON—CURRAS. Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock the marriage of Henry L. Gilberson and Miss Charlotte Curras, both of Winifred, occurred at the Methodist parsonage, the Rev. Donaldson officiating. MARTIN—HARRIS. Ernest L. Martin and Miss Marie E. Harris of Kachia, Mont., were married here Tuesday afternoon, Judge B. H. Foley performing the ceremony. LONG—DUNAVAN. Tuesday morning occurred the marriage of George H. Long and Miss Nancy Dunavan, both well known young people of Auburn, Mont. The ceremony was performed at the Methodist parsonage in the presence of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Kizer and Mrs. Donaldson, all warm friends of the bride and Mr. Donaldson officiated. The bride has been a successful teacher in Fergus county for several years and the best wishes of many friends are extended for her future happiness. Mr. Long is a well-known rancher in the Roy country, where they will reside. DICKSON—GATES. Ward B. Dickson, a well-known rancher of Beckett section, and Miss Minnie Gates of Tyler were married at the Day House Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. H. P. Crogo of the Baptist church performing the ceremony.

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