

THE RONAN PIONEER

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Ronan, Mont., May 8, 1914.

ANNUAL SCHOOL FESTIVAL EVENTS

The following is a schedule for the annual school festival to be held in Ronan on May 22:

- 10:00 a. m.—Addresses by State Superintendent Davie, Prof. J. H. Holst, president of Montana Country Life Educational Association; Dr. W. W. Kemp, head of the department of education of the University, Missoula; State Rural School Inspector C. W. Tenny.
- Folk dancing and singing exercises by school children.
- Business session of the district unit of the Montana Country Life Educational Association and election of officers.
- 12:00 M.—Lunch.
- 1:00 p. m.—Spelling contest to determine the championship of the district.
- 2:00 p. m.—District declamatory contest.
- 3:00 p. m.—Awarding of prizes and certificates.
- 3:15 p. m.—Athletic contests.
- 5:00 p. m.—Girls' baseball game.
- 6:00 p. m.—Banquet by Commercial club in honor of teachers and trustees.
- 8:30 p. m.—Reception and dancing.

The prizes which have been donated are given below.

A. J. Brower, Ronan State Bank, a silver cup as a trophy to be held by the school winning the most points in all events.

Beckwith Mercantile Co., framed picture to the school winning in the debate held at St. Ignatius May 8, 15 points.

F. J. White of the First National Bank, Ronan, a sterling silver medal to the winner of 15 points in the declamatory contest, 15 teams each.

The school winning the senior spelling contest will hold the spelling cup for the next year.

Senior spelling contest, 15, 10, 5 points; first prize, Kodak, Seearce's store; second prize, picture of mountains, Bigelow's studio.

Junior spelling contest, 15, 10, 5 points; first prize, Kodak, Seearce's store; second prize, donated by George Williams, Leon.

Exhibit of school work, 10, 8, 5 points; first prize, picture, Mission State Bank; second prize, unknown.

Exhibit of manual work, each team 8, 5, 3 points; boy's first prize, pig, Joe Allard, Leon; second prize, carpenter tools, Sterling's store; girl's first prize, parasol, Sterling's store; second prize, \$2.50 in goods, Frank's store, Ronan.

Athletic events in most cases count 5, 3 and 1 points.

100 yd. dash, boys over 12; first prize, \$3.00, Max Loewenstein, Leon; second prize, goods selected at Beckwith's store.

50 yard dash, boys 8 to 12; to be furnished by Arlee; second prize, to be furnished by Arlee.

50 yd. dash, girls 8 to 12; first prize, trio white leghorns, F. H. Lee, Leon; second prize, silver thimble, J. B. Bear, Ronan.

30 yd. dash, boys under 8; first prize, \$1.00, James Kerns, Leon; second prize, box of candy, Owl Drug store.

30 yd. dash, girls under 8; first prize, \$1.00; second prize, box of candy, Owl Drug store.

Pole vault, first prize, glove, Owl Drug store; second prize, unknown.

Running high jump, first prize, unknown; second prize, \$2.00, Mission Pool hall.

Relay Race, 5 points; History of the World, Ed. Jenkins, Leon.

Running broad jump—1st prize, pair athletic shoes by Beckwith Mercantile Co.; 2nd prize, \$2, by Mission Meat Market and St. Ignatius Pool Hall.

Sack race—1st prize, pair Getzian shoes by O'Connell's Cash Store; 2nd prize, unknown.

Egg race—1st prize, book by Owl Drug Store; 2nd prize, stationery by Mission Drug Co.

High hurdles—1st prize, cuff links and scarf pin; 2nd prize, scarf pin; by Lemire Bros.

Low hurdles—1st prize, Ingersoll watch; 2nd prize, tennis shoes; by J. A. O'Brien.

Declamation contest—Grand prize, gold brooch, by Lemire Bros.

We wonder if the Pullman car company has learned anything from the experience in recent years of other public service corporations? The people of the country will be able to judge within thirty days, say the Helena Record, because the California state railroad commission has told the company what it must do within that time to regulate some of the abuses of which it stands charged, and of which the traveling public has declared it guilty.

The railroad companies long ago abandoned the policy which was based on the remark of one of the big men in the railroad business: "The public be damned." There is no public service corporation in the United States today which tries harder in every way to win the good opinion of the public than the railroads. Had this been the policy ten and fifteen years ago, much of the anti-railroad legislation which has had a crippling effect on the carriers would not have been undertaken, and the railroads would have escaped a great deal of the harassing which has been their portion. Had the express companies heeded instead of their business dropping off fifty per cent, as it has since the establishment of the parcels post, it would have suffered far less. Even with the menace of the parcels post before them, the express companies instead of voluntarily reducing their charges, fought the issue until they were forced by the interstate commerce commission to make a cut. Two or three years ago, when there was every indication that the Pullman company would be forced to make a reduction in its charges, it grudgingly made a cut, but it went no farther, and made no attempt to correct other abuses. Now the California commission has directed it to correct ten distinct abuses, and has warned the company unless it does it within thirty days it will act. The company will in all probability do nothing, and then it will be up to the commission to do its worst, and it will do it.

While the acreage of winter wheat in the Mission valley this year will be greatly below that of last year, the reports from other sections of the country show that there will much larger acreages as a whole than for several years past, and the condition all over the country at this time is far ahead of previous years. What fall wheat there is here this year is looking splendid and the warm rain and warm weather of the past week has increased the chances of a good crop wonderfully. Spring grain is coming up nicely and prospects are improving every day. So far there has been an increase of moisture of previous years and both grain and pastures show beneficial results of the rain.

Jesse Swinchart and wife and Mrs. George Seifrid drove over from Butte yesterday to look after business interests here and renew many old acquaintances.

Mrs. Wm. Engle and daughter, Nina, spent several days in Missoula this week, taking in the big circus Thursday.

For Sale—1500 lbs extra good potatoes. Inquire at this office. 3p

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Headaches.
Headaches may come from tired eyes, strained nerves, fatigue or a disordered stomach, and in four cases out of five it is the latter. When the cause has been discovered the trouble must be removed. No temporary relief will serve when the headaches become constant visitors, but an immediate removal of the cause will leave no reason for a return visit.
Disordered stomach is most frequently the root of most headaches. A good laxative taken at once will help, and then a dose should be taken once a week to keep the system clear of fermentation. Purchase a box of senna leaves at any drug store for 5 or 10 cents and take a large pinch of these at night, followed by a glass of water. These are excellent to keep the system in a clear condition.
A simple diet should be followed while the head and stomach are weak, and rich foods should be avoided for some time after an attack of sick headache.
Many headaches come from strained eyes. The only thing to be done in such a case is to consult an oculist. If the eyes are only tired an eye wash of boracic acid will help them, but it is safest not to neglect these delicate organs.
Nervous headaches and headaches caused by fatigue should be treated by complete rest in bed for a day or longer if necessary.

Advertised Letters

The following letters remain uncalled for in the postoffice at Ronan, Montana. When calling for same please say "advertised."
Frank Dupuis, Sam Pierre, F. M. Hollibaugh (2), W. A. Shoemaker, Kiolia.
A. M. STERLING, P. M.
May 13, 1914.

Notice for Publication.
04646
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Missoula, Montana, May 11, 1914.—Notice is hereby given that Miss Will K. Lane, of Ronan, Montana, who on July 17, 1913, made hd entry No. 04646, for Unit A, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 29, T. 21 N., R. 20 W. M. M., has filed notice of intention to make commutation proof under new law, to establish claim to the land above described, before Coker F. Rathbone, a U. S. Commissioner, at Ronan, Montana, on the 22nd day of June, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: John B. Bear, James T. Farrow, Amandus Hinz, John S. Myers, all of Ronan, Montana.
JOSIAH SHULL, Register.
may 15 june 12
Non-coal land. Flathead Project.

Notice for Publication.
04487
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Missoula, Montana, May 11, 1914.—Notice is hereby given that Abe Rogers of Ronan, Montana, who, on Sept. 23, 1912, made hd entry No. 04487, for Unit B, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 11, T. 21 N., R. 21 W. M. M., has filed notice of intention to make commutation proof under new law to establish claim to the land above described, before Coker F. Rathbone, a U. S. Commissioner, at Ronan, Montana, on the 22nd day of June, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Edward Baldwin, Andrew Stinger, Mack Hood, Curtis Jeffries, all of Ronan, Montana.
JOSIAH SHULL, Register.
may 15 june 12
Non-coal land Flathead project.

Notice for Publication.
04208
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Missoula, Montana, May 11, 1914.—Notice is hereby given that Kittle Haugan, of Polson, Montana, who, on July 22, 1912, made hd entry, No. 04208, for E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 13, T. 21 N., R. 22 W. M. M., has filed notice of intention to make commutation proof under new law to establish claim to the land above described, before Coker F. Rathbone, a U. S. Commissioner, at Ronan, Montana, on the 22nd day of June, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: William Medcaif, Andrew Salomonson, Carl Salomonson, of Sloan, Montana, Carl Johnson, of Polson, Montana.
JOSIAH SHULL, Register.
may 15 june 12

Town Officers' Reports

Report of the clerk of the Town of Ronan for the current year ending May 14th, 1914:

AMOUNT OF WARRANTS ISSUED	
Marshal's salary	\$ 549.37
Printing	35.00
Labor on streets	379.63
Material for sidewalks	369.17
Town treasurer's salary	25.00
Town clerk's salary	75.00
State examiner's fee	5.00
Balance election expense April 5th, 1913	25.00
Election expense April 6, 1914	50.45
Town records, stationery and incidentals	75.15
Total amt't warrants issued	\$1,991.78
Outstanding and unpaid warrants	\$ 265.18
DWIGHT N. MASON, Town Clerk.	

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

RECEIPTS	
Total amount of money received from county treasurer during the year	\$1,714.98
Total amount of dog tax collected by town marshal	37.50
Total amount of interest on daily balances at 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	4.89
Old balance carried over from last statement	178.00
Total	\$1,934.77
DISBURSEMENTS	
Total amt't town warrants paid	\$1,872.95
Total amt't of interest paid on warrants	55.58
Balance of cash on hand	6.24
Total	\$1,934.77
Signed: G. E. BROUGHTON, Town Treasurer.	

Lumber!

We have the exclusive sale of the lumber manufactured by the Ronan Milling Co. and are offering the same for sale at

Prices That Will Interest You

Rough lumber delivered at Ronan, \$12.00 per thousand. We have every kind of lumber that you will need in building.

Bailey & Hull
RONAN, MONT.

M. R. Hoyt of Big Arm, an old time friend of L. B. Manning, visited the latter and family here the first of the week.

If you can't afford a new suit, this is the time to have the old one fixed up...

RONAN TAILORING CO.

Notice for Publication.
02269
Non-coal land. Flathead Project.
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Missoula, Montana, April 13, 1914.—Notice is hereby given that Henry Hilt, of D'Aste, Montana, who, on May 25, 1910, made hd entry No. 02269, for Unit C, lot 7, sec. 6, T. 19 N., R. 20 W. M. M., has filed notice of intention to make commutation proof under old law to establish claim to the land above described, before Coker F. Rathbone, a U. S. Commissioner, at Ronan, Montana, on the 25th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Ivor M. Brandford, George E. Broughton, Chester C. Codman, of Ronan, Montana, John Thill, of D'Aste, Montana.
JOSIAH SHULL, Register.
apr 17 may 15

Notice for Publication.
04009
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Missoula, Montana, April 13, 1914.—Notice is hereby given that Charles H. Wolfe, of Ronan, Montana, who, on Feb. 19, 1912, made hd entry No. 04009, for Unit E, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 8, T. 20 N., R. 21 W. M. M., has filed notice of intention to make commutation proof under new law, to establish claim to the land above described, before Coker F. Rathbone, a U. S. Commissioner, at Ronan, Montana, on the 25th day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: George Toothman, Earl Spencer, William Wolfe, Joseph Wolfe, all of Ronan, Montana.
JOSIAH SHULL, Register.
apr 17 may 15
Non-coal Land. Flathead Project.

Notice for Publication.
03051
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Missoula, Montana, April 20, 1914.—Notice is hereby given that Ellen Hicks, of Dixon, Montana, who, on Dec. 14, 1910, made hd entry, No. 03051, for Unit E, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 3, NE SW $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 4, T. 19 N., R. 21 W. M. M., has filed notice of intention to make commutation proof, under new law to establish claim to the land above described, before Coker F. Rathbone, a U. S. Commissioner, at Ronan, Montana, on the 1st day of June, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: William B. Engle, Oscar Engle, James Wood, of Ronan, Montana, Henry C. Keller of Dixon, Montana.
JOSIAH SHULL, Register.
apr 21 may 22
Non-coal land. Flathead project.

Notice for Publication.
03856
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Missoula, Montana, April 20, 1914.—Notice is hereby given that Gustaf K. Carlson of Polson, Montana, who, on July 27, 1912, made hd entry No. 03856, for Unit B, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ section 9, township 21 N., range 21 W. M. M., has filed notice of intention to make commutation proof under old law, to establish claim to the land above described, before Coker F. Rathbone, a U. S. Commissioner, at Ronan, Montana, on the 1st day of June, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: Ole Langseten, Ole Grindvold, Noble Turner, Richard Harris, all of Polson, Montana.
JOSIAH SHULL, Register.
apr 24 may 22
Non-coal land. Flathead Project.

Notice for Publication.
02790
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Missoula, Montana, April 13, 1914.—Notice is hereby given that Marvin M. Marcy, of Leon, Montana, who, on April 13, 1914, made hd entry No. 02790, for S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 11, T. 19 N., R. 20 W. M. M., has filed notice of intention to make commutation proof under new law, to establish claim to the land above described, before Coker F. Rathbone, a U. S. Commissioner, at Ronan, Montana, on the 23rd day of May, 1914. Claimant names as witnesses: James R. Smock, James Kerns, Max H. Loewenstein, Robert Bennett, all of Leon, Montana.
JOSIAH SHULL, Register.
apr 17 may 15
(Non-coal land.)

Notice to Delinquent Stockholders

Office of the Hemlock Silver-Lead Mining Co., Saltese, Mont., May 9, 1914.—Notice is hereby given that there is now delinquent on the following described stock on account of an assessment of one mill per share, levied on March 7, 1914, the amount set opposite the names of the respective stockholders, as follows, to-wit:

NAME	NO. OF SHARES	AM'T
Bause, Fred	383	2483.00
Johnson, Tena	85	2500.00
Strubbe, Stacy	232	5000.00
"	266	3000.00
"	287	3000.00
Wolf, S. V.	382	1000.00
Wolf, S. V.	782	5000.00
Wolf, S. V.	763	5000.00
Wolf, S. V.	764	10000.00

And in compliance and accordance with law, so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold in front of the Saltese Supply Co. store, at Saltese, Missoula county, Montana, May 25, 1914, at 2 o'clock of said day, to pay the delinquent cost thereon, together with the costs of advertising and expense of sale.
FRED C. RACHENBERGER,
Saltese, Montana. Secretary.

Ronan Milling Co.

Manufacturers of and Dealers in

LUMBER

Our mill is now in operation and we are prepared to supply the wants of the reservation in all kinds of first class rough lumber, at the following prices:

\$7.00 to \$12.00

Per thousand feet.

Mill located 4 1-2 miles north-east of Ronan on the Henry Clairmont place. A good road in all directions.

FINISHING MATERIALS

Our planer is now installed and we are prepared to furnish all kinds of finished and matched materials of the best grade—flooring, ceiling, door and window frames and casings, mouldings, stops, etc. We fill the order.

CUSTOM MILLING \$5.00 PER THOUSAND

Your Business Solicited

3-Room House For Rent
House new and partly furnished.
Inquire at—Pioneer Office.

The Bigelow Photo Studio from this date, will be open for business, Thursday, Friday and Saturday only, of each week until further notice. 51tf

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE Fourth Judicial District of the State of Montana, in and for the County of Missoula.

In the matter of the Estate and guardianship of Henry Huey Raymond, minor.
Order to show cause on application of guardian for order of sale of real estate.
On reading and filing the petition of Tony Cabell the guardian of the estate of Henry Huey Raymond, a minor, praying for an order of sale of certain real estate belonging to said ward, for the use and purposes therein set forth. It is hereby ordered, that the next of kin of the said ward, and all persons interested in the said estate, appear before this court on Saturday, the 6th day of June, 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the court room of this court, at the City of Missoula, in the said County of Missoula, then and there to show cause why an order should not be granted for the sale of said estate.
And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published at least once a week for three successive weeks before the said day of hearing, in the Ronan Pioneer a newspaper printed and published in said County of Missoula.
Dated April 28th, 1914.
JOHN E. PATTERSON, Judge.
First pub may 1-last pub may 22.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE Fourth Judicial District of the State of Montana in and for the county of Missoula.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Raymond, deceased.
Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be made.
Tony Cabell the administrator of the estate of Henry Raymond, deceased, having filed his petition herein praying for an order of sale of all the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth.
It is therefore ordered, by John E. Patterson, judge of said Court, that all persons interested in the estate of said decedent appear before said Court, on Saturday, the 6th day of June, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the court room in Missoula, county of Missoula, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said administrator to sell all of the real estate of the said decedent.
And that a copy of this order be published at least once a week for four successive weeks in the Ronan Pioneer, a newspaper printed and published in said Missoula county.
JOHN E. PATTERSON, Judge.
Dated April 27, 1914.
First pub. May 1, last pub. May 22.

MONEY TO LOAN Flathead Lands
Will be at Sterling Hotel every Saturday. Anyone desiring to make arrangements for loans, call on me there, or write to me.
Reasonable rates. **ROBERT BENNETT**
Call, or address **LEON, MONTANA.**

License No. 812
Imported Percheron Stallion

"MICA"
58345
Weight 2150, Color Black
Will stand the season of 1914 at our ranch 2 1-2 miles due west of Ronan.

Terms
To insure standing, sucking colt \$20.00
To insure mare with foal..... 15.00
Single service, due at that time 5.00
Not responsible for injuries to mares.

HOLMAN & NASH, Owners

A. Sutherland
Dealer in

Real Estate

Insurance: Only firstclass companies represented.
Notary Public: Conveyancing, neatly promptly and correctly attended to.
\$6,000 A 125 acre irrigated hay ranch, 6 miles north of Bigfork; fairly well improved; yields a \$1,000 crop every year.
\$500: To loan on real estate.
400 Acres near Ronan to lease. Cheap.
Ronan Choice building lot on north side at \$225.00
Large well built house and lot. \$1250.00
House 14 x 24 and lot on the north side \$425.
Two room house and two lots (one a corner lot) cheap \$700.00
Call and list your property and I will find you buyers. If interested watch this adv. for frequent changes.
Ronan, Montana.

Reservation Land and Lumber Co.

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"In the time of Spring the young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love;" but the Farmer turns the soil. May his work be richly blessed. We have the implements for this turning.

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Seasoned Rough Lumber, \$15.00 per 1000 feet.

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