

TODAY'S NEWS FROM THE SMELTER CITY

W. C. T. U. ORGANIZER TO COME HERE

VICE PRESIDENT AT LARGE MRS. WALKER IS EXPECTED IN ANACONDA.

SPECIAL TO THE INTER MOUNTAIN. Anaconda, Feb. 28.—There are several members of the Woman's Christian Temperance union living in the city of Anaconda and it is understood from one of them that Mrs. Anna Walker, vice-president at large and national associate of the committee on work among miners of the W. C. T. U., will soon come here to look after business connected with the association.

From one of the ladies who has always taken a great interest in the affairs of the W. C. T. U., it is learned that the work of the order is progressing nicely in Montana. She says that there is much enthusiasm throughout the state, especially in the towns of Helena, Missoula, Butte, Kalispell, East Helena, Stevensville, Bozeman and Lewistown. She says that there are more than 100 members of the union, including people of all classes, and working together with the utmost enthusiasm.

It seems that among temperance people the W. C. T. U. is looked upon as a sort of grand lodge of the temperance cause. The work of Captain Dutton, while having no connection with the W. C. T. U., is nevertheless making many converts for the order. Those who really believe in the temperance cause and who are willing to make some sacrifices for the benefit of the cause usually join the order.

From a letter received in this city yesterday it is understood that one of the most noted temperance orators in the United States will be here some time in the month of May and remain for some weeks, delivering a series of lectures. It is no less a personage than the celebrated Col. J. C. Holt. Colonel Holt has been working in Washington and Oregon during the past year with great success and is considered among the best orators in the country.

MISS M'DOUGAL ILL

SPECIAL TO THE INTER MOUNTAIN. Anaconda, Feb. 28.—Mr. Pickel will have charge of St. Mark's choir tomorrow, owing to the illness of Miss McDougal.

An attractive program of music has been prepared for both morning and evening services. Services will be as usual at 8 a. m., 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. At the 11 o'clock service there will be a celebration of the holy communion, and the sermon will be the second of a series of three upon "The Trinity of Loves."

CHARLES COLLINS IS IN CITY

Graduate of Old Volunteer Fire Department of Anaconda.

SPECIAL TO THE INTER MOUNTAIN. Anaconda, Feb. 28.—Charles Collins, assistant chief of the fire department of Rossland, B. C., is in the city on a visit to his parents. He arrived last evening and may conclude to remain in Montana, although he had a very pleasant and good-paying position across the border.

Mr. Collins is a graduate of the old volunteer fire department of this city, and to this day, is considered by those who remember it as the best volunteer department in the West. For a matter of six years he was also a member of the paid department and was considered one of the best.

DENOUNCE THE SCHOOL DADS

Mill and Smelters' Union Hold an Indignation Meeting.

SPECIAL TO THE INTER MOUNTAIN. Anaconda, Feb. 28.—At a meeting of the Mill and Smelters' union, held last evening at the A. O. H. hall, the board of education for the city of Anaconda was once more denounced, and at the next meeting of the next labor organization that meets it is asserted positively that they will be denounced some more.

HUNTER'S BROTHER IS DEAD

He Leaves to Take the Remains to Toronto, Canada.

Anaconda, Feb. 28.—George P. Hunter, a photographer of Anaconda, left last night for Gillette, Wyo., on the sad mission of securing the remains of a brother killed at that place and conveying them to the old home in Toronto, Canada.

HIBERNIANS TO MARK ROBT. EMMET'S BIRTH

SPECIAL TO THE INTER MOUNTAIN. Anaconda, Feb. 28.—The members of the Robert Emmet Literary society will observe the anniversary of the birthday of Robert Emmet, the Irish patriot whose name the society bears, by a celebration to be held in A. O. H. hall on the evening of March 4. A committee consisting of M. J. Walsh, R. J. Hayes, Hugh Daly, J. P. Kelly, P. H. Cuddihy, William Kelliber and J. F. Spellman is arranging for the event. Dr. Spellman will preside at the celebration of March 4.



ROBERT EMMET.

The following program will be rendered: Solo, Capt. J. J. McGuinness; recitation, Mayme Sheehan; solo, Frank E. Martz; address, John S. Tolan; solo, John Reese; selections, mandolin club; address, P. H. Cuddihy; solo, Charles Hoff; song, Sisters' School quartet; solo, Edwin A. Davis; solo, E. E. Pickel.

The entertainment will close by the entire audience rising and singing "God Save Ireland."



M. J. WALSH.



JOHN S. TOLAN.

ECHO OF CONTESTS IN DISTRICT COURT

MOTIONS OF DISMISSAL IN SUITS OF FINLEN AND STRASSBURGER HAVE BEEN FILED.

An echo of the contested county elections was heard in Judge Clancy's division of the district court this morning. Immediately upon the opening of the court Attorney J. Bruce Kremer filed motions of dismissal in the cases of the treasurer and surveyor.

REV. C. C. FROST IS DEAD AT WATERFORD

FORMER PASTOR OF BUTTE BAPTIST CHURCH HAS PASSED AWAY IN CONNECTICUT.

Rev. C. C. Frost, at one time pastor of the Baptist church in this city, died at Waterford, Ct., on February 16, and the news reached this city by letter a few days ago. Mr. Frost preached two vigorous sermons on Sunday, the day before he died, according to the letter, which indicates that his death was without premonition.

ELKS ARE STARVING IN THE MOUNTAINS

RUSH A RANCH, TEAR DOWN FENCES AND EVERYTHING THEY CAN FIND.

Anaconda, Feb. 28.—Running through Powell and Granite counties there is a low range of mountains, having different names in different localities, in which can be found the only band of Elk in Western Montana. Of late years they have been thinned out by pothunters and chased with dogs, but in spite of all there are now several hundred head of the noble animals remaining.

From reports from that section it appears that the winter feeding ground of the animals is, this year, covered with snow, and in the last two weeks it has become crusted so that the elk are about starving to death, it being absolutely impossible for them to reach the bunchgrass.

It is said that the snow is about four feet deep and since the rainstorm that occurred in that region some weeks ago, the animals have nearly starved to death. Last Tuesday about 50 of the half-starved and frenzied animals swooped down upon the ranch of a man named Capron, who lives on Main Rock creek, and tore down the fence around his hay-stacks and destroyed and devoured about 25 tons of his best hay.

Mr. Capron reports that the bulls were very dangerous and that it was impossible for him and his two dogs to frighten them off; in fact, he nearly lost his life in an attempt to do so. One of the elk, a big bull, broke two of his legs in jumping the corral fence, and he was shot the following morning by the outraged rancher. Broken he had the finest pair of antlers ever seen in this country. The meat was not good and Mr. Capron will be compelled to get even for the loss of his hay on the teeth and head.

NEW CHANGE IN TIME CARD

Anaconda, Feb. 28.—It is announced that on March 1 there will be a change in the time card as follows:

Train No. 7 will leave Butte at 4 p. m. instead of 5:05 p. m., arriving in Anaconda at 5:15 p. m.

Train No. 10 will leave Anaconda at 6:35 p. m. instead of 7:05 p. m., arriving at Butte at 7:30 p. m., 1903.

The change will make no particular difference to the people of Anaconda generally.

The train service in and out of Anaconda is excellent, and as soon as the people who travel become familiar with the change there will be no complaint.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Helena, Mont., February 1, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before John R. Lardley, United States Commissioner, at Anaconda, Mont., on March 7, 1903, viz: Ernest J. Jost, for homestead entry No. 12,762, for the southeast quarter Section 14, Township 4 north, Range 11 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuing residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: John O. Allen, Frank Callan, William Callan, John Karlack, of Anaconda, Mont. FRANK D. MIRACLE, Register.

MINING APPLICATION NO. 4635

United States Land Office, Helena, Montana, December 21, 1902. Notice is hereby given that the Anaconda Copper Mining company, a corporation, created and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the state of Montana, by John Gilie, its attorney-in-fact, whose postoffice address is Butte, Montana, has this day filed its application for a patent for 76.69 acres of placer ground, bearing the following description:

Range 7 west, bears north 10 degrees 27 minutes east 87.5 feet, and running thence north 10 degrees 43 minutes west 1505.3 feet, thence south 7 degrees 05 minutes west 462 feet, thence south 82 degrees 28 minutes east 1500.1 feet, thence north 7 degrees 05 minutes east 600 feet to the place of beginning, containing an area of 18.29 acres claimed by the above named applicant.

The location of this claim is of record in the recorder's office of Jefferson county, Montana, in Book "21" of lodes, on page 138.

There are no known adjoining claims. FRANK D. MIRACLE, Register. SAMUEL BARKER, JR., Attorney for Applicant. (First publication, December 18, 1902.)

MINING APPLICATION NO. 4641

United States Land Office, Helena, Mont., Jan. 10, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that Andrew V. Corry, whose postoffice address is Butte, Silver Bow county, Montana, has this day filed an application for a patent for 750 linear feet, the 250 feet being for 250 feet in an easterly and 250 feet in a westerly direction from a point of discovery on the Albert Pike Lode Mining claim, situated in Township 4 north, Range 7 west, Jefferson county, Montana, the position, course and extent of the said position, designated by an official survey, as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner, a cross on granite stone in place, marked 1-6785 for Corner No. 1, from whence Initial Point No. 2, established for surveys in the unorganized portion of Fractional Township 3 north, Range 7 west, bears north 33 degrees 34 minutes and 32 seconds west 6.857 feet, and running thence south 32 degrees and 28 minutes east 600 feet to Corner No. 2; thence north 37 degrees and 2 minutes east 2,500 feet to Corner No. 3; thence north 17 degrees and 58 minutes west 600 feet to Corner No. 4; thence south 52 degrees and 2 minutes west 1,200 feet to Corner No. 1, the place of beginning, containing an area of 20.66 acres, claimed by the above-named applicant for patent.

The location of this mine is recorded in the office of the recorder of Jefferson county, on page 266, in Book 21 of Lodes. The only adjoining claim is the Montana View lode on the northwest, claimant unknown, while Survey No. 6804, the Contra Costa lode, Andrew V. Corry et al. applicants, lies adjacent on the northeast.

FRANK D. MIRACLE, Register. JOS. H. HARPER, United States Claim Agent. (First publication January 12, 1903.)

MINING APPLICATION NO. 4646

United States Land Office, Helena, Montana, January 12, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that Louis P. Largey, by M. S. Largey, her attorney in fact, and the Butte and Boston Consolidated Mining company, a corporation existing under the laws of the state of New York, whose postoffice address is Butte, Montana, have this day filed their application for a patent for 660 linear feet, all westerly from the point of discovery in drift of the Torrid Lode Mining Claim, upon which a notice of intention to apply for a patent was posted on the 24 day of January, 1903, situated in Summit Valley (unorganized), mining district, Silver Bow county, state of Montana, designated as Survey No. 6754, in Section 17, Township 3 north, Range 7 west, being more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner, a granite stone, set in the ground, with a mound of earth alongside, and marked 1-6754 for Corner No. 1, from which the northeast corner of Section 17, Township 3 north, Range 7 west, bears north 0 degrees 15 minutes west 37.2 feet, and running thence south 0 degrees 15 minutes east 600 feet; thence south 89 degrees 43 minutes west 660 feet; thence north 0 degrees 15 minutes east 600 feet; thence north 89 degrees 43 minutes east 660 feet to the place of beginning, containing an area of 9.09 acres claimed, all of which is in conflict with Survey No. 1516, and reports Nos. 152 and 174, inclusive of 9.06 acres in conflict with Survey No. 1972.

The location of this claim is of record in the Recorder's office of Silver Bow county, Montana, in Book "U" of lodes, on pages 27 and 284.

The adjoining claims to these premises are Survey No. 1972, Spread Light Lode, Lot 281, on the northeast, Survey No. 1516, placer, Lot 211, on the south and east, Report No. 152, Washington Placer, and Report No. 1488, McQueen Placer, Lot 205, on the west.

FRANK D. MIRACLE, Register. SAMUEL BARKER, JR., Attorney for Applicants. (First publication, January 13, 1903.)

MINING APPLICATION NO. 4645

United States Land Office, Helena, Montana, January 12, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that Lulu E. Largey, by M. S. Largey, her attorney in fact, and the Butte and Boston Consolidated Mining company, a corporation existing under the laws of the state of New York, whose postoffice address is Butte, Montana, have this day filed their application for a patent for 600 linear feet, all westerly from the point of discovery over discovery drift of the Tropic Lode Mining claim, upon which a notice of intention to apply for a patent was posted on the 21 day of January, 1903, situated in Summit Valley, unorganized, mining district, Silver Bow county, state of Montana, designated as Survey No. 6755, in Township 3 north, Range 7 west, Section 17, and being more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the northeast corner, a granite stone set in the ground, with a mound of earth alongside, and marked 1-6755 for Corner No. 1, from which the northeast corner of Section 17, Township 3 north, Range 7 west, bears north 0 degrees 15 minutes west 37.2 feet, and running thence south 0 degrees 15 minutes east 600 feet; thence north 0 degrees 15 minutes east 600 feet; thence north 89 degrees 43 minutes east 660 feet to the place of beginning, containing an area of 9.09 acres claimed by the above named applicants, all of which is in conflict with Survey No. 1516, and Reports No. 152 and 174.

The location of this mine is of record in the County Recorder's office of Silver Bow County, Montana, in Book "U" of lode locations, on page 29.

The adjoining claims to these premises are Survey No. 1516, Placer, Lot No. 211, on the east; Report No. 152, Washington Placer, and Report No. 1488, McQueen Placer, Lot 205, on the west.

FRANK D. MIRACLE, Register. SAMUEL BARKER, JR., Attorney for Applicants. (First publication January 13, 1903.)

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