

# Xmas Prices

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Tomorrow's Miner and Standard for the Bargain List.

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## BENEFIT PROGRAM FOR THE SOLDIER MEMBERS

### Sons of St. George Have Program for Tuesday Evening.

A patriotic entertainment will be given Tuesday evening, Dec. 18, at 8 o'clock at the Eagles hall by Victoria ... of the Order of Sons of St. George, assisted by their ladies and the members of the Daughters of St. George. The proceeds will be forwarded to the members of the order now in training camps or on the battle front.

The program follows: Piano solo, Miss D. Becking; vocal solo, Miss H. ...; solo, Miss P. ...; double quartet, by members of the Montana ...; reading, Mrs. W. Trethe ...; solo, Mr. Berryman; solo, M. ...; step dance, Miss M. Little; ...; solo, Miss Williams. ... the musical program there ... and a dance. The ... in charge consists of: J. ...; chairman, Joe Luke, secretary, Mrs. J. Barnicoat, treasurer, E. ...; Luke, Mesdames B. Treloar, ...; D. Snell, E. Oates, T. Rich-

## ON ROCK PILE WAS CHANCE FOR LIFE

Chase, 22 years old and living with his parents at 236 Pine street, ... and landed on a pile of rocks ... He sustained a fracture ... In spite of that he is ... at Murray's hospital and ... hopes for his recovery. His ... in order to relieve ... and he is yielding to the ...

## BUTTE DAILY POST PUTS YOU ON THE NEWS

# BUTTE RED CROSS WORKERS TO SECURE 25,000 MEMBERS

### Campaign Will Open Monday and Continue for Six Offices and Homes of County to Be Can-

patriotic men and women ... in a monster Red Cross ... next week in which they ... bring 25,000 members under ... of the well-known organiza- ... drive is part of a nation- ... in which 15,000,000 ... will be secured in this coun- ... in Montana, 25,000 in Sil- ... county and 3,000 in Ana- ... stalls for the work in the ... will be made at a ... the membership and ex- ... of the Butte chap- ... Red Cross at the courthouse ... Red Cross workers have already ... services, but this num- ... to be increased to 100, ... for the work will be ... Electric Equipment company ... East Broadway. Harry

## CITY ATTORNEY WILL VISIT AT CAMP LEWIS

### George Toole Leaves Tonight for American Lake to "See the Boys."

George Toole, city attorney and counselor for the war department since the beginning of the draft in Butte, leaves tonight for American Lake, Washington, to visit the Butte boys at Camp Lewis. Mr. Toole expects to be gone five days.

City exemption board members a few weeks ago voted Mr. Toole as the best informed man in the northwest in matters concerning the draft. The city attorney has kept a complete record of the draft law and its subsequent provisions and regulations, and has made an exhaustive study of the act passed last May. None of his decisions as given to the city board have been reversed by the higher draft authorities.

Mr. Toole will carry with him to Camp Lewis a number of packages of tobacco and other gifts from the city officials and others to the Butte drafted men. He expects to study the camp and be able to make a report to the draft boards on his return.

## SOUTH SIDE NOTES

Staple and fancy groceries; prompt delivery. Taylor Grocery, 1630 Harrison avenue. Phone 1031.—Adv.

Louise lodge No. 3 of the Order of the Daughters of Hermann Sons has removed from Stevens & Manley hall to the Eagles' hall in the Lewisohn block. Election of officers will be held in this lodge Wednesday, Dec. 19.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dechene, 1900 Cleveland street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Vicary are rejoicing over the arrival of a son at their home, 2115 Walnut street.

The Ladies' Aid of the Welsh Presbyterian church held a meeting Thursday afternoon and closed up the business for the present year. It was decided not to meet again until Jan. 5. It was reported that the net profits from the recent gift sale amounted to \$133. Appreciation was expressed for all those who so kindly assisted.

The members of the Epworth league of the Grace Methodist church were pleasantly entertained Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. J. H. Mitchell, 715 East Second street. There was a large attendance and a short program was rendered. A pleasant evening was brought to a close with refreshments.

Kintley Harwood, one of the members of the last draft from Butte, has returned to his home at 652 Maryland avenue. He was discharged on account of physical disability. He gives a good report of the men he left at camp and states that he is sorry not to have been able to remain with them. He enjoyed his life there immensely, he says.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Christie at their home, 1314 A street.

Faulk Williams of 1822 Reynolds avenue is improving slowly after his recent illness, his many friends are glad to learn.

The Jazz Owl club will give another dance at the Stevens and Manley hall next Tuesday evening. The proceeds from the affair will be used to buy tobacco for the Butte boys at Camp Lewis.

Everything is in readiness for the cantata to be given next Tuesday evening at the Grace church by the members of the Ladies' Aid society. The title of the sketch is "Our Busy Ladies' Aid" and it is said to be highly amusing.

## KILL TWO BUFFALO AT COLUMBIA GARDENS

Sergt. A. S. Brown of the coast artillery disposed of one of the buffaloes at the Columbia Gardens yesterday with one shot from his trusty rifle. Another bull buffalo was killed this morning. The animals were killed because they were quite old and there are too many bulls in the herd of six.

# PRIESTS AND PEOPLE WILL HONOR MONS. P. DE SIERE



MONS. PETER DE SIERE.

Unremovable pastor of St. Patrick's, who celebrated on Dec. 20 the fiftieth anniversary of his elevation to the priesthood. Clergy and laity will unite in a tribute of love and veneration for the kindest priest in Montana today, one who took up the burdens of the ministry in pioneer days and has been most faithful, most loving and devoted since then. The occasion will be the most inspiring church celebration in the history of the state.

Clerical dignitaries in all parts of the United States as well as in many districts in Europe will shower blessings and prayers on Mons. Peter De Siere of this city next week when the venerable and beloved pastor of St. Patrick's celebrates the golden jubilee of his priesthood. Many of them will attend in person. At least a century of priests from various parts of the state as well as from parishes in other states will come to pay their tribute to one who for many years has been lovingly called the "daddy" of the priests of Montana.

The celebration, which starts on Dec. 19 and lasts for three days, will not be confined to the Catholic people of the city or state, for Mons. De Siere is beloved by people of every religion and race. Bishop Carroll of Helena and Bishop Lenihan of Great Falls will be among the leading churchmen at the anniversary. Archbishop Christie has notified the local committee that if possible he will attend.

Mons. De Siere will sing a special mass for the children on Wednesday morning. The formal celebration of the golden jubilee will be held on Thursday when Mons. De Siere will again sing the mass. A banquet will be served at the Silver Bow club. A reception will be held in the evening for the people of the community. The Central high school will give a special entertainment on Friday in honor of the beloved pastor.

Mons. De Siere was born at Houthen, in Flanders, Belgium, April 15, 1843, and his parents were Peter De Siere and Mary Brenne. The elder De Siere was a merchant and Father De Siere was one of nine children. He attended the schools and college at Furnes, Belgium, and graduated in 1863. Four years later he was ordained to the priesthood. Following his elevation to the priesthood he was a teacher for 12 years in the college at Dixmude. He was assistant priest of the Pastor parish at Raulers and at Wastende.

In 1887 he came to America and assisted at Deer Lodge, where he was assistant priest of that parish. After a residence of 16 months there the new parish of Anaconda was created and he became its first pastor. In this

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Scene from "DRAFT 258" featuring MABEL TALIAFERRO



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# 258"

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STARTS TODAY FOR THREE DAYS

# SEVEN SMASHING SECTIONS

# AMERICAN

soula are visiting in Butte today. W. E. Keeley of Deer Lodge is the guest of friends in the city. Dr. Marie L. Myers of Whitehall is the guest of friends in the city. George Mulligan of Three Forks is spending a few days in Butte. R. D. Callahan and wife of Warm Springs are in the city today. Mr. and Mrs. Reinhardt of Fromberg are visiting in the city. H. W. Blum of Phillipsburg is registered at the Acorn hotel. A. L. Miller of Miles City is spending a few days in the city. R. F. McGinnis of Anaconda is spending the day in Butte. Miss Bannan of Lakeview is visiting in Butte for a few days. E. L. Theis and wife of Lima are stopping at the Leggett hotel. G. W. Ryan of Great Falls is registered at the Finlen hotel. Mrs. Mary A. Metz of Monida is visiting in Butte today. Ed Montgomery of Monida is registered at the Butte hotel. E. M. Dirks of Whitehall is in the city on business today. R. W. Wilson of Lehigh is spending a few days in the city. S. A. Barbour of Melrose is in the city for a few days. Forrest V. Smart of Harlowton is here for a short stay. Inspect my line of watches and jewelry. S. Saier, 660 Phoenix blk.—Adv. Bud Otis of Miles City is registered at the Grand Hotel. J. B. Scott of Gardiner is in the city for a few days. E. J. Bidson of Great Falls is in the city for a few days. C. K. Wyman of Dillon is spending the day in the city. P. R. Brown of Dillon is spending the day in the city. Imported Lamp Shades and French Nocturne by Carney Art Co.—Adv. J. D. Eason, Jr., is here from his home in Whitehall. Joseph S. Uhr arrived today from his home in Missoula. E. L. Cleveland of Deer Lodge is here for the day. Grant Kenison and wife of Apex are in the city today. G. N. Fuller is here today from his home in Helena. Edison Phonographs, 126 W. Broadway.—Adv. B. N. Wilbur is here from his home in Helena today. T. E. Anderson of Livingston is here for a short stay. J. O. Billings arrived from his home in Polson today. O. N. Lanstrum of Helena is in the

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city on a visit. The New Edison, 126 W. Broadway. Adv. Dick Turpin of Anaconda is here for the week-end. Frank Sullivan of Billings is visiting in Butte. C. E. Allen of Livingston is here for a few days. C. E. Shaw of Three Forks is in the city today.

**Don't Forget the Greeting**  
On Christmas morning. Your friends will look for them. You may not want to make expensive and perhaps useless presents, but a Christmas card is always welcome. Now while the selections are easy is a good time to get them at The P. O. News Stand. Send your presents in an attractive holly box. We have them in all sizes; strong, well made; they cost but little and add much to the appearance of your gifts. You will find all the little things to dress your gifts, and the finest assortment of books for boys, girls, children and grownups at The P. O. News Stand, 25 West Park.—Adv.

**FEDERAL EXPLOSIVE INSPECTOR FOR OREGON**  
Portland, Ore., Dec. 15.—William Campbell of Medford today was named federal explosive inspector for the state of Oregon, according to a telegram received from Washington by United States District Attorney Reimes.

**SENATOR GORE ILL.**  
Washington, Dec. 15.—Senator Gore of Oklahoma went to a sanitarium here today for treatment of nervous trouble and insomnia.