

LOCAL NEWS

Interesting Happenings In And About The Town

Apples at Blaine's.

F. M. Dworshak spent Tuesday in Baker on business.

Chas. Harrington of Box Elder was a town visitor Tuesday.

For Sale—Horse, saddle and bridle, J. W. Curtis. Inquire at Blaine's.

The children of the high school held a social dance last Friday evening.

W. I. Maxwell and wife journeyed over to Belle Fourche last week in their Overland car.

Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Munro, Sr. left Tuesday for a visit with their daughter in North Dakota.

Mrs. L. M. Elliott returned Sunday from a week's visit with her parents at the Medicine Rocks.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alex McNab on the 13th a fact we overlooked to mention last week.

Mrs. L. Killeen left Tuesday for Sioux Falls, S. D. where she will visit over the holidays with relatives and friends.

Russell Wiley and J. Kennedy were business callers in town Monday and Tuesday in the interests of the Treasure State Oil Co.

If you wish to have any papers in connection with your Homestead or Desert Land Entry prepared, see S. J. Emswiler, U. S. Commissioner.

Carl Lundell who has been employed at the Ekalaka Drug Co. store left Saturday for other points, being dissatisfied with this portion of the wild and woolly.

The Ladies Sewing Circle will meet with Mrs. Virgil Davis on Wednesday, December 1st. It is requested that all outstanding work be handed in at that time.

On Saturday, December 4, the Ladies Sewing Circle will hold their annual sale of fancy work, novelties and aprons. An oyster supper will be served on the evening of the sale.

Eugene Kearney of the Kearney Elevator of Plevna and a Mr. Hughes, representing the Tenny Co., grain commission merchants of Minneapolis were Sunday visitors in Ekalaka.

Miss Pearl Trandum has been visiting in Ekalaka this week. We understand that Miss Trandum expects to soon engage in teaching in the Ekalaka public schools, Mrs. S. A. Holt having resigned.

Elevator About Completed.

The directors of the Ekalaka Milling company have been in practical continuous session the past week endeavoring to get matters pertaining to the new project well under way for the opening of the elevator which is scheduled for week from tomorrow. The carpenters and contractors are rushing their work through and if no unforeseen circumstances turn up will have this part of the mill properly completed by that time. Arrangements have been made for the purchase of all wheat grown in this territory by the Ekalaka Milling company, the contracts to all have been signed by tonight.

Of the \$20,000 worth of stock to be issued by this company, \$7,000 in common stock and \$9,500 in preferred stock has already been sold, leaving only \$3,500 worth of preferred stock yet to be sold. In looking over the list of stockholders we find that considerable co-operation is lacking between those who have already signed up and those, (of which there are many) who have failed to subscribe. When we look over and compare figures from the elevators at Baker and find that out of a total of 184,000 bushels of wheat received so far, the Farmer's equity or co-operative elevator has received 91,000 bu. or nearly fifty per cent, we fail to see why the co-operative plan is not better taken here. The burden of the expense so far incurred in the building of the mill and elevator has been borne by the business men of Ekalaka and while they will to a great extent benefit by the new enterprise it is of more interest to those who market the grain and consume the majority of the new mill's products. The balance of the stock to be sold is being offered for cash, grain or in freighting, thus giving one three methods of paying, and we believe that with a little extra work at this time on the part of the present shareholders that the stock selling slate should soon be wiped clean.

The elevator machinery, consisting of about 10,000 pounds of material arrived this week and under the supervision of mill experts will be installed at once. Contractor Pratt and directors are more than pleased with the progress made lately and with Mr. Rolfe have been putting in valuable time during the past few days—still boosting.

Fine apples, four varieties \$2.25 per box at the Ekalaka Drug Co. Oh, yes! Cranberries and other fruit also, and then, too, the finest line of candies in Ekalaka. The Rexall Store.

A Christmas Tragedy— Maybe

When the Christmas Bells are ringing
On the morn that all are glad,
And you hear the children singing—
Listen—will your heart be glad?

Will your thoughts be of the season
That has just drawn to a close;
Will you think and think and reason
Why it failed? Alas, who knows?

Well, the season hasn't ended.
Anyone can tell you how
You can make it rich and splendid—
Start by advertising NOW!

District Court News.

In mentioning court news last week we said that district court would convene on December 29. This was a typographical error and should have read November 29, which is next Monday. The following is a list of the cases to be brought before the court at that time:

- Schmidt v Ness, et al.
- Stolts v Long.
- Harris v Thompson.
- Creel v Keller.
- LaBrick v McLean.
- Walker v Walker.
- Cameron v Rolfe.
- Doracel v Creel.
- Creel v Doracel.
- Pepper v McDonald.
- Parrish v Creel.
- Kelley Steinmetz Liquor Co. v Jackson.

- Mason v Hasty.
- Ludwig v Ludwig.
- Rolfe v Johnson.
- Creel v Hamilton.
- Jennie G. Creel v M. E. Jones, as Sheriff.
- Pepper v Baker.
- Flastad v County of Fallon.
- Kerneychuk v Shamanska.
- Grellinger v Creel.
- Creel v Bohn et ux.

The Story of a White Apron.

A country school teacher noticed that at recess and noon times the girls sat around listlessly sucking their thumbs and gossiping, while the boys engaged in energetic physical play. As a remedy she procured some white cotton cloth, thread and thimbles, and after a short time Mary Brown appeared at home in a new white apron. Mary's mother quickly noted the apron with the glow of pride in Mary, and also observed a certain incongruity between the white garment and the finger nails and hands with which it contrasted. Soap and water were forthwith applied to harmonize Mary with the apron. Her brothers and sisters came in and they too must needs use the soap and water. The house, floors, and windows came next for cleaning to match the apron.

Next came Father Brown, after his own ablutions he had to paint and whitewash the house, fences, and out-buildings. The neighbors could not have Brown get ahead of them in the matter of appearances, so their homes were brought up to the standard. Finally the church and school house were under the influence of the clean-up campaign, and all the result of the appearance of the school-girl and a white apron.

Girls wanted at Ramme's.

Teachers Meet.

At an executive meeting of Fallon County Teachers' Association held in Westmore Saturday much business of importance was transacted. For the purpose of doing more effective work the county was sectioned and a director appointed over each division. The director is allowed to appoint two assistants, and the work of the three is to help arrange a two days institute or meeting in their part of the county. This meeting is for the teachers and trustees and will consist of talks and discussions on topics with a view to the betterment of the schools in that section. It was decided to hold meetings at Ollie, Baker, Ekalaka, Thos. Johnston School, Alzada, and Pinele.

The divisions are again subdivided and directors are appointed whose work it is to keep the executive committee informed as to any work of more than usual importance which is being done by any teacher under their supervision.

The teachers of Fallon county are to be congratulated upon the splendid progressive spirit which they have shown in effecting an organization which cannot help but work good for the schools.

Locals

Girls wanted at Ramme's. Blaine is still doing watch work.

Christmas goods are being unpacked and displayed at the Ekalaka Drug Co., The Rexall Store.

A. G. Parker waived preliminary hearing before Justice Court Monday and was bound over to the district court without bonds.

For Sale—Mammoth Bronze Turkey Toms and hens for breeding purposes. Hens \$3.50, Toms \$4.00. Toulouse geese \$3.50 each. —R. Zejda, Ekalaka, Mont.

In the case of the State vs. Bearrow which was held in Justice court Monday a verdict of not guilty was rendered by Justice Dworshak. Mr. Bearrow was charged with exhibiting a gun in a threatening manner. Attorney Shelden appeared for the defendant.

The Eagle was in error last week in mentioning the news of the death of J. E. Wilson. The rumor reached us just as we were going to press and had no time to inquire for particulars. Mr. Wilson has been very ill and at times was not expected to live but his many friends here will rejoice with the Eagle that his death has not occurred and sincerely hope that he may soon recover.

Turkey In Ekalaka.

Turkey has invaded Ekalaka, we are not looking for another piece and the war is over. The first indication of a conflict came at noon yesterday when after a strenuous struggle the enemy was finally captured and retained in spite of vigorous inner submarine attacks. Reports of much suffering in other quarters were dispatched to us shortly after the battle but owing to the blockade instituted by Colonel Weather Man, no help was secured from the Medical Relief Association. During the progress of the engagement several retreats were made by individual belt companies, some retiring even to the end their lines thus leaving the enemy in full control of the trenches. For another year we are going to be neutral, observing at all times the International Thanksgiving laws while many of those engaged in the skirmish are being held to "strict accountability" by His Honor, The Butcher.

Lakeside News.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rogers arrived from North Yakima, Wash. for an extended visit with their son Joe and family.

G. A. Scruggs, Frank and Herbert Bourn and Jas. Hubbard marketed grain in Baker last week, in fact every body is hauling grain to Baker.

Leo Fisk has just returned from the Willard vicinity where he has been threshing this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Rawson returned from Big Stone, S. Dak. last Monday where they were called to her mother's bedside, who died while they were there. Mrs. Rawson has the sympathy of her many friends in this sad hour.

J. E. Myrick came out from Ekalaka last Saturday and took a look at his homestead.

Dick Peabody had a runaway while coming down the "big hill" last week. He fortunately succeeded in stopping his team before any serious accident resulted.

John Hoffman of Prospect, Mont. who purchased the Coal Spring ranch through Grant & Fuqua has moved upon the place and incidentally purchased \$9 head of cattle from the same firm.

Beautiful cut glass, silver ware and jewelry, an exceptionally large stock, and selling fast already, we advise buying early. Ekalaka Drug Co., The Rexall Store.

REXALL STORE HERE

June G. Olsen of Ekalaka Drug Co. Is Fortunate.

In securing the agency for the popular and valuable Rexall line of goods there has been added an asset and appreciative feature in the business circles of Ekalaka and especially with the Ekalaka Drug Co. This fact can be easily seen by just stepping into their store and noting the large up-to-date stock and new line of goods that have just been received. Among the many good things of the Rexall line we find many family remedies, toilet articles and sundries that has made this line the best and most popular in America.

The Ekalaka Drug Co. is always looking after the welfare of its customers, a practise that has won for them a very large patronage, always pushing ahead and adding new goods, giving the best of service and a square deal to all, features that are always had at a Rexall store—the leading drug store of every town.

Rexall goods are sold on a money back guarantee, no matter if you have used the entire contents of a package, so if you are not satisfied you return the empty package and your money is cheerfully refunded. This we consider perfectly plain and fair—and it's Rexall service everywhere.

We feel that the people of Ekalaka and the public in general of the surrounding country are fortunate in having the Rexall line of goods at their service, and while considerable capital was needed to place this line here feel that the public will be greatly benefited thereby. The Ekalaka Drug Co. gives you courteous treatment and welcome all to call in their store and inspect this line, whether you purchase or not.

The Rexall line is by no means the only goods handled by this progressive store, it's only an addition, as one's visit to their headquarters will show. Many other well known and popular goods are handled by them, in fact anything kept in stock in first-class pharmacies. At present holiday goods are being displayed, of which a large complete line is handled each year, thus affording the people of this section the opportunity of purchasing presents and gifts at home at reasonable prices instead of ordering through mail order houses.

A visit is always appreciated. —adv.—June G. Olsen.

Want Any Of These?

- Drugs of all kinds
- Patent Medicines
- Stationery
- School supplies
- Combs and brushes
- Candies, all kinds
- Drops and gums

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Toilet waters
Perfumes
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