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C. C. BENEDICT,
Physician and Surgeon
Office over First Nat'l Bank.
Residence: Pickering Hotel.

DR. DWIGHT,
Dentist
Permanently located
WIBAUX

GRAHAM HOTEL
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General Blacksmithing.
Horseshoeing a Specialty.
All Work Guaranteed.
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First Class Restaurant and Short Order Chop House
Regular Meals and Short Order Lunches at any hour of the day.
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HOMESTEADS!!
(160 Acres Free.)
You will have to hurry if you want to get a homestead near town. Only a few left.
ACRES!!
(Ranches for Sale.)
I am offering some fine ranch propositions to the large investor, and some good grain farms to the man of small means. When in Wibaux, don't fail to see
E. E. JORDAN

W. E. WILLIAMSON
Meats, Fruits and General Produce
Having made special arrangements with one of the largest wool firms in the east, I am prepared to pay highest cash prices for Hides, Pelts and Furs.
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F. J. STIPEK
Manufacturer and Dealer in
Harness and Saddlery, Bridles, Collars, Whips, Fur Robes, Etc. Men's Furnishings, Boots and Shoes.
I pay highest cash prices for hides, pelts and furs.
WIBAUX, - - MONTANA.

Locals.
W. H. Rucker went to Dickinson on business, Thursday.
Babler Land Co. can sell your property, no matter what it is.

Attorney, F. P. Leiper visited in town between trains, Sunday.
Mrs. W. H. Dwight was on the sick list for a few days this week.

Frank Riley came in from the ranch, 45 miles south of town this week.

Mrs. W. P. Osterhout was a Glendive visitor, the latter part of the week.

Fred Pickering returned from the Dickinson hospital on Thursday evening.

Say Jim, who did you buy that city lot of? Babler Land Co., Wibaux, Mont.,

C. P. Allison came in from his ranch, 80 miles south of here, for supplies, Tuesday.

Alice and Adell Gertenson visited friends in Glendive the latter part of last week.

W. B. Strait was here on Tuesday representing the John Leslie Paper Co., of Minneapolis.

FOR SALE, or trade—One baby go-cart good as new. Enquire of N. F. Saltz, Wibaux, Mont.

Mrs. L. C. Faulstich entertained the ladies of the Guild society on Wednesday afternoon.

We will publish your brand and send The Pioneer to your address one year for \$5.00

Ray Porter and Joe Dupont are erecting a large house and barn on Frank Cannon's farm this week.

Two more names were added to the M. N. G. list this week, namely, Wm. Bell and J. B. Gertenson.

F. O. Barber came in from the ranch at Midland and went to Miles City on business on Monday evening.

F. J. Stipek and Fred Zophi of this place and J. J. Stipek of Glendive, were Sentinel Butte callers on Sunday.

I will have 400 head of high grade, native stock cattle for sale at Wibaux, from April 21 to 25. J. C. KINNEY.

L. S. Patterson, who has been spending the winter in Texas and other southern points, is expected to return, Saturday.

For sale—A good 3 room house, barn, and two lots, also two vacant lots in residence part of town. See E. E. Jordan.

Deputy Sheriff, J. D. Wynn, went out to Jean Miller's ranch to subpoena witnesses and jurors for the next term of court, to be held this next Monday.

Operator, W. H. Bixby returned on Tuesday evening after a month's visit in the Twin cities and other points in the East, and resumed his old position.

Henry Mullendore, our active county commissioner, went to Glendive on Sunday evening to be present at the county commissioners meeting on Monday morning.

C. M. Sackett, former blacksmith of this place came down from Park City on Tuesday with 14 cars of J. L. Milner's sheep, and is visiting his many friends in town.

P. A. Fischer, S. H. Stambaugh, Rex Chappell and J. H. Kane attended the commercial club dance at Beach on Tuesday evening and report an exceedingly pleasant time.

FOR SALE—A good seven room cottage, barn and chicken house, and two lots, located on the north side of town. A snap, if taken soon. Call or write, C. G. Henderson, Wibaux, Mont.

BABLER GOING WEST.
Perham's Hustling Real Estate Man Seeks New Location.

Rudolph Babler, the real estate man, is winding up his business affairs in Perham, preparatory to locating in Wibaux, a lively new town in eastern Montana. Mr. Babler has conducted a successful real estate business here during the past five years, but he believes that Montana offers better opportunities for his line of business than this locality. He expects to move his family out there about the first of the next month.

Wibaux is a hustling Montana town of 500 population on the main line of the Northern Pacific Ry., just a few miles west of the North Dakota line. It has trade from a large territory which has heretofore been devoted to sheep and cattle raising, but which is now devoted to agriculture. The large ranches are being divided up and sold to farmers who raise splendid crops of wheat, oats, corn and flax without resorting to irrigation, which is necessary in other parts of the state. Mr. Babler has secured the agency for the sale of a large tract of this land, and also considerable town property. The land is being taken up by settlers at a lively rate and is bound to increase in value in the near future.

Mr. Babler has proven himself a hustler during his residence here, and the people of Wibaux will find him a valuable acquisition to their community, and a man who will work early and late to advertise the town and adjacent country.—Perham (Minn.) Enterprise.

Who Pays The Bill?
Justice is sometimes very expensive, to every accused person there is due a fair trial—it is his or her right as an American citizen—but it costs a State vastly more sometimes to give a prisoner a fair trial than he is actually worth. The Thaw trial will cost the state of New York a record breaking sum, but the man who hasn't a cent in the world, for the same crime would be summarily dealt with and the ends of justice would be met. There is not a man or woman connected with the trial who is not the peer of the defendant and yet time and money are wasted to try to cheat the law.

It is said that all men are created equal, why then cannot they be treated in the same manner when brought before the bar to answer for crimes committed? Crime is crime regardless of motive and a criminal is a criminal, why a difference because he has millions.

The millionaire is entitled to and should receive the same consideration before a judge and twelve jury-men as the drunk on the street who has committed the same crime. A little more equality before the bar and more summary justice and the county and state treasuries would not be so depleted.

Oscar Holmquist has just completed the erection of a new house on his claim ten miles south of town, which he will move into at once.

The Babler Land Company's household goods arrived on Monday and Mr. Babler and family are now comfortably settled in the Frank Payne residence.

I am now prepared to do all kinds of paper hanging. Those wishing my service will please write me, or leave notice at Graham hotel. Emma Reichenecker, Beach, N. D.

HINTS ON CORN CULTURE
By A. A. Atkinson, of the Montana Agricultural Experiment Station, Bozeman, Mont.

Plowing for corn—Fall plowing is not always best, but could be done with profit in many localities where not now generally practiced. Where sod is turned under, fall plowing increases the amount of available plant food, due to complete decomposition of the vegetable matter. Fall plowing is one means of combating grub worms and corn root worms. The loosening of the soil also permits of a better absorption of moisture, permitting it to penetrate the sub-soil. Fall plowed fields may appear to be drier in spring than spring plowing, but the total amount of moisture in the soil is greater when fall plowed.

Depth of plowing—The depth of plowing depends upon the character of the soil. Thin soil with clay sub-soil should not be plowed deep enough to turn up the clay, but it is desirable to plow to a good depth, say from four to six inches.

Corn roots penetrate the ground much deeper than the small grain roots, such as wheat, and for this reason require deeper seed bed. In preparing the plowed ground for planting, a harrow that cuts to considerable depth is very desirable. Repeated harrowings are detrimental, as it tends to pack the sub-soil. The Disc Harrow has proven to be one of the most valuable implements for this work. The field should be well prepared, and free from weeds before planting.

Seed—If possible, secure your seed corn either from your own crop, or from someone in your neighborhood who has been a successful corn grower. This is very desirable, as it guarantees a variety that will mature well in your locality. When the corn is in the ear, the farmer can see just what he has. If after a critical examination, he is confident that the corn is unsatisfactory, he can reject it. Again, when seed corn is received in the ear, two or three kernels from each ear should be removed and tested. Those ears which show poor germinating qualities can be rejected. Another very important reason for securing seed corn in the ear is that when so received the butt and tip kernels may be shelled off and discarded, as they are undesirable for seed. A couple of hours spent in picking the un-uniform, rotten and broken kernels out of a bushel of seed may earn dollars for hours spent in preparing the seed. It will be found in ordinary crib corn that a large per cent of the ears will have to be discarded entirely. The practice of planting such ears without testing is responsible for most of our poor corn stands. The time necessary to do this testing is very trifling compared to the money return which it will bring.

It does not pay to advertise, say some merchants who have done but little of it and that without keeping it up. The incident of the little boy and the pump illustrates the matter very well.

The boy was sent after a pail full of water. He poured in the priming and pumped out as much as he poured in. Then he stopped to rest and the priming ran down. After some time of alternate pumping and resting he concluded that it did not pay to pump and quit in disgust. The merchant who does not believe in advertising does it like the boy who did the pumping. He advertised a few weeks then stopped awhile and allowed the people to forget him and his business before he advertised again and then concluded that advertising didn't pay.—Ex.

First National Bank
of WIBAUX, MONTANA

BUY YOUR MONEY ORDERS FROM US AND SAVE HALF THE PRICE OF A POST OFFICE ORDER.

OUR RATES.	POST OFFICE RATES
For Orders up to \$10: 5 cents	For Orders up to \$10: 8 cents
up to \$45: 10 cents	up to \$45: 18 cents
up to \$75: 15 cents	up to \$75: 25 cents
up to \$100: 20 cents	up to \$100: 30 cents

A CONSERVATIVE, BUT PROGRESSIVE BANK
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