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Something to See.

Quaint and picturesque Salt Lake City, the beautiful Jordan and Provo valleys, Castle Gate, Book Cliffs, the Canyon of the Grande, Leadville, "the City of the Clouds," Tennessee Pass, Marshall Pass, Black Canyon of the Gunnison, Curcanti Needle and the far-famed Royal Gorge are a few of the things to be seen along the Rio Grande lines between Ogden and Denver. No railroad on the globe offers such an array of diversified and eye-pleasing attractions, and when viewed from trains equipped with every modern convenience tending to suit all classes of travel, it is no wonder that the Rio Grande route is the most popular one across the continent. Three trains daily between Ogden and Denver. For full information, rates, maps, etc., or for copy of "Crossing the Rockies," write or call on the undersigned. W. C. McBride, General Agent, Butte, Mont.

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Dry Slab Wood—Easily sawed, quickly split; \$4.75 cord.
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AMUSEMENTS.

Grand Theater—"The Butterflies."
Sutton's Broadway.—Dark.
Sutton's Family.—Dark.

Current Notes.

Orton Bros.—Pianos and organs. o
Dr. Aylesworth, office, Lizzie block. o
Lewis Nottingham and his wife are in from Boulder for the day.
J. G. Bates, tuner, Montana Music Co., 119 N. Main street. Tel. 504.
Alexander Norris of Norris is making a short visit in the city today.
W. E. Wilson of Anaconda is among the recent arrivals at the Finlen.
Mrs. D. A. Morrison of Whitehall is making a brief visit to Butte today.
Charles M. Miller and wife of Glendive are visiting friends in the city today.
James Brook of Whitehall arrived in the city this morning on a short visit.
Rev. and Mrs. Leslie Sprague of Helena are spending a few days in the city.
Main springs, \$1.00; watches cleaned \$1.50; warranted. Mayer, 65 West Park.
M. E. Ford, one of the old-time residents of Anaconda, is spending the day in Butte.
John Berkin, the Boulder mining man, is in the city en route to his properties at Pony.
George Metcalf, sheriff of Granite county, is among the late arrivals at the Butte.
Alexis Pfuhl, astro-physiologist. Examination of life with chart, \$2.50. At the Lennox.
B. L. Sperry, a well known resident of Livingston, came in on the late train from the East.
L. Metzger and wife, well known residents of Monida, are spending a few days in Butte.
W. F. Word, a prominent citizen of Helena, is among the visitors from across the range today.
C. W. Sweet of Great Falls came in on the late train from the North and is staying at the Finlen.
A. C. Pratt and wife of Canyon Ferry arrived in the city last evening and are staying at the Finlen.
Bob Mentrum, chief of the fire department at Anaconda, was among the visitors in the city yesterday.
A. J. Noyes, one of the prosperous ranchers of the Big Hole, is at the Butte, registered from Wisdom.
Mrs. T. E. Castle of Virginia City is visiting her friend, Miss Crangle, at No. 412 West Granite street.
E. E. Weaver and G. S. Wisner of Anaconda were over last evening to attend a meeting of the Masonic order.
Geoffrey Lavelle, formerly of Butte but now of Portland, arrived in the city last night from Portland and is staying at the Finlen.
J. E. Paul, proprietor of the Pipestone Springs, is in the city en route to California, where he will visit his sister for three weeks.
John S. Dougherty, formerly superintendent of the Parrot smelter but now engaged in the Bitter Root apple industry, is in Butte today.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Bowen, who have been in Butte for more than 22 years, have gone to Seattle where they will make their permanent residence.
A. C. Sanberg, for years associated with Dr. Hall the dentist, has moved into the new Clark building where he is practicing dentistry for himself.
Mark J. Morrin, brother of Attorney T. A. Morrin, is making a business trip to Butte in the interests of a Burlington, Ia., firm which he represents.
Englewood Lots.—Perfect title, electric line already graded, fine soil, soft water, new school house one block away. Lots sold on \$10 monthly payments. Mrs. Jessie C. Knox, Box 1014.
Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to John Williams and Harriet L. Pease of Whitehall; to John C. Duff of Chinook and Mattie S. Councilman of Twin Bridges, and to Bennett Moyle and Charlotte May McLaughlin, both of Butte.
Sheriff Furey has sold the plant of the People Publishing company to satisfy a judgment for \$25,768.80 held by F. A. Heinze and the Montana Ore Purchasing company. The claim had been assigned to the Aetna Loan & Savings company, and the latter bid the property for \$10,000.
Mayor Gainer of Walkerville intends to appoint one of the justices of the peace of the hill city to act as police magistrate until the city council selects a successor to the late Judge Dennison, who died last week. Some of the members of the council are out of the city at present and a permanent successor will not be chosen until they return.
Believers in equal suffrage held a meeting in the law office of Ella Knowles-Haskell last evening and took the preliminary steps toward organizing a club for the purpose of "carrying the war into Africa," if necessary to secure the voting privilege for women in this state. A public meeting of equal suffragists will be held in the rooms of the Butte Business college, in the Owsley block, Thursday evening. Miss Gail Laughlin will address the meeting.
George H. Casey received a dispatch last evening from Senator Clark assuring him that there was no intention of removing the internal revenue stamp office from Butte. The dispatch reads: "Commissioner of internal revenue had in mind Boise instead of Butte. The latter deputy will be retained and his salary will be increased." That's why Clinton H. Moore's perpetual smile is broader than usual today.
John Maguire and Christ Fisher were before Justice Shepherd in Meaderville yesterday on a charge of fighting. Maguire told the court he had fought Fisher and the justice gave him 30 days in jail, but Fisher stood trial. Maguire testifying against him. At the conclusion of the trial Fisher was found guilty and sentenced to 60 days in jail. A hatchet was used in the fight. The trouble between the men grew out of the attention Fisher claimed Maguire was giving to his wife.

Special Palace Pullman Car.

Through to Chicago without change will leave Oregon Short Line depot 4:30 p. m., Monday, June 16th, via the Denver & Rio Grande (Scenic Line).

Car will stop from morning until evening in Salt Lake in order to give excursionists the benefit of Colorado scenery by daylight.

Sleeping car accommodations can be secured at Oregon Short Line City Ticket office, 103 North Main street, Butte.

INTERNATIONAL IS AN AWFUL FIGHT

ITALIANS AND IRISH FAMILIES MEET IN FIERCE COMBAT IN PARK STREET.

ANTAGONISM OF RIVAL DOGS START CONFLICT

Sparogattis and Hooligans Let Their Angry Passions Rise by Coming Together, While the Canines Battle for Mastery—What Happens to Policeman Barshaw After the War is Dreadful!

Two wives, two husbands, two children and two dogs. These were the participants in a small sized riot which took place at Wyoming and Park streets this afternoon and which ended as suddenly as it had begun.

Sparogattis are Italians, as the name denotes, while the tribe of Hooligans trace their ancestry back as far as the days of good St. Patrick.

Antone Sparogatti and his wife are the proud parents of Specazo, a youth of twelve summers. Incidentally they are also the proud owners of a bob tailed cur with blood shot eye and a bristly mane.

Michael Hooligan and his wife Bridget are not less proud of Patrick, their youthful son, than they are of "Dooly," a bow legged bull pup.

Cause of the Trouble.

Sparogatti and family, including the household dog, were proceeding from a photograph gallery on East Park street, where they had had their pictures taken in the direction of Main street.

Hooligan and family were coming from Main street and the descendants of Romulus met them at the corner of Wyoming street.

Whether the natural contempt that an Irish bull dog entertains for an Italian cur precipitated the trouble that followed is not known, but certain it is that the two canines declared war and followed up the declaration with active hostilities. Young Specazo attempted to part the fighting animals and the youthful Patrick mistaking his motives attacked the diminutive "Dago."

Ever watchful are the mothers of the pugnacious boys and they took up their quarrels, one with a broom which she procured from a neighboring store and the other with a hair pin and umbrella.

This was more than the male heads of the two households could stand. They pitched in to the fracas and for a few minutes the air was blue with "Dago" epithets and Celtic wrath.

Policeman's Condition.

But a cloud suddenly appeared on the horizon in the shape of Policeman Barshaw's blue coat and immediately there was a scattering of the contending forces.

Even the two dogs scented danger. The cur followed his swarthy owners up North Wyoming street on a sharp gallop, the bulldog cantered after the fast disappearing family of Corkonians and a minute later the policeman stood on the battle scarred street corner, "the somnambulist of a shattered dream."

BUTTE SHRINERS GO TO SAN FRANCISCO MEETING

John B. Leggett Will Distribute Five Hundred Copper Spoons as Souvenirs of This Big Camp.

Montana's delegation to the annual reunion of the order of Mystic Shriners is on its way to San Francisco where the Shriners from all over the United States will gather tomorrow for their annual festival.

Several members from the Butte branch left Saturday and the others Sunday for California. A number from Helena and other Montana cities joined the Butte delegation for the trip which will occupy several weeks.

J. B. Leggett of Butte took with him 500 copper spoons which he will distribute among the visiting Shriners as souvenirs of the great copper camp.

According to their annual custom the visiting Shriners will put in the time as much in pleasure as in business, and as the San Francisco branches have been making elaborate arrangements for some time for the entertainment of the visitors, there ought to be a warm time at the Athens of the Pacific.

Among the Butte Shriners who have gone to San Francisco are: John B. Leggett, James Thompson, Ralph Lewis and John Bordeaux.

KATHRYN KIDDER COMING

Begins Engagement in the "Country Girl" June 22.

Kathryn Kidders' engagement in "The Country Girl" at the Broadway on June 22 and 23 will undoubtedly draw one of the largest and most fashionable audiences of the present theatrical season. When the first announcement appeared of Miss Kidders' coming, inquiries were started and reservation of seats made at the box office.

Many of those who have signified their intention of being present are prominent in social circles and several theater parties have already formed to attend the performance. Miss Kidders' company this season is reported to be one of the strongest that has ever been engaged in the support of a star.

Among the leading players are Norman Hackett, Robert V. Ferguson, T. C. Hamilton, H. L. Davidson, Munroe Salisbury, Seymour Stratton, T. C. O'Brien, Marion Ashworth and Olga Finck.

WALKED AWAY WITH CHANGE

Walter in Columbia Gardens Saloon Came to Town With Money.

Ed. Morgan has to answer at Thursday's session of police court for having walked away with \$5 belonging to George Forsyth, proprietor of the Columbia Gardens saloon.

Morgan was a waiter. Yesterday Forsyth gave him \$5 in small change to be used in making change around the saloon, and a few minutes later he disappeared. Forsyth came to town to look for Morgan and found him at the corner of Main street and Broadway.

June Clearance Sale

Big Bargains in Hennessy's Basement Bazaar.

Of House Furnishing Goods

Sale Begins Today, June 9, 1902

Every housewife, be she ever so wealthy, preaches or practices more or less economy in her domestic duties. Our June clearance sale gives the opportunity of buying the always necessary articles at greatly reduced prices. We want to cut our stock down during the present month previous to taking our semi-annual inventory, so we make many new and interesting figures on granite-ironware, tinware, crockery, glassware and everything a housekeeper needs. Come and see.

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At the Finlen.

A. J. Palma, Chicago; H. M. Shannon, Cincinnati; Geoffrey Lavelle, Portland; Morris H. Elvidge, St. Paul; W. E. Wilson, Anaconda; W. B. Morris, Bozeman; A. O. Taylor, New York; Charles E. Ulin, Cincinnati; L. C. Robinson, Denver; R. D. Sawyer, Portland; T. B. Castle, Pocatello; E. H. Porter and wife, San Francisco; W. H. Beck, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. D. A. Morrison, Whitehall; G. S. Wisner, E. E. Weaver, Anaconda; C. J. Cottingham, Great Falls; M. Warren, San Francisco; C. W. Sweet, Great Falls; A. C. Pratt and wife, Canyon Ferry.

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Chicago and intermediate points and return, 53.50
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Of Fine Lawns and Nainsooks

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We have a large and varied assortment of the higher grades of muslin underwear, nightgowns, and petticoats, superbly made, by the leading manufacturer in the country—L. Steiner & Son, New York.

Through being shown as samples this finest of underwear has become slightly soiled, and wanting to close it out at once we have made prices correspondingly low.

Fine Night Gowns **Fine Petticoats**

Here are a lot of the handsomest robes de nuit that can be made, of the finest of lawns and nainsooks, very prettily trimmed with rich lace, embroidery and cluster tucks, some with high collars with low necks. All in the very latest style and in all sizes.

No description can do these pretty petticoats anything like justice. They are beautifully made up as only Steiner can make them. The fabrics, laces, embroideries and workmanship are the finest and the style of each and every one is strictly up to date.

\$2.00 gowns for \$1.45
\$3.00 gowns for \$2.15
\$4.50 gowns for \$3.05
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\$6.50 gowns for \$3.85
\$7.50 gowns for \$4.85
\$11.50 gown for \$6.75

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