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Local Items of Belt and Vicinity

Telephone men are putting up new lines this week in parts of the city and are doing a lot of general repair work.

Mrs. Abe Morris, Jr. is assisting in McConkey's store during the absence of Mr. McConkey.

Martin Grosskopf of Raynesford was in Belt on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCafferty of the Beaudry ranch on Tiger Butte were shopping in town the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Atkinson and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Maki were in town from the mountains Tuesday.

Supt. and Mrs. M. C. Bowman returned this week from Missoula where they spent the last month hearing of the forest fire near the North Fork of the Flathead which is the location of their ranch, they drove toward it until they were stopped by forest guards who told them that they would not be allowed to go farther. The Bowsmans learned that the fire had destroyed several homesteads in their locality but that the neighbors had succeeded in saving the Bowman house. Many of these burned out are in a destitute condition, because their crops are gone and they depend entirely upon their farms for a livelihood.

Mrs. Maud Appleyard returned early this week from a trip upon which she visited Neihart, Monarch and the Silver Dyke, after voting Tuesday she planned to spend a few days in Great Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Clergy departed Tuesday afternoon for Butte. They will visit friends there and may make a camping trip into the western part of the state.

Basil Pizzini who is working on the Great Northern bridge crew near Vaughan came home Sunday to visit his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Baptiste Pizzini of Great Falls visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Pizzini.

Owen Fergus of Davis Creek and the Misses Pimperton and Duncan visited Belt Tuesday.

Bob McCullough of the Great Falls Meat Company made a business trip to this section this week.

Henry Daniels of Hughesville passed through Belt Tuesday on his way home from Great Falls. He was accompanied by his wife's sister who will visit them for a few weeks. Mrs. Grace Dunnigan and Mrs. Dolly Collins are at the Daniels home for the summer. Mr. Daniels says that the road from Monarch to Hughesville is better than he has seen it for a long time. He also says that Huckleberries are scarce this year.

Joe Conroy visited friends in Belt over Sunday. He is working on the Donovan and Lyter Sheep ranch on Sun River and thinks he has the best employers going. Donovan was formerly Attorney General of the state and Lyter was County Attorney. Their home is in California. They have a famous band of Rambouillets which make as high as 40 pounds to the fleece.

Dr. and Mrs. Stewart are back from a vacation trip to Minnesota. They report crops in this section the best that they have seen. In Minnesota and North Dakota small grain has been generally a failure and corn while starting out well finally dried up and is a total failure.

A. G. Hay of Arrington was a business visitor to Belt Monday.

Miss Elizabeth Mahoney, a former teacher in District No. 29, called at the Times office and visited Mrs. Jos. Morris Wednesday.

Mrs. Mattie Mosier spent Tuesday visiting friends at Raynesford.

Mrs. Allen Chesbro and Mrs. Lena Watson of Raynesford shopped in Belt Tuesday.

Mrs. Luther Paxson left Monday for Great Falls to visit with Miss Lillian Servoss for a few days.

Alice Larkin came home from Lewistown Sunday for a few hours visit with her parents.

Mrs. Alexander left Sunday for her home in Seattle after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. J. Marquardt.

Mrs. Rose Camell and Mrs. Jenny McCarty of Caspar, Wyoming, arrived in Belt to visit parents for some time.

Mrs. Emily Rector and daughter, Sarah are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Blomquist at Logging Creek.

Percy Engdahl of Great Falls was a business visitor in Belt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Probst and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Darko shopped in Belt Tuesday.

MARCELLING
Second door below the Troy Laundry. Jessie Sampson, Phone 69W

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Noble and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Peters motored to Great Falls on Sunday. The ladies had just returned from a month spent on Logging Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Glynn were business visitors in our city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Graybill and son of Great Falls visited Mrs. Provin Tuesday.

Mrs. Jos. Leveille and son and Mrs. Walter O'Fallon and son visited relatives in Belt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vaskey and daughter, Elizabeth, of Great Falls passed through Belt Sunday on their way to the ranch at Raynesford where they will spend a few days helping the boys with the crop.

Ben Kennedy, B. F. McConkey, A. N. Prather and J. W. Leland started for Bozeman to attend the roundup and the Shrine Convention. They expected to go as far as White Sulphur yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Norman of Thibedeau Creek were in town on business yesterday. They have a very fine crop this year.

Born to Mayor and Mrs. H. W. Millard Wednesday morning a daughter.

Miss Tekla Kraftenburg of Little Belt is the proud owner of a new Star touring car, bought from H. Morrow Tuesday.

Jack English is in a hospital in Great Falls with a badly bruised leg which got in the way of some poles while they were being unloaded.

Cal Sharrard and wife visited Mrs. Kierstead in the hospital last evening. The patient is recovering as rapidly as could be expected. Mrs. Wade Wilson at last reports was still in bed.

Father O'Shea of Geysers has been visiting father McHugh this week.

Alice Beautyday of the Farmers and Miners State Bank spent two weeks vacation with friends in Butte and in Great Falls. She is back at work again.

Henry Gossack is on his vacation at Highwood.

Mrs. Venier of Geysers was the guest of Mrs. Phil Leveille this week.

Mike Spegar of Neihart spent Sunday night in Belt on account of car trouble. He has just brought his son home from the Billings hospital where he had undergone an operation which was necessitated by infantile paralysis.

"Former Belt Boy" preaches at Christian Church this summer. Text for Sunday night, August 8th, "Can a man out side the church be saved." Text for the following Sunday night, August 15th, "Can a man in the church be lost." Everyone invited.

A food and bake sale will be held next Saturday by the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church, at the room in the bank building. Lunch will be served from 11 o'clock A. M. over the noon hour, and so on into the afternoon, something hot and substantial will be served. Come in and get a meal or coffee and a light lunch. Come in, whether you wish to eat or not. (Adv.)

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES
Harry T. Stong, pastor

The regular services of the church will be conducted during the week and on next Sabbath.

The prayer service and Bible study class will meet for worship on Thursday. Come early so that the time for music and song service might be a little bit longer. If any one enjoys singing hymns be sure to be present for that part of the service as well as for the study part of the evening service.

See notice of Saturday's food and bake sale in another article in this paper.

A story for children on Thursday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, preceding the prayer service. The children will then be dismissed after the song service.

The usual services next Sabbath. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sunday School at 10 o'clock. If teachers were as faithful as children, we would have a great Sunday School.

A good message gift will be given to each teacher present at prayer service on Thursday evening.

Epworth League meeting at 7:00 o'clock. Let all Leaguers come to the devotional meeting. You are missing good lessons by being absent from the meetings.

Evening worship at 8 o'clock. It is thought that the services will be in charge of Rev. Stong next Sabbath, if, however, the pastor has not returned, Mrs. Stong will conduct the services.



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CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank all our friends for their kindness, helpfulness and sympathy in our recent affliction. We wish especially to remember the givers of the flowers, Mrs. Stong and the choir and all others who assisted us during the illness and funeral services of Georgina Marie Atkinson.

Mrs. George Atkinson
Mr. and Mrs. Tony Sanders
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Snook and family

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday School 10:30 A. M.
Morning Service and Communion at 11:30 A. M.
Christian Endeavor at 7 P. M.
Preaching services 8 P. M.
Richard Mead Pastor.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH
Lee H. Young, Pastor.

Friday, Feast of the transfiguration. Short service at 10:45 A. M.
Sunday—Holy Communion 9:00 A. M.
Services at 10:00 o'clock A. M.

FOR SALE

Walter Kennedy, Executor of the Estate of Margaret Millard, Deceased, will receive written bids on the following described property at the Belt office of Graybill & Graybill, attorneys for the estate. Bids must be accompanied by cash in the amount of 10 per cent of the bid, cash to be returned if bid not accepted. Sale to be confirmed by the Court. Good title. Bids received up to Sept. 1st. The property The Mrs. Millard residence, being

the small house, on Bridge St., modern with garage, fifty foot lot;

The large old Millard house, with lot extending back to 2nd Ave. S., and up to Bateman house;

2 vacant lots near Bemis residence; 1 vacant lot near Geo. Mace's rooming house; one large safe and other property. Houses may be inspected (see Will Millard).

For further details see Graybill & Graybill, Belt or Great Falls.

BIDS WANTED

The school board of School District No. 29, Belt, Montana is asking bids for the remodeling of the heating and ventilating system of the Custer School building and the repairing of the furnaces situated therein.

Bids must cover the cost of the installation of hot air pipes of necessary size to effectually heat all rooms and vent pipes of proper size to remove cold air from the rooms, replacing of smoke pipes, covering exposed pipes with plaster board, installation of registers and everything else necessary to make a workmanlike job.

All bids must be in the hands of the clerk of said School District not later than 6 o'clock P. M. on the 14th day of August, 1926 and must contain a check for 10 per cent of the amount of the bid as a guarantee of good faith and that the bidder will at once enter into a contract to complete the work within a specified time.

Plans and specifications may be obtained from the clerk of said district.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all the bids.

By order of the Board of Education this 4th day of August, 1926.

Pauline Yurko, Clerk.

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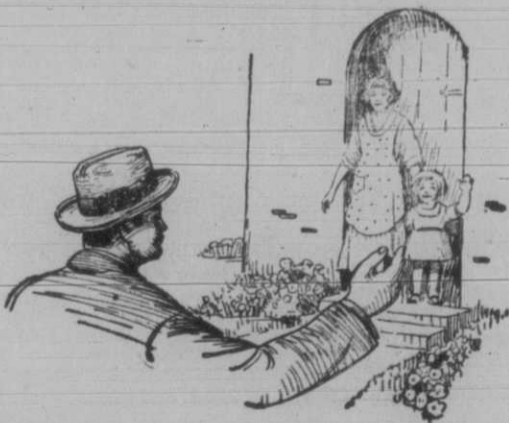
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