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Two Dollars Per Year

In Interest of the Thrift Movement

Banks to Cooperate With School To Further the Move

Carlton A. Grier of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, western representative of the Registered Tracery System, spent last Friday in Cut Bank, conferring with local bankers and Principal Marlow of the local school, with the purpose in view of giving the initial impetus to the thrift movement, now being taken up all over the country.

The system is built upon the proposition that if the pennies are given the proper attention, the dollars will take care of themselves, and upon the suggestion that competition is one of the greatest incentives to a youthful mind. Everyone realizes the value of teaching thrift to a child lies in the fact that he will probably retain his early training. In carrying out this "system bank" plan, the ideas of thrift will be taught in the school-room, like other subjects. One room will be matched against another, and some prize given to the room having the largest aggregate deposits, the prize to be moved around as the amounts may vary.

Each child with a deposit of ten cents may receive a system bank from which one of our banks his parents choose for him, and in this bank, which contains a book, he may keep a record of his savings, which, when reaching a dollar is taken to the local bank and deposited to his credit. Once a month he takes this card to the teacher and his report of deposits and savings is copied onto the record card of the school. He will be encouraged and will take great pride in his growing savings.

Mr. Grier called at the Pioneer Press office Friday evening to solicit cooperation in the move and gave the information that the bankers and school faculty were heartily in accord with the plan and that it would be inaugurated without delay. "The bankers here evinced a fine spirit of cooperation and good will toward each other, a condition that one does not find in all the smaller cities, and were keenly in sympathy with the idea from the beginning," said Mr. Grier.

Seed for Sale
Montana-grown speltz. Mr. Farmer, if can't grow corn, grow speltz, and raise fat hogs. Per bushel \$2.00; 3 bushel, \$5.00. Albert Corrigeux, Cut Bank, Mont.

North Headlight

Mrs. Sarah Lewis spent a few days in town last week.

"Happy" John Ahlberg is hauling grain for Austin Cheatham.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Michaels visited in Cut Bank on Friday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Langdon, a daughter, on February 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Pierce and Henry Schneider spent Wednesday at the Langbeer home.

Mr and Mrs. E. R. Warde, John Kurz and L. L. Greene were Cut Bank shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Geron and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Danens and daughter were entertained at a dinner given at the Pierce home Sunday.

George Kapp and family are now residing on the Kiesel farm, which they have leased for several years.

John Clark from south of Baltic and John Thayer, the jovial drayman of Cut Bank, were visitors in North Headlight Sunday. Come again.

A school meeting was held at the Kendle home near Haylake recently and we understand there is to be a school house built in that vicinity soon. Edwin Berger donated a piece of land for the building. Messrs. Greene, Kleinsmith and Kendle were appointed as directors, to hold office until an election is held, in April.

Although the weather was not very favorable, a large delegation of Headlight people got together on Saturday evening and paid Mr. and Mrs. Al Vincent a visit. Of course the coming was unexpected and Al was found in the "hay," suffering with a slight attack of spring fever, but they proved to be the best of entertainers and everybody enjoyed themselves—and the eat!

The Pioneer Press learns that Mrs. W. S. Carson has brought suit against the city of Cut Bank in the sum of \$1,300.00, for damages alleged to have been sustained at the time the Metropolitan hotel basement was flooded, last summer. Norris & Hurd have taken the case for plaintiff and Pray & Callaway will represent the city.

The Market:
The prices today:
Spring Wheat..... .87
Winter Wheat..... .86
Durum..... .82
Flax..... .200
Oats No. 1, cwt..... .100
Barley..... .115
Rye..... .73

Can A Clique of Low, Lazy Leeches Control Our Politics At The Coming City Election?

Within the past month a number of tin-horns who are eligible to vote in Cut Bank have returned to town and the information has leaked out that these tin-horns are in a "frame-up" to fix matters politically so that they will not fear interference in conducting gambling here.

We wonder if the citizens of Cut Bank who are for law, order and progress will stand supinely by and allow these pale, palsied parasites to dictate the politics of the town. These low, lazy leeches have no property and no other interests here. They contribute nothing to our upbuilding and much toward our downpulling. They have neither morals nor honor. They would be trainrobbers if they had the courage; porchclimbers or sheep-stealers if laziness did not prevent. That a coterie of coarse, brazen, law-defying poker sharks should attempt to dictate our municipal affairs is as repugnant to our sense of decency as the right of illiterate black 'niggers' to run the politics of the South is repugnant to the self-respecting whites.

The Pioneer Press here and now ventures this bit of political prophesy: The persons who seek to use the voting strength of the poker fraternity to lift themselves into office at the coming election will be swamped by the too-patient respectable voters of this town. The day of domination by the enemies of good government in Cut Bank is done, if we mistake not.

Personal

L. W. Robnett will shortly embark in the general transfer business in Cut Bank and will handle wood, coal and ice. Mr. Robnett has arranged to handle the ice business exclusively and will give it his chief attention during the summer season. He is now erecting a coal and wood shed adjoining the Klein shop, which he will make his headquarters. Robnett is an obliging and efficient fellow and without doubt will give the public the best of service.

Mrs. M. S. Bush and Mrs. Jas. Malone were hostesses at a progressive card party, at the home of the former, last evening. The dominating color note, pink and white, was carried out in the carnations that graced the reception rooms. A large number of friends of both hostesses vied for honors in a series of games that were replete with zest and merriment. An elaborate luncheon was served at the conclusion of the series.

Otto Bauman, the veterinarian, arrived from Fort Benton Monday. He will remain here a short time at present and will return to Fort Benton. After staying at that place for a brief time he plans on returning to Cut Bank to spend the remainder of the year on his homestead.

John Bliesener, who was a caller yesterday, fears that farmers are to experience some difficulty in securing good work horses this spring, as they seem quite scarce at present. He says the farmers out his way are planning on larger farming operations this spring than ever before.

Mrs. Charles Lynch was hostess at two parties at her home, Saturday and Tuesday evenings. Cards were the headlines at both parties and her lady guests were treated to well-prepared repasts.

The Lady Maccabees proved hospitable hosts to those who attended their dance on Tuesday evening. It was one of the most enjoyable of the winter season.

"Five Modern Devils"

Beginning next Sunday night, the pastor of the Presbyterian church will deliver a series of sermons on the following topics:

- March 5—"The Devil of Profanity and Irreverence."
- March 12—"The Devil of Gossip"
- March 19—" " Dishonesty"
- March 26—" " Strong Drink"
- April 2—" " Dirt and Disorder"

SUNDAY NOTICE

Bible School at 10:30
The Teton Sunday School contest grows in interest. Choteau's attendance for the first Sunday of the contest totaled 299, a gain of over a hundred per cent. The attendance at Cut Bank last Sunday exceeded the hundred mark. A class for men has been formed. The course of study will be: The Teaching of Jesus as applied to Modern Life." The pastor is the teacher.

Atty. W. E. Arnot of Conrad was here Monday. Attorneys Arnot and Ryan of Conrad will defend "Blackie" Manning and Bevan, who are to stand trial on a charge of rustling, at the coming term of district court.

Saturday and Monday will be special days at our store again this week. Our special days are becoming popular with bargainseekers. See the display ad for further information. Halvorsens.'

Boy or girl wanted to learn typesetting. We'll teach you in a short time and wages when you become efficient. Pioneer Press.

Miss Nora Thomas returned Wednesday evening from a visit of several days with relatives in Chicago.

Correction—the Headline in the Halvorson ad reading "latest in capes" should have read "latest in caps."

J. R. Justice, the well known horse importer, is here from Galesburg, Ills.

Dr Hulbush this week sold his Maxwell runabout to Jack Britton.

Mrs. E. M. Davis is spending the week in town, as a guest of Mrs. B. B. Lotz.

Organize Equity

A branch of the American Society of Equity was organized at Cut Bank last Saturday afternoon with a membership of seventeen. J. C. Burnett of Great Falls delivered a talk on the advantages of cooperation in marketing and buying and declared that the Equity was the most efficient medium. At the conclusion of his talk L. H. Munyon of Conrad organized the local. The following officers were chosen: Alex Johnson, Pres., Robert Paul, Vice Pres., S. J. Rigney, Sec. and Treas. I. H. Maltby was chosen as a delegate to attend the Farmers' Congress at Great Falls, March 6-7-8. Another meeting of the Equity will be held tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon.

Alec Johnston, who has taken his full share of pioneer vicissitudes, is planning on a little more ease and comfort in the future. He has perfected plans for a modern residence on his ranch in Headlight. The residence will be a roomy one and among other conveniences will have a full-sized cement basement, in which he will have installed a heating plant. It is probable that other farmers in the community will erect more substantial buildings in the present year.

H. Cardwell, who resides near Headlight Butte, was a caller Monday and told the writer of a piece of skilful veterinary surgery performed on a large draft horse, by L. Joslyn. The horse was kicked by a mate some time ago, and when the veterinarian called he found that a rib was broken and the animal's condition critical. He removed the rib and dressed the wound and in a short time the horse was as fit physically as before the rib was fractured.

Bert Luther is back from Arkansas and Missouri, his former haunts. Bert reports that the sections he visited were never so prosperous as at present. In the mining and manufacturing centers there is the greatest activity, he says, and unemployment is unknown.

Fred Gaines returned this week from Pendleton, Oregon, the famous horse and cow town of the Pacific west. While there Fred purchased a number of fine Percheron and Belgian stallions and had them shipped to Cut Bank. He expects to sell them to horse breeders hereabouts.

Dr. Powers, the well known Conrad physician, was a professional caller at Cut Bank last Sunday evening.

Many From Here Called to Service

List of Those Who Will Act as Jurors at the Coming Term

- Following is the list of trial jurors called for March 7, 1916.
- Adkinson, L. T., Collins.
 - Arnold, J. C., Brady.
 - Anderson, Magnus, Conrad.
 - Anderson, P. J., Conrad.
 - Boyle, E. F., Brady.
 - Blair, George A., Valier.
 - Beckett, J. D., Cut Bank.
 - Butchart, W. B., Choteau.
 - Cook, Gilbert, Gilman.
 - Chasse, Romain, Cut Bank.
 - Corson, Byron, Choteau.
 - Crocker, Jean S., Valier.
 - Dederick, P. H., Power.
 - Erickson, Arne N., Conrad.
 - Erickson, Paul, Bynum.
 - Ferguson, A., Williams.
 - Grasdock, Ole, Power.
 - Aauxwell, Chas., Choteau.
 - Hammers, Gunnars, Valier.
 - Hamilton, John H., Conrad.
 - Lane, John S., Choteau.
 - Lloyd, Albert, Dupuyer.
 - Love, Wm., Choteau.
 - Michaels, A. L., Cut Bank.
 - Milbrett, Leo, Valier.
 - Noble, E. B., Bynum.
 - Nason, Prentis J., Conrad.
 - Ohlinger, H. J., Cut Bank.
 - Puntenny, C. C., Brady.
 - Parker, Wm. A., Valier.
 - Phillips, Fred W., Valier.
 - Rienks, Class, Choteau.
 - Semmington, Melvin, Conrad.
 - Sullivan, J. E., Bynum.
 - Schafer, Baldus, Fairfield.
 - Simon, M. J., Dutton.
 - Savage, E. R., Conrad.
 - Schoonmaker, H., Cut Bank.
 - Teterud, Math, Cut Bank.
 - Teterud, Andrew, Cut Bank.
 - Tedson, Anton, Dupuyer.
 - Trisler, J. W., Blackleaf.
 - Thompson, J. E., Cut Bank.
 - Underwood, Clark, Conrad.
 - Vasboe, Jonas, Cut Bank.
 - Warde, E. R., Cut Bank.
 - Worden, F. H., Cut Bank.
 - White, E. J., Choteau.
 - Wheeler, Clarence E., Conrad.
 - Williams, Fred, Choteau.

NOTICE—Having disposed of my practice to Dr. R. S. Nelson, all persons indebted to me are requested to call at my former office or at the office of Bruce R. McNamer, before Tuesday, March 9th, and make arrangements for the settlement of same. Dr. W. A. Hulbush.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Gilpin have gone to Kalispell for the summer. Mr. Gilpin says he'll be back in the fall to buy a portion of the 1916 crop.

The condition of Mrs. Alfred Klein is improved at present.

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