

## **This Date in History – March 2**

**1933**

### **Local News**

Mrs. Frank T. Hooks and son, Pat, and Mrs. Ed Brown and daughter were capital city visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Graveley are the proud parents of a new daughter born at St John's hospital in Helena Tuesday evening of this week.

**1939**

### **“Radio Noises to Be Checked By Montana Power”**

Townsend is to have a complete check made of its power lines by Engineer Roy Hofstadt to determine causes of radio disturbances claimed by residents of the town who recently submitted a petition to the town council and to the Montana Power Company. Mr. Hofstadt has been appointed by the Montana Power Company, for whom he is employed, to make the check at an early date.

Such a request came after citizens here were lead to believe that because Townsend seemed to have rather a difficult radio reception it might be caused by some power line trouble. The Montana Power Company graciously acknowledges the petition and offered cooperation in the matter much to the satisfaction of the petition signers.

### **Local News**

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morris and family moved today to the ranch on Deep Creek known as the Thompson Place. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ward, Mrs. Morris' parents, recently purchased the ranch and Mr. and Mrs. Morris will operate it. Mrs. Morris intends to motor to her school in the Keene District in lower Canton Valley to teach daily. The family vacated the residence owned by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ward on Broadway.

**1950**

### **“Bulldogs Play in First Session at District Tournament”**

Bozeman, Feb. 25 – One of the closest Montana high school basketball tournaments in history seems destined to be the District 8, Class C meeting of 11 teams that alternated mauling each other in the regular season.

This tourney, to be held on the Montana State College floor March 1-4, could produce one of the best dogfights in years to help get Class C off to a good start in its first year of life.

At present Cathedral of Helena tops the standings with 15 wins, and a single loss, Belgrade the second place team, with a ten and three record, inflicted Cathedral's defeat, but took it on the chin from Cathedral, Wilsall and Holy Rosary of Bozeman.

Rosary's Bulldogs, in third position, also have ten wins, but traded victories with Belgrade, Townsend and Willow Creek besides twice losing to Cathedral.

Three Forks is settled in the fourth spot, with Wilsall fifth. The others, in order, are White Sulphur Springs, Manhattan, Townsend, Clyde Park, Gardiner and Willow Creek. Any of the group are capable of pulling an upset, with Willow Creek recent win over Rosary a good example and Broadwater's win over Three Forks.

**“Bus Will Run to Bozeman Tournament from Townsend”**

Providing there is sufficient evidence of a bus load, it is planned to run a bus to the district eight tournament in Bozeman each evening. Those who would like to take the bus are advised it will leave on time so that persons desiring to attend the meet will be in time go get seats. Anyone interested are asked to contact the office at the high school.