

LOCAL NEWS

Christmas trees for sale at Porter's. Christmas goods at Porter's Confectionery.

Jack Hale and his wife came down from Lewistown Thursday.

Do your Christmas shopping early. Don't wait until the final rush.

Diamond rings, from \$10 up to \$130.00 at Robertson's Jewelry store.

Piano and vocal lessons by Mrs. E. J. North. \$1.00 per lesson. 221f

For a good smoke try a Richard A. Harlow Cigar. Best on the market.

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E. G. Worden, Lawyer First National Bank Block, Lewistown, Mont. 15-1f

If you wish to sell your house, lots or anything else, list them with W. C. Husband. 15-1f

Mr. John Dierk, the townsman from Twodot registered at the Hotel Graves today.

It is rumored the City Bakery will open up again in a few days under a new management.

Roundup Coal, \$6.00 per ton cash. Delivered to any part of the city. J. J. Hall, exclusive agent. 12-1f

Young Men's Suits and Overcoats for winter wear at E. F. Ross & Co. Friend Bros. Clothing Co. Milwaukee.

Billy Ford the county, attorney, was here in town several days this week in connection with several legal matters.

FOR RENT—A neat office room above the McQuitty building. Inquire at the Harlowton Grocery Co. 14-1f

Classy Suits and Overcoats for young men who want style and quality at the right prices. Friend Bros. line at E. F. Ross & Co.

Friend Bros. Suits and Overcoats give style, quality, wear and hold their shape as no other clothing. Sold by E. F. Ross & Co.

Now is the time for you dealers to have your holiday displays photographed, call at the studio and have it done. Olsen is there.

Joe Bechard sold his ranch out south of town last week to Sam McGregor. The ranch consisted of 240 acres of choice bench land.

The Roundup Athletic Club offered \$150,000 to have the Jeffries-Johnson fight at that place. Did you ever here a pipe-dream like that before?

E. B. Corwell, trainmaster on the Mussisell division, was transferred to the Rocky mountain division this week. He takes C. Democks place on that division.

Van Buskirk & Dunningham, the well known contractors, left with their families this week for Missoula, where they will make their home for the winter months.

A fire started in one of the shacks in the red-light district last Friday night, but before the fire could do any serious damage it was under the control of the local fire department.

Get the habit of ordering your meat at the Graves Market. Mr. Graves guarantees equal satisfaction whether you order in person or over the telephone. "Where Cleanliness is Paramount." 14-1f

The G. T. H. Club entertained their husbands in the Old Fellows hall Monday evening. The main feature of the evening was dancing and progressive whist. The climax of the evening was capped with a swell lunch.

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All styles and prices of mens, womens and childrens winter underwear at Marshalls.

J. J. Hopkins, the landlord of the Hopkins Hotel at Twodot, was in town Sunday and Monday. While in town he called at the News office and put in an order for some more stationery.

Louis Penwell came in from Helena Wednesday. Mr. Penwell tells us the Montana Holland Colonization company will move its head office from Helena to Hedges. This move was made necessary in order to be in closer touch with the new settlers.

A communication was presented to the Great Falls city council this week asking that the city assume management of the Farmer's Market. The matter was referred to the committee on ways and means. There were some objections raised to the plan.

W. J. Replogle, who opened the Home Restaurant on Central Ave. a short time ago, closed a deal with Fred Clark, who is at present employed in the R. R. lunch room, by which he takes over the Home restaurant. Clark will take possession of same on Saturday. He is an experienced hand at this business and will undoubtedly make a big success of this new venture.

The wind-swept paths of long ago— They coax us, coax us all the while, With golden blossoms all aglow And roses blazing mile on mile. Out of to-day they have their start From bare, bleak places where we stand, Into the reaches of the heart, Into the golden yesterland.

No, nodding grasses bent above The dim, worn pathways up the hill— And all of laughter and of love Is whispering about them still; They wound their way beside the stream, They hid themselves within the wood, And as the pathway of a dream Each faded softly where we stood.

Through thickets where the berries grew, Through orchards drowsing in perfume, Through quiet pasture lands, and through The wilder ways of tangled bloom The elden pathways wound and went, And we look back away, away, To where our yesterdays are blent In the soft haze of work and play.

And but in dreams we foot them all— The paths we knew of old so well; The paths of quail and robin-call, The paths whose charms no words can tell. We see them dropping down the hill, We see them leading by the brook, We see them where the trees are still In every shadowed forest nook.

The wind-swept paths of long ago— They coax us, coax us all the while, And we would fain arise and go Through all the old days mile on mile. Out of to-day they have their start, From barren spaces where we stand, Into the golden yesterland.

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Books should, not business, entertain the light, And sleep, as undisturbed as death, the night. My house a cottage more Than palace; and should fitting be For all my use, no luxury. My garden, painted o'er With Nature's hand, not Art's; and pleasure yield, Horace might envy his Sabine field.

Thus would I double my life's fading space; For he that runs it well twice runs his race. And in this true delight, These unthought sports, this happy state, I would not fear, nor wish, my fate; But boldly say each night, To-morrow let my sun his beams display, Or in the clouds hide them; I have lived to-day.

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THE CHRISTMAS DINNER supposed to be one of the most elaborate of the year. The selection of Meats and Poultry for the occasion is a matter of great importance, and only the best should be selected. We pride ourselves on the quality of all Meats sold here. We have made a special effort to procure something tempting. That we have succeeded is beyond question. Favor us with your order for

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Harlowton Meat Market, Harlowton, Mont.

THE CLOCK OF HINTS. It was a novel clock they had— She told me that her father Made parlor clocks his little fad. And went to lots of bother To get each timepiece oddity. Just then with action slifty The novel clock struck "twenty-three" Precisely at ten-fifty.

A SUMMER GARDEN I knew a garden fair and wide Where pale green roses nod and sway, And flourishing on either side Are purple daisies bright and gay; There yellow lilies peep from out A grape-leaf cluster bright and red, And saffron pink elms round about While other blooms their beauty shed.

A spray of dark blue eglantine Nods by an orchid gleaming black, Some dark gray marigolds entwined Where pure white rose leaves tumble back; A bunch of ripe green cherries, too, Grow with a lot of silver grapes And pears and apples of varied hue Grow in a dozen varied shapes.

This garden—Wait! I think you'll see Strawberries of a golden hue That flourish 'mongst these things that he

Of wondrous hue and shape and glint, This garden is no shady spot Hedged by a wall of living green, No neatly planned and bordered plot Where pleasant walks and nooks are seen.

Nor do the scientists there come To view the wonders on display And find themselves from wonder dumb That such things see the light of day Ah, no. Yet 'tis not necromancy That works these changes, as to that This wild and weird and queer expanse Is but my lady's summer hat.

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EARLY Xmas. Shopping

Five men who have been working for four years to influence early Xmas. Shopping. This is the fourth year that a committee consisting of Mark Twain, Jacob A. Riis, the late Richard Watson Glider, Edward Feline, and Edward T. Devine has been endeavoring to get Americans to do their Christmas shopping earlier.

This store has always suggested the mutual convenience and satisfaction resulting from shopping earlier in the Christmas season. We are glad to record that there has been a marked tendency in this direction, and we thank you for the past and for what you will do this season. This store is ready for Christmas well equipped with

USEFUL XMAS. GIFTS

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Some people expect so much more than others.—Life.

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Only Eight More Days Until Christmas

Come early and make your selections. I carry a fine line of HIGH GRADE Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silverware and Cut Glass, ect. A complete line of Hollow Ware such as Tea Sets, Fruit Sets, Bon Bon Dishes, Cake Dishes, Nut Bowls, ect. A fine line of Flatware. I handle but ONE GRADE, that the VERY BEST.

Suggesting a Few of many pleasing and appropriate gifts for men and women to be found in my store. Of the following I have the most complete selections.

GIFTS FOR LADIES

Smoking Sets
Shaving Sets
Bed room Clocks
Silver Match Boxes
Pens
Gold Signet Rings

Montana Gold Rings
Flasks
Cuff links
Scarf Pin
Fobs
Gillette Safety Razor
Pocket Edition

Just Received
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Come and See Them

GIFTS FOR MEN

Locketts
Fobs
Watches
Broaches
Necklaces
Toilet Sets

Cut Glass
Manicure Sets
Rings
Back Combs
Belt Pins
Watch Pins
Carving Sets

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JEWELRY AND WATCH HOUSE

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MONTANA SAPHIRES



250 DIFFERENT STYLES OF Ladies' Gold Rings

