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## HEARING ADJOURNED TO NEXT WEEK

NAVY PRACTICALLY CLOSES ITS CASE IN SUTTON INVESTIGATION.

Annapolis, Md., July 23.—The navy practically rested its case today in the investigation of the death of Lieutenant James N. Sutton of Portland, Ore., who was adjudged a suicide by the naval board of inquiry which sat following Sutton's death two years ago. After a short session Commander John Hood, president of the court of inquiry, adjourned the hearing until Monday. With the exception of Lieutenant Harold H. Utley and Surgeon F. C. Cook, recently attached to the battleship North Carolina, and now en route from Europe, nearly all the remaining witnesses are considered to be witnesses for the interested parties outside of the service. As Utley and Cook are not expected before August 1, the inquiry next week will take the color of "the other side."

The Suttons have contended that neither a verdict of suicide nor even one of accidental death could be based upon facts. Mrs. Sutton and her daughter, Mrs. Rose Sutton Parker, will both testify next week. So far four of Sutton's brother officers in the marine corps have testified that they were present at the flight which started between Lieutenants Adams and Sutton, and each swore that Sutton deliberately shot himself in a supposed fit of remorse after someone had said he had killed Lieutenant Rockler.

William I. Owen, a chauffeur, said he drove Sutton and a party of officers from Carvel Hall hotel to camp on the night of the shooting and witnessed an altercation and interrupted a fist fight between Sutton and Lieutenant Adams as he left his passengers near the parade grounds, adjacent to the camp. He was told to "back it," he said, and did not learn of the shooting until next morning.

## SWASTIKA COMPANY PUTS MEN TO WORK

Hamilton, July 23.—A large gang of men started work Thursday morning on the mine of the Swastika Development company and is now engaged in pushing the exploiting of the property. The mine is located about 15 miles south of Hamilton and is owned by Missoula men, who are confident that their property will turn out to be one of the best coal producers of western Montana. The superintendent of the mine is Adam Hamala, a man who is well known in coal mining circles of the east and who will push the work as fast as possible. In this mine the owners and backers believe they have one of the promising coal mines of the state.

## SCHOOL BOARD LETS SIDEWALK CONTRACT

Hamilton, July 23.—Following the letting of the contract by the school board tonight, providing for the laying of cement sidewalks around the high school, there promises to be a long spell of such work, as the people of the city are awaking to the fact that sidewalks of this character are more sightly and durable than those of wood, such as have been used heretofore, and it is stated by many residents of the city, who are property owners as well, that work will be started immediately.

## HAMILTON CHURCHES

Methodist-Episcopal. Hamilton, July 23.—There will be regular services at the Methodist Episcopal church on Sunday, both forenoon and evening; preaching at 11 o'clock in the morning and at 8 o'clock in the evening by the pastor, Rev. Thomas H. Parker. Regular Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Epworth league at 7 p. m., led by Roy Robinson. Subject, "The Healing Touch."

Episcopal. Rev. F. N. Cokeroff announces that Bishop Brewer of Helena will occupy the pulpit in the Episcopal church next Sunday, at both morning and evening services. Regular Sunday school at 10 o'clock.

Christian. There will be regular preaching at the Christian church at both morning and evening services by Rev. Mr. Jones. The services at the usual time.

Presbyterian. Regular services will be held at the Presbyterian church on Sunday. At the morning sermon Rev. Mr. Irwin will have for his subject, "Having All Things," and for the evening sermon will take the subject, "Pay Your Fare." Sunday school at 10 o'clock.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC.

Hamilton, July 23.—Next Tuesday morning the pupils of the Presbyterian Sunday school will give a basket picnic at the reservoir on the Skalkaho, and teams will leave the church at 9 o'clock to take the picnicers to the grounds. It is planned to have a good time, and all members and friends of the congregation are invited to attend.

## A MARVELOUS MACHINE.

Hamilton, July 23.—Representatives of the Burlington Telegraphing Typewriter company have arrived in the city from Missoula and are installed with their apparatus in the Hamilton hotel. This machine, shown as it is at the hotel, is creating a sensation.

## SENATE CONFIRMS PRESIDENT'S CHOICE



CHARLES R. CRANE.

Washington, July 23.—The president today sent the following nominations to the senate: Envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to China—Charles R. Crane, Illinois.

Assistant director of the Thirtieth decennial census—William F. Willoughby, District of Columbia.

Later the nomination of Mr. Crane was confirmed by the senate.

national performance as it presaged activity in future commercial and industrial development and a competition which the union powers did not relish. It took a great deal of firmness to get the American banks into the loan syndicate, but with the full significance of the "open door" in view, the American state department got what was sought and established in short order the right of this country to enter fully into oriental commercial development.

## Public Sale.

Notice is hereby given that I will, on the 23d day of July, 1909, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the city pound, on River street, in the city of Missoula, Montana, expose the following described stock at public auction to pay the pound fees and costs of keeping and sale, to-wit: One bay mare colt, 7HT combined on left shoulder; also one iron gray mare colt, same brand; one buckskin horse colt, branded K on right hip.

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J. A. VEALEY, Chief of Police.

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