

## **“What Happened this Week in History”**

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### **“Deep Creek Road Open to Travel”**

People are still using the Deep Creek Pass, many travelers having come through from Harlowton, White Sulphur Springs and other points east during the past week. A storm earlier in the season caused the snow to drift which was shoveled out, since which time lack of drifting winds has kept the road clear, a rather unusual condition for the time of year.

As the road is an incomplete highway, the state commission is not attempting to keep it open yet.

### **“Deep Creek Notes”**

Paul Carson had Christmas dinner with friends at Pony,

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grimm attended the Christmas party at Mrs. Alta Olsen’s Christmas eve. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wallace, Ruby and George Ridgeway, Mrs. Irene Ridgeway and sons, Mrs. Jessie Steiner and Lorraine Olsen of Twin Bridges helped make the party a merry one.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hardgrove motored to Helena and spent Christmas Day with relatives.

Neighbors dropped in and completely surprised Mr. and Mrs. F.C. Grimm New Year’s eve and helped celebrate their 13<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. James Hardgrove and son, Gene, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Miller and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grimm, Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Viebrock and Mr. and Mrs. George Ramspeck and daughter, Vera, helped celebrate the occasion and after midnight they helped celebrate the 18<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. James Hardgrove.

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### **“Grass Mountain Ski Club to Re-organize”**

A meeting of the Grass Mountain Ski Club will be held Friday, January 3 at 7 p.m. at the Forest Service Office. All who are interested in having the Grass Mountain ski area operate this year are urged to attend.

Matters to be taken up at the meeting will be club reorganization and the establishment of a set schedule of operation. We have one of the best early snows on record. This coupled with the improved facilities should make this an extremely enjoyable ski season, so it is imperative that we organize now for the successful season we expect.

Sunday, January 5 will be open house at the Grass Mountain ski area. It will be open to skiing from 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The chalet will be open and free coffee and donuts will be furnished by Lundy’s Market. Everyone is invited. If you don’t ski, come anyway and watch the others.

### **“Radersburg News”**

Lawrence Leach drove over from Townsend and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bottler and Mrs. Mary Grandchamp returned with him to enjoy Christmas dinner at the Leach home.

Emma Patterson was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ralls and Terri on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleon Cass entertained Jim and Clara Miller, Charlie Kramp, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Edenfield and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Whitaker at dinner on Christmas Day.

Miss Janice Johnson of Townsend spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Williams and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hough's guests on Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lavinder and children, Vint, Vee and Lisa of Dillon, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hough of Townsend and Mike and George Dolan of the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cobban and children, Jo Anne and Johnny of Winston called on Mrs. Mary Grandchamp and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hough Monday evening.