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BITTER ROOT VALLEY IRRIGATION PEOPLE PLAN BIG SHOWING IN CHICAGO.

HOG RAISERS OF BITTER ROOT HAVE AGREED TO FINANCE A MANUFACTORY.

O. W. KERR COMPANY CLEARING BIG TRACT FOR CULTIVATION.

Hamilton, Aug. 5.—At the United States Land and Irrigation exposition to be held in the Coliseum, Chicago, under the auspices of the Chicago Tribune from November 26 to December 4, the Bitter Root Valley Irrigation company of Hamilton is to have a fine display of the products of the valley. The Chicago Tribune of July 18 has the following to say: "The Bitter Root Valley Irrigation company is determined to have one of the finest exhibits in the exposition."

"Frank I. Bennett, president of the company, has shown his enthusiasm from the inception of the exposition movement. He is justly proud of the irrigation project in the valley of the Bitter Root. The Bitter Root Valley Irrigation company will have apples on display that will be better in color and flavor and keeping qualities than any other in the world. The feature apple in this valley is the Red McIntosh, an apple which took numerous prizes at the recent apple show in Spokane, and which is claimed by critics to be the finest dessert apple grown."

"A panoramic view of the valley will be shown at the exposition, with the beautiful mountain scenery in the background. The painting is being done by a Chicago artist on the ground."

Helena, Aug. 5.—If the plans which have been made do not miscarry a state laboratory for the manufacture of serum for use in the treatment of hog cholera will be established in the Bitter Root country. Dr. M. E. Knowles, who has just returned from an investigation of conditions in the Bitter Root in connection with hog cholera, is the authority for the statement. He says the hog raisers of the valley have agreed to raise the money for the establishment of the plant and experimental farm and the state livestock sanitary board will be asked at its next meeting to authorize the employment of an expert to take charge of the laboratory. Serum will be furnished subscribers in return for their subscriptions.

EASTERNER PLEASED WITH BITTER ROOT

Hamilton, Aug. 5.—E. Shirk of Muncie, Ind., who has made a tour of the western country and who is trying to find the best place for a location, said last evening to a Missoulian reporter: "I find the Bitter Root valley the more prosperous and the people more congenial than in any place in the west. If I decide to live out west, me for the Bitter Root valley."

INKEEPERS TO MEET.

Hamilton, Aug. 5.—Friday evening the Hamilton hotel and the Ravalli hotel will play a twilight game of ball at the ball park. This will be the second game played this season, the Hamilton hotel winning the first game by a narrow margin. Both teams have been working hard for the coming battle, and both feel confident of victory.

HAMILTON BREVITIES

Hamilton, Aug. 5.—Thomas Hickey and wife of Missoula are the guests of friends in this city.

George Tibury of Charles, Mont., is spending a couple of days in the valley.

L. L. Hart of Stevensville is calling on friends in Hamilton.

G. Townsend of Butte is registered at the Hamilton.

John E. Albright of Coado, N. D., is looking over land in the valley.

V. G. Samuel of St. Paul is spending a few days in the valley.

F. A. Robinson of Missoula is a guest at the Hamilton.

L. A. Johnson of Tacoma is looking over Bitter Root lands.

Otto Rustal of Basin, Mont., spent yesterday with Hamilton friends.

C. E. Anderson of Butte is a guest at the Ravalli.

R. E. Gibson of Peoria, Ill., is taking a trip through the valley.

Charles A. Winston of Anaconda spent Wednesday in Hamilton.

R. E. Hartman of Minneapolis is looking over Bitter Root lands.

F. P. Harlan of Darby called on friends in Hamilton Wednesday.

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MULLANEY DECLINES.
Chicago, Aug. 5.—Bernard J. Mullane, formerly a newspaper man of Chicago, and at present private secretary of Mayor Bussey, today declined to accept the position of chief of police, tendered by the mayor yesterday.

NEW COMMANDER.
Paris, Aug. 5.—General Charles Lutz Tremean has been appointed commander in chief of the French army in succession to General de la Croix.

Notice to Contractors.
Sealed proposals will be received by A. L. Duncan, clerk of the board of trustees of school district No. 1, Missoula county, Montana, for the installation of the existing and planning in the new west side school building, known as the Lowell school, at Missoula, Mont. Proposals will be received at the clerk's office up to 12 o'clock p. m. August 16th, 1909. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the clerk, on Higgins avenue, in Missoula, Mont., and also at the office of Link & Haire, architects, Butte, Mont. Certified check on a Montana bank to the amount of \$200, payable to R. W. Kemp, chairman, must accompany each proposal, the same to be forfeited to the said school district should the successful bidder fail to enter into written contract and give the required bond within 10 days after having been awarded the contract.

Guarantee company bonds will be required of the successful bidder for 50 per cent of the contract price.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

By order of the board of trustees of school district No. 1, Missoula county, Montana.

Dated July 21, 1909.

A. L. DUNCAN,
Clerk of School District No. 1, Missoula County, Montana.

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C. A. DUNWAX, Chairman.
July 24, 1909.

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