

In sincere appreciation of the generous patronage of our customers during the year and in the hope that we have, by our quality materials and courteous treatment, merited our share of their future business, we take this opportunity of wishing to all

A Happy and Prosperous New Year

"A Piece or a Carload"

Goodridge-Call Lumber Co.

"A Piece or a Carload"

**RAPIST PLEADS GUILTY
NOW SAFE AT DEER LODGE**

Surrounded by the strictest secrecy, Paul Moody, the 26-year old self-confessed rapist of a 13-year old girl, was brought to town Tuesday on the dinky from Miles City, where he had been taken for safe keeping, and after pleading guilty to the charge in the district court, was sentenced by Judge C. C. Hurley to an indeterminate sentence of from 20 to 40 years at hard labor at Deer Lodge penitentiary.

So quietly was the affair handled, and so little did anyone suspect that the criminal was in the city, that Sheriff Twible, it is said, took the man openly through the streets to the depot where train No. 3 was boarded and the couple speeded on to their destination with only the court and jail officials cognizant of the move.

Thus most happily, except for the innocent little victim, ends one of the most dastardly crimes that ever blackened the court records of this county.

POLICE COURT NEWS.

There was considerably more going on this week in police court than for a great many weeks past, as will be seen by the following grist of cases. Slim Collingham was arrested last Tuesday, charged with residing in a house of ill fame. He plead guilty and was promptly fined \$10 by Justice Goulding.

Last Wednesday Joe Kollock plead guilty to a charge of drunkenness and was sentenced to work five days on the streets. Ed. Ash drew five days in jail on the same charge.

Last Thursday Messrs. Dennis Doyle, Patrick Pyle and John Doe plead guilty to the same statutory charge and were fined \$5 each, going to jail in default. J. W. Bruce, arrested on the same charge, paid his fine of \$5.00 and was released.

Christmas offenders who plead guilty and whose sentences were sus-

pending on their promise to leave town were Tom Conyon and Krist Rufus. W. D. Yeake paid \$5 fine and was released.

On Tuesday the three sporting house proprietresses and the 18 inmates were all fined their usual amounts, the total being \$330. On the same day Wm. Clarke was fined \$5 for drunkenness. Yesterday William Taylor on the same charge paid a \$5 fine in exchange for his freedom.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES GRANTED
REACH HIGHEST FIGURE**

That the marriage license bureau in the clerk of court's office has broken all records is evidenced by Mr. Parrett's statement that 198 licenses to wed have been issued by himself and Deputy Carpenter from January first 1915 up to and including day before yesterday.

Those issued since the last publication in the Monitor are as follows: Dec. 15, Gustaf Emil Bjordlund of Madison, S. D. and Minnie Melvin Tidemann.

Dec. 17, Albert R. Paulson and Mary Edighoffer of Wibaux. Royal B. Eastman of Fairview and Bertha Martin of Lancaster, Wis. Wm. C. Amos and Lena M. Dennis of Sand Springs

Dec. 18, C. C. Muckle and Lena Heggedahl of Paxton.

Dec. 21, Gunder L. Hagan of Redwater and Alma M. Voss of Circle. Arthur M. Nerud of Circle and Ida Luella Anderson of Hamblin.

Dec. 22, Oscar L. Bartholomew and Mildred Marie Witt of Beach, N. D.

Dec. 23, Gust Hortum of Beach, N. D., and Ida Nelson of Milan, Minn.

Dec. 24, Charlie J. Cizek and Rosie Kratochvil of Bloomfield. Alex Logan and Lillian Larsen of Bismarck, N. D.

Dec. 27, Alvah Walter Kellogg and Minnie C. Simmons of Hamblin.

Dec. 28, Freeman Lamb and Bernice Hatch of Fallon. John B. Laber of Glendive and Inga Kilen of Fromberg, Mont.

Housewives

Attention!

Have you got into the habit of saving pennies, nickels, and dimes? You have. Well, you must be trading at **SAWYER'S**, the new store.

Look at these prices and compare them with what you have been paying in Glendive. I guarantee all I sell and your money back if your are not satisfied. My aim is to please the public, both in price and quality.

At no very distant date, oranges were costing you in this town 50c per doz. My price today is 20c per doz. All my other prices are in proportion.

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE FOLLOWING SPECIALS ON THURSDAY AND FRIDAY AND SAVE MONEY

Karo Syrup, per gal.	43c	Ham, per lb	17c
Extra Fancy Apples, per box	\$1.75	Hershey's Cocoa, per lb	31c
C Grade Apples, per box	\$1.55	Gloss Starch, per lb	5c
Special Coffee, per lb	14c	Corn Starch, per lb	5c
Bacon, per lb	18c	2 3-4lb Pkg. Naptha Washing Powder.....	15c
		Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 for 25c	

My every-day prices are equal to specials, but will make extra-specials every Saturday—Come and see them.

J. M. Sawyer

Cash With Order Merchant

Douglas Street

We appreciate the returning patronage of our old customers and wish them all

A Happy and Prosperous New Year

Harpster's Meat Market

PHONE 55

A GOOD NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION

"I will not let a day go by without ordering something in the line of eatables—Groceries, Fruits, Vegetables and Candy—from Dawson's Cash Store."

**A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS
NEW YEAR TO ALL**

Dawson's Cash Store

PHONE 132

**RESERVE BOARD MAY
FORCE ALL TO CLEAR**

Washington, Dec. 28.—Attorney General Gregory has been asked for an opinion by the federal reserve board on the extent of its authority to compel member banks of the reserve system to subscribe to the check of clearing plan launched by the board and the reserve banks some months ago. Under the present plan subscription by banks is purely voluntary and of the nearly 8,000 national and state institutions in the system not more than 2,600 so far have subscribed.

The clearing function is regarded by members of the board as one of the most important the reserve banks exercise. It was designed primarily to save millions in the cost of collecting checks drawn by member banks on each other. In addition, it was pointed out today, with the clearing system in full operation, many millions now kept by small banks in the vaults of city institutions which clear for them, would be transferred to federal reserve banks.

Any intention to interfere with the clearing houses of the country or to do any large amount of clearing between the various federal reserve banks is disclaimed by officials, who say there is little likelihood that competition between the reserve banks and local clearing houses will become so keen as to put the clearing houses in jeopardy for many years, if ever.

Members of the board feel confident that it has the power to compel member banks to join in the clearing plan under the provision which requires every federal reserve bank to receive "on deposit at par" from member banks or reserve banks, checks and drafts drawn on its depositors.

PURE DRINKING WATER.

The geologic resource of greatest value to the health of communities is a supply of pure drinking water. It is generally recognized that a number of diseases, prominent among which are typhoid fever and amoebic dysentery—a disease more common in tropical climates but found also in the United States—are contracted through contaminated food. Therefore a supply of pure water will eliminate one of the sources of such infection.

It is highly desirable to obtain supplies of domestic water from sources other than shallow wells, some of them open, that are found near many homes. The water obtained from deep wells has percolated through sands and other material for so great a distance that its impurities have been removed by filtration, and it possesses a sanitary value that cannot be overestimated, for such water is free from the bacteria causing typhoid fever and the protozoa causing amoebic dysentery, and its use obviates the necessity for shallow wells that may serve as a breeding place for Anopheles, the mosquito to which malarial infections are due.

EDITOR EXPLAINS AN ERROR.

"See here," yelled the indignant citizen, as he entered the office of the editor of the Daily Whoop, "What do you mean by this article in yesterday's paper?"

"What is it?" asked the editor. "What is it?" shouted the indignant citizen. "Why, you refer to me as a greedy jobber."

"That is too bad," replied the editor. "It is a typographical error, and I am sorry it appeared as it did." "Oh, very well," answered the indig-

We Thank Our Customers

for the greatly increased business we have enjoyed during the past year and trust that we will be favored with their continued patronage during 1916.

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Gate City Drug Store

C. L. BRENNER, Prop.

nant citizen, "I accept your apology." "I don't know how that fool hino-type man came to set the word 'jobber,'" added the editor. "I wrote the word 'robber' very plainly."—Chicago Enquirer.