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St. Petersburg, Oct. 25.—A bulletin issued from Livadia at eight o'clock this evening says: "Neither somnolence nor spasmodic symptoms were observed to-day. His majesty's appetite is satisfactory. The oedema did not increase as usual." Rooms are being hastily prepared at the winter palace for the reception of the czarowitz. A manifesto has already been printed at the office of the Official Gazette for issue on the occasion of the czarowitz's marriage to the Princess Alix, and 200,000 copies of this manifesto will be distributed on the wedding day.

The Official Messenger, commenting on the profound sympathy expressed by the foreign press, observes that France, more deeply than any other state, feels how differently would have been the relations of the European powers but for the czar's pacific influence. The police have seized a number of nihilist proclamations which have been secretly circulated and have arrested a number of young men on the charge of distributing them in various quarters of the city.

Berlin, Oct. 25.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Cologne Gazette telegraphs that the czar received with courage the intimation of his physicians that there was no hope of saving his life. The same correspondent adds that a few days later, when he was feeling better, his majesty remarked: "It is said that a man of my years should hate to die. Though personally I do not cling overmuch to life, if God still deems my life of use to my country he will make me well."

A Losing Play for Anaconda.

Great Falls Leader. The Anaconda Standard will not make any votes in Great Falls by lying reports against the B. & M. Smelting company. The people of Great Falls know the Boston & Montana Smelting company. They know that it came here a few years ago and built a mammoth smelting plant. They know that its action trebled the value of property in this town and put thousands of dollars into the pockets of the residents of Great Falls. They know that it built miles of electric railroads in this city and ran them at an expense for years. They know that this company has done more for Great Falls than the Townsite company, the promise of Marcus Daly and everything else combined. During the hard times this company has been paying out \$75,000 a month to Great Falls and has kept the town up and made it prosper even in these times. The Boston & Montana company has not interfered with political elections or controlled a legislature or a governor or dictated the appointment of a United States senator. It has erected no great company store and commanded that its employees trade there or be discharged. It has not controlled every foot of land up and down the river for fifteen miles. It does not run hardware stores and grocery stores and dry goods stores and water companies and everything else combined. It has no other establishments. The people of Great Falls and the merchants of Great Falls are indebted to the Boston & Montana company. They want no Daly method in theirs. The Anaconda Standard can make no votes here by fighting the B. & M. company. They have been a friend to every man, woman and child in Great Falls, and have asked nothing in return. You cannot lie about the Boston & Montana company without hitting every man, woman and child in Great Falls.

Reformers Speak. New York, Oct. 25.—Seth Lowe, president of Columbia college, Rev. Dr. Parkhurst, Henry George and Ex-Secretary Fairchild spoke this afternoon in Cooper Union to a crowded meeting of the Women's Municipal league. Tammany Hall was vigorously denounced.

SUNK IN THE SEA.

Unknown Ship Run Down by the Liner Paris.

Southampton, Oct. 25.—The collision between the steamship Paris, Capt. Watkins, which arrived here last night from New York, and an unknown ship which sunk soon afterwards, as cabled, is the subject of investigation by agents of the line. The collision took place between 1.30 and two a. m. Wednesday, during thick weather, accompanied by heavy rain. As soon after the collision as possible the Paris was put about and search made for the ship, which, although sighted for a moment, disappeared before a lifeboat could be lowered, and nothing more was seen of it, although the Paris searched for the ship until daylight. The liner was eventually compelled to proceed for this port without having sighted the wrecked vessel again or having saved any of the crew.

FIGHTING IN PROSPECT.

Japanese Said to Have Advanced Beyond the Yalu River.

London, Oct. 25.—A dispatch from Tokio, dated to-day, states that Field Marshal Count Yamagata had telegraphed to the war office that a detachment of 1,600 Japanese infantry crossed the Yalu river on Wednesday morning and attacked the enemy. The Chinese force consisted of 600 cavalry and 100 infantry, with two guns. The enemy fled. The Japanese captured the Chinese fort, and were heard many rifles. The Chinese loss of twenty killed and wounded. The Japanese sustained no loss. The Japanese advance columns are marching on to Lishiyen.

Arrivals at the Grand Centre.

T. C. Sharp, Tacoma; P. W. Doole, Vancouver; Geo. M. Willard, Seattle; D. S. Tappert, Salt Lake; Henry Herbers, Townsend; O. J. Holmes, City; J. E. Hill, St. Louis; Paul Ross, City; E. Strend, City; L. Davis, Avon; W. McKeene, Missoula; Theo. Fuhrken, City; S. Minwood and wife, St. Louis; J. N. Jameson, Missoula; Dan McLaughlin, Boulder; Ch. McKelvey, City; J. H. Bousder, Spokane; P. J. Hamlin, City; M. A. Bran, City; John Bayless, Grey Cliff; C. S. Sidel, Boulder; H. G. Ricketts, Boulder; John Bergman, Boulder; J. E. Wilson, City; Miss Agnes Maynard, St. Louis, Mont.; E. W. Toole, City; A. D. Julius, Hope; E. Winston, Billings; F. B. Fowler, Bismarck; C. J. Koll and wife, St. Paul; J. G. Chroman, Bismarck; J. W. Doole, Marysville; M. O'Donnell, Basin.

Arrivals at the Helena.

D. M. Vean, San Francisco; W. S. Stitt, Chicago; A. J. Lachman, San Francisco; S. J. Harding, Newark, N. J.; E. C. Harding, Baltimore; J. A. Watson, St. Paul; W. J. Miller, Denver; J. H. Raney, New York; W. S. Wright, S. N. Ky.; B. Libbey, Butte; J. McJannet, Butte; J. R. Boyce, Butte; C. B. Markham, Cleveland; Guy Seaton, Great Falls; E. F. Forbis, St. Paul; A. G. R. Kelley, San Francisco.

PERSONAL.

Judge W. H. Hunt left for Deer Lodge yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Heath have taken up their residence at 520 Madison avenue. T. J. Davidson, deputy United States marshal, left yesterday for Missoula on business. D. B. Carpenter left yesterday to join A. I. Loeb at Townsend to speak in the capital meetings. Miss Ella L. Knowles, who went to St. Louis for medical treatment, arrived in Butte yesterday on her way home. Fred Gerner left yesterday morning for Philadelphia to represent the Montana conference at the meeting of the general committee of the Methodist church extension society. Will Schreiner, who has been ill for some time, is so far improved as to go to his father's Townsend ranch. He left yesterday and will remain away until wholly recovered. E. C. Harding, of Baltimore, stopped in Helena yesterday on his way back east. Mr. Harding is connected with the Baltimore American, the oldest paper in the United States. He has been taking a trip through the west and northwest on his vacation. He leaves for home this morning. J. C. Herrmann, representing the Standard Oatmeal company, of Missoula, yesterday made his first call upon Helena dealers in the interest of that new Montana enterprise. The company began operations some ten days ago, and the prospects of success are flattering, as the product is considered equal to the best.

COUNTRY OF THE ENEMY

Helena's Campaign Carried Into the Bitter Root, Alleged Anaconda Stronghold.

Our Victorious Standards Planted in Every Town in the Whole Section.

Hon. T. H. Carter Makes an Effective Speech at Every Railway Station.

Ranchers Come for Miles to Hear the Arguments for the Winning City.

The Last Meeting of the Day Was Held at the Town of Hamilton—Given Respectful Attention at All Points—Many Adherents to the Helena Standard Gained.

Missoula, Oct. 25.—This day witnessed the most remarkable capital campaign expedition on record. At an early hour in the morning the special train pulled out of the depot in Missoula in charge of Conductor Houston and Jas. Hodge, and a fair representation of leading citizens of Missoula on board, accompanied by the Missoula band. The first stop was made at Carleton, at McKeever's sawmill, where, upon the arrival of the train, the steam was shut off and the men joined the farmers of the neighboring country to form an audience on the open prairie to hear what might be said in behalf of Helena for the capital. Hon. W. M. Hickford, of Missoula, introduced Hon. T. H. Carter, of Helena, who addressed the people for about thirty minutes. At the close of his address every man present applauded what had been said.

The train next came to a stop at Florence, where Mr. Carter addressed about 100 assembled citizens for forty-five minutes. The result of this meeting was that a considerable delegation joined the party on the Helena campaign up the Bitter Root. The next stop was made at Stevensville, where the people turned out en masse. The streets were lined with wagons and carriages which had conveyed the ranchmen from remote parts of the town to hear the speakers. Here Mr. Carter spoke for one hour and a quarter. The frequent outbursts of applause and the vociferous cheers for Helena indicated the appreciation of what had been said and the strong Helena sentiment prevailing.

The next stop of the day was made at Victor, where the people from the country round about had assembled in a large hall and enjoyed the music of the band and listened with attention and interest to the address made by Mr. Carter for fully an hour. The next stop was made at Corvallis. Here noteworthy attention was given to the reasons why Helena should and Anaconda should not be the permanent capital of the state.

The next stop was made at Hamilton. The hall at this place was found inadequate to accommodate the crowd and Mr. Carter ascended an impromptu stage in the open street and addressed the citizens assembled to the number of 500 for nearly two hours. With the exception of good natured interruptions here and there, which were accepted by the speaker in good part and answered with telling effect, the meeting in the street was good natured, orderly and attentive. Wm. Toole, connected with the sawmill at this place, is understood to have made a special request that the speaker and visitors be accorded courteous and respectful attention. That this request was complied with the meeting furnishes ample proof.

During the day at the various meetings 75 per cent of the voters of Ravalli county were addressed, and it is but fair to say that more respectful attention was never paid to any speaker in the Bitter Root valley than was accorded Mr. Carter during his tour on this occasion. It is equally plain that this evening's meetings has had a profound effect on Bitter Root. Men who have heretofore been passive have come out openly for Helena, and Anaconda men are everywhere driven to the defensive. They are called upon to explain the actions of the owners of the Anaconda properties elsewhere and challenge them to show why it would be wise or prudent to surrender this whole government to one corporation. It is believed to-night that the Bitter Root valley will give a small majority for Helena, whereas before to-day it has been considered an Anaconda stronghold.

Gallatin Republicans Active.

Special to the Independent. Bozeman, Oct. 25.—The republicans are booming things in this county. Almost every evening they have a meeting of some description. To-night the whole of Main street was ablaze with bonfires and fireworks. The band leading the Young Men's Republican club paraded the street. At the opera house speeches were made by Hon. E. D. Wood, of Helena, and A. J. Walrath, republican candidate for superintendent of schools for Gallatin county. The audience was a large and enthusiastic one.

Eleven Miners Entombed.

Ironwood, Mich., Oct. 25.—What may prove to be the worst accident in the history of the Menominee range occurred on the fourth level of the shaft No. 1 at the Pe Wabac mine this afternoon. One man is known to have been killed and eleven others are entombed, and their fate it will take that length of time to clear away the rubbish. The accident was caused by a sandstone capping coming away with sufficient force to crush the timbers, without any warning.

Helena Gaining Every Minute.

Butte Miner. Reports from all over the state continue to show decided gains in favor of Helena and irretrievable losses to Anaconda. Every minute of time is adding to Helena's majority.

AN APPEAL TO YOUNG MEN.

Helena, Mont., Oct. 24, 1894.—To the Young Men of Montana: We address you in the belief that the young men of this state may wisely and properly make themselves an efficient force in the determination of matters of public importance and that to this end there should be an exchange of views among them and a co-ordination of efforts.

As to those subjects that come within the domain of party politics, the natural and wholesome diversity of opinion, forbids unity of action; but there are questions arising from time to time in this formative period of the history of our state that have no partisan complexion.

Such a one is that which concerns the permanent location of the seat of government. We appeal to you in the firm confidence that you desire the decision of this question to be made with due regard to the greatest good to the greatest number; that you realize the danger that would be incurred if the state should be surrendered to the domination of a mighty corporate despotism, and that you view with just alarm and indignation the attempt to control the decision of a matter of so grave moment by the corrupt expenditure of money and the debauchery of the elective franchise. The evidence that the representatives of Anaconda are resorting to bribery in its most flagrant and scandalous forms is only too abundant. We cannot conceive that there is any difference among the young men of Montana in their opposition to the success of such methods.

They should be grateful that the opportunity is afforded them to strike a blow for the purity of the ballot box, and to make public expression of their high resolve that in the discharge of those duties and responsibilities of citizenship to which they are succeeding, they will resist manfully and steadfastly the pollution of the fountain of governmental action.

In this behalf we call upon those whom this address shall reach to proceed promptly and enlist the co-operation of the young men in their vicinity. To make your influence felt, concerted action is of first importance. While we do not assume to instruct you as to the proper direction of your efforts, we would call your attention to the urgency of speedy action to secure the full registration of lawful voters in your respective precincts and the careful scrutiny of the lists for the prevention of fraudulent enrollments.

In the prosecution of this work, for the promotion of a common cause, we invite you to correspond with this club, with the assurance that your communications shall receive prompt attention and that we will esteem it a privilege to lend you any assistance in our power. Sincerely yours, The Young Men's Helena-for-the-Capital Club.

Anaconda Methods in Butte.

The patent medicine man is the latest innovation of the Anaconda campaigners in Butte. Under the pretence of peddling some concoction, a man visits the houses of all the miners in South Butte and Meadville. He takes care to get around at the time the miner is at his work, and, while ostensibly trying to make a sale, he broaches the capital question and endeavors to find out from the good housewife how her husband stands as between Helena and Anaconda. With this information in the possession of the Anaconda people, it is understood that all the known methods used in such campaigns as that of the Haggin people are to be used in trying to change that vote.

Bridge Blows Down.

Livingston, Oct. 25.—During a severe wind storm last night, the Carter bridge, which crosses the Yellowstone five miles above this city, was blown into the river. The bridge was recently constructed by the Gillette-Herzog company, of Minneapolis, and cost the county of Park \$9,000.

A New Line.

Of white china, for decorating, just received. New goods and new prices. F. J. Edwards, 8 and 10 Park avenue.

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Register to-day. The man who is not yet registered should attend to it at once. The total registration at Marysville up to Tuesday noon was 431. The Governor's Guards will have a skirmish drill at Kessler's on Sunday. Thirty-three naturalizations was the record of the district court yesterday. H. A. Millat has sold to Elizabeth Winn, for \$1,200, 160 acres in section 18, township 16 north, range 4 west. Jas. Lyon was sentenced to fifteen days in jail by Police Magistrate Gage yesterday, for the larceny of Mike M. Elliott's hat. But four more days remain for registration, and the future of Montana may depend on the one voter who didn't get his name on the books. There will be a special meeting this evening of Ivy Lodge, No. 24, K. of P., for work in the second rank. Members are requested to meet promptly at 8 o'clock. Odell McConnell and M. S. Gunn go to Elliston on Saturday night to speak for Helena. They will be accompanied by a band of music and a large party of citizens. One hundred new volumes upon miscellaneous subjects have been received by Frank C. Patten for the public library. Librarian Patten hopes to issue a bulletin early next month. Quite a large audience enjoyed the stereopticon exhibit of Yellowstone National Park views that took place last night at the Central Presbyterian church, on Helena avenue. Rev. Francis W. Pool took the part of lecturer. The exhibit is to be continued to-night, when the most interesting views are to be thrown on the canvas.

The registration at the offices of the Helena registers up to last night amounted to 3,481. Agent Gilpatrick had registered 1,454; Agent Weston, 1,481; and Agent Cameron, 546. The only change in the places of the sittings to-day will be that Agent Gilpatrick will be at his home office, in Payne's hotel, where he will remain for the remainder of the registration.

Sometime yesterday three bottles of wine were stolen from a case sent out by Milch Brothers. A few hours later Chas. Wilson and Jas. Doyle, who work at the Coliseum, tried to sell the wine to Milch Brothers, from whom it had been stolen. They were arrested on a charge of petty larceny. The men claimed that they had found the wine in the street. It is said that they tried to dispose of it at the Coliseum.

AFRAID OF JOINT DEBATE

Not One Man Wearing a Copper Collar Can Be Led Into the Ring.

Experience of Those Who Tried It in Other Towns Not Overlooked.

Great Falls Friends of Helena Drive Their Friends the Enemy Into Ironworks || of Boodie.

Special to the Independent.

Great Falls, Oct. 25.—Repeated challenges for a joint debate published in the Leader having been ignored by the Anaconda committee, P. B. Gallagher, chairman of the Helena committee, concluded to write to Matt Dunn, chairman of the Anaconda committee, and demand a definite answer. This was done Oct. 20. To-day he got a reply dated Oct. 24. It demonstrates how weak must be Anaconda's arguments, as debate is denied, as follows:

Great Falls, Oct. 24.—P. B. Gallagher, Chairman Helena Capital Committee; Dear Sir—Your letter of the 20th did not reach me until this morning. It does not make any difference, however, as we would not have accepted your proposition. We think that it is best for each committee to run its own campaign. So far we have no difficulty in securing large audiences at our meetings. Up to date Helena orators have not confined themselves to facts in their speeches here. We, therefore, have no desire to meet them on any grounds during this campaign. (Signed) MATT DUNN, Chairman Anaconda Capital Committee.

There is a well defined rumor that a few days before election the townsite company will record a deed transferring a big piece of property near Rainbow falls to the Anaconda company as a bribe to convey the impression that the long looked for refinery is about to be built. To further fool the people it is understood a gang of men will be put to work tomorrow.

Livingston Ladies Organize.

Special to the Independent. Livingston, Oct. 25.—As the capital contest progresses the sentiment in Livingston is growing stronger in favor of Helena. In response to an invitation extended by a delegation of Helena ladies, the ladies of Livingston met at the Mills block this afternoon and organized a Helena-for-the-capital club. Mrs. Howey, of Helena, presided, and made a strong and enthusiastic address. Mrs. L. A. Hefferlin was elected president and Mrs. Chas. E. Collins secretary. Committees were appointed and arrangements made to actively engage in the capital campaign. The club starts out with a large membership, which will be greatly increased before the week closes. The ladies are deeply interested in the work and will, without doubt, have considerable influence in this vicinity.

Bozeman Turned Tail.

Special to the Independent. Bozeman, Oct. 25.—The old court house was crowded to-night with an audience of 400 people. G. E. Peole presided, and the principal speech of the evening was made by Albert J. Loeb. D. D. Carpenter also made a short address. Excellent music was furnished by a local orchestra. Capt. John Brannigan, a prominent Anaconda supporter, was in town and was challenged to a joint debate with Mr. Loeb, but he pleaded urgent business engagements elsewhere and incidentally deserted the field. Hugh Galen and John Keating were in town, and offered to insure Mr. Brannigan's expenses and to get him to his next place, but he could not be brought to the scratch.

Bozeman Ladies Will Organize.

Special to the Independent. Bozeman, Oct. 25.—Friday afternoon a ladies' meeting will be held in the opera house, for the purpose of organizing a Bozeman ladies' club in the interest of Helena-for-the-capital. Considerable interest is being taken in this important matter by the ladies of the state, and no doubt Bozeman will not be found wanting in this respect. A number of ladies from Helena are expected and will, with the ladies of this town, talk on the subject: "Helena vs. Anaconda for the Capital."

Roaming Meeting at Horse Plains.

Special to the Independent. Horse Plains, Oct. 25.—A rousing Helena for the capital meeting was held here to-night. It was addressed for one hour and a half by Judge McConnell. His argument against giving the capital of the state to the Anaconda Mining company was unanswerable and convinced every one who heard except those who had Anaconda money in their pockets.

THE GUN WENT OFF.

Whether Intentionally or Accidental Seems a Question. The report of a pistol in the saloon of the Foy Sisters last night caused some excitement in the neighborhood of State street and Park avenue. According to the story told the police by the barkeeper who works there, Ada Foy placed a revolver to her breast and said: "Well, here goes." The bar tender knocked the weapon from her hands and, on striking the floor, it exploded. The police were called to the saloon, and took the Foy woman to the station. They afterwards secured the gun, which is a thirty-eight caliber self-cocking weapon. The bar keeper later said that the woman did not attempt to shoot herself; that she was playing with the gun behind the bar, when it dropped to the floor and exploded, and that he did not knock the pistol from her hands. At any rate, business was kept up as usual last night. The fiddle played and beer flowed just the same as before the excitement.

Clenfuegos May Get Away.

Washington, Oct. 25.—It can be set down as a fact that Col. Clenfuegos, a member of Gen. Egan's staff, held for extradition by Judge Morrow, of San Francisco, will not be returned to San Salvador by the United States. It appears that Judge Morrow held Clenfuegos for attempted murder, while the charge on which San Salvador sought extradition was actual murder. This is a discrepancy fatal to the applica-