

Golden Valley Chronicle.

VOLUME 2 NO. 8.

BEACH, BILLINGS COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA JAN. 10 1907.

\$1.50 PER YEAR.

Bits of Local News.

I. S. Bispham will be deputised sheriff for Beach.

Mr. Carrigan, of Norwalk, Wis. is a visitor today.

Atty. Miller transacted legal business at Sentinel Butte Monday.

Miss Florence Halstead visited in Dickinson on Friday of last week.

F. E. Near went east today on a business mission and expects to be gone several days.

M. Laughnan departed for B. R. Falls, Wis., today, to look after business interests there.

Otto Schug, of Fessenden, was at Beach last week and fled on a homestead down near Burkey.

Richard Odeon is in town to meet his intended, on this evening's train, whom he has won through a matrimonial agency.

Mr. Miller and family of Sioux Falls, S. D. arrived this week to make their home in the Golden Valley. They brought a car of stock, grain and household goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Olson have moved in Mrs. Emma Reichnecker's residence for the winter until Mr. Olson can get his residence built.

Shear & Kane have their material at Wibaux for printing a newspaper and they expect to get out the first number next week.

The Thos. Kranick Concrete Works have installed a feed mill in their establishment and began grinding Monday.

R. W. Near returned from his Christmas visit with home folks at Hurley, Tuesday. Mrs. Near is visiting in the sunny south.

Miss Vera Near, for several months employed as stenographer for Near & Harper, of this village, and Al Car, clerk in the Pioneer Store, departed for their homes in Hurley, S. D., today. They will be greatly missed by their many young friends here.

F. E. Near, E. Mikkelsen, C. E. Barber, John Keohane, Mrs. L. W. Richards and W. A. Young of Beach were registered at the Medora Hotel Monday. The two former named gentlemen also were Dickinson business visitors the same day.

Miss Anna Olson, recent arrival from Norway, and Victor Olson, carpenter and builder for many years at this place, were wed at the home of relatives in Minneapolis last week. The young couple will make their home in this village. Their friends here extend every best wish for a happy and prosperous wedded life.

The CHRONICLE has been accepted as an official paper for Billings county by the honorable board of county commissioners and will come in for the county legal work. The board also resolved that all stationery and printing for the respective officers of the county must be furnished by the one of the three county printers who in a sealed bid will do it the cheapest. This is not only a great advantage to the county in securing the printing at a cheaper rate, but does away with any favoritism or dissatisfaction inherent in the former method of letting the county printing.

Atty. R. F. Gallagher was a professional visitor at Sentinel Butte, yesterday.

There will be an Auction at the Bargain Store every afternoon the coming week.

P. C. Erickson stated that he will grind feed at his farm every afternoon.

The R. N. of A. will give a home talent play and Basket Social at the opera house, Feb. 22.

Mr. Moran, wife and sister, of DeMores are new residents of our village. They will have charge of the N. P. section house.

Robert Wand, who has a claim near Burkey and who has recently built him a house thereon, left Wednesday for Oshkosh, Wis. 'Tis said he will return in the near future with a bride.

S. D. Whitmer, who is spending the winter at Broadway, Va. sends the CHRONICLE a souvenir postal and states he is having good times. We can read between lines that congratulations will be in order when Samuel returns to his Golden Valley farm in March.

Harry H. Halstead, residing three miles south west of town, lost a purse containing \$60, while in town Saturday. He will recompense the finder a suitable reward if returned to him or left at this office. We hope Mr. Halstead will have the good luck of receiving his money again.

150 pairs of shoes at amazingly low prices. The Bargain Store. One door west of Post Office.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Stockwell went to St. Paul on the Saturday noon train. After a visit at the home of their son there they will return to their new home near Beach, N. D. where they have a land claim, and are well satisfied with the outlook.—Badger State Banner.

Iowa parties purchased three quarter sections of C. E. Barber's land near this village one day last week for \$24 per acre. Four years ago Mr. Barber bought this land for \$5.50 per acre and the only improvement put on the section was a fence. He reserved the quarter adjoining his homestead.

From now until Feb. 1st we will give to new subscribers to the CHRONICLE the McCalls fashion plate and the Dakota Farmer. In this combination the home will be furnished with the local news, the wife will have the best magazine of its kind published, and the husband a 40 page farm paper, published wholly in the interests of the North Dakota Farmer. We make this offer only for the month of January to new subscribers only. We wish to make a payment of \$200 on a new cylinder press and if we can do it we will be able to give you a better paper this year than we have in the past. Tell your friends who do not read the CHRONICLE of this splendid offer for only \$1.30 and you will do us a great favor as well as help us to put out a better paper.

NOTICE!
Came to my enclosure a three-year-old cow, description: light red, has horns and branded on right shoulder J and inverted. Owner please prove property and take away, also pay charges.—J. M. McCoy, Beach, N. D.

The Clerk of Court, H. Gilbert, will receive applications for full citizenship papers at the County Seat, Monday, Jan. 14. It will be necessary for those wishing to become naturalized at the next term of court, to make application on this date as it will be too late thereafter. Remember to take witnesses.

THE WEEK AT SENTINEL BUTTE.

Mr. and Mrs. Strahan are now at the hotel, coming a few days ago from Sioux Falls to locate on their claim near Burkey.

Our friend, Johnny Gilbertson, is busy putting up ice, the ice is twenty-two inches thick and of a superior quality. Johnny is sending a few cars full over to Mr. Kellogg at Beach, this week.

Mr. Franzen announces an auction sale of fifty milk cows for this Thursday at the stock yards.

Charlie Smith was taken very sick the last of the week and was taken to the Dickinson hospital for treatment.

These people passed Monday in the county seat. Commissioner Stoddard, Judge elect James Paxton, Clerk of Court H. Gilbert, Editor W. A. Shear.

Hon. A. L. Martin is at Bismarck and we hope will be affirmative on all bills tending to increase the efficiency of our Constitutional and Statutory laws.

Frank Stone returned from Dickinson Monday night; Almon was in from the ranch the same day.

There seems to be several maladies effecting our little ones this week.

Miss Maud Gilbert is up after an experience with the gripe.

In Justice court the 7th Justice Gardner imposed a fine of \$125 with costs on Abe Collis for placing detention on a horse which Mr. Collis says he traded.

Mr. Runk's boy, John, lies very sick at homestead about four miles south of town; Mr. Runk was in Sunday to send to Dickinson for medical aid.

W. A. Shear and John Kane leave this week for a brief visit in Wibaux, where a local newspaper is being installed by these journalists. We feel that their enterprise will be a success. Mr. Kane will remain in Wibaux as manager.

[Arrived too late for last issue.]
The holiday vacation is at an end and the children are again with the text book acquiring knowledge.

Mata Boyer returned Saturday night for a few days stay in town.

We hear favorable reports from Medora of Walter's singing and reciting at the Tree Christmas eve.

Clifford Y. Kitchen is spending a few days with his brother during the holidays. Mr. Kitchen's health has been poor since coming from the Philippines.

Sunday school at 10:30 every Sunday; there will be no preaching next Sunday.

Meda Rouse will reenter the high school work Wednesday. Meda has been assisting in the J. J. Bartley store during the holidays.

Will Gilbert, the immaculate, is visiting in town this week; it is hoped that Mr. Gilbert will remain with us as assistant postmaster.

Mr. A. C. Rahn is preparing to bring land buyers out from Fargo.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Page of the Burkey elite were on our streets smiling and happy Monday.

Hon. A. L. Martin and family are preparing to make a prolonged visit at the state Capital.

The severe weather does not seem to hinder Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Knox in their four mile drive to devotional exercises each Sunday.

Mr. J. B. Linger is having his claim house just south of town fitted up nicely.

J. A. Kitchen returned from the meeting of County Superintendents in Fargo, Sunday morning. He reports that a splendid and inspiring program was given there under the able direction of state Superintendent Stockwell. During the course of the meeting, Supt. Rader, of Stark county, was highly complimented for having enforced the compulsory attendance law to the prejudice of many offenders in the county, to the last. It is the intention of many superintendents to strictly enforce this provision of our statutes, beginning with the new year.

Why Colds are Dangerous.
Do you know that rheumatism pains can be relieved? If you doubt this just try one application of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It may not give you relief from pain but will make rest and sleep possible and that certainly means a great deal to any one afflicted with rheumatism. For sale by all dealers.

SETTLERS' LOW RATES.

At a meeting of representatives of the Great Northern, Northern Pacific, the Soo, the Canadian Pacific and the Canadian Northern passenger departments in St. Paul the other day the same one rate settlers' rate was adopted for this year.

There will be a few changes, but the rates in general will be the same.

The rates agreed upon apply to points east of Montana and the Canadian Northwest. They will be in effect every Tuesday during March and April. The lines got together earlier that usual this year because they have to give thirty days notice before the rates can become effective.

There was an immense movement on these rates last year, and there is every indication that the business will be larger this year than last. In view of the fact that they are one-way rates most of those who take advantage of the rates are bona fide settlers, although according to the

provisions of the new interstate commerce act, there is nothing to prevent any one from traveling on the ticket.

The one-way rates are not based on any proportion, but are fixed arbitrarily.

Rates to other points for the benefit of settlers and colonists to Washington, Oregon and other states west, will come up for consideration later, at the meeting of the Transcontinental association.

Burkey.

There was a social dance at Lete Stepp's Friday night. Mr. Stepp has recently rebuilt and remodeled his house.

Miss Anna Madzo is assisting as second girl at J. B. Stoddard's.

Miss Abbie Burkey is spending a few days with Mrs. Jesse Page.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. DeJaeger died Saturday and was buried Sunday from the Catholic church.

Mr. Wicka of Beach, was in the vicinity of Burkey Thursday.



Threshing flax on the Gilbertson farm. July seeding yields 15 bushels per acre.

CROP WELL WORTH RAISING.

Brazilian Linen \$15,000 to the Acre May Be Grown Here.

A crop that will produce \$15,000 to the acre has been discovered in Brazil, according to a report to the department of commerce and labor from United States Consul General George E. Anderson at Rio de Janeiro. It is the Brazilian linen and several experimental plantations are making an effort to put it into practical use.

According to the consul general's report the plant grows twelve to eighteen feet high and somewhat resembles hemp. It matures so rapidly that a field will produce three crops a year. The fiber has strength, firmness, flexibility and adaptability for bleaching and dyeing.

It may revolutionize the linen industry of the world and become an important competitor of cotton. An acre will produce seventy-seven tons, and the product includes not only the various grades of fiber for fine or coarse linen but stems and roots can be used for making paper.

The suggestion is made that the agricultural department should investigate this wonderful plant and see if it can be produced in the portions of the United States that are free from frost. The plant is said to be "absolutely hard, resisting alike the dry or rainy season, bearing equally well on wet or wet soil and not a prey to insects or mildew."

A law suit was held at Sentinel Butte, Monday before Justice Gardner, where in Atty. Miller was attorney for the plaintiff, Mollie Randall, of Wibaux, vs. A. J. Collis. A horse belonging to the plaintiff disappeared and was gone for about three years and when found was in Mr. Collis' possession. The plaintiff secured judgment for \$150. However, we understand that Mr. Collis traded for the animal in good faith, and he has appealed the case.

HE GOT OFF EASY.

Negro Thought His Lawyer's Speech Would Hang Him.

Clark Howell of Atlanta tells of the sad case of an elderly darky in Georgia, charged with the theft of some chickens. The negro had the misfortune to be defended by a young and inexperienced attorney, although it is doubtful whether any one could have secured his acquittal, the commission of the crime having been proved beyond all doubt.

The darky received a pretty severe sentence. "Thank you, sah," said he, cheerfully, addressing the judge when the sentence had been announced. "Dat's mighty hard, sah, but it ain't nowhere near what I 'spected. I thought, sah, dat between my character and dat speech of mah lawyer dat you'd hang me shore!"

John A. Johnson, St. Peter, is officially governor of the state of Minnesota for a second term.

Too Much Evidence.

Anthony Preszynsky produced his wife's ashes and a certificate from a crematory company as evidence of her death when he tried to withdraw her deposit from a Vienna bank. The cashier has since posted a notice that no affidavit is all that is necessary.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a Safe Medicine for Children.

In buying a cough medicine for children, never be afraid to buy Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger from it, and relief is always sure to follow. It is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, and there is no better medicine in the world for these diseases. It is not only a certain cure for croup, but, when given as soon as the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. Whooping cough is not dangerous when this remedy is given as directed. It contains no opium or other harmful drugs, and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by all dealers.

POLICE SLA / ES OF A BABY.

Turns the Station Upside Down for a Period of Two Weeks.

The officials of the Children's society breathed a sigh of relief when they got rid of a two-year-old baby boy who was on their hands the last two weeks, says the New York Sun. There have been hundreds of two-year-olds in the society rooms since the organization was founded, but none ever compared with the little unknown who made things so lively that there wasn't an hour's peace while he stayed in the place.

On the night of Oct. 4 little Samson, as he was quickly called, was found in Corlears Hook Park, where he had been abandoned. He was turned over to a cop, who took him to the Delancey street station. Thence he was shipped to the Children's society. He was a pretty little youngster, with light hair, big blue eyes and fair complexion, and he was fairly well dressed.

Although unable to talk, he made it known that he wanted a drink of water and a couple of cops on reserve made a rush to wait on him. When the tot drank his fill he let the dipper fly and caught Policeman Sullivan over the eye. He laughed in glee when he saw the cop rubbing the sore spot and straight away bawled for all he was worth until the dipper was handed back to him. A second time he let it rip and it crashed through a window of the back room.

Seeing that he had done some destruction, he appeared to be happy for a while, but once his eyes rested on the checkers and dominoes on the table he slid off the bench and toddled over. The big cops didn't like the interruption of the game, but there was nothing to do but quit then and there. Samson gathered all the checkers and dominoes together and then let loose a fusillade. Laughing and chuckling, he threw every one at the cops, who dodged and fled from the room.

Left alone, Samson toddled across the room and kicked over every cuspidor, overturned benches and chairs and with a mighty effort tipped the heavy table. The sergeant, hearing the racket, rushed in and just nailed Samson in the act of hurling a brush through a pane of glass. The cops were accused of cowardice for not standing their ground and the doorman was threatened with charges. Two bluecoats were detailed to watch the youngster, while the others were set to work straightening out the disordered room.

A certain newspaper devil was explaining to a young lady last week the difference between printing and publishing. He having concluded, she shyly said: "Now you may print a kiss on my cheek, but you must not publish it." With that he locked the fair form in his arms so it would not pi, and went to press.

Governor John Burke was inaugurated this afternoon as the first democratic governor North Dakota has had since the term of Governor E. C. D. Shortridge in 1893-94.

A representative of the CHRONICLE visited the County Seat Monday and met the county commissioners, in session there this week. F. Gorham succeeds Mr. Lowry and appeared at this session in his behalf. The board now consists of very able and conservative men, namely J. B. Stoddard, T. F. Roberts and F. Gorham. On all bills and business passed on that day the writer noted with pleasure that these men worked for the interests of the county to the best of their judgement. The business of that day consisted largely of auditing bills, taking of bonds, qualifying and swearing in the newly elected officers and looking over the books. The Republican and CHRONICLE were designated the official papers.

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL.

JOHN KEOHANE R. F. GALLAGHER
States Attys.
Keohane & Gallagher
LAWYERS
Office in Golden Valley State Bank Building
BEACH, N. D.

JENS RIVENES
Attorney at Law.
Norwegian-Swedish-Deutscher Advokat.
Probate matters, Land Attorney. Practice in all courts.
GLENDIVE, MONT. Masonic Annex.

CITY BAKERY & RESTAURANT.
BEACH, N. D.
Meals at all hours, 25 cents. 21 meals \$4.
Choice Confectionary Christmas candies and Notions.—C. H. Oswald.

EDUI E EGAN,
Contractor and Builder.
My prices are low, my work guaranteed satisfactory. Estimates of cost furnished free. Call on or address me at
BEACH, N. D.

WELSH & ALLEN
Carpenters and Builders
Plans and Specifications furnished on application. All work neatly and promptly done. We have over 200 house designs, modern and up-to-date. Will gladly show them to anyone wishing to build.
BEACH, N. D.

For Good
FURNITURE!
and a large stock of the latest and most desirable furniture to select from you cannot do better elsewhere. Our prices are low. Don't send away but come here and let us quote prices on our
House Furnishings, Crochery Ware, Couches, Carpets, Etc.
We make a specialty of picture framing.
L A DAVIS & SON,
Dickinson, N. D.

Beach Drug Store

It is here to supply your wants. Let them know what they are.

Headquarters for
Souvenir Postal Cards
Pure and Fresh Candies
Nuts and Fruits
Patent Medicines
Fine Grade Cigars
Toilet Articles
Fine Stationery
Books
Rubber Goods Etc.
Purity and quality of every article guaranteed. Try a bottle of Lyon's Toilet Cream to keep the chaps away.

The Beach Drug Co.

V. Wicka,
DEALER, IN
WINDMILLS,
Towers, Tanks, Pumps, Pipe Fittings, and Supplies.
Well Drilling and Repairing of all kinds a specialty. Estimates in my line cheerfully furnished. Work and prices guaranteed satisfactory.
BEACH, N. D.

Tell your neighbor of our clubbing offer for January.

GEO. H. PURCHASE,
LAWYER.
Practice in all courts, also in U. S. Land Office, General Land Office and the Department of the Interior. Contests prosecuted or defended. Homestead filing papers made. Final or commutation proofs.
BEACH, N. D.

J E. READ,
Contractor and Builder.
Jobbing a-specialty. Building plans and estimates cheerfully furnished.
BEACH, N. D.

QUINLAVIN & LYLE
We sell land and locate people on Homesteads, make out Land Office papers and look after Contest and Final Proof cases. Write for information. Office over Post Office.
DICKINSON, N. D.

J. W. FOX,
Masonry Contractor,
Wants contracts on cement block buildings. Am thoroughly experienced in that line. Brickwork and plastering also solicited. All work guaranteed to give satisfaction. Estimates of cost cheerfully furnished.
BEACH, N. D.

THE BEACH DRAV
GEORGE WOOD Prop.
Your draving solicited. Terms reasonable. All orders promptly executed. Masonary contracts also solicited.
BEACH, N. D.

New Shoes, over shoes, leggins, arctics, flannels, flannellets and caicos. The latest out.

HEAD QUARTERS
for the Sharood and RE-Z SHOES

A shoe that will please you in fit, quality and price. Our stock is complete for men, women and children. We aim to carry a complete line of Ladies' and Gents' furnishings and solicit your trade with honest values consistent with reasonable prices.

IN OUR GROCERY
department is always found a fresh and up-to-date stock of groceries, flour, fruit, etc. Our coffees and tea cant be beat. Try us with your next order.
M. L. RUSS,
Beach, N. D.



Soldon Valley
Blacksmith Works

Horse - Shoeing and General Blacksmithing a Specialty. Wood work and repairing of all kind as per order. All work guaranteed satisfactory.
Yours for business

J. A. UNGER, Prop.
Beach, N. D.

RAINEY & HOLVEN,
Solicit your orders for
Well Drilling,
Pumps and Wind-Mills.

As good water as the country affords is guaranteed and nothing but the best material used. Leave your wants at the Chronicle office.

BEACH, NO DAK

Overstad & Hoverson

Headquarters for Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Farm Implements and Furniture.

AND WIRE PLOWS AND HARROWS CASKETS
NUTS AND OILS WAGONS AND BUGGIES COFFINS
CORRUGATED WARE DEERING HARVESTERS. UNDERTAK-
ing supplies

WE have sold a lot of Stoves and Ranges this winter, and still we can show the finest line in the county. We will try and close out our stock of Heaters from now on, as we do not want to carry them over the summer. If you need a heater call and get prices.

A full line of the above always in stock.