

An Unlimited Co-partnership Consisting of W. F. MEYER and J. W. CHAPMAN.

F. H. ALDEN - Cashier.
FRANK LYLE - Ast. Cashier.

Banking House of MEYER & CHAPMAN
Red Lodge, - Montana.

On Dec. 10, 1901
Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits Aggregated \$54,643.18.
Deposits - \$217,739.40.

Yielding to a demand on the part of valued patrons, we will hereafter pay interest on term deposits when the term is not less than six months.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

W. F. MEYER
COUNSELOR AT LAW
Billings Avenue
Red Lodge - Montana.

D. R. GEORGE DILWORTH
DENTIST
Graduate of University of Michigan College of Dental Surgery.
Crown and Bridge Work a Specialty.
Permanently Located at Red Lodge, Montana.

L. CASWELL
ATTORNEY AT LAW
AND NOTARY PUBLIC
Billings Avenue - Red Lodge.

GEORGE H. BAILEY
LAWYER
Red Lodge Improvement Co.'s Block.
Red Lodge - Montana.

EDNEY FOX FRANCIS ST. J. FOX
FOX & FOX,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
Red Lodge Improvement Co.'s Block.
Red Lodge - Montana.

L. MERRILL
ATTORNEY AT LAW
Bridger - Montana.

J. W. PIERSON
ATTORNEY AT LAW
Second Floor Carbon County Bank
Red Lodge - Montana.

MRS. DAISY RIEGER
OSTEOPATH
Treats all Chronic and Acute Diseases.
OFFICE HOURS, 8 TO 11:30 A. M., 1 TO 5 P. M.
Red Lodge, - Montana.

LUTZ & RYBURN R. T. LUTZ, M. D.
H. H. RYBURN.
PHYSICIANS & SURGEONS
Office in Picket Block
Red Lodge - Montana.

B. RENO
ATTORNEY AT LAW
Bance - Montana.

JOHN L. PRICE,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR.
Damage and Water Right Suite a Specialty.
Office, Room 9 Improvement Company's Block.
Red Lodge, Montana.

DR. CARL SCHULIN,
OCULIST AND AURIST.
First National Bank Building,
Billings, - Montana.

RUSSELL KIMBALL, M. E.
Railroad, Land and Ditch Surveying
Carbon County Bank Building,
RED LODGE, MONT.
Kimball Ranch, Box 76, Cody, Wyo.

DRUGS

This Is a Sign.....
of Ability,
Quality and
Promptness

These are three very essential features in the Drug business and are some of the requisite points that make our business a success. We are grateful for the liberal patronage of the past and hope to maintain confidence in future.

RED LODGE DRUG CO.

CARBON COUNTY BANK
(Incorporated under the state banking laws)

Red Lodge, Mont.
Paid Up Capital, - \$50,000

W. A. CLARK..... President
GEO. L. RAMSEY..... Vice President
B. E. VAIL..... Cashier
L. H. YERKES..... Assistant Cashier

Money to loan at all times at reasonable rates of interest.
County warrants, bonds and bounty certificates purchased at highest market price.
General banking business transacted.

WHEN IN "BILLINGS," STOP AT

The Driscoll
J. S. MATHIESON, Prop.

Steam Heat, Electric Lights, Baths.
Rates, - \$2.00 Per Day.

The new management desires the patronage and good will of visitors to the city from Red Lodge and Carbon County.
We strive to please; we will treat you right.

OUR RUNNERS MEET ALL TRAINS.

LOSEKAMP
The Famous Outfitter

Was yesterday - is today -
Has been for twenty years
the leading Clothier and Outfitter of Eastern Montana.

GUARANTEED CLOTHING

It is the place to buy Guaranteed Clothing, Warranted Shoes, Stetson Hats, California Wool Shirts and Blankets, Bedding, and a Complete Line of Stockmen's Supplies.

We are now showing the Latest Creations in
Early Autumn Novelties
and Fashion's Freaks for the nobby dresser.

Honest Goods
at Most Reasonable Prices

Your Mail Orders will be taken care of.

JOHN D. LOSEKAMP
BILLINGS, MONTANA

CITY MEAT MARKET



RICKETTS & ARMISTEAD, Props.

FRESH AND SALT MEATS.
Fish, Game and Oysters in Season

Free Daily Delivery.
We shall be pleased to meet you.

BILLINGS AVE. - RED LODGE.

JOHN P. ARNOTT,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Business at Cody, Meeteetse Hyattville and Thermopolis will receive prompt attention.

BASIN, : WYOMING.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

Glasspool, the Bridger Burglar, Pleads Guilty and Will be Sentenced Saturday.

UNDERWOOD ACQUITTED

Jury Says He Wasn't Guilty of Malignant Mischief—Lovegreen is Lucky—Other Cases.

Henry Glasspool, the Bridger burglar, when brought into court on Monday, concluded that it would be better for him to confess his crime and throw himself on the mercy of the court. The evidence connecting him with the crime of burglarizing the saloon of Henry Gebro at Bridger on the night of Nov. 9 and appropriating the cash register was so convincing a nature that the culprit knew that he could not escape conviction, and for this reason thought that if he made a clean breast of the affair the court might be induced to deal more leniently in passing sentence upon him than would be the case if he were tried by jury and found guilty of the crime. He doubtless had in mind, also, the thought that if he could make it appear that he was penitent for the crime he could the more easily throw the officers off their guard and would have a better opportunity of carrying out his plot to break jail and make his escape before sentence would be imposed upon him. But the best laid plans of mice and men gang aft agone, as the immortal Burns has expressed the idea, and the brilliant burglar from Bridger will probably realize the truth when he comes before Judge Henry tomorrow for sentence.

Peter C. Enzor, who was informed against jointly by County Attorney Caswell for the crime of larceny, alleged to have been committed by himself and Willis Jones in butchering a steer that belonged to a neighbor out on Clarke Fork and appropriating the meat to their own use, made a tardy appearance in court and entered a plea of not guilty to the charge that had been lodged against him. The trial of this case is in progress today.

W. C. Baker, who was bound over to the district court a week ago in bonds of \$500 by Justice Chatfield to answer to the charge of assault in the second degree, was formally charged with the commission of the crime on Monday by County Attorney Caswell, who lodged an information against him in the district court. "Not guilty" was his plea and the court told him that he might explain the matter before a jury that would be summoned tomorrow to try the case. F. C. Woodward entered his appearance as attorney for the defendant.

Five of the jurors drawn last week could not be reached with a subpoena and one of those served, namely, C. W. Livingstone of Chance, was excused by the court on giving a good and valid reason why he should be let off. A special venire was issued for six additional names to be drawn from the Red Lodge list and Charles A. Bell, E. A. Baldwin, William Close, George Slingington, David Lay and Joseph Connor were summoned to fill out the panel.

It did not take the jury long which listened to the evidence in the case of the state against Ike Underwood, charged with malignant mischief in obstructing the headgate of a certain irrigating ditch, long to decide that there was no merit in the charge brought against the defendant and to conclude that he was not guilty of the offense charged against him. The prosecuting witness was Henry Bronner and the case was brought from Joliet, where it had its first hearing before Justice Oliver. The prosecuting witness is very erratic at times and subject to fits of hallucination in connection with his cattle interests at Carbonado, and the evidence given by him was taken with several grains of allowance. W. F. Meyer acted as prosecuting attorney in this case, while County Attorney Caswell looked serenely on. The defense was conducted by George W. Pierson.

The forgery case against David Sanborn was not considered by the jury as being sufficient to warrant them in sending the defendant to the penitentiary for a term of years. Sanborn was charged with having uttered a forged check for something like \$31, purporting to bear the signature of Shorey & Simpson, sheepmen who at the time were located on Clarke Fork. The defense made was that the check was issued by a man named Woods, whom Sanborn asserted got him to accompany him to the Meyer & Chapman bank and there secured the money on the check. As soon as Sanborn

discovered that the check was a forgery he turned over to Mr. Shorey what money he had and went out to the camp and worked for Mr. Shorey several days to compensate him for his loss.

After listening all day Wednesday to the evidence produced in the case of the state against Ed Lovegreen for defacing brands on a horse belonging to J. N. Tolman, the jury received the instructions of the court about 8:30 that night and after wrestling with the case for twelve hours returned a verdict Thanksgiving morning which was cause for much rejoicing on the part of the defendant and it is supposed that he felt in a more thankful mood after the verdict had been rendered than he had for several previous Thanksgivings. The case was conducted for the state by County Attorney Caswell, assisted by George W. Pierson, and the evidence for the prosecution tended to show that the defendant had been in possession for several years of a horse that bore the heart brand of J. N. Tolman, but the brand had been subsequently worked over, presumably with the intention of destroying its identity. The defense claimed that the horse in question had been purchased six years ago from a party who had since left the state, and as the law of the state provides that no action shall lie after five years' possession of an animal, it was contended by the defense that the case possessed no legal standing. Messrs. Woodward and Meyer appeared for the defendant.

Willis Jones is being tried today on the charge of grand larceny. The evidence on the part of the state goes to substantiate the charge that the defendant, in company with Peter C. Enzor and Mr. Thompson, killed a steer belonging to E. A. Whitlock on Clarke Fork and appropriated the meat to their own use. The defense has not yet had its inning.

Sam Owens did not appear to contest the action for divorce brought by Sarah Elizabeth Owens and the result was that she was awarded a decree of separation from her husband and the care and custody of the three children.

MADAME LA BONTA TURNS UP.
Says She Shot Dr. Cayley and Kelley Wasn't Present.

Mrs. Eva Hart, the Red Lodge dressmaker who attracted a good deal of attention in this city during her residence here two years ago, by reason of her apparent willingness to receive the attentions of men other than her husband, and who went to Butte and assumed the name of Madame Ruth LaBonta and recently prominently figured as one of the principals in the sensational shooting of Dr. H. A. Cayley, was located in San Francisco last Tuesday afternoon. She will be returned to Butte as soon as requisition papers can be obtained for her arrest and arraigned on the charge of murder. The madame had been in San Francisco since Nov. 2 and was going by the name of Mrs. O. Moore. She asserts that she alone is responsible for the shooting that occurred in her apartments at Butte, when Dr. Cayley received his death wound, and is emphatic in her declaration that J. W. Kelley was at no time present and had nothing to do with the affair. She gives as the cause of the shooting that Dr. Cayley desired her to clope with him to Paris, and when she would not listen to any such proposition he attempted to assault her. To protect herself she drew a revolver from under her pillow and threatened to shoot him unless he left the room. Instead of taking his departure the doctor grappled with her for possession of the revolver and in the struggle that ensued the weapon was accidentally discharged and he was wounded twice.

The preliminary examination of J. W. Kelley on the charge of murdering Dr. Cayley was held in Butte on Monday and the court overruled the motion to quash the indictment, made by the defendant's attorneys. A plea of not guilty was made by Kelley, but the date when his trial will occur was not set by the court, and it will not likely be set now until Mrs. LaBonta can be returned to Butte and be tried jointly with Kelley.

To the Public:
Allow me to say a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I had a very severe cough and cold and feared I would get pneumonia, but after taking the second dose of this medicine I felt better, three bottles of it cured my cold and the pains in my chest disappeared entirely. I am most respectfully yours for health, Ralph S. Meyers, 64-Thirty-seventh St., Wheeling, W. Va. For sale by all druggists.

The kind of coffee used in the Orient—Pure Mocha and Java. Golden Gate Coffee, in one and two pound tins. Try it. Carbon Merc. Co. 111f

HASTE MAKES WASTE

Representative John R. Tolman Expresses His Views Regarding Length of Legislative Session.

LABOR WORTHY OF HIRE

Talk of Cutting Salaries Doesn't Meet His Approval—To Redeem Campaign Pledges.

"If the work of the coming session of the state legislature can be accomplished satisfactorily without consuming the entire sixty days allotted by law," said Representative John N. Tolman to The Picket, "you can count me in on the proposition for an early adjournment. But the period should not be shortened for the sole purpose of establishing a political innovation. I doubt the wisdom of the agitation for legislative haste, and it also seems to me that there is no more reason than there is rhyme in the arguments being put forth for a reduction in the salaries of legislative pages and clerks and stenographers.

"It sounds very nice to preach a short session and a reduction of expenses, but I don't believe in adopting a parsimonious policy in the transaction of business for a great, rich state like Montana. The commonwealth is in need of considerable new legislation. As the state grows we are confronted with new conditions that demand new laws, and there are undoubtedly some enactments that should be amended or entirely repealed. Nothing could be more vicious or subversive of good government than to rush bills through a legislature. It takes time to prepare measures of merit and secure their discussion and careful consideration.

"But whatever may be said along this line, my views with relation to salaries are pronounced. I am unalterably opposed to low wages. Montana isn't forced to peonize her toilers. The republican party has ever been the friend of the working classes, and no reduction in wages shall ever come with my voice. This talk about cutting the salaries of legislative employees down from \$75 to \$50 per month ought not to find a single sympathetic listener."

"On being asked if he expected to introduce any bills in the house, Mr. Tolman replied:
"The platform upon which I was elected pledged me to the support of certain measures, and those pledges were supplemented by me in certain promises which I made in the campaign. It shall be my earnest endeavor to redeem those pledges and live up to those promises. My present purpose is to introduce an irrigation bill to determine the rights of settlers without the present necessity of expensive litigation, and also to present a measure designed to straighten out the tangled condition of the stray law. As to the road law matter, I shall support whatever measure seems to me to best suit the exigencies of the situation."

WEDDING PRESENT ON TRAIN.

Passengers Indulge in a Good Deal of Fun at Expense of Bride and Groom.

Whenever opportunity occurs it seems to be inherent with mankind, and womankind, too, for that matter, to indulge their penchant for playing practical jokes at the expense of any newly married couple with whom they may meet, especially if the devoted and loving pair are met with in a railroad journey. Now the most of the people who are found traveling from place to place on passenger trains have passed through that exhilarating period of life when their fondest hopes have been realized and they feel supremely happy in the thought of the matrimonial prize which is theirs till death do them part, and then some. It would therefore be anticipated that they would be prompted to abstain from practical jokes at the expense of young married people who are taking their honeymoon journey, but as a general rule the exact reverse is true and those very people who in their younger and callow days have passed through this very experience seem to take the greatest enjoyment at the discomforture which will naturally overtake a love-smitten couple when they awake to a realization that they have suddenly become the cynosure of all eyes and are furnishing a seemingly immoderate amount of hilarity to the general public.

A somewhat amusing incident of this kind occurred on the Burlington road a short time ago while John Hudson was returning from a trip east. Attorney Blake of the law firm of

Lonnehaugh & Blake of Basin, Wyo., happened to be a passenger on the train and accompanying him was a blushing bride whom he had gone to Omaha to wed and was speeding back to his Wyoming home on the wings of love with his fair bride by his side. But the journey at length grew tedious and both bride and groom fell asleep. Knowing from their actions that they were taking their honeymoon trip, a certain gentleman who was on the train saw at once a good opportunity to have a little fun at the expense of the bride and groom, and it came to him with such force that he could not resist it. Securing a pair of baby stockings from a lady passenger he deftly pinned them onto the coat lapel of the sleeping groom and awaited developments. At length the couple awoke and were very much surprised that they had been the recipients of such a unique and at the same time useful wedding gift, and while the entire car was convulsed with laughter the bride examined the tiny stockings with a good deal of pride, saying that she would not part with them for \$10. "But what in the world did they give us this for?" she exclaimed as she removed from the groom's apparel an article of household economy that had formerly belonged to a motherly old lady who occupied a seat just behind the bride and groom and which had been used in opening her lunch of canned turkey and other edibles. But the laughter only increased and the bride will never know why the article was presented to them, unless the groom shall consent to enlighten her.

TOLMAN TO BUILD RESIDENCE.
Has Purchased Site on Hauser Avenue Adjoining the Vaill Property.

Another palatial residence will be erected on Hauser avenue next spring as soon as the weather will permit of building operations. Hon. J. N. Tolman on Saturday purchased several lots on the corner south of the Vaill residence as a site for a handsome home to be built next spring. The structure will be two stories in height and will cost in the neighborhood of \$6,000.

During the winter Mr. Tolman will occupy the R. L. Davis residence, which he has purchased and has had removed to the property which he has just acquired.
Mr. Tolman intends to leave in a few days for the east and will be accompanied on his return by his wife and infant son.

People We Read About

Billings Gazette: E. H. Becker, wife and son, and M. L. Witcher will leave in the morning to spend a few days at the Barstow ranch in Carbon county.

Bozeman Republican: A. L. Love has established an office in the Story block and will make a specialty of land office business, real estate and insurance.

Billings Gazette: Engineer DeGroat, who was one of the men injured in the Rapids collision, has so far recovered as to be able to return to duty and is again in charge of a passenger engine.

Yellowstone, Leader, Big Timber: Rev. J. Madison of Absarokee spent a short time in town last Tuesday. He was on his way home from Spokane, where he had been in attendance at the annual conference of the ministers of the Norwegian church. Mr. Madison left for home Tuesday night.

Billings Times: W. B. TenEyck, the veteran harness man of Billings, has at last gotten possession of his building on Montana avenue, and is opening a stock of harness and saddles therein. Mr. TenEyck is one of the truly old settlers, and is well known to everybody within a radius of 100 miles from the city.

Livingston Post: E. A. Gum and Miss Elsie Armitage were quietly married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Siegel in this city last Monday evening. Rev. Mr. Smith performing the ceremony. The young couple have but recently come to Livingston from Absarokee. After the ceremony Mrs. Siegel served a bountiful supper to the guests. Mr. and Mrs. Gum will make their home in this city.

St. Paul Calendar for 1903.
Six sheets 10x15 inches, of beautiful reproductions, in colors, of pastel drawings by Bryson, is now ready for distribution and will be mailed on receipt of twenty-five (25) cents—coin or stamps. Address F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago. '12