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NEWS AROUND TOWN

What's Doing And Who's Been Doing It About The Town.

Miss Stella Breckenridge was visiting in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schults and little son were visitors in town Wednesday.

U. S. Commissioner F. M. Dworshak returned from a trip to Miles City yesterday.

The base ball boys are going to Box Elder near John Howe's ranch Sunday to play ball.

Mrs. R. V. Fuqua was in town from the Wiley ranch near Baker the fore part of the week.

J. Cory, the surveyor is busy this week platting out the cemetery property and running it out into lots. The work will take about a week.

W. C. Smith has been busy this week repairing the Miles City and Baker telephone lines. About a mile and a half of the Baker line was put out of commission last week by lightning and new wires are being put in.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lake were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Peck this week, having come over from Camp Crook Saturday. Mr. Lake says that it has been very dry in that part of the country and that the crops look a little discouraged.

The papers throughout the country are acknowledging receipt of their first copy of the Westmore World, a new paper published at Westmore by R. B. Lowery of the Lowery Mercantile Co. Send along a copy bro. and lets see what the new sheet looks like.

We note that Miss Katherine Taylor of Ekalaka is in the lead in the voting contest that is being conducted by the Daily Star and Independent at Miles, of those candidates that reside outside of the county seat. The first prize is a \$450, Koehler & Campbell piano.

J. D. Gross was up from his ranch on Box Elder Saturday. While here he arranged for a ball game with the Ekalaka boys and the Box Elderites to be played on the Box Elder grounds next Sunday, June 18th. The creek boys have a pretty good team this year and are anxious to meet up with the town ball tossers.

A CARD

I take this method of announcing to my friends that I have entered the voting contest of the Miles City Independent and Daily Star. Five valuable prizes are offered and I hope to win one of them, the first if possible. I would greatly appreciate any help that my friends may give me in this contest. Let me send in your subscriptions or renewals. Will you not help an Ekalaka girl to win?
Katherine Taylor.

BOX ELDER ITEMS.

A light rain fell in the valley Friday.

Joe Cornish called at the Gross ranch Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Dunn moved to her ranch near Sykes this week.

Mrs. Kesterson was reported on the sick list last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gross and son visited in Ekalaka Sunday.

The crops are all looking good in this valley at the present time.

Miss Gillette of Nebraska is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Dragoo.

Herbert Stoddard had the misfortune of hurting his ankle at base ball Saturday.

Mrs. O. Watkins of Chicago has arrived to join her husband on his claim in the valley.

The dance at John Burns' was well attended and everyone reports having had a fine time.

Miss Mable Gross returned to her home this week after spending the past several months in Miles City attending school.

The ball game between Sykes and Box Elder teams Saturday was well attended. The score was, Sykes, 24 Box Elder 12.

BREEZY BITS FROM BAKER

Manager Hunter's yellow dog is still without office.

The Sentinal cartoonist has ceased his efforts in portraying the husky Berkshire and is now busy practicing on a life size picture of the dove of peace.

It is rumored that Messers Warren and Conser will leave shortly for Losthope Springs to boil out their systems and recuperate from a severe attack of countyseatis.

The county division tornado that was headed towards Baker has for some unaccountable reason slipped by our bright little garden spot of the prairies and is still at large.

The re-nowned four piece band will give a Beethoven recital in the city park this evening. Their program will include that pathetic aria in Op. 27 entitled "Gone, Our Fondest Hopes Are Flit".

Big Bump, Ariz.,—Fourteen of the most noted embalmers and undertakers left over the Kahoos Short Line this afternoon for Baker, Montana to enter into business and care for the remains of the victims of the recent explosion of the Fallon County Air Castle.

A life saving station is nearing completion on the lots on the north shore of Little Baker lakes, that had been picked out before the panic of 1911 for the erection of a court house. This move has been made necessary by the increasing number of attempted suicides in and around Baker since the big crash.

THE LOCAL LAYOUT

The Happenings of The Week In Town As Seen By The Eagle Reporter.

Frank Osgood was in town from the Chalk Buttes Tuesday.

Frank and Moody Harrington were in town from Ewalt Tuesday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lane on Saturday the 3rd inst.

Coonen & Hall have commenced the work of re-shingling the I. O. O. F. hall.

Wallace Hurd of Camp Crook was a visitor in town the fore part of the week.

Wilson & Olsen are putting in a new floor in the barber shop building this week.

A. C. Haines and J. McNabb of Camp Crook were visiting with S. J. Emswiler this week.

"Cap" Zink and "Smithy" spent a few days on the Grant farmstead building a root house last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dague are being congratulated on the safe arrival of a boy at their home on the 4th inst.

Lords Day, June 18, 1911. Bible School 10 A. M., Preaching 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Thomas A. Plunkett, Misister.

Rev. E. H. Johnson, Pastor of the Congregational Church at Baker, will preach in the church on Sunday, June 18, at 11 a. m. and thereafter on each alternate Sunday until a permanent Pastor shall be secured to take charge of the local work.

While in town last week, Rev. Joseph Pope, General Missionary of the Congregational Church decided to establish a Congregational Church in this place. Mr. Pope spoke in the church on Wednesday and Thursday evenings and the people of the town generally favor the movement.

The people near Sykes are going to hold a 4th of July celebration this year. Speaking and singing will be heard in the morning and the afternoon will be spent in watching some riding roping and other western stunts besides a ball game. Dancing will be held in the evening and a midnight supper served on the ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. King of Oklahoma were arrivals last week for a visit with their son Fred King and daughter, Mrs. Mable Conger. On Sunday in company with about 20 other former Oklahoma residents they gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Conger and had dinner. It was a most pleasant meeting and many interesting events of former days were talked over. Those who attended all voted Mrs. Conger a pleasant entertainer and an exceptionally good cook.

Fallon County

DIED
JUNE 14, A. D. 1911

AT
COURTHOUSE
MILES CITY, MONT.

"Conserve Our Remains"

The news of the death of Fallon County reached this place yesterday morning and this territory has (?) been cast in a dark gloom.

The Sympathy (?) of the entire community is extended to the bereaved father in this, his hour of sorrow. We know that it has been a dark and dreary voyage and that the cloud of apprehension has been hovering over them for many moons and we trust that they were prepared for the shock. We hope they will be able to remember the words of the master when he said "Blessed is he that weepeth and endureth through the night for joy cometh in the morning" and we also hope they will now try and realize that the morning is near at hand when they can see a ray of light through the cloud that has so long overshadowed them, in knowing that county division will be taken care of when the proper time arrives.

The funeral services will no doubt be held at the private sanctorium of The Baker Sentinal which is probably draped in mourning. The remains will be laid to rest while the choir renders that beautiful song "Keep Your Foot On The Soft, Soft Peddle.

At Your Service.

When in Town Make Our Place Your
Headquarters and Resting Place
and let us serve you with de-
licious cold drinks and
ice cream.

Our cream is whipped and frozen with a
gasoline engine, giving it that rich smooth
finish that is so relished.

Wilson & Olsen