

**LOCAL NEWS**

**Interesting Happenings In And About the Town**

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

Chas. McHugh returned Saturday from a visit to Butte.

Frank Downer returned from a trip to Deadwood Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. U. C. Patton of Midland were town callers here last Saturday.

H. W. Ewalt and daughter Dot were visiting in town yesterday from their ranch.

The county commissioners were in session for three days commencing Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Downer is enjoying a visit from her mother Mrs. Morris of Deadwood, S. D.

Win Rogers, Grover Bowles, Chris Ramme and Frank Thompson motored to Baker last Friday.

Wm. Mowbray left Saturday for Minneapolis where he will seek medical treatment for rheumatism.

Geo. Harrington and mother left Tuesday for Boston, Mass., after a short visit here with William Harrington.

John Gross of Elgin was in town Saturday with a wagon load of watermelons that he had raised on his Box Elder ranch.

Miss Annette Leonard of Baker was here Saturday visiting her brother and also arranging school matters with the teachers of this district.

Messers H. H. Hedges, Guy Evans, Thos. Collepriest, Elmer Thompson and J. P. Hedges left Tuesday for a trip to Chico Springs.

Hunting season for ducks opened up the 1st of the month and the local gunners have been having good luck so far, bringing in a nice bunch from every trip.

The Misses Clara Northrup and Stella Olsen and the Messers E. J. Potterton and Henry Smith of Baker motored over from Baker Sunday for a visit with friends in this section.

The public schools of District 15 opened Tuesday. Prof. F. L. Funkenbusch, Bessie Crosby, Catherine Chilton, Martha Hafle and Frances Schultz are teaching in the Ekalaka schools.

The Fallon County republican committee held a meeting in Ekalaka Saturday which was fairly well attended. A number from Baker, including Messers Geo. Hough, W. Goble, Eddie Booth, L. Busch, L. A. Conser, P. C. Cornish and F. C. Bunn attended the meeting.

For Sale—100 bushel of Old Pearl beardless winter wheat, at \$1.35 as long as it lasts.—Dr. G. A. Baker, Ekalaka. 35-37

Pure white 47 gravity kerosene, Penn. oils and greases, wholesale and retail. Baker Auto Co., J. W. Zook, Owner, Baker, Montana. 35-38

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Ridgway of Ridgway and Warren Brewer of Camp Crook made a business trip to Miles City Sunday, going overland in a Ford.

Miss Lela Clark of Swamington, Ind., arrived Friday to visit her father, Ben Clark, who was recently burned very badly from a gasoline explosion.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Enerson and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Juve passed through Ekalaka Saturday from their home at Capitol for a visit with friends near Webster.

The W. H. Peck Co. store closed Saturday evening for a week to take inventory preparatory to their closing out sale which will commence Saturday.

We journeyed over to Miles City the fore part of the week and started the Shetland ponies that will be given away by the Eagle on their way toward Ekalaka.

C. K. Putnam is out on a trip throughout southern Fallon county and Harding county, S. D., securing orders for tomb stones and cemetery monuments. Ray Martin is attending to his store during his absence.

Peck's big sale commences tomorrow morning and continues until every article in the store has been disposed of. Unheard of bargains will greet everyone who comes to the store after tomorrow morning.

On or about the 15th of September the Thompson House on the corner of Mormon Street will be open for business with new management. Your patronage solicited.

Lost—Black leather covered note book, containing surveyor's field notes, on either the Baker-Ekalaka road, the Camp Crook-Ekalaka mail road or the Hiscock-Ekalaka timber road. Finder return to this office and receive reward. 35tf

"The Girl and The Game," a fifteen week serial screen play ended at the Play House last Wednesday. The play was good and of such high character and exciting scenes that its production here won a very material increase in patronage for the Play House managers. It is to be hoped that the next serial will rank with the one just ended.

**Our Shetland Pony Contest**

Five more boys entered their names in the Eagle's Shetland Pony contest this week and from now on the contest starts in earnest. We have been waiting for the ponies to arrive, and they are due today. Now is the time for all boys to begin to hustle. 2000 votes go with every years subscription to the Eagle and we give 2000 votes free to each contestant. Ten subscriptions will bring any boy 22000 votes so you can see that no one has any advantage at the present time. Just a little hustling is all that is going to be necessary to win one of the ponies and they are dandies. We will keep them at Wm. Nims' barn where they can be seen by everyone. Those who are behind on their subscriptions or wish to renew should do so now and give their votes to their favorite candidate.

**EKALAKA DISTRICT**

Booth Davs	4,000
Melford Holt	2,000
Jake Taylor	10,225
Tom Urban	8,000
Leslie Perkins	2,000
Paul Sammon	6,000
Vernn Jackson	2,000

**COUNTRY DISTRICT**

Earl Simpson, Calumet	8,000
Raymond Yale, Sawmill	4,100
J. Cecil Trier	2,000
Hal Snow, Sawmill	2,000
Alf Trandum, Webster	5,050
Wilton Newbury	2,000
Jimmie Owens, Big Hill	2,000
Alfred Butler, Chalk Buttes	2,000
Horace Sherwin	2,000
Robert Schneider	2,000
Verne Stanton	2,000
Billy Griffin	2,000
Arnold Harmon	2,000

**Lakeside**

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Laprath returned to their home near Sykes after spending several days in Lakeside.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Strain of Prairie Dale spent Sunday with her father and mother.

Miss Bonnie Brandley went to Ekalaka Monday where she will remain and attend school the coming year.

J. C. Trier enjoyed a visit with his nephew, Jay Ames of Tulare, S. Dak., last week. We understand Mr. Ames filed on a homestead while here.

Nearly everybody is busy stacking grain these days, and some threshing has been done.

Leo Fisk was down from Willard for a short stay last week.

Leo Pangburn has been confined to the house the past few days as the result of being kicked by a horse. Fortunately no bones were broken and she will soon be able to be out again.

On Thursday afternoon Sept. 14 at the Church a meeting of all the mothers of Ekalaka and vicinity will be held to organize a Mother's Circle for promoting the study of the care and well being of children. Let us all meet and help and gain help from the experiences of all in this most important problem.

**Donay Rae McPherson**

Donay Rae McPherson was born in Ekalaka and passed away at Baker, Montana on Thursday, August 24th, at the age of 2 years, 6 months and 3 days. The end came after a short illness from cholera infantum and it was not until the young life had been taken away that the illness was considered serious. The funeral services were held at Ekalaka on Sunday, August 27th from the Union Church. Rev. W. S. Bowden in charge. Following the services the remains were escorted to the I. O. O. F. cemetery by a large gathering of sorrowing relatives and friends. Four little girls: Flossie Speelmon, Isabelle Speelmon, Francis Malmquist and Fay Melford acted as pallbearers. The parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McPherson returned to their home in Baker and with them goes the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

**NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that the W. H. Peck Company are selling out their entire stock of goods at Ekalaka and that all open accounts and past due notes must be paid on or before October 1st, 1916, and all notes as they mature must be paid at maturity. (Signed) W. H. PECK, 35-39 WILLIAM MOWBRAY.

**Primary Results**

The following are the primary returns as handed us yesterday. Horace Sparks and W. P. Akers are a tie for the six year term for commissioner on the democratic ticket and will draw straws or take some other means to decide which will be the nominee.

**Representative:**  
R. E. Morris, d 321  
E. S. Booth, r 367  
J. A. Williams, r 467

**Sheriff:**  
Mat Jones, d 368  
Geo. Boggs, r 462  
Henry Viles, r 378

**County Clerk:**  
E. F. Lentz, d 353  
F. C. Bunn, r 524  
T. J. Martin, r 337

**Treasurer:**  
R. B. Lowry, d 247  
E. H. Trandum, d 175  
Geo. Hough, r 392  
W. W. Palmer, r 373

**Auditor:**  
L. J. O'Grady, d 293  
L. E. Rushton, r 729

**Assessor:**  
C. E. Hughes, d 372  
Otto Enerson, r 649

**Clerk of Court:**  
Ralph Keener, r 785

**County Attorney:**  
C. J. Dousman, d 312  
P. C. Cornish, r 378  
Joseph Hodgson, r 239  
L. L. Wheeler, r 223

**Superintendent of Schools:**  
Carrie Bachtel, d 319  
Annette Leonard, r 719

**County Commissioner:**  
W. P. Akers, d 167  
Horace Sparks, d 167  
Geo. Farwell, d (2 yr) 288  
Carl Bondell, r 149  
D. D. Howell, r (2 yr) 188  
Jas. Munro, r 182  
F. W. Schreiber, r 147  
W. I. Maxwell, r 250  
F. E. McFarland, r 188  
T. F. Schofield, r 352

**Surveyor:**  
J. C. Cory, d 187

**The County Fair**

A week from next Tuesday, the Fallon County Fair will open at Ekalaka which promises to be bigger and better than ever. A much larger crowd of visitors is expected this year than heretofore, and arrangements are being made to properly entertain them. The agricultural committee is receiving assurances every day that a large exhibit will be here and commencing Monday, Supt. Wm. Gerner will start gathering the display of grains, etc. and place them in the agricultural hall. President J. W. Grant of the fair association has had the track put in condition and the buildings on the grounds repaired. Much interest is being taken in the sport program and

many interesting races and other events can be looked for. Secretary Wm. Mowbray has been called away on illness but the other officers have taken charge of his duties until he returns. The time to prepare for attending this year's fair is now. Arrange your work so that you may come and bring the whole family and stay the two days. You will find plenty of amusement and meet many friends. September 19 and 20th, Tuesday and Wednesday—that's the time.

**Teachers' Institute**

Next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday a teachers' institute will be held in Ekalaka. This year two institutes are to be held, one at Baker in October and the one here. A program of entertainment has been arranged besides the regular institute program. On Monday evening a social dance will be given in honor of the visiting teachers. On Tuesday evening Prof. C. W. Tenny, state rural school inspector, will lecture at the church on school questions. Mr. Tenny is a very instructive and interesting speaker and should be greeted with a full house. Wednesday evening the teachers will be entertained with a show at the Play House. Monday is trustees day, when all the clerks and trustees of southern Fallon County schools are especially requested to be present and take part in the special program for that day.

Charles E. Hughes, county assessor, and E. F. Lentz, county treasurer, were over from Baker Wednesday enroute for a visit with the voters of the south end country. Both are members of the democratic party. Mr. Hughes being a candidate for reelection and Mr. Lentz a candidate for county clerk and recorder. If their past public record and competence is considered, both are sure to be elected at the general election this fall, for certainly both have made good as servants of the people of Fallon County in the past.

S. A. Holt is remodeling his drug store this week. By doing so it will give S. A. a more room which is so needed.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle will entertain for their husband's this evening at the Fire Hall.

Chas. McHugh has opened up a cleaning and pressing establishment in the building recently vacated by C. K. Putnam.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Rexford Blaine Tuesday and thereby brightened their home.

**September 5th**

**School Children and Parents**

Have you given it a thought? We have and we are amply stocked to supply you with all your needs, such as tablets, inks, pencils, pens and holders, school bags, pencil boxes, note books, and in fact all the school sundries needed and of the best quality.

ALSO, While they last, we are going to give to you, a ruler, a pencil tablet and a blotter free, see that you get yours.

**The Ekalaka Drug Co.**

**To Entertain the School Marm's During The Institute**

**Monday Night, September 11th Social Dance at the Play House**

From 9 to 12

**Tuesday Night, September 12th, A Lecture by Prof. C. W. Tenney at the Church.**

**Wednesday Night, September 13th, Picture show at The Play House.**

**Equip your boy or girl with the thing every school child should have.**

**Our school supplies represent the best to be had any where, and we can save you money**

**The Reliable Drug Store**  
The Penslar Store S. A. Holt, Ph. G.