

THE INTER MOUNTAIN'S ANACONDA DEPARTMENT

MONTANA POLITICS

WILLIAM R. ALLEN INTERVIEW-ED IN WASHINGTON, D. C.

SAYS STATE WILL BE IN LINE

Next Fall and Get Back Into Republican Ranks—Tells About Livestock and Mining Interests here.

(Special to Inter Mountain.) Anaconda, April 10.—W. R. Allen, one of Anaconda's best-known and popular citizens, who has been in the East for several weeks on business, was in Washington, D. C., last Sunday.

A reporter of the Post caught him for an interview, in which he expressed himself on conditions in his native state as follows:

"Montana will go republican this fall. The split in the republican ranks over the money question has been patched up, and the upheaval in politics, caused by the Daly-Clark senatorial fight, has been smoothed out. The state has settled down to its normal condition, and will swing back into the republican ranks without doubt. Everything is in such good condition in the state that people are not seeking a change. Cattle and sheep came through the winter in good shape, and the mining interests are in a very satisfactory condition. The smelters at Anaconda are running all the time and the daily output is large. No new mining districts of importance are being opened in our state, but Montana people are much interested in the boom over in the Thunder Mountain district, in Idaho. The mills in the new district are said to be running at full capacity, and new machinery is being hauled there as rapidly as possible. As soon as the snow melts and makes the trails to the new camps passable thousands of people will probably rush into Roosevelt and the other tent towns in the new district."

A telegram received from Mr. Allen last night stated that he would reach home some time next week.

FROM NATURAL CAUSES.

Coroner's Jury Verdict Over Remains of James Steele.

(Special to Inter Mountain.) Anaconda, April 10.—At the coroner's inquest held yesterday evening over the remains of James Steele, the jury rendered a verdict of death from natural causes. Steele was found dead in his bed Tuesday morning at the home of George Jacques several miles east of the city. He had resided in the Jacques family for more than ten years and was 67 years of age.

He leaves two brothers—H. Steele of Helena and Joseph Steele of Deer Lodge. Both were present at the inquest, but were of no service to the jury.

Steele was apparently a hearty and robust man and had been considered in good health. He was a pioneer in this section, well and favorably known.

The remains will be taken to Helena for interment.

Presbyterians Elect Officers.

(Special to Inter Mountain.) Anaconda, April 10.—At the annual congregational meeting of the Presbyterian church held last evening, Messrs. Wallace and Powell were re-elected and Messrs. Greenwood, Johnson, McEachran, Whitehill and Lombard were named as trustees for the ensuing year.

Margaret Theater, Anaconda

H. F. COLLINS, Manager

Thursday, April 10th

Annual Engagement of the Eminent Actor,

FREDERICK WARDE

Who will present here Shakespeare's Historical Tragedy,

Julius Caesar

With a great cast, including Chas. D. Herman, Barry Johnstone, Misses Antoinette Ashton, Virginia Drew Trecoate, May Ward, Aileen Bertelle and 15 others. Magnificent and Sumptuous Scenic Production, Properties, etc.

Saturday Evening, April 12.

Stetson's

Original Big Double Spectacular,

Uncle Tom's Cabin Co.

Seats on sale at Smith Drug Co.'s.

L. F. VERBERCKMOES

Optician and Jeweler

Eyes Examined, \$1; to apply on glasses if ordered within five days. A fine lot of new railroad watches just received. A few second-hand watches are on sale at a special low price this week. 116 East Park.

The Dally Bank and Trust Company of Anaconda.

Anaconda, Montana

General banking in all branches. Sell exchanges on New York, Chicago, St. Paul, Omaha, San Francisco, etc., and draw direct on the principal cities of England, Ireland, France, Germany and the Orient. Deposits of \$1.00 and upward received.

Correspondents

National City Bank, New York; First National Bank, Chicago; First National Bank, St. Paul; Omaha National Bank, Omaha; Bank of California, San Francisco; John R. Toole, Pres.; M. B. Greenwood, V. P.; Louis V. Bennett, Cashier; F. C. Norbeck, Asst. Cash.

COUNCIL MEETING

ANAONDA'S POLICE FORCE LIKELY TO BE REDUCED.

DISCUSSION LAST NIGHT

Haltenhoff Will Introduce an Ordinance—Election Returns Canvassed by the Aldermen—Reports of City Officials Received.

(Special to Inter Mountain.) Anaconda, April 10.—The city council held a busy session last night and transacted a large amount of business that had accumulated within the past month. The appropriation ordinance providing for expenditures during the fiscal year 1903, was read for the last time, passed and ordered published.

Under the head of reports of city affairs City Treasurer Harper showed that there is in the bank to the credit of the city \$8,864.73 and the cash on hand amounts to \$40.75.

The sum of \$20 was collected by Police Magistrate R. J. Hayes in police court fines in the month of March.

Street Commissioner Brolin reported the expenditures of his department as being \$126.75 during the month of March.

Chief of Police Taylor reported that two arrests for assault had been made during the month; another was made on a charge of drunkenness, while still another victim was taken in for carrying concealed weapons; four disturbers, seven vagrants and one insane case came before the chief through arrests during the month. The receipts of the office of chief of police for the month were \$5.75 for the pound department, while the row fines amounted to \$90, making a total of \$95.75. Five head of cattle were received at the pound.

Cost of Street Improvements.

City Engineer McDonald submitted a communication and recommendation bearing on the cost of certain proposed street improvements as follows:

From Main street west to the city limits Park avenue should be properly guttered, crowned and filled to grade. If ditches are made in accordance with the present system of street sloping, the material needed for filling will be less than \$600 yards.

The cost of the work will depend on the length of the haul of the material. If from Seventh street, where there is a fair quality available, the work will cost less than \$400. If we are able to obtain the material from the excavation of the new high school building, which is excellent for this purpose, the cost will be less than \$200.

From the B. A. & P. railway tracks east to connect with the new county road Park avenue is in the poorest possible condition—covered with boulders and worn down below the surrounding ground.

There are two ways in which the street may be improved. We may remove the loose stone and use just sufficient material to fill the mudholes, or we may make a permanent stone fill. The first method is only temporary and will necessitate annual repairs to an already poor road; the second should result in a permanent good road.

I recommend to your honorable body that the latter method be employed, at least as far as the street car crossing, near the lumber yards.

There is plenty of first-class stone already broken in Foundry gulch, which can be loaded and hauled cheaply, and when in place will result in a dry, smooth and durable road. This road need be by no means the full width of the street; 24 to 30 feet should be sufficient. The work should cost less than \$1,000. I submit hereto attached a print showing the location of the new county road.

WHO HAS BEEN HERE?

Gigantic Foot Prints Form a Theme For Conjecture.

(Special to Inter Mountain.) Anaconda, April 10.—The footprints in the sands of time are not in it with those that appeared upon the sidewalks of Anaconda this morning, seeming to form an endless chain through all the principal streets of the city.

They may have been made by some nocturnal monster or by some wandering Willie with a pair of sore feet tied up with rags and saturated with oil, taken from the journal of a box car.

Whatever it was, it seemed to be looking for something, for the trail of black daubs stretched up and down the main thoroughfares, faltering at times, faint at others and then again standing forth with a prominence that would suggest at that particular spot it had been handed a package of something, which was received with hesitation.

Citizens who came down town early this morning gazed at those tracks with greater consternation that did Crusoe when he first found traces of his man Friday.

Whatever the cause, the effect was marked, indignation and curiosity predominating.

"Coming of Uncle Tom's Cabin."

(Special to Inter Mountain.) Anaconda, April 10.—Stetson's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" is the title of a really big company, which, under the personal management of Mr. Leon Washburn, whose name is most favorably associated with up-to-date amusements, is to appear at the Margaret theater on next Saturday. The company comprises 50 people, including a dozen specialty artists, two quartets, a superb orchestra and many colored comedians, who add to the big production not a little by their spontaneous wit and clever singing and dancing. Watch for the big parade.

"Julius Caesar" Tonight.

(Special to Inter Mountain.) Anaconda, April 10.—Frederick Warde and troupe will present the Shakespearean tragedy, "Julius Caesar" at the Margaret theater tonight.

OPENING SERMON

THE ANNUAL SESSION OF THE BUTTE PRESBYTERY.

REV. WALTER HAYES TO PREACH

Prominent Presbyterian Ministers to Be Here—Installation of "The Old Man Eloquent"—Dr. F. H. Gwynn Next Sunday.

(Special to Inter Mountain.) Anaconda, April 10.—An important gathering of Presbyterians will be held in Anaconda this week. Through the efforts of Rev. H. F. Gwynn, the annual session of the Butte Presbytery will be held here, commencing tomorrow and lasting over Saturday. The opening sermon of the meeting will be given by Rev. Walter Hayes of Missoula tomorrow evening.

He will be followed by other ministers of the state who are prominent in Presbyterian councils.

On Sunday morning Rev. Gwynn, who was chosen sometime ago to fill the local pastorate, will be formally installed with the customary ceremonies.

The new pastor was formerly in charge of the Presbyterian church at Dillon, from whence he came to Anaconda. He is a speaker of rare ability; is well known by the Presbyterian ministers of the nation.

A few years ago and while attending a national meeting he preached a powerful sermon at which time he was dubbed as "The Old Man Eloquent," and since that time he is often referred to in that language.

The Presbyterians of this city were certainly fortunate in securing him for the pastor of their church.

ORGANIZE A CLUB

HORSEMEN OF ANAONDA WANT DRIVING PARK.

GROUND ARE HARD TO GET

If This Difficulty Can Be Overcome the Club Will Start With More Than 30 Members, All Prominent Citizens.

(Special to Inter Mountain.) Anaconda, April 10.—Numerous horsemen, horse owners and those interested in horsemanship in Anaconda are making an endeavor to organize a Driving club here, and so far have secured the allegiance of more than 30 prominent residents of the city.

The one drawback so far encountered is the difficulty in securing a park, as the fact that the Gun club has leased the race track for every Sunday afternoon this summer will make it impossible for a driving club to use it on that day, the only practicable time for a meeting.

Efforts are being made to get other grounds for park purposes, and if such are obtained a track can be made and maintained at a comparatively small cost. Anaconda is the home of many horses which have excellent track records and more, that as drivers, are unexcelled.

At the present time there are six horses training at the stables west of the city, all owned by Anaconda gentlemen, to say nothing of a barn full of running horses.

If the efforts to get a park are successful Anaconda will have a driving club, containing the fastest horses in the state, and the present outlook for the success of the project is very good.

Copper City Commercial Co.

Children's Summer Dresses

Why worry or waste time sewing at home when you can buy Dresses ready to wear less than the price of material.

At 75c. One piece dress of Chambray effect yokes of White Percale for the little ones, 3 to 6 yrs.

At 95c. One piece dress of good Chambray, neatly trimmed and well made.

At \$1.25 One piece Russian Blouse of Chambray trimmed with cotton braid, fast colors.

At \$1.50 Your choice of several pretty styles and material or girls 3 to 12 yrs.



Sailor Blouse Suits, All Styles and Prices.

Copper City Commercial Co., Anaconda

SCHOOL FOR DEAF

ONE MAY BE ESTABLISHED AT THE WORLD'S FAIR.

HAVE FORMULATED THE PLANS

Committee Representing the American Convention of Instructors for the Deaf Call Upon President Francis.

(By Associated Press.)

St. Louis, April 10.—President D. R. Francis of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition company has received a visit from Edward Prince Gallaudet, president of the college for the deaf, Kendall Green, D. C., Prof. A. E. Pope, instructor at the Nebraska state school for the deaf, Omaha, and Rev. J. H. Cloud, principal of the deaf school on Compton Hill, which is a part of the public school system of St. Louis.

These gentlemen are members of a committee which represents the convention of American instructors of the deaf, a national association. The committee was appointed several weeks ago by the executive committee of the association to arrange for an exhibit at the St. Louis World's Fair.

The committee laid their plans before President Francis and Professor Rogers, chief of the department of education. They stated it was the desire of the association they represented to conduct a school for the deaf at the St. Louis World's Fair and to make the school an exhibit of the newest methods of teaching the deaf.

Professor Rogers, to whom the matter has been referred, thinks favorably of the plans submitted by the committee. He thinks they can be carried out and assured the committee that they will have his assistance in the matter.

PICKED AMERICANS

PROF. CONWAY WANTS THE BEST FOR RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS.

WILL COME TO THE FRONT

Believes That the Right Class of Young Men Would Put New Life Into the Old Institution.

(By Associated Press.)

New York, April 10.—Milton Conway, professor of art in Cambridge university, who is in this city, has one regret over the provision of Cecil Rhodes' will, which founded American scholarship at Oxford. He regrets that Cambridge was not the fortunate university.

"Of course," he said, "I base my regret on the assumption that the American youths you send over to us will be the pick of your states. In the past, especially at Oxford, there have been a good many American students with plenty of money who came for the good time, or because their parents thought it the swell thing. I hope the men who come on the Rhodes' scholarships will not be of that stamp, as I feel pretty sure they will not.

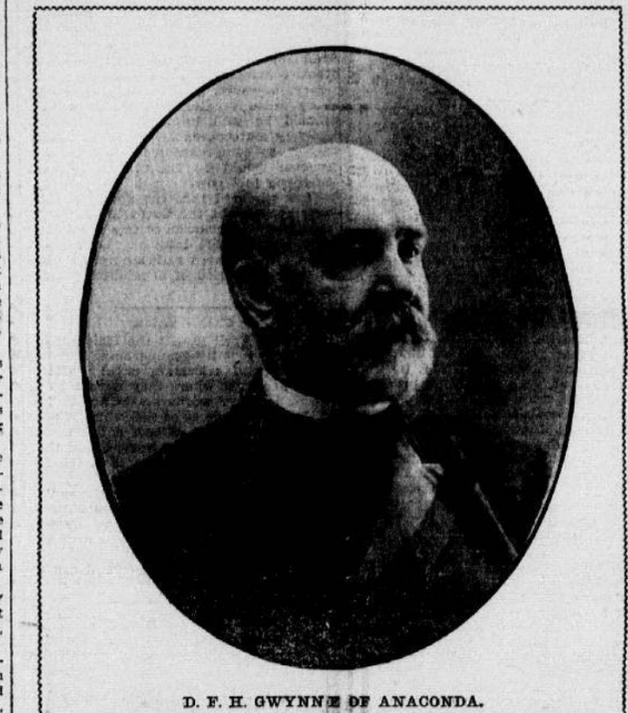
"If they are picked men, there is every reason to be certain that they will come to the front in every line of study or activity they take up, and they will unquestionably awaken the old place up and put new life into it.

"One hundred picked Americans in the undergraduate body of Oxford will be a leaven for good in the institution; I wish they were coming to Cambridge."

"It may be just as well, however, that Oxford is the university selected, because Oxford has always been, perhaps, a better training ground for statesmen and certainly for journalists and all men who are to use their pens than Cambridge."

A Congressman's Grave Offense.

(Boston Herald.) This awful charge originating in Worcester that Congressman Thayer employs a non-resident of his district as his private secretary would be more so if most of the congressmen were not guilty of the same heinous offense—save when they give the job to their wives or sons or daughters.



D. F. H. GWYNN OF ANAONDA.

MAINVILLE DISCHARGED.

Court Considered Evidence Insufficient For Conviction.

(Special to Inter Mountain.) Anaconda, April 10.—Bruno Mainville, charged by his former wife of having taken improper liberties with her 13-year-old daughter, appeared in Justice Kennedy's court for preliminary hearing yesterday evening and upon statement of the facts of the case by County Attorney Duffy was ordered discharged by the court, he not considering the evidence sufficient to secure conviction.

Mainville stated that the charge was concocted by his wife in order to be re-venge for fancied wrongs.

The two had been married about a year but have not lived happily together.

Since filing the complaint against her husband the wife applied for and secured a divorce.

After fully investigating the charge against Mainville, County Attorney Duffy advised dismissal as there was insufficient evidence for conviction.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

At the Montana.

John H. Price, St. Joe. J. R. Walker, Salt Lake. William Scott, Denver. S. S. Deutsch, Denver.

H. E. Buggo and child, Walkerville. J. E. Dawson, Butte. Al E. Doull, Butte. Con Smith, Butte. Eugene Lizmisky, New York. Henry Jacobson, New York. Margaret Count, Butte. W. J. Morris, Minneapolis.

Croker as Milkmaid.

[New York Evening Telegram.] Richard Croker is playing Cincinnatus at the moted grange, having taken a contract to supply dairy produce to the American Line steamships. The former ruler of Tammany driving his lowering herds "slowly o'er the lea" at eve, or sitting on an upturned bucket clad in overalls and one gallus, extracting cow juice at daybreak, must be a soothing sight.

LOCAL BRIEFS

A. D. T. messengers—prompt, reliable.

W. A. Scott of Denver is an Anaconda visitor.

Dr. Rockefeller went to Butte this forenoon.

Al E. Doull of Butte is registered at the Montana.

Major Dawson was over from Butte last evening.

The Woman's missionary society of the Presbyterian church met in the lecture room of that church this afternoon.

John Dierks, telegraph editor of the Standard, was under the doctor's care yesterday, but is reported some better today.

High-grade watches, diamonds, jewelry, cut glass, silverware and clocks at your own price at Hammerslough's auction.

At a session of the local camp of the Modern Woodmen of America, held last night, 37 candidates were initiated. At the conclusion of the ceremonies refreshments were served after which the hall was cleared for dancing, which was continued until an early hour.

Days of Veterans Going.

It is a remarkable fact that this is the first time since the civil war that there has not been a civil war veteran in the assembly. The last of the veterans to sit in the legislature was John H. Swift of Broome county, who was defeated for re-election in the last campaign. Mr. Swift appreciated the responsibility that rested upon him as the sole civil war veteran in the assembly and fought valiantly for all legislation in the interest of the veterans. The fact that the veterans had no one to represent them in the assembly was made strikingly apparent the other day when a bill introduced in the senate by Senator Ellsworth to give the veterans preference under the civil service came up for consideration. This bill had been passed in the senate by a unanimous vote. Nevertheless it was snowed under by the assembly.

COUNTY ATTORNEY SMITH.

He Has Recently Had Troubles of His Own.

(Special to Inter Mountain.) Deer Lodge, April 10.—County Attorney J. C. Smith had peculiar relations with Clinton Dotson, hanged last week, and his legal association with the case amounts to a paradox.

Mr. Smith was attorney for Clinton Dotson and arranged to have his appeal to the governor perfected and was using his utmost endeavors to secure executive clemency when the unexpected happened.

County Attorney Simpson of Powell county resigned and Mr. Smith was appointed to succeed him. Thus he was



JOSEPH C. SMITH, County Attorney of Powell County.

placed in the position of a man who was handing up an appeal for executive clemency with one hand and with the other thumbing the leaves of law books to prove that the man whose life he, as a lawyer, was trying to save, should, from the county attorney's standpoint, be sacrificed to appease outraged justice.

Mr. Smith came through the ordeal without bearing marks of his mental struggle or adding gray hairs to his classic brow.

Seldom, if ever, has an attorney in this state been placed in such a paradoxical position.

Recently the question as to whether or not Clinton Dotson really made a confession before being hanged has brought Mr. Smith into public notice.

The Anaconda Standard says that he did confess, and the Butte Miner emphatically persists that he did not. Between the two papers County Attorney J. C. Smith of Deer Lodge is coming in for free advertising.

B. A. & P. R. R. CO. TIME TABLE.

Effective 12 to 1 a. m. March 3, 1902. Trains leave B. A. & P. Depot for Anaconda as follows: 7 a. m.; 10 a. m.; 12:30 p. m.; 5:15 p. m.; and 11:30 p. m. Leave Anaconda for Butte, 8:30 a. m.; 11:00 a. m.; 3 p. m.; 7:15 p. m.

Passengers change for Northern Pacific train at Durant to connect with Northern Pacific Overland.

At Logan via Butte: Leave Anaconda at 11:20 a. m. Trains leaving Anaconda at 3 p. m. connect at Silver Bow with Oregon Short Line for trains east, south and west.

Trains connecting with Great Northern at Butte leave Anaconda 8:30 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.

Tickets for sale for all points local and through on the Great Northern railway, Oregon Short Line railroad and Northern Pacific railway and their connections. Freightship tickets for sale to all points in Europe by this above line.

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In improving what was originally the finest track in the West.

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A comparatively straight and level roadbed ballasted with dustless Sherman granite, rendering possible the highest rate of speed, together with the greatest degree of safety. The magnitude of the work must be seen to be appreciated.

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Solid comfort, security and pleasure to our patrons.

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If so, you cannot afford to go via any other than this ROYAL HIGHWAY. Further information on application personally or by letter to H. B. WILSON, O. S. L., Butte, Mont.