

Southwestern Mining Association Seeking Change in Lease Fee Law

TWIN BRIDGES—Portable mill changes in state mining laws to the 1963 Legislature. Principal proposed revisions include the clarification of prospectors' permit regulations.

Having obtained a prospector's permit under present law, the discoverer of an ore deposit, on applying for a mining lease on state lands must pay a \$500 fee to the State Land Board for an examination as to whether a mining lease is warranted. The Association's proposal would require the board to refer applications for mining leases on land not previously examined to the State Bureau of Mines and Geology, which is prepared to perform this service at no cost.

Having obtained a favorable report under existing law, the discoverer of an approved ore deposit must submit to competitive bidding on the lease for which he applies, before a lease is issued.

The Association proposes that the discoverer, upon receiving a favorable report from the State Bureau of Mines and Geology, be allowed to lease the deposit at a reasonable fee under reasonable conditions, without risking his investment of time, labor and money in competitive bidding.

Other directors attending were John Hand, Dillon; Bill Stratton, John Stratton and Howard Stratton, Whitehall; R. H. Rogers, Alder; Gil Evans, Virginia City; Burr Lively, Melrose; Rudy Brooksle, Lester Taylor, O. R. Walker and Camilla Gage, Twin Bridges.

Idaho Kegler Wins Dillon Pin Tourney

A near-perfect 280 single game blazed Kent Hemsley of Idaho Falls to the top spot of the Ned-Eva Singles Classic with a six-game handicap count of 1325.

Karen Lanes of Pocatello, Idaho, took the top prize in the team event with a 2991 total.

The tourney attracted a total of 46 teams and 277 singles during its three-weekend run which concluded here last Sunday.

Hemsley, a youthful stylist with a 189 average, scorched the lanes with a 730 over his opening trio of games and wound up with a 42-pin spread over his nearest competitor.

Top winners were:

- Singles**
1. Kent Hemsley, Idaho Falls, 1325.
 2. Joe Zderick, Butte, 1283
 3. Ray Miles, Rigby, 1250
 4. Shin Kawamura, Pocatello, 1244
 5. Ace Mori, Pocatello, 1242
 6. Chuck Mueller, Dillon, 1241
 7. Gary Gunderson, Bozeman, 1240
 8. Bob Uziel, Butte, 1232
 9. Larry Palagi, Butte, 1226
 10. Lowell Klatt, Bozeman, 1223
- Team**
1. Karen Lanes, Pocatello, 2991
 2. Lake Finance Co., Anaconda, 2960
 3. St. Anthony S'tarch, St. Anthony, 2866
 4. Intermountain Lines, Anaconda, 2804
 5. The Bowl, Bozeman, 2772.

The Neighbors of Woodcraft and their families will enjoy their annual Christmas party Tuesday evening, Dec. 18 at 7:30 at the IOOF hall. Santa Claus will bring treats and refreshments will be served.

Sportsmen Urged to Attend Elk Hearing in Bozeman, December 18

Sportsmen or sportsmen's organizations wishing to present statements December 18 at a Yellowstone Park elk management problem hearing in Bozeman are urged to submit their names to the Interior and Insular Affairs Committee, 1324 New House Office, Washington, D. C.

Rep. Arnold Olsen, D-Mont., advised from Washington Tuesday that such information received in advance would facilitate the hearing.

Those unable to attend because of time limitations are asked to write immediately prior to the hearing to Milton Pearl, member of the subcommittee professional staff, Baxter Hotel, Bozeman.

Rep. Wayne Aspinall, D-Colo., is chairman of the IIAC, and authorized the subcommittee hearing in Bozeman. The hearing will be devoted to a study of problems relative to reduction of the park elk herd. The problem has been highly controversial in the last year.

Rep. Ralph Rivers, D-Alaska, will be chairman for the subcommittee hearing. Olsen is also a member of the subcommittee.

The National Park Service will present a written statement to open the hearing. Sportsmen are advised to be prepared to submit written statements.

It was announced that the Bozeman hearing will be limited to local statements, and that evidence will not be taken on a national basis. Purpose of the Bozeman hearing is to get information that cannot be received in Washington.

J. C. Faller, vice president of Montana Vigilante District of the Moose Association made his official visit to Anaconda Moose Lodge No. 557 Tuesday evening. He was accompanied by Rex Clark, Orrin Pilon and James Snodgrass.

10 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT!

CHRISTMAS SEALS fight TB and other RESPIRATORY DISEASES

1962 CHRISTMAS GREETINGS 1962

Virginia City Masters Name 1963 Officers

The following officers have been elected and appointed for 1963 by Virginia City Council No. 12 of Royal and Select Masters:

Illustrious Master: Harry A. Odden.

Deputy Master: Joseph C. Faller.

Principal Conductor: Parham T. Parker.

Treasurer: Charles E. M. Bauer.

Secretary: William Ray Kohls.

Captain of Guard: Charles W. Haggett.

Conductor of Council: Carl F. Ludvigsen.

Steward: Harold O. Heit.

Sentinel: Jack H. Thumma.

Coffee Bands Needed!

An urgent appeal is being made by Lutheran Women for coffee bands from MJB, Hills Brothers and Folgers Coffee cans. Hills Brothers will discontinue their practice of giving electric coffee pots for these bands on December 31, so it is imperative that these be turned in to Lyda Nelson or Myrtle Pewe immediately.

Hospital Notes

Barrett Hospital
Admitted: Vickie Lynn Roberts, Raymond Hansen, Dillon.
Dismissed: Gus Mailey, Twin Bridges.

Butte St. James Community
Admitted: Kari L. Salisbury, Twin Bridges.
Dismissed: George Krause, Dillon.

Mrs. John Hubbard Dies Suddenly In Phoenix, Ariz.

The Tribune-Examiner was informed this morning by DeMar Taylor that Mrs. John (Bessie) Hubbard died suddenly Wednesday in Phoenix, Ariz., where she was stricken with a cerebral hemorrhage. Funeral services will be held there Saturday.

The Hubbards formerly ranched in the Dillon - Twin Bridges area before retiring about four years ago. Since that time, the couple had spent winters in Arizona and summers in the Dillon territory.

For friends wishing to extend condolences, Mr. Hubbard's Phoenix address is 3442 No. 51st Street.

News Notes Of Our 4-H Clubs

By Nedra Pilgrim
The Mountain Misses 4-H club was called to order at the home of Jolyn Kesel.

Installation of officers was held and we planned our Christmas party which will be held at the home of Nedra Pilgrim on Dec. 18.

By Judy Lakner
The Hogback Hillbillies 4-H club enjoyed its annual Christmas party Dec. 3.

Larry Lakner, president, called the meeting to order.

Darlene Richard was appointed our new secretary.

Toni Graham led the 4-H pledge and Diana Richard the American flag pledge.

A report was given by Donald Richard on our last demonstration work shop and another work shop was scheduled Dec. 10.

Tommy Graham gave a report on the county 4-H and FFA judging tour.

There were 25 members, three leaders and 24 guests present.

A committee was appointed to plan a New Year's dance and party for Dec. 25. The chairman is Judy Lakner and the committee members are Pat Carlson and Dwight Richard.

For roll call each member played sang, or read a Christmas greeting.

Popcorn balls, nuts, candy, and fruit were enjoyed.

Today's Bible Thought

"But thou, Bethlehem Ephratah, though thou be little among the thousands of Judah, yet out of thee shall He come forth unto Me who is to be ruler in Israel: whose goings forth have been from of old, from everlasting." (Micah 5:2).

See our supply of magnifying glasses. All shapes and prices. A nice Christmas present. Daily Tribune-Examiner.

Phone Tribune 2331 Or 2332 When Carrier Misses Paper

The Daily Tribune-Examiner will appreciate phone calls at its office when subscribers are missed by the carrier boys. A party will remain at the Tribune-Examiner office until 6:30 in the evening to take complaints. Your paper will be delivered to you by the party answering your call.

Please do not phone news items or instructions on ads to the party answering the phone after the regular closing hour of 5:30, as he is only responsible for seeing that papers are delivered.

Dillon Lodge No. 16 AF&AM will hold a communication Thursday evening at the Masonic Temple with election of officers.

Memo pads with pencils. A nice Christmas gift. Daily Tribune-Examiner.

Just arrived — New stationery for Christmas. Daily Tribune-Examiner.

Please Phone Our Office 2331 Or 2332 By 6:30 P.M. If Paper Missed

If the Daily Tribune-Examiner carrier boy falls to deliver your paper in Dillon by 6:30 p.m., please phone the office, 2331 or 2332 and it will be delivered to you. We have a party in the office until 6:30 p.m., to see that you get your paper. Do not hesitate to call, as the Daily Tribune-Examiner is paying extra to give its subscribers this service. As the extra carrier is only responsible for delivering missed papers, please do NOT phone news items or advertising copy after 5:30 p.m.

Mrs. White, 78, Of Wisdom Area Summoned

Mrs. Margaret White, 78, a resident of the Big Hole since 1916, passed away Tuesday at Salmon, Idaho where she had gone two weeks ago to live with a son, Pete White. She had been in failing health for three months.

Mrs. White was a native of Switzerland. She was born June 22, 1884, and came to the Big Hole from Switzerland. She was married to Walter Taylor White in 1917 at Dillon. Mr. White passed away in 1943.

The deceased was a member of the Church of the Big Hole at Wisdom and of the Wisdom Chapter of Eastern Stars.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Earl Willey of Wisdom; son Pete White, Salmon; brothers Chris Schluneger, Portland, Ore. and Peter Schluneger of Bern, Switzerland; six grandchildren and one great grandchild.

The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Wisdom Church of the Big Hole with the Rev. John Rex officiating. Interment will be made in the family plot in Wisdom cemetery.

The Brundage Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Leo Williams Will Head Dillon Masons

Leo A. Williams will head Dillon Chapter No. 8 Royal Arch Masons as High Priest during the coming year.

Other officers elected and appointed at last week's meeting follow:

King: William A. Rule.
Scribe: Clarence T. Holter.
Treasurer: A. A. Schroeder.
Secretary: Joseph C. Faller.
Captain of Host: Glenn W. Freeman.

Principal Sojourner: Donald E. Clemans.
Royal Arch Captain: Richard F. Burns.
Master 3rd Veil: Elba W. McNinch.
Master 2nd Veil: Jack H. Thumma.
Master 1st Veil: Parke T. Scott.
Sentinel: Frank T. Stevenson.
Instructor: A. A. Schroeder.

Lutheran Women Will Meet Friday

The Lutheran women of the church will meet Friday evening at the parish hall at 8 p.m. for the annual Christmas party.

Mrs. Art Olein and Mrs. Max Feuerstack will lead the Bible Study on Acts Chapter 26 as outlined in the December "Scope." Bring the "Gift With a Lift" for Warm Springs and Boulder.

Mrs. Bill Tash, Mrs. Jack Howard, Mrs. Shirley Dallas and Mrs. Betty Mussetter are co-hostesses.

Postmaster Andrus Announces Dillon Postoffice to be Open Saturday for Christmas Mailing—Says Avoid Delay

Postmaster Harry Andrus announces the Dillon postoffice will be open Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for Christmas mailing. "This will be the only Saturday before Christmas the postoffice will be open," he continued.

Postmaster Andrus put his "Mail Early for Christmas" campaign into high gear today.

The postmaster said, "We're ready for an all-time record. Every facility of the post office is being expanded to give maximum service. Extra trucks and personnel have been added.

Delays and Disappointments
"However," the postmaster continued, "the vast volume of Christmas mail is only a part of our problem. When names and addresses are carelessly written and packages are poorly wrapped or have insufficient postage on them, such oversights result in delays and disappointments, most of which can be avoided if everyone will follow these simple requirements:

Rules To Follow
Be sure your Christmas card and gift mailing lists are up-to-date.

Use the new 4c Christmas stamps on your greeting cards.

Pack your Christmas gifts securely in sturdy containers.

Use complete addresses — include street number, rural route or post office box number. Be sure street names are complete with avenue, parkway, road or drive. Avoid abbreviation of street and state names. Use zone numbers, and be sure to include your own zone number in your return address.

Delaney, Harrison Receive State Bank Promotions

The promotions of two veteran State Bank & Trust Company employees were announced today by Gordon Nicholas, the firm's executive vice president.

Robert Harrison, assistant cashier, has been elevated to the post of assistant vice president and Walter Delaney, also an assistant cashier, has been named cashier.

Delaney joined the local firm as bookkeeper in 1940 after previous banking experience in Butte and was named assistant cashier in 1954.

Harrison, a native of Dillon, joined the State Bank in 1947 as bookkeeper-teller and was promoted to assistant cashier in 1951.

VFW Members Enjoy Christmas Potluck

Members of the Lloyd Whipple VFW Post 4163 and its Auxiliary held their annual Christmas potluck dinner Tuesday with 30 present for the festive event, Chairman Ernestine Ledbetter reports.

Thirteen Auxiliary members and a guest, Miss Albertson, were welcomed by President Mrs. Frances Banks.

Ernestine Ledbetter and May Melton reported taking magazines to Barrett Hospital and members also visited Bee Gilmore. The remembrance tree gift to Bee Gilmore, made by Frances Banks, was prepared and taken to the hospital for her. Lily Melton thanked the Auxiliary for the card sent her.

Members also voted to use the penny march for the Cancer Fund. VFW members, who furnished the turkeys, thanked the Auxiliary for preparing dinner. Following the meeting a film was enjoyed.

McMurphy Describes Trip To National 4-H Congress

When I learned that I had been chosen as a delegate in the achievement program to attend National 4-H Club Congress at Chicago, I was thrilled and happy. We delegates were entertained royally at the many functions held in our honor, but even more important than the lavish entertainment were the inspiration and challenges we received.



Jack McMurchy

"Citizenship in action" was the theme of this year's 41st National 4-H Congress; and to me it was very timely, important and inspirational. The citizenship theme was illustrated and explained in assemblies where speeches were given by the honorable Buford Ellington, governor of Tennessee, and Dr. Glenn Olds, president of Springfield College.

A panel composed of leaders in industry, agriculture, education, and labor answered controversial questions; and the delegates participated in group discussions.

Warns College Students To Drive Carefully

State Highway Patrol Supervisor Alex B. Stephenson urged college students to drive safely on their way home for Christmas vacations.

Stephenson pointed out holiday vacations begin next week for the more than 12,500 students enrolled in Montana's colleges and universities and that many will be driving home and providing transportation for others.

"We want to see to it that all of our state's students live to enjoy the Christmas holidays," Stephenson said. "I am sure they can if all the students traveling on our highways will practice a little courtesy, caution and common sense."

Duplicate Bridge Club Meets Friday

In order to avoid conflict during the coming holiday season, the Dillon Duplicate bridge club will meet Friday at the St. James Guild Hall at 8. This will be the last session until after the holidays.

Winners of last weeks play were 1st, Mr. and Mrs. Risley, and tied for 2nd and 3rd, Mr. Rainville and Mr. Morse and Mr. and Mrs. Zook.

The Weather

By WMCE Weather Bureau.
Wednesday: High 45, Low 20.
Today: Low 19.
Prediction: Partly cloudy, little change in temperature but possible on warmer side.
Year ago Dec. 13, 1961:
High 26, Low 12, Moisture: none