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Where quality reigns supreme—where rapid selling makes stale goods out of the question—where prices are always most reasonable and where clerks take real delight in pleasing you.

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Pound .....40¢

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Solace Hair Insoles

Will keep your feet warm, will keep your feet dry, will keep your feet from getting sore—in fact, they are a necessity to any one who has ever used them.

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PRESCRIPTION DRUGGISTS
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To Get Pure Drugs

You would go to a drug store. To get the

Best Paint

go to a paint store. We do not keep drugs, but we do keep

Paint

Try our free prescription for your paint trouble.

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Paint and Paper House
312 Higgins Ave.

Rugs

Never before have we had such a remarkably fine line of rugs to show to our friends as is the new lot which we have just unpacked as the first installment of our spring stock. It includes Royal Wiltons, Arlingtons, Body Brussels, Axminsters and some novelties, all of which are durable and singularly beautiful. We would like to show them to you.

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CEDAR AND STEVENS
Complete House and Office Furnishings.

400 Pieces China
ODDS AND ENDS
Choice While They Last
25c Each
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FOR FEBRUARY
Two Minutes and Four Minutes
Tuesday Evening, Jan. 26
ORVIS' MUSIC HOUSE

Henley & Eigeman
Grocers
Successors to Price & Henley

White Spray Flour

Is made from North Dakota hard wheat in the most perfect mills that money and experience can build—the result is a perfect flour. Price per sack $2

CAUGHT ON THE RUN ABOUT TOWN

PEOPLE YOU KNOW AND SOME OF THE THINGS THEY SAY AND DO.

TO BUILD AT ONCE.

A busy visitor in town yesterday was C. B. Witter, representing the Helena interests that are concerned with the new Bitter Root Building company, the organization of which was noted in The Missoulian a few days ago. This company is officered by Lewis Penwell, president; T. J. Walsh, vice president; R. M. Cobban secretary. The concern has purchased a lot on Higgins avenue and South Third street, just at the south end of the new bridge, and J. H. Kennedy is preparing plans for a three-story brick and stone building, which will be erected as soon as it is possible to get it under way. The site is commanding and the building will be a model. It will have a frontage of 140 feet on Third street and a depth of 56 feet; there will be seven stores on the first floor and the second and third stories will be arranged for a modern apartment house; Miss Mary Huffman of Butte has contracted for a five-year lease on the two upper floors and will conduct a high-class establishment; she has been for 10 years the proprietor of the Lenox in Butte and is experienced in the business. "The building will be handsome," said Mr. Witter last night, "and will have an admirable site, I think. Mr. Penwell's attention was attracted to this city and to this particular location by Mr. Berry and we regard the prospect as particularly inviting. As soon as Mr. Kennedy has the plans finished, we will go ahead with the building."

A BIASED OPINION.

Cliff Rittenour was in town yesterday on business. Mr. Rittenour had the enthusiastic description of Plains to give to his inquiring friends and he had a lot of them almost ready to pack up and go down the valley where everything is altogether lovely all the time. Plains is a nice place and has many advantages; great crops are raised there but there is nothing about Plains that is higher class than her boosters; they are the real things. But there is no place on earth that is perfect, not even Plains, and that it has its little weaknesses is evidenced by the contents of a slip of paper that Mr. Rittenour folded up and put in his pocket to take home with him. In the course of his tour of the city, he dropped in at the grocery store where he used to work when he lived in Missoula. He was cordially greeted, of course, and he proceeded to look around the establishment. On the wall he spied a placard that caught his eye and further captivated his fancy. He copied its legend upon the piece of paper that he carried home with him; he said he wanted to show it to a man he knew in Plains. This is what he wrote on the paper:

And now the honest farmer packs
His apples for the town.
This is the top row of his sacks:
O O O O O O O O O O O
And this is farther down:
O O O O O O O O O O O

DAVE IS AT HOME.

It seemed natural yesterday to see Dave Bogart about town. He came over from Helena for the Sunday recess of the legislature and spent the time pleasantly amongst his old friends. "We are having rather a quiet time of it at Helena this season," said he in reply to an inquiry last night. "The routine business is proceeding without much hitch yet and there is a considerable amount of work being done. But the third house is having all of the excitement and all the fun; the sessions of these delegates are entertaining and they do not adjourn as often as the other branches of the state government. But theirs is about all the stir there is at the capitol."

DERRY IS HUSKY.

Charlie Derry also returned for the legislative recess and was busy at home during yesterday. He has a hoarseness that is severe but he asserts that it does not come from the too strenuous use of his voice in debate. It is just a Helena cold. As to the legislative work, Mr. Derry says there is a good deal of it being done, though there is not much fuss about it yet. "In a few days the results of the routine work will begin to show in the final passage of bills," said Mr. Derry last night.

SENATOR DONLAN.

Senator Donlan put in a busy Saturday, he, too, having come over from the capital for a little visit at home. Asked as to the result of Senator Dixon's declaration that he will not be in the cabinet, Senator Donlan said: "It will not make any difference with the gossips; they will talk just the same as they have been, but I am sure that Mr. Dixon's declination is final and that he has no thought of resigning. I stated this positively in an interview at Helena when the talk first started, and I have not had any other view at any time."

WOODFORD RETURNS.

Joe Woodford, after years of wandering in Alaska, Idaho and other foreign parts, has returned to Missoula and it is said that he is here to stay. He was busy yesterday renewing acquaintances, and he made a start on the routine of calls upon his old friends; but there are so many of these friends here that it was not possible for him to get around to all of them in one day, and those who were missed yesterday are expecting a visit today or tomorrow. It was like a bit of old times to see Mr. Woodford around, and he got a warm welcome.

HIS HONOR EN ROUTE.

An appointment at Thompson Falls and a delayed overland train gave Missoula the pleasure of the company of Judge Myers all day yesterday and last night, as well. Missoula was pleased and the judge said he had no complaint to make. As to the Bitter Root the judge was positive in his affirmation that it is all right, which is its normal condition. "I have known the valley for a long time," said the judge, "and I have never known it when it was not all right. Our weather is fine, our conditions are perfect and our people are as good as they make them. I like Missoula, too, but the Bitter Root is home and I am not to be blamed if I regard the sunshine in the valley as a little bit brighter than it is anywhere else. But any circumstance that gives me the opportunity to spend the day in Missoula is always welcomed by me."

8%

Money to loan on improved city and farm property; 5 years, with privilege of repayment in two and one-half years.

E. A. Winstanley
REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE
134 Higgins Ave.

COMPANY INCORPORATES

Special to The Daily Missoulian.

Wallace, Jan. 30.—The incorporation of the North Fork Gold & Copper Mining company has been effected and the papers have been sent to Butte for record. The company has been capitalized for $1,000,000, divided into $1 shares, 500,000 of which were placed in the treasury to be sold under the direction of the board of directors for development purposes. The officers and board of directors will be elected upon the return of the incorporation certificates, probably Monday.

OPPOSE A REHEARING.

Washington, Jan. 30.—On behalf of the city of New York and the public service commission, etc., a reply to the petition of the Consolidated Gas company of New York for a rehearing was today filed in the supreme court of the United States. The reply attempts to controvert most of the points made by the company and concludes as follows:

"This court requires that the gas company shall give the law a fair bona fide trial under normal conditions without fear or restraint on the part of its customers in the use of its gas.

WILL REPORT THE BILL.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 30.—The assembly judiciary committee, to which was referred A. M. Drew's new anti-alien land bill, prohibiting all aliens from holding land, but eliminating the clause objected to by President Roosevelt as discriminating against the Japanese, decided late today to report the measure favorbaly on Tuesday There was no material change in the draft submitted to the governor.

LAW WORKS RAPIDLY.

Thursday night Joseph Pritcher sold a horse that didn't belong to him. Friday he was captured. Yesterday he pleaded guilty before Judge H. L. Myers in the district court and was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary Today he will be taken to Deer Lodge Three days ago Joseph, who is a half-breed Cree, was a free man and today he will become a convict.

AIKEN-BATES.

William M. Aiken, district law officer for division No. 1 of the forestry service, and Miss V. Estes were married last evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs. J. N. Estes of South Fifth street east. Rev. Dwight S. Bayley of the Congregational church performed the ceremony. The couple will reside in Missoula.

PASTOR COMING SOON.

Officials of the Presbyterian church of Missoula announce that Rev. J. A. Maclean, who recently accepted a call from this city, will arrive here within two weeks. He is expected to preach his first sermon two weeks from today.

Card Party.

The Modern Brotherhood of America will give a card party in Odd Fellows' hall Monday evening, February 8. Admission 25 cents. Refreshments served. Don't miss it.

Horses Found Soon By the Class Ad's Work

LOST

LOST — WEDNESDAY NIGHT, two brown horses, about 900 pounds each. Finder return to 341 West Railroad avenue and receive reward.

This little ad appeared but once in The Missoulian. The horses were found that day. Why don't you try it?

A Neat 3-Room
BUNGALOW
New and complete; in Low's addition and on car line—
A cosy home—
Price, $1,100. Easy Terms.
Geo. F. Brooks
THE REAL ESTATE MAN
First National Bank Building.

MAY ARGUE NEW TRIAL MOTION

KEELEY CASE MAY BE BROUGHT UP IN SANDERS COUNTY IN FEBRUARY.

Last evening Judge Henry L. Myers, who presided in the district court yesterday while awaiting train connections for Thompson, where the February term of court is to begin upon his arrival, stated that it was possible that the motion of H. J. Keeley for a new trial would be brought up during the coming term.

Keeley, it will be remembered, is the Northern Pacific train dispatcher who is being held under sentence of eight months in the state penitentiary for involuntary manslaughter, involving the loss of seven lives in the Olive wreck last September. Keeley is still being held in the Sanders county jail pending action of the court in the matter of a new trial.

Judge Myers stated yesterday that W. J. Burley, attorney for the defendant, had just received a transcript of the evidence sworn to in the former trial and was preparing a bill of exceptions upon which to base the motion for the new hearing.

G. A. Mitchell, the Perma telegraph operator who was tried on a charge similar to that of the dispatcher, and acquitted, is being held in the county jail awaiting trial on another information charging involuntary manslaughter. Mitchell was formerly tried on the charge involving the death of Engineer Valentine, but on acquittal was immediately rearrested on information involving the death of Engineer Monson. This case is set for the February term.

In the Mitchell matter Judge Myers will be called upon to decide a point, which has been argued in many other courts. In some instances it has been held that a prisoner acquitted on the charge of murder cannot be retried on the same charge involving deaths which have occurred in the same train of circumstances.

COAL CASE ARGUED IN COURT

JUDGE HUNT HEARS ATTORNEYS IN SUIT AGAINST THE NORTHERN PACIFIC.

Special to The Daily Missoulian.

Helena, Jan. 30.—Judge Hunt, in the federal court today listened to arguments in the hearing of the bill and answer in the equity court of the United States against the Northern Pacific railway company, the Northwestern Improvement company and the Rocky Fork Coal company, the two latter concerns subsidiary organizations controlled by the Northern Pacific Railway company, wherein the government seeks to recover title to coal lands in Carbon county, which are alleged to be worth more than $100,000. T. J. Walsh appeared as counsel for the government, and William Wallace, Jr., for the defendants. The case was taken under advisement.

The railroad selected the lands in lieu of others it surrendered in what is now Mount Rainier national park.

MANY ARE INJURED IN A CAR ACCIDENT

Cincinnati, Jan. 30.—The snowstorm and consequent slippery tracks is given as the cause of an accident here today that may cost at least two lives, while seven other persons were injured.

A College Hill main line car with 37 passengers jumped the rails on Clifton avenue and tumbled down a steep embankment, landing at the bottom of a ravine with a mass of shrieking, fighting men, women and children under it or hurled from the platform or windows. More than a score of passengers were injured, some seriously.

Motorman Mulligan died at the hospital without regaining consciousness. Dr. S. R. Rockhill, a professor in the Cincinnati University suffered severe injuries. By coasting into the trolley pole and bill board that wrecked the front of the runaway car the front passengers were saved from being hurled over the crest of the steep cliff that overlooks the head of Elm street.

HELENA GOES ASHORE.

Scituate, Mass., Jan. 30.—Driving in through a blinding northeast snowstorm at daybreak today the three-masted schooner Helena, lumber laden, from Savannah to Portland, Me., brought up on the rocks on the south shore of Masachusetts bay. The life-saving station had no difficulty in firing a line across the rigging and pulling the Helena's eight men to land.

SALUTE HAFID'S FIAG.

Tangier, Morocco, Jan. 30.—The American battleships Georgia and Nebraska came into port this morning on their way to the western Mediterranean to join the war vessels of Rear Admiral Sperry's fleet, preparatory to sailing for Hampton roads. They saluted the flag of Mulai Hafid, the new sultan of Morocco, thereby officially recognizing the new administration on behalf of the United States.

CARRIED TO RACETRACK.

Hot Springs, Ark., Jan. 30.—The Third Baptist church was lifted from its foundations yesterday by the heavy wind and carried one block to the Central avenue entrance of the Oaklawn racetrack, several plate glass windows were broken either by the pressure of the wind or by the flying missiles.

NATURALIZATION LAW IS EXPLAINED

CHIEF EXAMINER SMITH SPENDS DAY WITH LOCAL COURT OFFICIALS.

John Speer Smith of Seattle, chief naturalization examiner, arrived in Missoula yesterday from Butte, where he examined a class of 37 aliens seeking admission to citizenship in the United States. Mr. Smith came here for the purpose of holding the same examination, but owing to the absence of Judge F. C. Webster, this event was postponed until a later date.

In discussing the nature of the work in which he is engaged Mr. Smith stated that owing to the great changes which had taken place in the naturalization laws of the country since 1906, it had become incumbent upon the government to be represented at each examination of applicants for citizenship. The present naturalization law, which was passed in June, 1906, and became effective in September of the same year, requires a more rigid examination of the applicant than was thought necessary under the former law. Until the latter law was repealed, by the enactment of the new code, the applicant, after having been a resident of this country a certain period, appeared before the district judge and declared his intention of becoming a citizen of this country. At the expiration of a period of five yeras more he made application for the second set of papers, which were granted upon recommendation of two witnesses. in the case of an alien arriving on American shores before reaching the age of 18 years it was only necessary that he live in this country five years, when he could take out all papers at one time, without the formality of declaring his intention of becoming a citizen. Under the present law all these conditions have been changed and a minor immigrant is subject to the same rules of naturalization as an adult alien.

Upon declaration of his intention of becoming an American citizen, papers are made out for the applicant in triplicate, one to be forwarded to the Washington department, one to the district court and one to be kept on file in the office of the clerk of the court. A notice is immediately posted in the office of the clerk for public perusal, announcing the declaration, and naming a date when the examination of the applicant will be held. All persons are advised publicly that if they know cause, or just reason why the applicant should not be received into full American citizenship it is their duty to appear before the chief examiner on the date named for examination and declare their objections.

The Missoula examination will be held in the course of a few weeks by the assisting examiner, who will announce a date when he can meet with Judge Webster for that purpose.

Examiner Smith, whose territory extends over the entire states of Montana, Oregon, Idaho and Washington, leaves this morning for Helena and points in eastern Montana.

INVESTIGATING BOARD COMMENCES ITS WORK

Special to The Daily Missoulian.

Helena, Jan. 30.—Although the special committee of the legislature which is investigating the state land business held two sessions today nothing of great importance was developed. G. I. Grubb, one of the men who made complaints which resulted in the investigation by Governor Norris, was the principal witness, and his testimony was a reiteration of what he testified to at Kalispell. Fred Whiteside told of the result of an examination he made of the records of the land office at the request of the committee and F. C. Ives testified as to estimates he had made of the timber on lands sold to companies.

GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER.

Special to The Daily Missoulian.

Butte, Jan. 30.—Michael J. Powers, found guilty of manslaughter for killing Michael White, was this morning sentenced to 10 years in the penitentiary by Judge Donlan. The testimony in the case showed that in July, 1907, Powers met Mike White and stabbed him in the abdomen. White was able to walk home, but expired shortly after he reached his house. A charge of murder was filed against Powers, and the jury found him guilty of manslaughter over a year ago.

WOOL FAMINE EXISTS.

Butte, Jan. 30.—Private advices received here today from the east says: "There is a famine in staple wools in America. Foreign and domestic markets strongest on record.

"The London market shows a 5 per cent advance on merinos and an advance of 7½ per cent on crossbreeds.

"Undoubtedly next season will develop as high or higher prices as have ever been recorded in previous years."

NORRIS OFFERS REWARD.

Special to The Daily Missoulian.

Helena, Jan. 30.—A proclamation was issued today by Governor Norris on behalf of the state, offering a reward of $500 for the arrest and conviction of the slayer of John Hancock, who was lured from his home January 15 and murdered. This makes a total of $650 which is offered.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Coffeyville, Kan., Jan. 30.—The town of Nowata, Okla., was almost wiped off the map today by fire. The loss is estimated at $200,000.

The intense cold made it difficult to fight the flames.

AUTHOR DIES

Elkton, Md., Jan. 30.—Miss Martha Finley, the authoress, died today at her home here, aged 82 years. Miss Finley's best known works were the "Elsie" books.

$1.25 Percale Wrappers 49c

Monday we place on sale 100 percale wrappers, a regular $1.25 kind and they won't last long, so come early ....49¢

75c Short Kimonos 25c

Only a few in this assortment; a cleanup lot of higher priced goods; Monday .....25¢

12½c Ladies' Hose 5c

Ladies' fast black seamless black cotton hose, full fashioned, Monday, pair .....5¢

New Corset Covers 12c

Lace top and armholes, good quality nainsook muslin, ordinarily sold at 35c; Monday .....12¢

SPENCER'S
Gibson Block Higgins and Cedar

You May

Be wearing glasses already and getting benefit from them, but not so much as is possible to get. We have heard people say, "I have tried wearing spectacles." That is no sign that glasses will not benefit you. You may have been fitted the best that your optician knew. We frequently find people wearing glasses that are an injury to their eyes. Some defect was overlooked.

OUR TESTS LEAVE NO DEFECTS UNDISCOVERED.

KOHN JEWELRY COMPANY
Largest Jewelry Store in the City.

OPERATORS PROTEST AGAINST BILL

COAL MEN OBJECT TO MEASURE PROVIDING TAX FOR BENEFIT OF MINERS.

Special to The Daily Missoulian.

Helena, Jan. 30.—The senate committee on corporations, other than municipal, listened today to reasons why the Meyer bill, providing for the pensioning of coal miners, should not become a law, and also arguments in its favor. The bill proposes that on every ton of coal mined in the state a tax of 1 cent a ton shall be levied, the money to be used for the benefit of coal miners who are injured while at their employment. The coal operators who appeared said such a measure meant the cutting off of 10 per cent of their profits and that they could not afford that and still pay the highest wages paid to coal miners in the world.

Alex Fairgrieve, who appeared for the miners, said Maryland had such a law and so did New Zealand, and he had been delegated by the coal miners to avocate its passage. The committee did not indicate what its report on the bill would be.

TO COMBAT PROHIBITION.

Christiana, Sunday, Jan. 17.—There has been widely published throughout Norway the manifesto of an organization formed here by deputies from all parts of the country to combat the prohibition movement. It contains the signatures of 630 prominent men.

COSGROVE IN PORTLAND.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 30.—Governor Cosgrove of Washington arrived here this morning. He is not quite so well, nervousness being the most apparent symptom in the change in his condition. The governor's condition is not alarming.

Bonds for Sale.

Masonic temple 20-year 6 per cent first mortgage bonds, in denominations of $100, $500 and $1,000 each, to the amount of $65,000 with interest payable semi-annually.

These bonds are secured by a deed of trust, placed with the Western Montana National bank, as trustee, covering the property on East Cedar street, together with all improvements to be made thereon, which, when completed, will have a total value of $100,000. The various Masonic bodies have placed into this enterprise the site valued at $15,000 and $17,000 in cash, part of which has been used for excavation and foundation.

Further information can be obtained from the Western Montana National bank, Missoula, Mont.

F. H. KNISLEY, Secretary.

We want to arrest your attention long enough to tell you of the bargains we are offering in wall paper. Come and see.

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A Tender, Juicy Roast of Beef

cooked to the point where the juice follows the touch of the knife, is a tempting, nourishing and substantial dish for dinner, when your appetite is coquetting with you on a cold day. It sustains strength and appeases hunger with a gusto that is satisfying. Try a sirloin, rib, cross rib, porterhouse or fine mutton chop cut by us when your appetite flags.

Union Market
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The Leading Hotel
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The Lucy undertaking parlors are the best equipped in the city. Coroner's office, Missoula county, is here.
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Healthy, happy babies. Mothers say Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest baby medicine in the world. Makes them strong, well and active. Protects them from disease. G. F. Peterson and David Smith.