

LOCAL NEWS

The Chronicle desires to make this personal and sheet part especially complete. You will favor the editor, as well as readers of the paper, by giving notice of personal and local items.

We'll write '97 no more.

J. C. a mond, of Deep Creek, was in town last Saturday.

E. R. Kellogg, of Saypo, transacted business in town Wednesday.

A change in the Home Restaurant ad this week. Meals 25 cents.

Peter Joyce is sojourning on his ranch a few miles from town.

Miss Agnes O'Neal was a guest at the Beaupre House Wednesday.

Oscar Pugsley is employed in the Klondike restaurant as hash slinger.

J. H. Devlin, of Bynum, transacted business in town Monday and Tuesday.

A. L. Hoy and wife, of the Blackleaf, were visitors in town Wednesday.

Have you noticed that big sign, "Klondike Restaurant?" It means sumptuous meals.

August Matt, the sheep man of Collins, and Harry Hogan were at Chateau Monday.

Dan McGorty has purchased a residence in Chateau, where his family is now domiciled.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Steele spent New Years' with his brother Ewing, returning home Sunday.

The Paris Dry Goods Store give the people a few pointers for the year 1898 in their ad this week.

Emanuel Jacobs, of Helena, brother of Mrs. Julius Hirschberg, arrived in town Sunday, on a visit.

G. M. Coffey and wife, of Bynum, spent several days in town this week, the guests of A. J. Cowell and wife.

County Clerk A. C. Warner went to Great Falls Wednesday on a business trip, expecting to return Saturday.

Edward Hirschberg is spending the week at Dupuyer. He intends going to Helena shortly to spend the winter.

John Lyons has resigned his job for the winter as freighter for Wm. Hodgskiss. Earl Yeager has taken his place.

The drawing of the jurors for the coming year, will take place next Monday, instead of last Monday as first stated.

Julius Hirschberg went to Dupuyer Monday, to assist in taking an inventory in the Jos. Hirschberg & Co.'s store at that place.

Tom Dean spent several days near Dupuyer this week buying cattle. T. A. Smith acted as under sheriff during his absence.

Mrs. Mary Wamsley took her departure for Hot Springs, Ark., the latter part of last week, where she will spend the winter.

The subscription price of Quinn's Review has been reduced from \$5 to \$4. This is done for the purpose of increasing their circulation.

W. B. Raleigh & Co., of Great Falls, quote some unheard of prices this week. Their ad is always an interesting bit of reading matter.

A series of religious services are being held at the M. E. church this week. Rev. Logan, assisted by Loren Kufus, conducting the meetings.

This week has been a busy one for Chateau's blacksmiths. They have worked day and night, and were then compelled to turn away work.

The popular Thro. Gibson, manager of the Park Hotel, was recently presented with an elegant gold headed cane by employes of the hotel.

Jos. Hirschberg & Co. commenced their annual work of taking inventory this week. It is a big job and will require considerable time.

Wolf Burton spent the holidays with his parents at Burton. Wolf is now employed at Great Falls, getting insights in the embalming profession.

Dr. Beaupre has recently added several artistic and convenient improvements to his office. Doc is ever on the alert for the comfort of his patients.

What's in a name? There's just as much in the brand of Whisky you drink. Metropole, and Sweet Violet are reliable brands—found at Adlam & Thompson's.

Miss Della Evans entertained a few friends at cards at her home last Saturday evening. Luncheon was served and an enjoyable time was had by all present.

John Zimmerman went to Pondera Monday to look after his well drilling business which, he reports good. He is now sinking wells for J. J. Miller and J. V. Davies.

Wm. Hodgskiss has stored 50 tons of coal in the basement of the court house, believing it ample to keep the county officers in working condition until the biennial house cleaning in November.

In a letter received this week by a Choteaute from Mrs. C. R. Coffin, she states that her husband is gaining, but very slowly—is not yet able to go about much.

The Cascade Bank, of Great Falls, inserts an ad with us for the coming year. If you contemplate a change in the handling of your money, you can safely do business with them.

You can always judge a man by the smell of his smoke. If you want to be well thought of buy Maturity, Diploma or Club House Bouquet cigars—at Adlam & Thompson's.

District court will convene in Chateau Monday, January 17. There is nothing special at this term of court, only an argument before the judge for a new trial in the Bristol case and two persons now confined in the county bastille to be tried for minor offenses.

Commissioner J. J. Miller, of Shelby, was in town several days last week. He came over to take his first degree in the Masonic order and to attend the installation of officers Friday night.

F. B. Shannon, of Raymond, was in town Tuesday and made the Chronicle force a cheerful call. He reports the range in that section of the country in excellent condition and the cattle looking fine.

Will Jackson is now enjoying a six weeks' vacation from his duties in Jos. Hirschberg & Co.'s store. The reaction in business after the holidays is the reason of his not being needed at present by the firm.

Dr. Brooks returned Sunday from his Missouriian trip. Doc says when he got off the train at Kausas City and shook hands with a few friends he wanted to take the next train to Montana. He, like many others, thinks Montana is good enough for him. He reports Mrs. Brooks slightly improved in health.

A subscription paper was circulated Wednesday and in a short time \$50 was subscribed for the benefit of the juvenile band. The money will be used to purchase some new instruments. The boys are making rapid progress and expect to entertain their friends on Washington's birthday to sweet strains of music.

John E. Burk informs us that on his trip to the ceded strip of the reservation he found the prospects favorable to the business he expects to engage in when the strip is thrown open. He also made a trip to his home in Chicago, staying in that city only nine hours. He says business is very dull there and his old friends are all complaining of hard times.

John Zimmerman, the veteran well driller, informed us that he would put up four wind mills this week. One each for F. Truchot, Ed Bailey, Jim Hughes and H. Bailey. The demand for wells and wind mills is becoming enormous and the people are fast conceiving the idea that it is the only way by which they can protect themselves from shortage of water for their stock.

The stage route contract between Chateau and Collins has been let to Denver parties, the consideration being about \$500. T. O. Larson, the genial stage manager, will continue running the same as before, believing that he can control the passenger and express traffic. His services have been excellent, and it is said he has handled the business in the most satisfactory manner of any person since the establishment of the route.

Our Annual

JANUARY STOCK REDUCING SALE

Originated by us ten years ago, is now in full blast. Our store was crowded all last week by patrons who for years have taken advantage of this honest Marked down sale. Hundreds of good honest bargains in all departments. This is what we are doing.

Ready to Wear Department.

Gowns, good muslin at 50 cents
Gowns, Outing flannel at 50c, 65c, 83c.
Skirts, Muslins at 49c, 65c and 93c.
Skirts, Outing flannels, 25c, 35c and 50c.
Wrappers, 49c, 59c, 70c and 83c.
Wrappers, flannel \$3.50
Ladies' capes from \$2.50 up
Ladies' Jackets up from \$2.49
Ladies' fur capes up from \$4.95
Corsets up from 50c
Ferris waists up from 25c.

Sheetings.

8-4 Sheetings at	16c
9-4 Sheetings at	17c
10-4 Sheetings at	19c
Lonsdale Cambrics	10c
Lonsdale Fine Muslins	6½c
Fruit loom Muslins	7½c
Bleached Towelings	5c
Cream Outing Flannels	5c
Outings, very best	10c
Baby twilled Flannelettes	12½c
Ginghams, best approx	5c
Cotton Flannels	6c, 8c, 10c
German Knitting Yarn	20c
Flannel, heavy mixed	25c
Ready made Sheets	45c
Pillow Slips, each	12½c

DRESS GOODS

THREE HUNDRED DRESS PATTERNS.

50 Dress Patterns that have been sold at from \$5 to \$6, all at one price during this cleaning sale at \$3.00 per pattern.

36 inch Wool Serges in black, navy, green, brown, etc., 40c quality for 25c

38 inch Wool Mixed Dress Goods, value 50c to 60c, sale price 39c.

48 inch Wool Serges, all shades regular 75c value at 49c.

50 pieces Wool Plaids, fancy mixtures, fancy weave and plain blocks, plain colors, serges and Henriettas, 75c quality, for 50c.

REMNANTS.

Remnants of Dress Goods, Silks, etc., All going at Half Price. These are only a few money saving items that you will find. Give us a call. We want you to reap the benefits of our loss.

W. B. RALEIGH & CO.

Great Falls, Mont.

There will not be a club dance at the Town hall Saturday night as expected.

Elsewhere will be found an article—"Sectionalism in the United States"—written by Angeliqne Truchot. It is very nicely written and worthy of reading.

Jacob N. Austed has taken W. Flynn into partnership with him in the restaurant business. They have cut meals to 25 cents and are selling tickets, good for 21 meals for \$5.

A party composed of Wm. Hodgskiss, Tom Smith, John Lyons, Dave Able and Charlie Lamb will start Sunday for the mountains, expecting to be gone about a week.

A visit to the wagon shop of Wheelwright Chas. H. Connor is enough to convince one that his work is satisfactory. He has a first class painter and all work turned out has a civilized appearance.

In compliance with the school laws of the state of Montana, the stars and stripes now float o'er the heads of the younger generation, a flag having been raised on the school house this week.

A large transaction in sheep and ranch property was made on New Year's day, the holdings of Morgan & Williams, of the Teton, being purchased by Bannatyne Bros., of Brighton. The deal includes about 4,000 head of sheep, together with six ranches and improvements, etc., the price paid being \$15,500. The property was for sale a year or so ago, the price asked at that time being \$8,000.

Tom Lett, the rounder, made this office a formal call New Years. Success to you Tom in your proposed new venture. May the Lord have mercy, and show you "where you are at." "If such a thing should come to pass," etc., we would donate the use of the Chronicle office, and perhaps set the type and print the paper for the wouldbe Lett et. al. factional scheme. Chateau can amply support a third paper. Furthermore, there is a little money in the treasury, which could be used to buy Metropole or Sweet Violet whiskey with. There is nothing small about us. The more the merrier.

On His Way to the Reserve.

The new agent for the Blackfoot Indian reserve came down from Helena Wednesday and left for the agency by the way of Havre without stopping in this city. He was joined by his wife at the station, the lady having been visiting her mother and sister here for several days.

Major McLaughlin, who is anxious to get to work on his Klondike scheme in company with several other gentlemen, will be released as soon as Capt. Fuller reaches the agency. Major McLaughlin has held the position of agent since July 1 last.—Great Falls Leader.

All Is Well.

The weather of the past week has been all that could be desired, both for stockmen and pleasure seekers. Until yesterday it seemed more like autumn than winter. The thermometer has registered high, until yesterday when it turned colder, and a flurry of snow fell. About six inches is reported at Dupuyer. Cattlemen are jubilant over the range conditions and stock is in excellent condition.

"Our Pride," that's the name to call for at Adlam & Thompson's.

The trustees of the Catholic church will put in a bid on the old school house, and if accepted will use it for a church. They have money enough in the treasury to pay in full.

FOR SALE.

I have two shares in the Farmers' Co-operative Canal Company, which I will sell to the highest bidder on Saturday, January 15, 1898, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Home Restaurant, in Chateau.

Right to reject any and all bids reserved.

JACOB N. AUSTED.

NOTICE.

To the Officers and Brothers of Chateau Lodge No. 11 I. O. O. F. your presence is requested at the regular meeting of our lodge held January 21st for the purpose of installing new officers for the ensuing term. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend.

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