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SPOKANE'S EXAMPLE.

One of the interesting features of the talk which Secretary Hooker gave at the Missoula club Thursday night, although it did not directly concern the work of the irrigation congress, was his comment upon the policy of the Spokane Chamber of Commerce. The matter came up in connection with an allusion to the work which the Missoula Chamber of Commerce is doing; Mr. Hooker said that he had come across many instances of appreciation of the campaign which Missoula is carrying on, and that, in many of the places he had visited, he had heard enthusiastic reference made to the publicity work which is being done for Missoula by the local organization. This comment was appreciated by many of those who heard it, as there has been, lately, a disposition in some quarters to belittle the accomplishment of the Missoula Chamber of Commerce.

But the main point is this part of Mr. Hooker's talk and the point which deserves special consideration by the people of Missoula was that which dealt with the policy of the Spokane people in their publicity work. The Spokane people have reached the conclusion, after years of experience in boasting, that the really effective way to promote the interests of their city is to work for the advancement of the region around it. The development of the agricultural and other resources of the adjacent country will mean the influx of more people and the upbuilding of the smaller towns in this area. "And then," said Mr. Hooker, "the growth of our city will take care of itself."

In the attitude of Spokane there is an excellent example for Missoula to consider. It has been the policy of The Missoulian to work for the promotion of the interests of all of western Montana; we believe that that policy benefits Missoula; and that every man who locates in the Bitter Root or in the Plains valley helps Missoula. The experience of Spokane illustrates the wisdom of this conclusion.

In whatever publicity work is undertaken for this part of the country there should be concerted and harmonious action between the boosters of all the towns in this area; their interests are identical and they can accomplish a great deal more if they concentrate their efforts. In the action of Spokane there is a lesson that Missoula will do well to learn.

EASTER LILIES.

Lilies by the shipload are being handled in New York these days, and the great extent of the sales of the Easter flower shows how general is the observance of this church holiday and how popular is its central idea. To supply the New York market at this time of the year, the number of Easter lilies required is greater than is grown in any part of the country. The dealers look to Bermuda to supply the deficiency. During the past few days all of the ships arriving from the islands have been laden to their fullest capacity with Easter lilies. The crop from one single ship contained upwards of 10,000 boxes of the fragrant buds. But the supply, enormous as it is, seems never in excess of the demand and the price at which the flowers are now retailing in New York is about the same as in former years.

DOLLARS AND RATES.

One of the national authorities in the matter of railway rates and classifications, H. T. Newcomb, discusses in a current article the railway side of the question of rates and the conditions which have resulted from recent changes. Mr. Newcomb shows that such reductions as have taken place in the rates charged by railways for the transportation of passengers and freight are much greater than is suggested by the figures which indicate them. He presents certain tables which show that, while the price received by the railways for the service they render is lower than it was ten years ago, the price which they must pay for material and for labor is considerably higher. He says: "The present situation is untenable. As has been shown, fair and adequate railway rates are essential, not merely to the prosperity of the railways, but to that of the whole country and all its industries; there has been an un-

solicited and unnecessary reduction from the reasonable rates of 1897, a reduction due to causes so subtle in their operation that the process and its consequences passed for a time unnoticed; the moderate advance sufficient to offset, in part at least, the evil results of this decline would not be noticed by most consumers and would but slightly affect any. This would be to distribute the cost of the readjustment that has been made absolutely necessary by the great change in the value of money as to lay no severe burden upon any individual or any industry. The alternative is too painful for other than enforced consideration. An increase of three or four per cent in average rates would distribute a gain of about \$50,000,000 over two hundred and thirty billion ton-miles of freight transportation; to gain the same amount by a reduction in wages would throw the whole burden upon about one and one-half millions of employes and their families."

THE NEW ORDER.

In Montana the old order changeth and sixth place to the new. There is a law against pool-selling, and it is to be enforced. Over in Butte there are some people who are reluctant to recognize the fact that there is any meaning to the new law; they have sought to proceed with their pool-selling operations in defiance of the law and in opposition to public sentiment. The officers of Silver Bow county have taken a decided stand against any toleration of attempts to violate or to evade the law, and their position will be sustained by public sentiment in their own locality and in the state at large. The poolroom is a thing of the past in Montana. It is well that it is, and it will be well if it is thrust out whenever and wherever it seeks to rehabilitate itself in the state. The officers of Silver Bow county are performing their duty. That is what is required of them by law, and that is what is expected of them by the state.

The girls who make clothing want the tariff raised. The women who wear it want the duty lowered. Surely the working girls are entitled to some consideration.

If the Somalis get too gay with their insurrection, Mr. Roosevelt can send them the story of what happened to the trusts. Then they will be good.

The sooner the sportive gentlemen recognize the fact that pool-selling is a thing of the past in Montana, the sooner they will crawl out of trouble.

You have one day left in which to prepare for Easter. The Missoulian's advertisers have done their best to make the task easy for you.

The spring chicken of today is puzzled to find his mother, even more than was his predecessor who arrived before the era of the incubator.

Kalspell has raised \$10,000 for her chamber of commerce; yet there are those in Missoula who think a quarter of that sum is too much.

Any stories which declare T. Roosevelt dead in Africa should not be credited unless signed by Mr. Roosevelt himself.

Great Falls has reached the stage where she scrutinizes the quality of her immigrants, which is the part of wisdom.

The Easter egg in which the Woman's club is most interested is the nest egg of the building fund.

Castro evidently didn't know when he was well off.



Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

Used by the best families, hotels and restaurants the world over.

Makes the lightest, most delicious and tasty hot biscuit. Makes the hot-bread, rolls and muffins sweet and wholesome

Protects the food from alum.

If you want a good time and a profitable experience, take a trip through the Bitter Root valley.

If Nevada shuts down the divorce business, she will be forgiven for her predilection for prize fighting.

Blistered hands and aching back are not a high price to pay for grass and shade and blossoms.

Missoula's boasting is for all western Montana. We have no fear of the result.

Central America, deaf to argument, may have her hearing tested by canonading.

After all, it's a pleasure to buy these Easter things—if you have the money.

The hooster recall to the knocker the story of the doughnut and the hole.

Everybody who sees Missoula uses the same word, "Great."

Boost and, when you are boosting, boost on a broad plan.

Butte betters better beware.

DOCTORS "UNDESIRABLES."

Chicago, April 9.—Because their signs mar the aesthetic appearance of first-class apartment buildings, physicians are now put in the class of dogs, cats and other undesirable in Sheridan road and other exclusive districts. Owners and agents, it is said, have entered into an agreement not to renew the physicians' leases after May 1. Among other objections raised against the doctor as a tenant is the fact that a stream of callers during the day turns the building into a common highway.

WAKES UP IN DEAD WAGON.

Chicago, April 9.—Alice had shot herself through the head and lain unconscious for more than 24 hours. William Nesener regained consciousness while the dead wagon in Kenosha was taking her to a morgue. He is now at the Kenosha hospital and may recover.

DECLARED FUGITIVES FROM JUSTICE NOW

Chicago, April 9.—John A. MacFarland, Albert Miller, Adams and Samuel Rosenfield, alleged to have swindled Mrs. James A. Patton, wife of a wealthy board of trade man, out of more than \$20,000 by means of a de luxe book swindle, were declared fugitives from justice by Judge McSweeney in the criminal court here today.

The alleged fugitives were at liberty on bonds of \$3,000 each. When their cases were called today they were not present and orders for their arrest were issued. Some months ago Samuel Warfield and W. G. Cooper were tried for complicity in the swindle. Warfield was convicted, his case now being on appeal, and Cooper was acquitted. MacFarland appeared as the state's chief witness against them.

VICIOUS BULL KILLED.

Chicago, April 9.—Arthur Meeker's big blooded bull, which had a record of four men killed, has met an inglorious end. The animal's last victim was gored to death last fall in Libertyville, Ill. Since then the animal has been kept under surveillance at Arthur Meeker's farm near Waukegan. Even that was found to be not entirely efficacious, the animal having escaped several times. Dehorning was finally decided upon and the operation was to take place yesterday. Immediately after the bull had been roped however, it began plunging frantically and in its struggles strangled itself.

SUPERIOR GENERAL ARRIVES.

Chicago, April 9.—Mother Francis Xavier Carbrini, superior general and founder of the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart, has arrived in Chicago from Brazil, where she recently opened a college for the higher education of women. This makes 58 institutions established by the order in 27 years.

HAMMOND ADDITION

The most attractive home district in the west. In this addition special features are offered which make it specially desirable.

EXCLUSIVE LOCATION.—Only residences will be built here; no business blocks will be permitted.

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Lots \$400 to \$600

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REFUSES TO PUNISH JUDGE FOR CONTEMPT

Spokane, April 9.—Superior Judge Sullivan will not be punished for contempt of court, though he confessed that he told his brother, Attorney P. C. Sullivan, what he had testified to before the grand jury. Superior Judge Hunke dismissed today the contempt charges against the two brothers and also a similar charge against N. E. Nuzum, counsel for former Judge M. J. Gordon, whose alleged embezzlement of \$60,000 from the Great Northern railroad and reported undue influence with ex-Judge Root of the state supreme court, is now being probed by the grand jury. Judge Hunke holds that a witness has no right to tell anyone what he has testified to before the grand jury but he considers that in this case there was no malice, that no contempt was intended and that the defendants should be discharged.

Use Allen's Foot-Ease.

A powder to be shaken into the shoes. If you have tired, aching feet, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It rests the feet and makes new or tight shoes easy. Cures, aching, swollen, hot, sweating feet. Relieves corns and bunions of all pain and gives rest and comfort. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Don't accept any substitute. For FREE trial package, also free sample of the FOOT-EASE sanitary corn-rod, a new invention, address Allen S. Olmstead, Le Roy, N. Y.

HAMILTON BREVITIES

Special to The Daily Missoulian.
Hamilton, April 9.—Mrs. H. B. Cole, mother of H. B. Cole, an attorney of this city, arrived tonight from Black River Falls, Wisconsin. She will remain a guest of her sons at the hotel Ravall for the summer.
O. E. Peppard the bridge contractor from Missoula, is in the city on business.
E. P. Ehlman a representative of the Missoula Mercantile company is registered at the Ravall.
J. F. Torrance stated this evening that he would open his real estate office in the room now occupied by Mr. Owen, next door from the post-office, next week. E. A. Winstanley will be in business with Mr. Torrance.
W. G. Barnwell of the Bitter Root Orchards company of Victor is spending a few days in Hamilton.
John F. Treves of the board of county commissioners is attending to business in the city from Victor.
F. H. Reeser arrived from Missoula and will remain several days in Hamilton attending to his business here.
Mr. Orvis of the Orvis Music house of Missoula came in on the Copper city local this evening.
Mrs. J. E. Totman spent yesterday in the Garden city, returning on the evening train.
P. J. Shannon, manager of the Bitter Root stock farm returned from Butte this evening. Mrs. Shannon and daughters who have been in California for several weeks are expected home this evening.
Mrs. William Grimes, wife of Mr. Grimes who is interested in the purchase of 1,000 acres of land on Camas prairie has arrived in the city and will occupy the Wagner residence.

Act Quickly

and you'll save yourself a lot of suffering and trouble. If you have a sudden chill—or taken cold—if you have colic, cramp or diarrhoea, don't wait a minute. Take at once a teaspoonful of Perry Davis' Painkiller in half a glass of hot water or milk. You'll be safe and on the right road to quick recovery. Then you'll escape serious illness. But you ought to have this tried and proven remedy on hand for immediate use. Being prepared is half the battle when there's pain to subdue. New size bottles 35c, also in 50 cent sizes.

"Uncle Charlie" Perry 92 Years Young



MR. S. C. PERRY, Age 92.

Mr. Samuel Charles Perry, of Lockport, N. Y., who is 92 years old and a bachelor, retains all his faculties to a remarkable degree. He is as active and vigorous as he was twenty years ago. Recently, when celebrating his 92d birthday, he entertained his friends by playing on the violin, which he has owned for over sixty years, many old-time pieces.

For many years Mr. Perry has been prominent in business and politics.

In his old age he finds Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey indispensable, and the only medicine to which his vigor is due; he says that it has no equal.

Mr. Perry writes: "The vitality and usefulness of my powers, which I have preserved through a long life up to the age of ninety-two, I attribute partly to moderation in all things, partly to an indisposition to worry and partly to my natural abhorrence of all kinds of drugs."

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Mr. Perry's case is similar to that of thousands of others, both aged men and women, who have been kept hale, hearty and vigorous by the constant use of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey as a medicine. It is a predigested food which has a stimulating and tonic effect upon the system. It builds nerve tissues, prevents decay and keeps the entire system in a normal, healthy condition.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

If you wish to keep young, strong and vigorous and have on your cheeks the glow of perfect health, take Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, regularly, according to direction. It tones and strengthens the heart action and purifies the entire system. It is recognized as a family medicine everywhere.

CAUTION—When you ask your druggist, grocer or dealer for Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey be sure you get the genuine. It's the only absolutely pure medicinal malt whiskey and is sold in sealed bottles only; never in bulk. Look for the trade-mark, the "Old C hemist" on the label, and make sure the seal over the cork is unbroken. Write Consulting Physician, Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y., for a free illustrated medical booklet and free advice.

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REMOVAL NOTICE

The Missoula Light & Water Co. begs to inform its patrons that the company's offices have been removed from 108 West Main street to the new

Harnois Theater

This arrangement is a temporary one, pending the completion of the Masonic temple, in which the company's permanent offices will be located.

MISSOULA LIGHT & WATER CO.

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