

# HAMILTON PREPARES FOR GIANTS

### MISSOULA TEAM WILL MEET VALLEY EXPONENTS IN SUNDAY MATINEE.

Hamilton, Sept. 11.—The Hamilton baseball team will be busy tomorrow afternoon at the local diamond in a contest with the Missoula Giants, who are coming up the valley to wipe out the disgrace of two defeats at Missoula last Sunday and Monday. The Hamilton team has spent considerable time at the local lot this week keeping in trim for the battle, and is expected that a royal contest will be pulled off. The Hamilton team is going right at the present time and local enthusiasts can see nothing to the contest but a victory for Hamilton. Hammond and McQuade have located with their families in Hamilton and will be seen in the Hamilton lineup tomorrow. Either Hellman or Gebau will do the twirling and should be able to hold the hard-hitting Giants safe. Hamilton fans are much excited over the coming struggle and it now looks as if there would be a record-breaking crowd at the game, weather permitting. The team will line up as follows: Catcher, Nelson; pitcher, Hellman or Gebau; first base, Briggs; second base, Richner; third base, Williams; shortstop, McQuade; right field, Hood; center field, Hammond; left field, Conley.

# HAMILTON BREVITIES

Hamilton, Sept. 11.—Clinton Boggs arrived yesterday from Dillon, where he has been employed at the Straight Tip mine. He came by way of the Big Hole basin and will go to Missoula today.

P. H. Hopkins of Salt Lake City is a guest at the Ravalli.

Frank Browning and wife of Columbus, Ohio, are guests at the Ravalli for a few days.

E. M. Davis of Cambridge, Mass., is transacting business in Hamilton, stopping at the Ravalli.

C. H. Harding of Butte is in Hamilton on business, stopping at the Ravalli.

George Lindberg and G. H. Watt of Moline, Ill., are at the Ravalli while looking over the land bargains in the valley.

John C. Turner of Evanston, Ill., is in the valley to locate. Last July he purchased 500 acres of land from the Bitter Root Valley Irrigation company and is here in the interests of the land.

Dr. Casserly of Darby is a guest at the Hamilton.

E. Hitchcock, Charles Kappes, Miss Marion and Sallie Kappes of Evanston are in the valley with a land party and are guests at the Ravalli.

# HAMILTON CHURCHES.

Hamilton, Sept. 11.—There will be regular services at the local Methodist church tomorrow, preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the Rev. Thomas H. Barker; regular Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Epworth league will meet at 7 o'clock in the evening, with Guy Trenary as leader; subject, "Connecting With the Source of Power."

Regular services will be conducted tomorrow at the local Catholic church by the Rev. Father Carr. Low mass at 8 a. m. and high mass at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.; vespers and benediction at 7:30 in the evening.

Regular services will be held at the Presbyterian church tomorrow; preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the Rev. J. C. Irwin; Sunday school at 10 a. m.

There will be regular services at the Episcopal church tomorrow, preaching at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m.; Sunday school will be held at 10 a. m. Rev. F. N. Cockroft, pastor.

Rev. O. W. Jones will preach at the Christian church tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school will be held at 10:30 a. m., and Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting will be held at 7:30 p. m. on Wednesday.

# HAMILTON'S FAMILY.

Hamilton, Sept. 11.—The Family theater will offer an attractive program of acts to its patrons Sunday evening. The management announces that it has secured Princess Tarpella, the escape artist and handcuff queen. Miss Viola Krawitz, a Russian dancer, will be another attraction of merit on the program. Two moving pictures and music by the theater orchestra will complete the program. The family has just installed a new intermittent electric sign that is an innovation in Hamilton. The sign is a fine one and compares most favorably with those seen in cities much larger.

# LAND BUYERS.

Hamilton, Sept. 11.—The O. W. Kerr Land company brought another large crowd of land buyers to Hamilton yesterday on the afternoon train. The party includes land buyers from several points in the east. The members of the party will spend today in looking over the lands of the company.

# HORSES STAMPEDED.

Grosse Meritach, Austria, Sept. 11.—During the maneuvers of the Austrian army 60 horses of the Sixth regiment of dragoons were stampeded at midnight last night by a searchlight played upon their company by the "enemy" and ran madly through the camp, trampling on the sleeping soldiers. Nineteen men were severely injured and one was killed.

# OLD SOLDIERS ENJOY REUNION

### UNITED VETERANS ENCAMPED NEAR GRANTS DALE SPEND HAPPY TIME.

Hamilton, Sept. 11.—In spite of the inclement weather, the old soldiers in camp and reunion near Grantsdale have kept the fires of patriotism burning brightly and are enjoying themselves as only old soldiers can. Story telling and the swapping of army experiences still continue to be the chief delight of the veterans assembled there.

Music and speeches make up the rest of the daily program and through it all there runs the strain of things military, each speech and song being a record of deeds of valor performed by the wearers of both the blue and the gray. Today will see the close of the reunion, and this afternoon's train will see most of the veterans on their way home.

The reunion has attracted large crowds of Hamilton people every day, a feature of the meeting to visitors being the meat that was roasted over large fires.

# MINING MEN BRING GLOWING ACCOUNTS

Seattle, Sept. 11.—Mining men who have just returned from Fairbanks, Alaska, bring glowing news of the prospects in the Innoko district and along the creeks of the Inland country, 140 miles from Innoko. William Koon, of Fairbanks, said:

"When I left Fairbanks a great many stampedees with big outfits were starting for the district of the strike. A great many Fairbanks miners went to the new diggings during the summer, the heavy passenger and freight traffic causing the establishment of a regular Fairbanks-Dillon line of steamboats. Four steamboats crowded with passengers and with big cargoes of provisions and mining equipment had been sent to the new townsite from Fairbanks before I left."

"The Innoko district has surpassed all expectations. The Innoko camp proper this year showed far better pay than was ever believed to be there."

# WILL CARRY THE MAIL IN FIFTY-NINE HOURS

Tacoma, Sept. 11.—Tacoma officials of the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound railroad today announced that that road has submitted an offer to the postoffice department to carry the United States mail between Chicago and Puget Sound in 59 hours. This is 13 hours faster than the best time now made by any northern line and will go into effect October 15 if the government accepts the Milwaukee's offer. The action of the Milwaukee in reducing transcontinental time on such a scale is to protect the contract it now holds for carrying the mail between Chicago and the Twin cities.

# NO CHANGE IN PLAN.

London, Sept. 11.—The admiralty today denied the report from Norfolk, Va., that 16 battleships and cruisers of the British navy might engage in maneuvers and tactical evolutions in Hampton roads. There had been no change in the original plan of sending four British warships to the Hudson-Fulton celebration.

# Standing by Her Husband



MR. AND MRS. DWIGHT FORTNER.

St. Louis, Sept. 11.—Mrs. Dwight Fortner is standing bravely by her husband, who is charged with embezzlement and who is confined in jail here awaiting trial. Mrs. Fortner has informed him she will do all in her power to assist him. She is sponsoring the sumner in Wisconsin and has not yet returned home.

# INTENSELY EXCITED OVER WEDDING

### ROMAN CATHOLICS ARE GREATLY INTERESTED IN FORTH-COMING NUPTIALS.

Dingwall, Scotland, Sept. 11.—The little Roman Catholic settlement here is intensely interested in the wedding of Prince Miguel Braganza and Miss Anita Stewart, daughter of Mrs. James Henry Smith of New York, which will be celebrated September 15.

The event is being described as "the first royal wedding in Scotland since that of Mary, queen of Scots" and the people throughout the district are preparing to make it a semi-public affair.

There will be bonfires on the surrounding hills, around which the villagers will give their highland dances. The little town is gaily decorated. The wedding itself, however, will be quietly celebrated. The prince has carefully pointed out that the marriage will not be Morgannatic. He has renounced his claim to the throne of Portugal and will only assume the titles which his wife may take with equal right. Accordingly, they will be known, for a time at least, as the Duke and Duchess of Viseu.

After the ceremony, the party will motor back to Tulloch castle, which Mrs. Smith has taken for the season and where the wedding breakfast will be served. Later the couple will start on a honeymoon trip by automobile.

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# WOULD OPEN LANDS.

Honolulu, Sept. 11.—The members of the congressional delegation which visited Hilo today expressed strong opinions in favor of the opening up of the great areas of land in that vicinity suitable for American farmers.

# SUIT IS COMMENCED TO RECOVER LANDS

Los Angeles, Sept. 11.—Suit was filed today in the federal court here involving title to oil bearing lands in the Coolidge, Midway and other oil fields of central California, said to be worth upward of \$5,000,000 and now held by the Southern Pacific company of California. The suit is filed by T. S. Minot, an attorney of San Francisco. The total area of land involved is about 500,000 acres. It was granted to the Southern Pacific Railroad company more than 40 years ago. Estates were granted several years ago. It is the validity of the government's patents which is now being attacked contending that the land was granted on the express stipulation that the land was more valuable as agricultural land than as mineral land. A statement published by a local newspaper today credits Minot with saying that James J. Hill, of the great Northern railroad is interested in the prospective litigation.

# OFFICER'S SLAYER IS TO BE HANGED

Omaha, Sept. 11.—John Masourides, the Greek who killed Officer Lowery last February, was today sentenced to be hanged January 19.

After the killing, a mob formed and drove all the Greeks out of South Omaha, several persons being wounded and considerable property destroyed.

Claims for damages amounting to over \$250,000 were put into the hands of the Greek minister at Washington by Greek citizens who suffered by the outbreak.

# WORK BEING RUSHED ON HALL

### PREPARATIONS BEING MADE FOR EXHIBITS AT DRY FARMING CONGRESS.

Billings, Mont., Sept. 11.—While farmers throughout the west are preparing samples of their products for display at the International Dry Farming exposition, which will be held at Billings, Mont., October 25-29 in connection with the Fourth Dry Farming congress, the Montana Board of control is rushing work on the exhibit hall where the results of dry farming operations will be exhibited in ocular demonstration of the success of intelligent application of scientific principles in practical agriculture.

For the main division of the exposition the local committee has secured the wool warehouse, one of the largest buildings in Billings. The building is 60x160 feet and is located along the railroad tracks in the center of the city. Its barn-like interior is being transformed from the unattractive crudities of warehouse architecture into an attractive exhibition hall by a force of carpenters and decorators. Two high partitions will divide the room into three compartments or large aisles, with a total of 92,000 square feet of wall space. At the base of each partition and around the walls of the entire building shelves are being built, which will give nearly 4000 square feet of space, making a total of approximately 96,000 square feet of available exhibit space.

Various Products.

The grains and grasses and other products which are to be displayed in bundles or sheafs will be displayed on the walls, and threshed grains, fruits and vegetables will be shown on the shelves. A false ceiling is being put in 14 feet from the floor and decorated with bunting and flags. The walls will have a background of black cloth. When the exhibits are in place the gold and green of grains and grasses outlined against the black background, and the red, white and blue of the national colors upon the ceiling and about the walls, will make a picture of striking artistic effectiveness.

The floor space will be divided into 20-foot squares and above the center of each square will be an arc light. These arc lights, supported by numerous small, incandescent lamps, will make the exposition hall a scene of brilliancy in the evenings.

One track has been ordered vacated by the railroad and two large platforms extending the length of the warehouse will be available for exhibits of machinery. Arc lights will be hung over those platforms and across the tracks and along the streets for several blocks lights will be placed so as to make this portion of the town a veritable city of lights during the exposition.

A great arch is being built across the Montana avenue entrance to Twenty-sixth street, on which is located the Orphan block, in which the congress has its headquarters. This arch will be illuminated with the national colors. The decoration committee is working out an elaborate lighting scheme which will cover the entire business district of the city.

Exhibits Arriving.

Exhibits are already beginning to arrive at Billings for the coming exposition and are being placed in the exhibition hall. While the exhibit committee is receiving assurance from a number of the western states and foreign countries interested in dry farming that exhibits will be sent to Billings, it is believed that there will be ample space for all, although the committee urges that space reservations be made without delay. Reserve space is being provided in case the warehouse and adjacent platforms should prove inadequate.

Practically every agricultural county of the state will be represented in the Montana exhibit. Other western states and foreign countries will have smaller exhibits. Enough has been learned of the probable extent of the coming exposition to make it certain that this will be the greatest demonstration of the success of dry farming that has ever been shown.

A feature of the exposition which will prove interesting will be the division of farm machinery. Implement manufacturers all over the country, especially those who make implements particularly adapted to dry farming, are keenly interested in the congress and will have their wares on exhibition at Billings. Demonstrations of the usefulness of the implements will be made during the congress.

Two of the silver cups that will be awarded during the exposition have been received and are on exhibition in Billings. One is offered by the Billings Chamber of Commerce for the best display of grasses and cultivated forage crops, open to the world. The other is a cup given by W. H. George of Billings for the largest delegation from any continental body, town, county, state or nation attending and registering in a body at the Fourth Dry Farming congress. Montana is barred from competition for this cup. These are both magnificent silver trophies, valued at \$150 each. As soon as other cups which have been pledged for the exposition arrive a special exhibit of trophy cups will be made at Billings prior to the opening of the congress.

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# MASTER OF WHALER RETURNS

### BRINGS NEWS OF VESSELS THAT ARE NOW IN THE FROZEN NORTH.

Seattle, Sept. 11.—Captain George W. Porter, an old-time whaling master of San Francisco, who was sent to Point Barrow this spring on the whaler Karliuk has arrived here. He traveled from Point Barrow to Nome on the revenue cutter Thetis and to Vancouver on the British steamship Greenwich. He says the Karliuk reached Point Barrow August 4. With the Thetis and whaler Herman he was held 11 days until the wind changed and took the ice away, freeing Herschell Island, near the mouth of the McKenzie river. The Herman has 8,000 pounds of bone and the Karliuk has 2,000 pounds.

Captain Porter reports the trader Teddy Bear, in charge of Joe Bernard, at Teller, bound for Herschell Islands with supplies.

The Mary Sachs, which trades in the Kotz, Deering and Candle districts also was at Teller. The Volante from Seattle, in command of Captain Luckland, was at Wainwright inlet, August 17. She will return to Nome to get a new stock of school and mission supplies.

# CLEAR FOR FRISCO.

Los Angeles, Sept. 11.—The steamer Charles Nelson cleared today for San Francisco, where she will load freight and merchandise for Portland and Seattle.

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