

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Interesting Happenings In And About the Town

For Sale—A good milch cow.— E. T. Pickering.

Wanted—Clean cotton rags at the Eagle office.

Don't forget the dance at the Fisk Bowery August 12th. 32

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lavall of Box Elder were visitors in town Monday.

F. R. Allan was a visitor in town yesterday from his place near Rema.

Mrs. Wm. Owens had the misfortune to step on a nail Sunday afternoon, causing a very sore foot.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dousman, Miss Ester Phillips and Mrs. Comstock, all of Baker were visitors in town Monday.

Mrs. Harold Bond Amidon, N. D., sister of Mrs. Chas. Jamison spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting with the latter.

Mrs. Thos. Connolly left Saturday for Bowman, N. D. to join her husband. She has been visiting at the Hedges home on Beaver flats.

A number from here interested in the prohibition movement went to Baker Monday to take part in the meeting of the County Dry Federation there.

Mrs. R. J. McNish and daughter Vivian returned to their home in Hill City, S. D. Monday. They were accompanied as far as Belle Fourche by Mrs. M. B. Spellman.

Wm. Mowbray is over to his ranch near Midland this week and with Surveyor J. C. Cory is ascertaining just what portion of this United States is his personal property.

Lawrence Hewitt who has been assisting in the Reliable Drug Store left the fore part of the week for Bristow, Nebr. where he will enter school again during the coming term.

Darrell B. Dague and wife of Ollie passed through town Tuesday enroute for a short visit to the Black Hills. Mr. Dague is publisher of the Enterprise at Ollie, one of the newsy papers in the north part of the county.

A large delegation of the members of Custer Canton No. 6, P. M., I. O. O. F. went to Baker Monday evening to assist the Baker lodge in initiation work. The Ekalaka delegation had a most pleasant time at the county seat and were royally entertained while there.

T. F. Schofield is one of the latest to invest in a Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gross of Elrin were shoppers in town Monday.

Henry Newbary was in town Wednesday from his ranch on Powder river.

Dance at the Fisk Bowery Saturday evening, August 12th. Everyone invited. 32

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Farwell and children and Miss Ethel Summers spent Monday in town from Box Elder.

Mrs. J. F. Divine and Miss Stella Olsen left Sunday for their homes after a visit here with relatives.

A. R. McDermott and Doc Latham were over from Camp Crook Wednesday on business matters.

The price of Ford cards has dropped \$80 which helps some. The factory price on touring cars is now \$360, or \$410 here.

Johnnie McCumsey is back on the Eagle mechanical force after an absence of a few months at his former home in Alzada.

R. B. Lowry passed through town Wednesday enroute to the south country to boost his candidacy for the democratic nomination for county treasurer.

W. I. Maxwell and George Farwell are the latest candidates to announce themselves for county commissioner, the former of the republican ticket for the six year term and the latter on the democratic for the two year term.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
All persons indebted to the firm of Hatton & Urban are hereby forbidden from paying the same to anyone but the undersigned.

Dated Ekalaka, Montana, Aug. 3, 1916.

John W. Hatton.

Judge Martin's court was occupied Monday with the preliminary hearing of Harold Staley who was charged with the theft of \$116.50 from Mary Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Moore who live at Bell Tower. Attorneys Wheeler & Palmer represented the defense while County Attorney Dousman was over from Baker acting for the state. Several witnesses were examined and the court after hearing each side of the case, bound the defendant over to the district court. It was shown that the money turned up missing after the Moore family had attended a dance at Chimney Rock two weeks ago and that Staley had formerly been employed at the Moore ranch.



YOU SHOULD WORRY, WOODROW

(Portland Eastern Argus)

A Few Words From Akers

I cannot say any more about roads—I have said much about and either from that cause or some more worthy one—our roads have improved. So I will say a few words about the men who are now asking you to appoint them as "most high observers" or "Big Boss of those same roads"—as well as several other important departments of county business.

With all the men who have filed for this office at present writing, I am personally acquainted, and they are all fine men—very fine men—especially Mr. Akers—of course I must boost him—that's what I am talking about.

Think this over—you are to have many candidates for commissioner—of which you must choose two at the primaries. Then choose a man for his quick, sure judgement in modern business methods.

Choose a man who lives in the "country" and knows its needs and your wants.

Choose a man for his location in the territory to be administered to. (These commissioners districts are divided into three and probably won't be changed and Mr. Pepper's term holds over.)

Choose a man who wants the job and has an honest claim to your consideration.

Question, "The man for the place?" Modestly I say to you, both men and women: adv Choose AKERS.

Albert J. Galen, republican candidate for Governor and Dan Boyle, republican candidate for railroad commissioner, both of Helena visited in Ekalaka the fore part of the week and conferred with leading members of their party in this part of the state. Both were very pleasant gentlemen to meet and are making a very earnest campaign for the primaries.

Ole Olsen of Fairview was here the fore part of the week visiting relatives. He returned home yesterday, taking with him his two daughters, Ltndena and Opal who have been staying here.

Elgin

The sizzling weather of the past month has made the writer wish for a chunk of the 50 below we got last January.

A friend of Fred Clark's from Baker who has been visiting him for the past few days had the misfortune to shoot himself through the foot with an unloaded (?) gun which he was cleaning. He is getting along nicely under Dr. Sandy's care.

John Burns returned recently from Belle Fourche with a new binder.

Mrs. John Sandy has been visiting the past week at the home of Dr. Sandy.

Geo. Hobbs has erected a new windmill on his ranch the past week.

Grandma Arpan from Hoover, So. Dak. is spending the summer with her son and daughter of this place—Lou Arpan and Mrs. Chas. Lavell.

Mrs. Wm. Baker and children from Plevna are visiting friends and neighbors in this vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. Baker were former residents of this place, but have resided in Plevna the past two years.

We are pleased to note that Anna Hoffman is able to be around after her recent illness.

Floyd Strain and Bessie McCree spent Sunday at the Chas. Hubbard home.

Mr. Marks of the Baker Hardware Co. and Mr. Estrene of Billings were in this neighborhood last week. Mr. Estrene was representing the Nichols Shepard Threshing Machine Co.

A sister of Mrs. Jones from Powder river is visiting her at present.

It is safe to estimate that at least 20 new binders have been purchased this season by farmers within 10 miles of Elgin.

A fine shower visited this section Monday night and it was certainly needed.

A large band of sheep belonging to Ole Flasted passed through here last week. He was moving

them to a ranch in Wyoming which he recently purchased. His range on Coal creek had been taken up by settlers until it was impossible to run them there any longer.

Road Overseer Howder and his men are certainly making great improvements in the roads in this vicinity. We would be glad to see a large amount of this work done.

No, Prairie Dale, we weren't afraid to meet you to play the "rubber" game of baseball. We just thought it wasn't worth while.

Chas. Lavell had the misfortune to break a bronch's neck which he was halter breaking last week.

A farewell reception was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tiederman July the 29 in honor of the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary Rose, who left the next day for her home at Dodge, Nebr. A large crowd gathered in the form of relatives and friends. The evening was indulged in music and dancing. The midnight refreshments were ice cream and cake. Everybody left at a late hour wishing Mrs. Rose to make another visit in the near future.

Yeomen at Chalk Buttes

On July 28th, Chalk Buttes Homestead No. 5506, American Yeomen, was instituted in the Van Hook School House. Officers were elected for the term as follows: Foreman, R. J. Van Hook; M. of C., Robert Osgood; Correspondent, Deward Cox; Overseer, Gabriel Bradshaw; Chaplin, Conard Geroge; Lady Rowena, Mrs. Mary Bradshaw; Sentinel and Watch, J. J. Osgood and Creaton Cox. A most enjoyable evening was spent, in spite of the weather man, who tried to spoil it with a heavy rain. The new Homestead will meet on the 1st and 4th Saturday nights of each month. Fourteen are on the list to be initiated this month. Prospects for a prosperous lodge are the best and everyone is taking an active interest to promote the welfare of the lodge.

Standard Schools

According to the report of C. W. Tenney, inspector of rural schools for the state department of education, the Preston, Westmore, Pugh, Lincoln, Baker, Riley, Ekalaka, and Plevna schools in Fallon county are now wearing the name plate bearing the words, "Standard School" which State Superintendent Davee awards to all schools recommended by their county superintendents.

The score card by which these schools are rated takes into consideration the building, the equipment, the grounds, the student and community activities and the work done by the school itself. This makes it necessary for the teachers, trustees, pupils, and patrons of each school to work together to make their school what it ought to be and when this cooperation has once been secured, as a general rule, the of the work has progressed most rapidly.

"Curly" Severding returned yesterday from a visit with relatives in the Twin Cities.

Oscar Gilbertson, Win Rogers and C. G. Rickard went to Baker this afternoon.

C. R. Fagaines, who recently purchased the machine shop from Glen Miller is moving the same to Baker, where he expects to establish an auto repair shop at the Chevrolet Station.

Quite a few of the town people are contemplating attending the dance at Sykes hall tomorrow evening where the Ekalaka orchestra furnishes the music. Many are going out after the show at the Play House.

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