

Anaconda News.

W. C. AUSTIN DEAD

HE EXPIRED LAST NIGHT OF A LINGERING DISEASE.

HEAD CONSUL OF M. W. OF A.

Was Exceedingly Popular With the Order in Montana—Resided in Anaconda Two Years—Will Be Buried on Sunday Next.

(Special to Inter Mountain.) Anaconda, Jan. 16.—After a long siege of illness, covering a period of several years, W. C. Austin, one of Anaconda's prominent citizens and deputy state head consul of the Modern Woodmen of America, is dead.

The end came peacefully last night shortly after 11 o'clock, in the presence of members of the bereaved family and a few intimate friends.

Mr. Austin's death is a distinct shock to this community. He was a man who made friends fast; he could count them



W. C. AUSTIN.

by the hundreds, not only in Anaconda, but in Butte and other parts of the state.

He was extremely popular with the members of the Modern Woodmen of America, in the interests of which order he labored incessantly in spite of his physical infirmities.

An example of his popularity was shown last summer, shortly after the meeting of the grand lodge session held in St. Paul, when the head officials of the order appointed a man by the name of Gamble of Indiana as state deputy of Montana, to succeed Austin.

A protest was sent in from nearly every lodge in the state, unsolicited by Mr. Austin. The members of the order were loyal to him to a man. The result was the withdrawal of the appointment of Gamble and the reappointment of Austin.

Had the head office not taken the action it did in withdrawing the Indiana man, a number of Montana lodges would have returned their charters.

The deceased was 54 years of age, and leaves a widow, a son and daughter to survive him.

Prior to coming to Montana, five years ago, Mr. Austin resided in Lincoln, Neb., where he had resided for 15 years.

While there he was active in politics and was mayor and postmaster of West Lincoln for four years. He received the

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appointment of postmaster under President Harrison's administration. He resided in Butte three years, and Anaconda has been his home for the past two.

Arrangements for the funeral have not been completed, but it will probably be held next Sunday.

SPOKE GOOD ENGLISH.

Indian Was Educated But He Looked Like Others.

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, Jan. 16.—"Some times one runs up against some startling surprises," said Mr. Monroe of "The Prisoner of Zenda" theatrical company during his recent visit to this city. "Several days ago I was in Pocatello, Idaho, and having some spare time was wandering around town. I went into a store where there were all kinds of Indian goods displayed for sale.

Among other things was a large basket of Elk teeth which especially attracted my attention. I had been pawing them over for some time when I noticed an Indian had come in and was standing idly around.

"He looked to me like other Indians I had seen. He was dressed in the regulation blanket drawn about him and wore an old greasy hat with a feather stuck in it.

"I addressed him something like this, 'Ugh Big Injun Jim. Got any Elk teeth, big, for pale face?'

"You may imagine my surprise when he answered in the purest English: 'No sir. There is a law in the state of Idaho which prohibits the killing of Elk.'

"I sneaked out of the store as quickly and as quietly as possible. Upon making inquiries I found that I had run upon an educated Indian and a graduate of the Carlisle school.

"I have had some big surprises, but that one came as near putting me out as anything could and not do so."

"HUMAN HEARTS."

Well Known and Popular Play at Margaret Theater Last Night.

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, Jan. 16.—A crowded house greeted the presentation of "Human Hearts" at the Margaret theater last night, cheered the hero and his friends and hooted the villain and his accomplices.

There is something about this homely representation of life in Arkansas that always carries the audience with it. One minute they laugh and the next an embarrassing silence reigns throughout the house as some scene of touching pathos takes the place of the cavortings of the ragged but good-hearted Jim Mason.

As Tom Logan, the hero of the play, Lincoln J. Plumer acts the part to perfection. Frank Guderan as Jimmy Logan, the half crazy boy, has an exceedingly difficult role and plays it well.

It is enough to say that the applause of the audience speaks for the excellence of all the characters, who mean well, and the hoots from the gallery go to tell the villain that he is doing first-rate.

Miss Pearl Ford, who plays the part of Tom Logan's wife, is an actress of exceptional ability and great promise. She has a pleasing stage presence, and throws her heart and soul into the work.

Without a doubt, in the course of a few years or less, Miss Ford will be the owner of an enviable reputation in the world of thespianism.

KID OPIE IN TOWN.

Manager King Says That the Law Will Not Be Violated.

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, Jan. 16.—Pugilist Opie, who is to participate in the boxing exhibition tomorrow night at the Anaconda Athletic club rooms with Champion Wade, arrived in town today.

Manager Andy King says the event will be in violation of no laws; that it is to be no prize fight, but merely an exhibition of muscular strength for the amusement of members of the athletic club and their friends, which he declares is allowable under Montana laws.

It is said that the Law and Order league will make an effort to interfere with the fight if it is not conducted lawfully.

Hunter Boys Released.

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, Jan. 16.—Upon a writ of habeas corpus issued at the instigation of Winfield Brown and Colonel George A. Maywood, attorneys for J. C. Hunter now in the county jail of Granite county, accused of the murder of his son-in-law, Walbridge, the two boys of the accused, who have been in the care of the authorities of Deer Lodge county, were yesterday removed to Phillipsburg to appear before Judge Napton as stated in the writ. Deputy Sheriff Joe Stevens departed for Phillipsburg with the two youngsters this morning.

Regular Meeting Tonight of Anaconda Lodge No. 239, B. P. O. E.

F. H. CLINTON, Secretary.

GOES TO WASHINGTON.

Press Gang of Anaconda Loses a Popular Member.

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, Jan. 16.—A. W. Greeley of the Standard staff of editors departed last night for Washington, D. C., accompanied by his wife, where they will take up their future residence.

Before leaving Mr. Greeley's associates on the Standard presented him with an elegant umbrella and a cane as a token of the high esteem which they hold for him.

Mr. Greeley is an able and accomplished writer, and by his departure the press gang of Anaconda loses a popular member.

Young People Married.

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, Jan. 16.—Alva B. Snow, Jr., and Miss Amelia Bruggeman were united in marriage Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride at 118 Chestnut street, Anaconda, Rev. W. C. Macurdy, pastor of the First M. E. church, officiating. A small company of near friends witnessed the beautiful ceremony, after which refreshments were served. They will make their home in Anaconda.

COURT TERMS DATES.

Judge Napton Makes Announcement of the Time Set.

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, Jan. 16.—William E. Thomas, clerk of the district court, was busy today mailing the official notices of the time set by Judge Napton for holding court during the present year for the Third judicial district:

Powell county—First Monday in April, first Monday in July, first Monday in October.

Deer Lodge county—First Monday in February, first Monday in May; first Monday in August, first Monday in November.

Granite county—First Monday in March, first Monday in June, first Monday in September, first Monday in December.

METHODIST REVIVALS.

Interest Taken in Them Is on the Increase.

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, Jan. 16.—The revival meetings at the First M. E. church continue with much interest.

Tonight Rev. W. C. Macurdy will preach on the question of Judas: "Is It I?"

There will be a song service from 7:30 to 8 o'clock, when the sermon will be given.

Fire Department Officers.

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, Jan. 16.—The lower works fire department last evening elected officers as follows: Martin Coonan, chief; Frank Fitzgerald, assistant chief; Joe O'Brien, treasurer; Pat Lodge, captain; Frank McDonald, first assistant captain; William Gallagher, second assistant captain; Matt Ward, William Barry and Eugene Fitzpatrick were chosen trustees.

Nuptial Knot Tied.

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, Jan. 16.—At the Methodist parsonage, 208 East Third street, yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock the marriage of Michael Carroll and Miss Lizzie McCormick was performed, Rev. W. C. Macurdy officiating. Both are of Anaconda. They will make their home in this city.

LOCAL BRIEFS

A. D. T. messengers. Tel. No. 3.

John Maguire, the veteran theatrical manager, is in the city.

Don't forget the mill and smeltermen's dance at A. O. H. hall tonight.

Sheriff John McMahon was up from Deer Lodge last night and departed for home today.

Dave Mohr, formerly proprietor of the Grill restaurant departed last night for the Pacific coast.

The Margaret theater will be dark the balance of the month. No attractions are booked for dates until February.

The curfew ordinance is to be strictly enforced hereafter. All children under the age of 16 years are subject to arrest by the police if found on the streets after 9 o'clock at night. The penalty for such offenses is a fine of not less than \$1 or more than \$25.

Judge Welling Napton departed this morning for Phillipsburg to hold a brief session of court. Among other things he will hear the habeas corpus petition for the release from jail of the little Hunter boys who are detained as witnesses in the murder trial of their father which comes up in March.

The funeral of Martin Cole took place this afternoon from the family residence 416 Cedar street. Services were held at St. Paul's Catholic church after which the remains were taken to the depot, escorted by the members of the Modern Woodmen lodge of which he was a member, and shipped to California for burial. Mrs. Cole accompanied them.

Building and Laborers' International Protective Union of America, No. 3, Anaconda: On and after April 1, 1902, eight hours will constitute a day's work. Scale of wages: Plasterers, \$4.50; brick masons (mortar), \$4; (brick), \$3.50; stone masons (mortar), \$4; (stone), \$3.50.

E. J. HENRIOD, President.

ENEMY OF PRUSSIA.

Dr. Johann Sigl, Bavarian Editor and Anti-Semite Agitator.

(By Associated Press.)

Munich, Jan. 16.—Dr. Johann Bahlist Sigl, inveterate hater of Prussia and prominent in anti-Semitic agitation, died last night in an insane asylum.

Until he became a victim of softening of the brain he kept up a bitter campaign against Prussia, which he was enabled to do with a great deal of effect through his position as publisher of the Baeische Vaterland.

He was frequently called the Bavarian Rochefort. He was 63 years old.

RELEASE OF MISS STONE NEAR

Official Telegram Received in London Forecasts Liberation.

London, Jan. 16.—The release of Miss Ellen M. Stone by the brigands who have held her in captivity since September 3 is believed to be only a question of hours.

An official telegram, received in London which was dispatched from Constantinople, says her release is imminent.

Fugitive From Justice Caught.

(By Associated Press.)

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 16.—Wickliffe Higgins of Olney, Ill., for 11 years a fugitive from justice, has been captured in New York, and Governor Yates has signed a requisition for his return. Higgins was sheriff of Richland county, and left Olney in 1890 with \$1000 of the county's money. He went to London and resided there until recently, when he returned to New York. He will be brought back to Olney for trial.

Husband Refused to Prosecute.

South Bend, Ind., Jan. 16.—Because her wronged and heart-broken husband refused to appear against her, Mrs. Vivian Van Fleet, who eloped from Cassopolis, Mich., was released by the police. Her companion was Albert Northrop.

Shop Talk.

"Yes, ma'am," said the facetious clerk, "these are genuine Indian moccasins."

"You don't say!" said the old lady.

"Fact, ma'am, I assure you. Made on the 'Last of the Mohicans.'"

NEWS FROM GOTHAM

STARTLING CONDITIONS FOUND IN THE TUNNEL.

TORPEDOES OUT OF ORDER

Officials Find Also That Subway Is Frequently Clouded With Smoke and Steam—Engineer Wisker Tells His Story.

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Jan. 16.—Startling facts about the condition and operation of the tunnel of the New York Central railroad, where 15 persons were killed and many injured in a rear-end collision last Wednesday morning, were shown in an emphatic way the other day, when a trip of inspection through the tunnel was made by representatives of the district attorney's office and several railroad officials.

Too Much Smoke.

Not only did the inspection make it apparent that the tunnel is frequently obscured by dense clouds of steam and smoke from passing locomotives, but an automatic torpedo danger signal failed to work after six attempts had been made to explode the torpedo.

This torpedo signal, which is near Fifty-eighth street, is the one that John M. Wisker, engineer on the White Plains local, failed to hear when he sent his train thundering into the Danbury express as it waited on the track near the mouth of the tunnel.

Though officials of the road declare the machine worked properly on that fatal morning, and Edward C. Flyer, who fired the locomotive for Wisker, says he heard it, the railroad men were forced to admit that it was out of order today.

Signal Would Not Work.

Six times a locomotive was sent over the rails to which the torpedo machine is attached, but at no time was there any explosion.

Engineer Wisker, who is still locked up, but whose release on bond is advised by District Attorney Jerome, made a statement today to his pastor, Rev. D. E. Burch.

"I did not see the green light," he said. "I did not see the red light. I did not hear a torpedo. The tunnel was choked with blinding smoke and steam.

An outward-bound train was passing, too, and the noise was deafening. I did put on the service brakes and later the emergency brakes, but it was not because I heard my fireman call first 'green' and then 'red.' I did not hear him say anything at all.

Must Be on Time.

"The truth is, I could not tell exactly where I was for the dense smoke and steam. I was leaning out of my cab window, peering for the signal, but not a glimmer did I see. But I felt instinctively that I had passed the spot where the light should have been, and put on the service brakes. Then I looked harder than ever for the other lights, which I knew should be posted at Fifty-ninth street.

"I trembled with anxiety as the train rushed on and no light appeared. I felt sure something was wrong, but I was a little late, and we must bring our train in on time.

"Unable to stand the strain any longer, however, I put on the emergency brakes. It was too late!"

BILL AGAINST FLIRTING.

Fine Limited to \$500 and Imprisonment to One Year.

(By Associated Press.)

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 16.—No more will the male or female flirt wave handkerchiefs, cough or make "goo-goo" eyes in public if a bill introduced by Assemblyman Bennett becomes a law. It amends section 899 of the code of civil procedure by including these as offenders:

"Any person who is intoxicated in a public place or who shall, by any offensive or disorderly act or language, annoy or interfere with any person or persons in any place or with any passenger on any public stage, railroad car, ferry-boat or other public conveyance, or who shall disturb or offend the occupants of such conveyance by any disorderly act, language or display, although such conduct may not amount to an assault or battery."

The penalty is a fine of not more than \$500 or imprisonment for not more than a year.

Mr. Bennett said today: "It's a pretty hard task to stop flirting by law, but I mean to try and do it. What is more disgusting than these brazen masquerades?"

NEWS STORIES BRIEFLY TOLD

JACKSON, Miss.—Both houses of the legislature yesterday unanimously adopted a resolution declaring Rear Admiral Schley to be the rightful hero of the battle of Santiago.

ANNAPOLIS, Md.—Delegate Griffiths introduced in the house of delegates yesterday a bill appropriating \$30,000 to purchase and erect in the statehouse a life-size bust of Rear Admiral W. S. Schley.

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—At a meeting of a special commission appointed by the Albert Sydney Johnston chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy, today, it was decided to begin an active campaign against the production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

BREUX, Austria.—The water in the Jupiter mine, which was suddenly flooded on January 14, when the escape of 43 men, including the manager of the mine and two superintendents, was cut off, does not subside and hope of saving the men has been abandoned.

AMSTERDAM—Dr. Kuyper, the premier of Holland, who has just returned here from England, says his visit to London was on purely personal business. He adds that he did not see any politicians or officials, and that he has never been entrusted with any mission in behalf of the Boers, either to London or Brussels.

Not the Same at All.

"Is your friend Writem a literary man?"

"Oh, no; merely a successful novelist."

—Judge.

RIVAL STANDARD OIL.

National Company of Cleveland Builds Large Plant at Memphis.

(By Associated Press.)

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 16.—Formidable opposition to the Standard Oil people, who have made numerous efforts to secure a monopoly of the oil business in this state and throughout the Southern territory, has developed in the shape of an agency of the National Refining company of Cleveland, Ohio, to be known as the General Oil company.

The General Oil company has erected a large oil plant here at a cost of \$50,000, 33 grocers of the city having subscribed to a portion of the stock of the concern.

It is stated that the plant will begin operation next Wednesday and that the company will manufacture gasoline, illuminating and lubricating oils, to be sold exclusively to retail grocers.

The National Refining company has a number of branches in the United States, which are localized by selling stock to merchants, thereby making each locality the home of a co-operative company, which shall share in the profits or losses of the parent company.

The National is said to be the strongest independent company in the United States, and its coming is hailed with delight.

Social Philosophy.

It is not good form to wear rubbers in a parlor.

Don't be afraid to tell your wife when you regard her expenses as a trifle extravagant.

It is well to forget a snub administered by an unloved person.

Did you ever notice how chilly a woman can be when another woman assumes a patronizing air?

It is difficult to understand why so many men regard brusqueness as dignity.

It costs little to assume a sympathetic attitude toward one in misfortune.

It is amusing to see men pose when forming part of a theater box party.

Did you ever notice how many men discuss music as an evidence of intellectual superiority?

It is well not to notice the innuendoes of a self-constituted moral censor.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

A man earns his fame; his friends spend it for him.

Good men or women can love bad women or men, but the bad seldom love the good.

Give a woman her child, her Bible and her old love letters and no adversity can daunt her.

The man who hasn't anything good to say of anybody else hasn't anything good to be said of himself.

The first baby makes a man crazy with joy; the others make him crazy without it.

A woman can imagine anything in the world except what she doesn't want to imagine.

You can never convince a vain woman who has grown fat that she is until she gets stuck trying to get in a carriage door.

Proof to a woman that you love is when she thinks you get miserable every once in a while imagining how lonely you would be if she went to visit her mother.—New York Press.

Wholesale.

"Are you married or unmarried?"

asked the theatrical manager of an applicant for an engagement.

"Unmarried," replied she. "I've been unmarried four times."—Detroit Free Press.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Mining Application No. 4484, United States Land Office, Helena, Montana, December 7, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that Johannab Depaull, whose postoffice address is Butte, Montana, has this day filed her application for a patent for 1500 linear feet, including 800 feet easterly and 600 feet westerly from discovery shaft of the Johannab Lode Mining Claim, upon which a notice of the intention to apply for patent was posted on the 3d day of December, 1901, situated in Fourth of July, unorganized, Mining District, Jefferson county, Montana, designated as Survey No. 6347, Township 3 north, Range 7 west, being more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at northwest Loc. corner, a stone 28x36 inches, 20 inches deep with mound of earth alongside, and marked 1-6347 for corner No. 1, from which initial point No. 1 in fractional Township 3 north, Range 7 west, bears north 6 degrees 13 minutes 20 seconds west 4919.5 feet, and running thence north 65 degrees 39 minutes east 1500 feet; thence south 12 degrees 45 minutes west, 753 feet; thence south 65 degrees 20 minutes west, 1188 feet; thence north 65 degrees 06 minutes west 268 feet; thence north 12 degrees 45 minutes east 463.5 feet, to corner No. 1, the place of beginning, containing an area of 19.82 acres claimed.

The location of this claim is recorded

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