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SPECIAL TO THE INTER MOUNTAIN. Anaconda, Aug. 8.—Expectations of the Elks and hopes of their friends were high

son to. Their parade was a hummer. It was just right in point of length and magnitude; its features were first-class and its purpose in creating amusement, and at the same time direct attention to not only the fact that the Elks' minstrel show was to be at the theater, but that the Elks' order in Anaconda is a strong and most successful one.

Last evening R. T. Williams occupied the seat of interlocutor usually arranged on the opening of a minstrel show. Seated about the well-known and popular antlered gentlemen were his soloists and chorus.

In his part Mr. Williams added new laurels to his already large stock. He handles himself in true minstrel fashion and was clear and distinct in his enunciation.

Notwithstanding his work was constant and consequently heavy, he stood the ordeal excellently and carried the show through with snap and ginger. A better selection for interlocutor could not be made from amongst the Elks.

Funny Men Appear. An introduction of "The Delegation From Deer Lodge" came with the start of the orchestra and in marched the funny end men dressed in costumes furnished by Messrs. Conley and McTague. These included Messrs. Jack Baglin, J. J. Duffy, L. L. LaRose and Tot Williams (bones), and Messrs. C. C. Hoff, H. F. Collins, Frank H. Clinton and Fred Jensen.

The jokes sprung by the end men were catchy and best of all in most instances new. They worked well, and in a minstrel show that's a good deal. C. C. Hoff, Frank Martz, Master Joe Hughes, the wonderful boy vocalist; Ed A. Davis, R. deB. Smith, Jack Baglin and the chorus, in their respective songs most certainly realized the appreciation of the audience, for they in turn received ovations following their efforts. The chorus work, under the leadership of Prof. Gustave Fischer and his augmented orchestra, furnished music catchy and as inspiring as could be desired.

Fine Bag Punching. "Science As We See It," in the shape of bag punching along fancy lines, by James Lyons, and "A Few Moments With the Cartoonist Callahan and His Baton," along with the club-swinging feature by Henry Showers, were all specialties that proved the truth of the assertion previously made that all would be right up to the top-notch in point of quality.

The monologue, "A Little Pol-e-boo," and a "Little Jaw Bone," by Messrs. Tolan

Charles Burdon, D. Oswald Cohen, Harry Bailey, Charles Falor, Ed A. Davis, Buck and Wing (Watch the Dust), Geo. Levy. Captain McGuinness and Company and Uncle Sam—Mr. Jack Hamill. Musical Director—Gustave Fischer, Manager—F. H. Clinton, Interlocutor—R. T. Williams. Stage Director—D. C. Scott.

TRIES TO "SQUARE" HIMSELF

Man Who Hit Another With a Rock Appears Before Police. SPECIAL TO THE INTER MOUNTAIN. Anaconda, Aug. 8.—Went "west" was all the name he had, but he had plenty of trouble. He came wandering into police headquarters and said he desired to "square" himself with Chief Powers since he had been in a fight with "Slim" Morrison and hit him with a rock.

West evidently expected a warrant for his arrest, but his visit was paid to the station yesterday afternoon and as yet no arrest has been made.

ANACONDA BRIEFS

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Excursion Rates to Gregson Springs. Every Saturday hereafter, until further notice, the B. & P. Railway will make the following round-trip rates to Gregson Springs: Anaconda to Gregson and return, 90c. Butte to Gregson and return, 80c. Tickets good on all trains from noon Saturdays until noon Mondays.

MOSQUITO AS A BENEFACTOR

Awakened Man Whose Store Was Being Robbed. Gallipolis, O., Aug. 8.—Mr. Gomer Jones, who owns a merchandise store in Cora, and whose home is about 50 feet distant, was awakened at 11 o'clock last night by a mosquito. Turning over in bed he noticed a light in the store. Jumping out he got a revolver. In his night clothes he reached the store just as Charles Cordell was leaving with a lot of tobacco, candy, bacon, etc.

Jones ordered "Hands up!" and the command was obeyed. He took the prisoner to the house for safekeeping. After an hour or so of questioning Cordell weakened and said that he and Robert Rippy had broken into the store about two weeks ago.

Leaving Cordell guarded by other Jones went to Rippy's home at 1 o'clock this morning and, at the point of his revolver, made him come along. At daylight Jones and two assistants brought the men to this city, where they were placed under heavy bonds to await court action. Jones is small in stature, but is brave and determined.

TRICKS OF TRADE BY TRAVELING MEN

RIVALRY AMONG THE KNIGHTS OF THE GRIP IN BUTTE IS INTENSE.

NO ILL-FEELING, HOWEVER

Hotel Clerks Have Hard Time in Always Giving Travelers Just What They Want.

Although this is the season of the year put down in the old almanac as the dog days, when everybody is supposed to take a lay-off and try to seek cool spots, especially the traveling men, at Butte daily does not appear to fall off materially.

The managers of the three leading local hotels report an average number of knights of the grip among their guests. Butte is naturally a sort of a Montana headquarters for traveling men, because it is the leading city in the state and is easy of railroad access.

Keep Men Here. Many large jobbing houses keep men here the year around who maintain permanent offices, where their goods and wares are displayed all of the time for the convenience of country customers.

A well-known representative of a machinery supply house turned a neat trick on his rivals the other day. Two men arrived from Gallatin county for the purpose of purchasing an engine and other machinery valued at about \$2,000 to be used in prospecting a coal lead. The representative of the house selling that class of supplies knew they were coming and was on the alert.

Pushes Them Back. He caught them just as they are about to leave the hack that had brought them from the depot. The lynx-eyed salesman met them at the door of the hack and with his expression, "I pushed them back, told them my goods were all displayed for them at the warehouse, and without giv-

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ing them a chance to take a drink, hurried them off to the warehouse. I sold them a fine bill of goods and then let them go. It is hardly necessary to say we had plenty of drinks afterwards. My rivals were mad, but we can't help that."

"The customer that gives me a pain is the fellow who wants you to buy him a gallon of booze and a box of cigars before he will talk business," said another of the salesmen who makes Butte his headquarters.

"I have a certain dealer in mind. He is all right. There is a saloon nearby. The first thing when you talk business with him is a dry cough and a look towards the saloon. Of course you ask him over."

Takes a Cigar. "If there are three of you and you happen to lay down a half it is a two to one bet he will say, 'that's all right for a cigar,' and takes a smoker. He is a good fellow, however, and generally buys before you get through with him."

The traveling men that are regular customers of a hotel generally get the same room every time. It is the aim of the up-to-date clerk to keep rooms for old customers regardless of demands by other people.

"If course, we cannot always accommodate them," said a well-known hotel clerk. "We generally try, however, for if we don't they will kick like the mischief and you know a healthy traveling man attending strictly to business can put a Missouri mule to blush in the kicking line."

STANDS FORTUNE'S REVERSE

Former Chicago Business Man Carries a Sign in New York. New York, Aug. 8.—An educated Englishman, once a prosperous New York importer, now "carries the banner." Every day for many weeks he has made the rounds in the vicinity of the Twenty-third street ferry, bearing one of the familiar "sandwich" signs swung on straps over his shoulders.

"I must eat," said he to a reporter, "and this is the only employment I could find. I cannot beg and I won't borrow. It was a chance between this and a jump into the river."

"My name is E. J. Bradbury," he said, "and my address is 227 Tenth avenue. When I was a young man I was associated with my grandfather in a wholesale drygoods house in London. I came to the United States. I have been in business for myself in New York and Chicago and prospered in my earlier days. Then came changes in styles and in various ways I lost what I had accumulated."

"No longer with a business of my own, I was employed by others, always at a fair salary, but not sufficient to permit me to save anything, although not a cent ever went for liquor or riotous living. I never worried over the future. I am just 50 years old, strong and active and feel as young as I did at 21. Yet here I am."

"My last employer took his son into partnership and the business would not support all of us, so I had to go."

MINING APPLICATION No. 463. United States Land Office, Helena, Montana, August 5, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that, Robert McBride, F. T. McBride, Wakeman Sutton, Carl J. Capell and Louis Kaufman, whose postoffice address is Butte, Montana, have this day filed their application for a patent for 1,500 linear feet, being 650 feet easterly and 850 feet westerly from discovery shaft of the McCloskey lode, and 1,500 linear feet, being 315 feet easterly and 1,185 feet westerly from discovery shaft of the Ontario Lode, Mining Claims, upon which claims a notice of intention to apply for a patent was posted on the 30th day of July, 1903, situated in (unorganized) mining district, Silver Bow and Jefferson counties, state of Montana, designated as Surveys Nos. 6926 and 6927, respectively, in the unsurveyed portion of Fractional Township 3 north, Range 7 west, being more particularly described as follows: Survey No. 6926, McCloskey Lode: Beginning at the northwest corner, a granite bowlder in place, witnessed by bearing tree and rock, and marked — 1626 for Corner No. 1, from which I. P. No. 2, Township 3 north, Range 7 west, bears south one degree west, 600 feet; thence north 83 degrees 50 minutes east, 1200 feet; thence north one degree east, 600 feet; thence south 83 degrees 50 minutes west, 1500 feet to the place of beginning, containing an area of 29.59 acres, of which 3.34 acres are not claimed by Surveys Nos. 5798, 6327 and 6927, not claimed, leaving an area of 12.65 acres claimed.

Survey No. 6927, Ontario Lode: Beginning at the northwest corner a granite bowlder in place, witnessed by bearing trees and marked — 1627 for Corner No. 1, from which I. P. No. 2, Township 3 north, Range 7 west, bears

north 12 degrees 21 minutes 30 seconds west, 495.1 feet, and running thence south 0 degrees 24 minutes west, 600 feet; thence north 84 degrees 08 minutes east, 1207.5 feet; thence north 0 degrees 28 minutes east, 500 feet; thence south 82 degrees 30 minutes west, 1200 feet to the place of beginning, containing an area of 18.02 acres, of which 3.19 acres are in conflict with Survey No. 6288, not claimed, leaving an area of 15.23 acres claimed, of which 2.2 acres are in conflict with Survey No. 6286, total area of these surveys claimed, 13.89 acres.

The location of these claims are of record in the County Recorder's office of Silver Bow county, Montana, the McCloskey Lode in Book "V," on Page 233, and in Book "W," on Page 225; the Ontario Lode, in Book "W," on Page 65, all books of lode locations.

The adjoining claims to these premises are: To Survey No. 6926, McCloskey Lode: on the north, Survey No. 5748, Fanny Scott Lode; on the east, Survey No. 6330, Davenport Lode; on the southeast, Survey No. 6332, May Belle Lode; on the west, the Chief Justice Lode, unsurveyed; and on the northwest, Survey No. 5797, Lillian Lode; Survey No. 1570, Summit Lode, Lot 224, is adjacent on the northeast; to Survey No. 6927, Ontario Lode, on the southeast, Survey No. 6385, Copper Mountain Lode, and on the northwest, the Chief Justice Lode, unsurveyed.

FRANK D. MIRACLE, Register. SAMUEL BARKER, JR., Attorney for Applicants. (First Publication, August 6, 1903).

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Helena, Mont., July 17, 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. Eardley, U. S. Commissioner at Anaconda, Montana, on August 27, 1903, viz.: Charles Herbert Foster, who made homestead entry No. 11,592 for the southwest quarter, Section 11 north, half northwest quarter and southeast quarter northwest quarter, Section 12, Township 2 north, Range 12 west, Montana meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz.: Barney McDonell, William Platt, William Barnowsky, Jacob Naef, all of Anaconda, Montana.

FRANK D. MIRACLE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Helena, Mont., July 15, 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. Eardley, U. S. Commissioner at Anaconda, Montana, on Aug. 22, 1903, viz.: Edward D. Wolfe, who made homestead entry No. 13,077, for the east one-half, northwest quarter and southeast one-half, northeast quarter section 14, township 4 north, range 11 west, Montana meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz.: John Egan, Horace Barker, Cyrus Barker, Pat Duane, of Anaconda, Montana.

FRANK D. MIRACLE, Register.

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Butte, Anaconda & Pacific Ry. Co. Passenger Time Table--July 24, 1903.

Table with columns: WESTBOUND, Local, Leave, Arrive, EASTBOUND, Local, Leave, Arrive. Includes times for Butte, Anaconda, and Helena.

MANY VALUABLE PRIZES OFFERED FOR HORSES

SPECIAL TO THE INTER MOUNTAIN. Anaconda, Aug. 8.—Dr. O. Y. Warren, state fair commissioner from Deer Lodge county, aided in the arrangement of the premiums to be offered during October when the fair will be on. These premiums will be for the horse exhibit and are as follows:

- Best stallion, 4 years and over; first prize, \$20; second prize, \$10. Best stallion, 3 years and under 4; \$20, \$10. Best stallion, 2 and under 3; \$10, \$5. Best stallion, 1 and under 2; \$10, \$5. Best colt, under 1 year, either sex; \$10, \$5. Best mare, 4 years and over; \$20, \$10. Best mare, 3 and under 4; \$10, \$5. Best mare, 2 and under 3; \$10, \$5. Best mare, 1 and under 2; \$10, \$5. Class Four: Grade Mares, Draft—Best mare, 4 years and over; \$15, \$5. Best mare, 3 and under 4; \$10, \$5. Best mare, 2 and under 3; \$10, \$5. Best mare, 1 and under 2; \$10, \$5. Class Five: Mules and Asses—Best jack, 3 years old and over; \$15, \$5. Best jenny, 3 and over; \$15, \$5. Best mule, 4 years and over; \$15, \$5. Best mule, 3 years and under 4; \$15, \$5. Best mule, 2 and under 3; \$15, \$5. Best mule, 1 and under 2; \$15, \$5. Team of grade draft horses in harness and to wagon, actual draft test to be provided by the superintendent; \$20, \$10. Four colts of either sex and age, the get of one registered stallion, the sire not required to be shown, the colts not necessarily to be owned by the exhibitor; diploma. Class Five: Mules and Asses—Best jack, 3 years old and over; \$15, \$5. Best jenny, 3 and over; \$15, \$5. Best mule, 4 years and over; \$15, \$5. Best mule, 3 years and under 4; \$15, \$5. Best mule, 2 and under 3; \$15, \$5. Best mule, 1 and under 2; \$15, \$5.

MINISTER IS LODGED IN JAIL

Baptist Divine Refuses to Pay a Tax on His Dog. Vincennes, Ind., Aug. 8.—Rev. Levi Murphy, a Baptist minister, was arrested for refusing to pay dog tax. He went to jail rather than pay the fine, and he lectured the court for enforcing an unjust law.

MAKES A GLOWING OFFER

Texas Man to Bring a Billion to Stevens Point If Name is Changed. Stevens Point, Wis., Aug. 8.—A. G.

Lee, a citizen of Denton, Texas, writes that if the city of Stevens Point will change its name to "Philanthropy" he will secure a location here for two philanthropic institutions of world-wide interest, backed by unlimited capital and which will mean the expenditure of "1,000,000,000 first and last."

He calls the institutions the International Political Specialists' school and the World's Dietetic institute.

A letter of inquiry addressed to the editor of a leading paper at Denton, brings the reassuring answer that "Mr. Lee is perfectly reliable" and "responsible."



"FIRECRACKER BILL" WEBB, JUST BEFORE HE GAVE THE WORD FOR STARTING OF THE ELKS' GRAND PAGEANT.

Last night when the curtain raised on the opening scene of the local minstrel show at the Margaret theater last night.

When the curtain went down amid the singing of "My Own United States," with Uncle Sam in the person of Jack Hamill and the waving of the glorious Stars and Stripes, the expectations of the Elks and the hopes of their friends were realized, surpassed, yes, discounted 100 per cent.

In most instances local entertainments such as this receives praise because local people do the best they can—sometimes none too good.

Showered With Puffs. Often amateur shows are showered with "puffs" in the papers and "hot air" from their friends so that a good feeling will prevail.

That's what many supposed would be the case with this, the second minstrel show of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, No. 23.

Ordinarily the "puffs" and "hot air" would go and doubtless it would be plentiful. It's not needed this time, however. The Elks not only did their work up handsomely, but they covered their lodge and their members with glory throughout the day.

It was not only the townspeople who praised the performance, but the visiting members from Butte, and two from Chicago acknowledged the minstrel show to be the best in the line of amateur that they have ever seen, regardless of geographical location.

The Elks feel proud, and they have rea-

and Lemire, proved to be a few minutes in the program that turned the audience into the greatest laughter.

The work was decidedly effective and demonstrated beyond a doubt the ability of the two artists.

Capt. J. J. McGuinness by incessant work for weeks previous to the performance last night drilled a squad of recruits into a well trained body of soldiers.

The drill caught the eye of everyone and won plaudits for the captain and his men. The buck and wing dancing by George Levy added merit to the program from the gallery's point of view and brought honor to that participant, while the finale by Captain McGuinness and his company, including Jack Hamill, as Uncle Sam, were features of the evening which stood out prominently.

Program in Full. Following is the program that was presented:

- PART I. Opening Chorus. Program of the Doin's. Arrival of Delegation from Deer Lodge. Finale of Opening Chorus. N. B.—The suits used by the end men are not the ones taken from Folsom prison by the escaping convicts. Song, comic—"Dem Scandalous Eyes".....C. Hoff Tenor solo, "Heidelberg".....Frank Martz "Footsteps in the Sands".....J. J. Duffy Ballad, "Darling".....E. E. Pickell Song, "Soldier Boy".....Master Joe Hughes Bass solo, "One Thousand Leagues Under the Sea".....Ed A. Davis Ballad, "Only a Dream of the Golden Past".....R. dell. Smith End song, "Mona".....Jack Baglin Finale.

End men (bones)—Baglin, Duffy, La Rose, Williams (Tot). Tambos—Hoff, Collins, Clinton, Jensen.

- CIRCLE: First tenor—F. M. Martz and E. L. Crewson. Second tenor—R. deB. Smith, John Thomas. First bass—J. J. McGuinness and E. E. Pickell. Second bass—C. C. Little and E. A. Davis. Customers to the end men—Conley & McTague of Deer Lodge. Special Overture—B. P. O. E. Orchestra. "Science As We See It".....Bag Punching James Lyons. Monologue, etc.....A Little "Pol-e-boo" Tolan and Lemire. A Little Jawbone.....(Duffy) "A Few Moments With the Cartoonist, Callahan" and His Baton. "Mid a Blaze of Light".....Club Swinging Henry Showers. B. P. O. E. drill, under the special direction of Capt. John J. McGuinness. "Mark Time." Drill Company—O. C. Voss, F. H. Clinton, John Golden, Charles E. York, W. B. Webb, Joe Lemier, T. E. Jensen, H. T. Williams, John Tolan, E. C. Little, W. L. Brandon.

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