

THE INTER MOUNTAIN'S ANACONDA DEPARTMENT

COAL DISCOVERY

STRIKE IN THE BLACK DIAMOND MINE YESTERDAY.

CROWDS VISIT THE GROUND

Much Prospecting Done Heretofore Proved Unsuccessful, and the People of the City Are Both Surprised and Elated.

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, May 16.—The discovery of coal in the Black Diamond properties yesterday was the talk of the town last night, and today crowds of people visited the ground to convince themselves that the find was a assured fact.

Marcus Daly, when he had the management of the Anaconda company's affairs, spent large sums of money in a search for coal in the vicinity of this city, but without successful results.

But all such discouragements were passed unnoticed by them; they went ahead with the confidence that they would find coal, and it has been entirely fulfilled.

Work was first started in a tunnel run into the hillside from Newcomb's Gulch. A very satisfactory showing of coal was found there, but owing to the narrowness of the gulch and the undesirability of the place for permanent workings, it was decided to go farther up on the hill and sink a shaft.

The shaft was started last October and was sunk to a depth of 140 feet when the coal body was encountered.

The vein is over four feet in thickness and lies between well defined walls. Experts who have visited the property declare that the geological formations are favorable for extensive coal measures.

The owners of the ground are J. R. Rosenfield, J. W. Black, John H. Wein, John Cusic and others.

It is the intention to push work more vigorously than ever and to determine as soon as possible something of the extent of the deposits.

CORONER'S JURY GO TO SMELTER TODAY IN THE CONLEY CASE

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, May 16.—Coroner Hughes held an inquest last night over the remains of W. H. Conley, who died at St. Ann's hospital yesterday as a result of injuries received from falling into one of the ore bins at the concentrator.

The jury, after examining the workmen who were there at the time, failed to arrive at a verdict and will go to the scene of the accident this morning to see if more light cannot be thrown upon the manner in which Conley came to his death.

The remains will be shipped to Waterville, Minn., for burial.

LOCAL BRIEFS

A. D. T. messengers—prompt, reliable. Max Cadden of Butte is at the Montana.

Charles Kessler of Helena is in town today.

Harry Wright of Butte is in the city today on business.

A. H. Pogson is registered at the Montana from New York.

The L. S. B. A. dance given last night at the A. O. H. hall was largely attended and successful in every way.

Max Hammersough has leased the room formerly occupied by Tucker & Co., and is preparing to move his stock of goods into it.

The public schools of Anaconda close next week. The commencement exercises by the graduates of the High School will take place one week from tonight.

At the home of Thomas French on West Fifth street yesterday, Rev. Dr. Gwynn of the Presbyterian church officiated at the marriage ceremony in which Miss Caroline McRae of Anaconda and Mr. George A. Matheson of Butte were the principals.

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FAMILY DESTITUTE

CHAIRMAN KELLIHER AND DR. MCKENZIE VISIT GARROLL.

SAD CONDITION OF AFFAIRS

Commissioners and Physician Will Meet as County Board of Health This Afternoon and Organize According to Law.

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, May 16.—Yesterday afternoon Chairman William Kelliher of the county commissioners and Dr. T. J. McKenzie, discovered a family living in Garroll, some members of whom were suffering from scarlet fever, and the entire number consisting of the mother and seven or eight children were without food or the means to procure it.

The head of the family has been gone for some time, and his whereabouts is not known. Until the closing of the works at Garroll the mother supported the family by taking in washing, but since the departure of the smeltermen from there that means of a livelihood were gone.

The county commissioners and Dr. McKenzie, will meet as a county board of health at the courthouse this afternoon and organize as is provided by law. After that is completed, matters pertaining to the health of the county will be looked into and steps taken to attend the same any place where it may be found necessary.

SUNDAY SHOWS ARE WITHIN THE LAW, SAYS MR. DONOVAN

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, May 16.—In a letter to County Attorney Duffy relative to the arrest of Manager H. Frank Collins and C. J. Rielley of the Frawley company last Sunday night, Attorney General Donovan bears the county attorney out in the matter of the warrants being illegal.

The letter is as follows: "J. H. Duffy, your favor of the 13th at hand and in reply to your inquiry will say that I have examined Section 530 of the Penal Code and it is my opinion that that section refers to the manager of the theater or one who aids in keeping it open.

"As the companies playing in different theaters are usually under the command of a manager or director, it seems to me where he has them under contract to obey his orders that he and he alone would be responsible under Section 530, and it would limit its application to the manager of the company who aids in opening or maintaining any theater and the owner or proprietor of the theater who runs the same. If it means otherwise it would have stated so in express terms. The idea of that section is to prohibit certain things to be done on Sunday, and the means of preventing these things is directed against the owner of the place or the manager of the place where such things as are enumerated are carried on, and the man who has charge of the party or persons who are performing, playing, or whatever might be carried on for amusement."

It will be remembered that the two men were not held under bond because the justice of the peace refused to endorse the warrants in advance with the statute concerning the serving of warrants for misdemeanor in the night time.

County Attorney Duffy held that unless this was done the arrests would be illegal and the officer making such arrests would be liable to civil action for damages on ground of false imprisonment.

This is the interpretation which Mr. Donovan puts on the section of the penal code governing the matter.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday we will sell strawberries at 15c per box. FULTON MARKET.

At the Montana.

J. H. Morrow, Great Falls; C. S. Jacobson, Portland; G. Robson, Butte; H. L. Lopard, Missoula; Charles Kessler, Helena; S. R. Jensen, Great Falls; William Holdenhoff, Anaconda; Max Cadden, Butte; James Kopecky, Chicago; A. H. Pogson, New York; J. Rasenburg, Pocatello.

Two Arrests Last Night.

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, May 16.—A woman named Mrs. Murray was arrested last night for starting a rough house in an East Park avenue saloon. She will appear in the police court this evening.

Hugh McElroy, a common drunk, woke up in one of the cells at the city hall this morning and will pay his respects to the police magistrate this afternoon.

GREEN-GAYNOR CASE DISCUSSED BY CHIEF WILKIE IN CHICAGO

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, May 16.—Chief Wilkie, of the secret service, discussing the Green-Gaynor case last night said of the fugitives: "This is but another chapter in a long chase. It was more than two years ago that the men were indicted for conspiracy to defraud the United States government last February they jumped their bonds and went to Quebec.

Then the work began which ended today, though it was originally planned that the dash should be made on Wednesday."

Chief Wilkie said there was no intention of bringing the men to the United States; all that was wanted was to get them to Montreal, where extradition proceedings could be instituted.

BUTCHERS TO PLAY

LOCAL UNION HAS ORGANIZED CRACK BALL TEAM.

CHALLENGE SENT TO BUTTE

Game Will Probably Be Pulled Off on Decoration Day—Anaconda Meat Carvers Are Enthusiastic.

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Anaconda, May 16.—The butchers are going to try their hand at baseball in the very near future. Although they are perhaps better trained in the art of cleaning meats, some of them have an idea that they can play ball as well. At any rate they are going to take a chance at it. The matter was talked over at the last meeting of the local union, at which time it was decided to send a challenge to the Butte union; the latter to send a nine to Anaconda to play against a team consisting of Smelter City butchers.

Nothing has been heard as yet from the Butteites, but it is believed that the challenge from here will be accepted and in that event it is probable the first game will be played at Mountain View Park on Decoration Day.

Among the Anaconda butchers are several men who have played ball before and who are able to put up a pretty good game. They will at least make it interesting for any nine that comes up against them.

The butchers have organized by electing O. A. Rutherford, captain of their team, which will consist of the following: Ben Harting, Thomas Boone, W. Fletcher, Paul Lyansmith, W. Manlove, Jack Pazio, Joe Prinski, Dan Kirkpatrick, James Miller, Frank Paul and M. McTigue.

BRITAIN'S MISTAKE

CHINA RAILROAD AGREEMENTS GIVE RUSSIA AN EXCUSE.

SOME DIPLOMATIC BLUNDERS

Other Powers Not Consulted and the Result Is All Are Displeased Over English Tinkering With the New Chinese Railways.

(By Associated Press.)

Pekin, May 16.—Friendly observers regard Great Britain's railroad agreements as a serious diplomatic blunder. Before it was signed it is said there was no apparent obstacle that Russia could urge for failing to fulfill the Manchurian convention.

Now the Russian diplomats frankly say these railroad agreements furnish obstacles, such as were contemplated by the stipulation in the Manchurian convention that Russia would evacuate if no other powers interposed obstacles.

The latest reports from official observers in Manchuria are to the effect that Russia is steadily taking steps which signifies that she intends permanent occupation.

The first railroad giving Great Britain a co-director of the railroad, with the German and Japanese sub-directors pleased no one and Germany and Japan were not consulted regarding it.

The Russian contention is that Great Britain framed the agreement for restoring the Pekin-Shan Hai Wan railroad to the Chinese in such terms that it knew the other powers whose written consent as stipulated in the agreement must be obtained thereto before it can become valid, would not consent, thereby expecting to continue its exclusive control of the railroad.

For Great Britain to abandon its second agreement means loss of prestige. To insist upon it means grave complications in the Manchurian question.

NEWS STORIES BRIEFLY TOLD

LONDON.—King Edward has given \$4,000 to the Mansion house fund for the sufferers by the volcano on the Island of St. Vincent.

WASHINGTON.—The senate yesterday confirmed a number of consular nominations, also G. W. Huffaker, to be postmaster at Helena, Mont.

WASHINGTON.—Albert Gallatin Riddle, a well-known lawyer and author and a former representative from Ohio, died in this city today aged 86 years.

NEW YORK.—H. Clay Pierce of St. Louis has purchased the king of Portugal's steam yacht. The yacht will be refitted and brought over at once.

WASHINGTON.—Andrew C. Bradley, one of the justices of the supreme court of the District of Columbia, died here last night, aged 65. He presided over many celebrated trials, including the Breckinridge-Pollard case.

SAN FRANCISCO.—Nearly \$300,000 has already been subscribed in this city to aid the Martinique sufferers and a check for \$2,000 of this amount has been sent to Cornelius Bliss at New York. Subscriptions are coming in rapidly.

LONDON.—According to a very brief special dispatch to the London newspapers Mount Pelee is still throwing out ashes and until all danger is past and the place is thoroughly safe, there is little hope that detailed news will be received.

TODAY'S WALL STREET STOCKS

(By Associated Press.)

New York, May 16.—The decision of the anthracite miners to make their strike permanent, carried stocks down, when trading commenced this morning. There was some recovery in the Pacific coast stocks, Amalgamated and Sugar, but the Truck lines, Southern and Vanderbilts were weak.

New York Airbrake lost 3 points, Chicago & Alton rose to near 29, without causing much improvement elsewhere. Toward noon there was a general selling movement. Colorado Fuel fell 2 1/2; Northwestern, 6; Reading, Louisville and leading stocks in the principal active groups 1 to 2.

Bonds were irregular. The market lived up for a while, when the bears renewed their attack on the coalers.

Reading common fell 3 and Delaware & Hudson 3 1/2 and prices all around were lower than before.

Rock Island, St. Paul, Illinois Central, Union Pacific and Louisville were two or more points off and there was no indication of support at any point. The high priced inactive stocks worked lower, New Haven figuring for a 3 point loss and General Electric and Westinghouse Electric 7 points each.

Rutland preferred broke 1% and Keokuk & Des Moines preferred, 1/2.

New York Stocks.

(Reported by Coe Commission Co.)

New York, May 16.—The closing prices today were:

Table of stock prices including American Ice, Anaconda Mining Co, American Cotton Oil, etc.

Coal Goes Up.

(Reported by Coe Commission Co.) New York, May 16.—Retail coal dealers raised coal \$1 a ton from \$5.25 to \$6.25. This advance in prices goes into effect at once and some of the retailers said this morning that the price might be advanced again.

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COPPER MINING QUOTATIONS

(Special to Inter Mountain.)

Table of copper mining shares: Boston, Mass., May 16.—The copper mining shares closed today as follows: Amalgamated, \$ 67.25; Anaconda, 28.00; Parrot, 26.50; Calumet & Hecla, 545.00; Tamarack, 170.00; Osceola, 63.50; Utah Con, 22.50.

WALL STREET SITUATION.

The Coal Strikes Need Not Alarm the Investing Public.

New York, May 16.—Alfred M. Lamar says of the situation in the street: "The encouraging feature is that prices yielded so moderately. The people who have stocks now for the most part are those with large resources, and who will not liquidate their holdings because of little temporary weaknesses or unfavorable superficial market influences, which come and go from week to week. It is generally believed that notwithstanding the strike the miners, as a whole, are averse to a shut down and that the time is not auspicious from their point of view. The bank statement, as a market feature, is misleading if it be true that transfers of funds were made to strengthen the position of several of the trust companies. Funds are now due New York in large amount, the corresponding week a year ago, \$7,000,000 or more currency returned to this city and banking houses generally believe that the money strain is over for the present. While the crop report has been waited for with considerable interest, it is an accepted fact that wheat conditions have considerably altered for the better since May 1, the date of compilation, while recent rains have been very favorable for the preparation of the soil for corn. With the monopoly that the coal roads have of the anthracite supply, holders of these stocks can afford to carry them through all manner of temporarily adverse circumstances, and those who take advantage of the present reaction to buy these stocks will profit greatly in the near future."

Buying Oil Lanes.

(By Associated Press.)

San Francisco, May 16.—The Santa Fe railroad, through President Ripley, has completed the purchase of a petroleum plant and oil lands in the Kern county oil district. The price is about \$1,125,000. By this deal the railroad increases its supply of fuel oil many thousands of barrels per month.

Banquet for Rodin.

(By Associated Press.)

London, May 16.—The sculptor, M. Auguste Rodin, who is visiting in London, was entertained at a banquet yesterday, the Rt. Hon. George Wyndham, chief secretary for Ireland, presiding. The leaders of artistic London, including Mr. John S. Sargent, the American painter, were guests on the occasion.

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BUTTE SCHEDULE

Table with columns: North Coast Limited, Arrival, Departure. Includes routes to Eastbound and Westbound.

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B. A. & P. R. R. CO. TIME TABLE. Trains Leave B. A. & P. Depot, Butte, for Anaconda, as follows: 7 a. m., 10 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 5:15 p. m., 11:30 p. m.

Trains Leave Union Passenger Station, Anaconda, for Butte, as follows: 8:30 a. m., 11:30 a. m., 3 p. m., 7:15 p. m. Connections will be made with all Northern Pacific trains, both East and Westbound, at Durant, instead of Stuart.

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