

Montana State Fair

\$12,000 in Purses and Stakes

AT HELENA

September 27-28-29-30

and October 1 and 2, 1909

Harness Races

No. 1--Merchants' Purse

2:12 Pacers \$1,000.00

No. 2--Bankers' Purse

2:25 Pacers \$1,000.00

No. 3

Free-for-all Pace \$500.00

No. 4--Montana Bred

Two-year-old Pacers \$350.00

No. 5--Montana Bred

Three-year-old Pacers \$350.00

No. 6--Lewis and Clark Purse

2:18 Class Trotting \$1,000.00

No. 7--Montana State Fair Purse

2:30 Class Trotting \$1,000.00

No. 8--Montana Bred

Two-year-old Trotting \$350.00

No. 9--Montana Bred

Three-year-old Trotting \$350.00

No. 10

Free-for-all Trot \$500.00

Early Closing Events. Entries Close June 1, '09

CONDITIONS:

The Montana State Fair reserves the right to change the order of the Program or to declare events off in case of rain, or to declare off and return first payments in case either or all of these events have not filled satisfactorily.

The rules of the American Trotting Association, of which the Montana State Fair is a member, to govern, except where otherwise noted.

Races Nos. 1, 2, 6 and 7, best three in five heats, with no race longer than five heats.

Races Nos. 3, 4, 5, 8, 9 and 10, each heat a race only three heats.

Fees and Nominations

On races 1, 2, 6 and 7, (1) percent June 1st, (2) percent July 1st, when horse must be named eligible to the class on that date and (2) percent August 1st.

On races 3, 4, 5, 8, 9 and 10 (2 1-2) percent June 1st, when horse must be named eligible to the class on that date and (2 1-2) percent on August 1st.

Horses distancing the field or any part thereof, entitled to only first money. Horse not standing for money at end of third heat is out of race but not out of winnings according to summary.

Five percent additional from money winners. Division to be 50, 25, 15 and 10 percent. There must not be less than eight entries and four starters in each event.

A horse may be entered in any number of events of which he is eligible and can start in all of them, but he must pay the entry fees in all of them whether he starts or not.

Hopples not allowed in races for 3-year-olds and under.

Running Division

At least four runs will be on the card each day and will be made up for horses at the meeting. Purses will run from \$250 upward.

At a later date a program of running events will be made up. For information, etc., write

MARTIN MARTIN, Secretary,
Helena, Montana

DREAD AFRICAN FLY CAUSES DEATH

HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS HAVE PERISHED MISERABLY FROM STRANGE DISEASE.

Mombasa, British East Africa, Saturday, April 20.—The sleeping sickness committee is hoping that Theodore Roosevelt will pay a visit to the expedition's camp at Sesse, Uganda, where Sir David and Lady Bruce are in charge of the segregation hospitals. The governments of Germany, France and Belgium, as well as the government of the United Kingdom, are loyally working together endeavoring to find a cure or preventive for the sleeping sickness. Altogether, seven European doctors have succumbed to the fatal disease since the attempts to cope with the malady were commenced. Governor Sir Hosketh-Bell, in appealing to the millionaires of the world and others benevolently disposed, for money gifts to enable him to purchase slaughter of stock to gratify the one and only craving of those whose sufferings is so intense, which is summed up in the word "meat," described his latest visit to the camp in part as follows:

"The patients were lodged in large, thatched huts, and were divided according to sex and the various stages of the disease. In one inclosure we saw a number of infants, in whom the first outward signs of the scourge were just appearing. Unaware of their impending doom, the little black nites played and romped to their heart's content in the shade of the grove, and only the swollen glands at the base of their necks showed that their fate was sealed. It was, indeed, sad to think that in a short time these merry peals of laughter would gradually become more and more rare, and that all these poor little creatures whom life was apparently so strong would be laid in the crowded cemetery that could be seen among the trees.

Suffering Acutely.

"Among a row of sheds surrounded by the banana groves which supply the food of the patients, we saw numbers of those who had reached the second stage of the disease. Most of them appeared to be suffering acutely. They seemed to shun the cool shade of the broad thatched roofs and preferred to sit or lie in the full blaze of the noon-day sun. Even there many of them shivered almost constantly and drew about their emaciated limbs the brown rags of dark cloth which partly covered them. Their drawn features and haggard eyes testified to the gnawing pains that almost constantly afflicted them, and the unhappy creatures seemed to have a dread of being touched. Many of them were in the peculiar state of lethargy, which has, doubtless, been responsible for the misleading name by which the disease has become commonly known. Unfortunately sound sleep rarely comes to the relief of the doomed one, and the torpor in which they lie, comes from the constant strain of never ceasing misery. Many of them in unguarded moments put an end to their miserable lives, and it is a wonder that more of them do not do likewise.

Like Skeletons.

"Further in, we came to those who were in the last stages of the disease. Lying about on beds of withered leaves they had reached a degree of emaciation that was horrible to see. The unhappy creatures looked like skeletons, and only their doleful moaning indicated the presence of life in the wretched remains.

"A few, in which nature was struggling hard, had gone raving mad, and in spite of the fact that the poor creatures had to be chained to heavy logs to prevent their doing harm, one almost envied them their insensibility to the torments that afflicted their fellow victims. The frenzied laughter of these unfortunates seemed particularly dreadful in that abode of suffering and death.

A Fly the Cause.

"It is generally accepted that a variety of the tsetse fly, the *flossina* palpalis, is the principal, if not the only agent of the transmission of the disease. This fly exists in enormous numbers on the shores of Lake Victoria Nyanza and also on the borders of some other lakes and rivers of Uganda. Its habitation, however, is restricted to a narrow growth of adjoining water and a width of two miles is believed to be the limit of the infested zones. Out of some 200,000 people inhabiting the shores of Victoria Nyanza and the island in the great lake, over 200,000 have already been swept out of existence, and it remains to be seen whether the remainder can still be saved.

"The extermination of the tsetse fly appears to be a hopeless task, and it has, therefore, been decided to remove all the surviving population out of the reach of the fatal fly.

Thousands Sick.

"It is estimated that more than 20,000 sick now remain to be dealt with, and they are being located in large camps capable of accommodating about 1,000 at a time.

"Cattle, sheep and goats are cheap in Uganda, and a comparatively moderate sum would enable us to provide now and then means for the unhappy inmates of the sleeping sickness camp. Unless a cure be soon discovered they will not long remain in charge of us, and if my readers could see the intense delight that transfigure the faces of the inmates of the refugee camp at Kissubi at the prospect of meat they would think a few shillings well spent in that direction."

A NEW ABSTRACT COMPANY.

Special to The Daily Missoulian. Hamilton, May 4.—The Guarantee Abstract company organized yesterday. The articles of incorporation have been filed at the state capital and the company will open for business today. George T. Baggis of Stevensville was elected president and manager. Charles M. Crutchfield vice president. A. C. Baker was made secretary and A. L. Johnson was elected treasurer. The company opened with a capital of \$12,000. The directors are George T. Baggis, Dr. Robert L. Owens, A. L. Johnson, W. P. Baker, and C. M. Crutchfield.

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LEMONS ARE SYMBOLS OF CERTAIN DEATH

Manzanillo, Mexico, May 5.—To be handed a lemon in this community hereafter will be no vaudeville jest. The recipient either takes the first train out of the country or holds a conference with the family undertaker. A Black Hand society has been formed, having for its purpose the extermination of such rich land owners or merchants as have incurred the enmity of its members. When the death of such a wealthy person is decided upon, a basket of lemons is brought forth in secret conclave, and all of the members draw one. Finally a marked lemon falls to the lot of the prospective slayer, and the yellow fruit is sent to the prospective victim. Then he dies.

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CLEAN GOVERNMENT LEAGUE IS WINNER

Reno, Nev., May 5.—The Municipal or Clean Government League won a great victory over the gambling and saloon interests at the city election here yesterday by electing three out of four councilmen, and thus securing control of the city council for the coming two years. The independents elected a city clerk and police judge, while the liberal ticket elected a mayor and one councilman. The fight was extremely close and exciting. A. M. Britt, the brewer, being elected mayor over Walter Harris, the Municipal league candidate, by a scant 118 votes. One councilman was elected by but six votes. No party fight was manifested, but rather the election was a contest of the factions who will try to elect George H. Kilborn over George S. Nixon, the incumbent United States senator from Nevada in 1910.

THE SHERIDAN SAILS WITH TROOPS ABOARD

San Francisco, May 5.—The United States transport Sheridan sailed today for the Philippines with a large number of officers and their families, the Seventh Infantry regiment, 140 enlisted men of Company G, engineer corps and 100 marines. The ranking officer is Brigadier General R. D. Potts. The men comprising the Second battalion of the Seventh Infantry who arrived here early today from Fort Wayne lost many of their personal effects in a fire, which destroyed the baggage car of their train. The Seventh regiment will relieve the Twenty-sixth infantry now stationed at Manila.

TOWN IS DESTROYED BY DISASTROUS FIRE

Vancouver, B. C., May 5.—Westley, a little lumber town 30 miles west of Nelson, was practically wiped out by fire yesterday. The loss included the Yale-Columbia company's mill, all of the lumber in the vicinity, all of the residences and other buildings in the place except the company's office and the cook house. Loss, \$200,000. The mill was one of the best in the Dominion of Canada. The town of Marie, in the upper Okanogan, was partially wiped out yesterday, a sawmill and other buildings being burned. The loss there in standing timber is probably \$150,000.

RECALL AMENDMENT ADOPTED IN SPOKANE

Spokane, May 5.—By a safe majority the citizens of Spokane yesterday adopted a charter amendment providing for the recall of elective city officials on petition of 25 per cent of the voters. They also voted to adopt the direct non-partisan primary, the initiative and referendum on petition of 10 per cent of the voters, the election of all councilmen at large, to borrow \$500,000 for new bridges and \$500,000 for water system improvements and voted not to borrow \$1,000,000 for parks.

ANOTHER BALL WAR SEEMS TO BE IMMINENT

Chicago, May 5.—The Daily News says today: "That the American association is still active, but secretly, trying to arrange for an invasion of Chicago, thus bringing about another baseball war, is the opinion of many leaders of the two major leagues." The Daily News recites the action of last winter, which gave these two leagues a special rating with the privileges of drafting from "Class A" and other minor leagues, and continues: "Now comes the announcement from Cincinnati that these two organizations have failed in their part of the agreement and the whole thing is off, leaving all minor leagues in the same position that they occupied last year—the American association and the Eastern league fall back to 'A' classification."

Rev. I. W. Williamson's Letter. Rev. I. W. Williamson, Huntington, W. Va., writes: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble and am free to say that it will do all that you claim for it." Foley's Kidney Remedy has restored health and strength to thousands of weak, run down people. Contains no harmful drugs and is pleasant to take. Garden City Drug Co., Geo. Freishelmer, Prop.

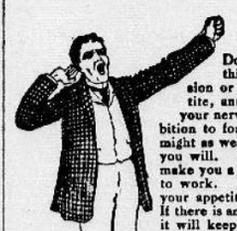
PRIZE FIGHTS BARRED IN COEUR D'ALENES

Spokane, May 5.—Jeffries and Johnson will not decide the question of supremacy in the Coeur d'Alenes or in any other part of the state of Idaho, as was contemplated when Eddie Quinn of Spokane and a number of sporting men in the inland Empire induced the Wallace Athletic club to hang up a purse of \$100,000 for the mill. Governor James H. Brady has passed the word there will be no prize-fighting in the state while he is chief executive, and now comes Sheriff Moffatt of Shoshone county, in which are located the richest lead-silver mines in the world, with a brief statement that "there'll be nothing doing in the milling game" within the corporate limits of his balliwick. Moffatt was at one time a professional sporting man, and those who know him best say that his declaration is absolutely the last word so far as the fight situation in that part of the panhandle of Idaho is concerned.

OPTOMETRIST.

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THE LARGEST FLAG EVER MADE BEFORE

Spokane, May 5.—Mrs. H. E. Mitchell, wife of Captain Mitchell, U. S. A., military instructor at the Washington state college at Pullman, south of Spokane, has completed for the

cadets there what is believed to be the largest American flag in existence. It is 110 feet in length and 35 feet deep, each of the 13 alternate red and white stripes being three feet wide, while the field of blue with huge white stars is 12 feet square. When presented to the cadets the flag was stretched across the front of a three-story brick building and it covered the structure to the middle of the windows on the top floor, while at the bottom it furnished a background for a full corps lined up in

military order. It is likely the flag will be exhibited in Spokane during the 17th sessions of the national irrigation congress the second week in August, after which it may be sent to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition to remain until the close of the fair on October 15. An escort of the cadets will accompany the flag to Spokane and Seattle. The pigmy mouse of Siberia is believed to be the smallest quadruped in the world.