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Matinee Saturday at 2:30.

PRICES—10c, 20c and 30c.

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Two evenings of moving pictures only, and four evenings of vaudeville at the Grand this week.

Monday and Tuesday MOVING PICTURES ONLY Admission upstairs 5c; ground floor 10c.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday REFINED VAUDEVILLE PERFORMANCE EACH EVENING.

Matinees Thursday, Friday and Saturday only. PRIZE MATINEE FRIDAY.

SPECIAL FOR NEXT WEDNESDAY ALALIO SERENADERS GEO. TRUMP, Equilibrist.

SHOE SALE AT THE Workingmen's Friend Clothing Store 131 WEST FRONT STREET

EAGLES SOAR HIGH IN LIVINGSTON

SECOND DAY OF STATE CONVENTION IS MARKED BY MANY INTERESTING EVENTS.

Livingston, July 20.—(Special)—The second day of the Eagles' convention proved a bigger success than the opening day and it is now a certainty that the convention of 1910 will eclipse any other like event ever held in the state. The morning trains swelled the crowds with several hundred visitors, including several bands. Among the arrivals this morning were a number of prominent Montanans who came to Livingston imbued with the spirit of having a good time and judging from the appearance of the streets, hotel lobbies and public places of amusement they, together with the hundreds of visitors from far and near, are having it. The fun making on the streets today is a repetition of that of yesterday, except that there was more spirit, larger crowds and a better feeling all along the line today. The musical program of today was a feature of entertainment and the crowd enjoyed some excellent concerts.

The Butte delegation arrived this morning 100 strong, accompanied by the Montana state band. This is one of the best musical organizations that has ever been heard in Livingston. During the afternoon the band gave a concert which was greatly enjoyed and which called forth much favorable comment.

The Business Session.

A good portion of the day was given to the business session of the convention and much business relation to the work of the order throughout Montana was transacted. The report of State Secretary Logan shows a remarkable gain in membership during the past year and the finances of the order are in an excellent condition. Representatives of the various local aeries report a healthy condition and state that the outlook for a heavy growth during the coming year is excellent. Tomorrow is to be the big day and a most elaborate program has been prepared. Hozeman is coming over and is after the convention. The crowd will be by special train accompanied by a band and sweet peas galore. The Bozemanites are after the convention and threaten to sweep Miles City and Anaconda from the boards. Among the prominent delegates in attendance at the convention are W. B. George of Billings, Attorney General Galen, Colonel Tom McTague, Finley McTear and W. A. Logan, state secretary.

CHURCHILL PLANS A PRISON REFORM

London, July 20.—In the house of commons tonight Winston Spencer Churchill, the home secretary, outlined sweeping reforms in the prison system which are to be inaugurated partly by administrative order and partly by the new bill in parliament. His object, Mr. Churchill explained, is to treat criminals with more humanitarian methods and as far as possible, to prevent their degradation by prison life. Briefly, he wishes to afford longer time for the payment of fines and to prevent imprisonment for their non-payment and to substitute disciplinary or curative methods for imprisonment in the cases of youthful and minor offenders.

LOSES EAR IN RUNAWAY.

Wallace, July 19.—(Special)—E. W. Becker, a business man of Murray, was driving home from Wallace when his horse became unmanageable because of fright at a passing automobile. Mr. Becker left the rig and went to the head of the horse. While the horse was rearing and jumping, one of Mr. Becker's ears became caught in the bridle and was torn off. The patient is receiving treatment at the Murray hospital.

Entire Change Program TONIGHT AT The ISIS

NEW STENOGRAPHER APPOINTED

DRY FARMING CONGRESS EMPLOYEE SELECTED FOR COURT POSITION AT BOZEMAN.

Spokane, July 20.—W. E. Jolliffe, assistant to the secretary of the fifth dry farming congress, with headquarters in Spokane, has been appointed official reporter of the district court of Gallatin county, Mont., by Judge W. R. C. Stewart, sitting at Bozeman, at a salary of \$3,000 a year, and will assume the office on August 1. His successor here has not yet been appointed. Mr. Jolliffe is a native of Canada, but he went to Plymouth, Mich., when 3 years of age, after graduating from the high school there he worked his way through the law school of the University of Michigan by doing shorthand and typewriting. He came to Spokane to do court reporting September 3, 1909, and went to Billings, Mont., as assistant to John T. Burns, secretary of the dry farming congress, on September 17, remaining in that position to the present time. He was also secretary of the exhibition committee of the International exposition, which will take place in connection with the dry farming congress in Spokane, October 3 to 8.

Mr. Jolliffe will marry Miss Elsie Eddy of Plymouth, Mich., at the home of her parents on September 1, after which he and his bride will make their home at Bozeman, Mont.

FIRE REPORTS HAVE BEEN EXAGGERATED

Libby, July 20.—(Special)—Contrary to stories that have been afloat in some quarters, no towns in Lincoln county have been burned or threatened by forest fires during the past week, and it is not probable that anything of the kind will ever happen, for it would have to be a most extreme condition that would cause any town in this county to be burned on account of forest fires.

A large number of small fires have been put out by the fire guards in the forestry service during the past few days, and there are a number of fires burning now, but all are under control. Practically all the fires have been confined to the country along the railroad right of way, where patrols and guards are constantly on duty, who put the fires out as fast as they start. A large number of men are working for the forestry service as fire guards, more men having been hired this summer to fight fires than ever before.

MILL CLOSED DOWN.

Wallace, July 20.—(Special)—The Alice mill has been closed down. The Alice mining property is located near Mullan. The Alice became a shipper early this year of lead-silver ore and has shipped \$125,000 worth of ore since. The mine is being developed but may be shut down soon. There is plenty of ore exposed to continue shipments and the actual reason for the management closing the work down is a mystery. It is believed to be due to some temporary complications among the owners.

WALLACE NEWS

Wallace, July 20.—Andrew Carnegie has rejected the plans drawn for the library in Wallace and which had been approved by the Wallace library building committee because the reading rooms were placed in the rear of the building. He suggests that the plans provide for the reading rooms in the front of the structure.

Three diamond drills will be started to work this week at the Mineral Point lead-silver mine near Osborne. The Mineral Point formerly shipped and has considerable rich ore exposed now. A Spokane syndicate is pushing development rapidly.

Armed with a huge sledge W. J. Weyer, a Wallace business man, tore up the tracks of the O. R. & N. as fast as they were laid on property situated at the edge of Wallace and claimed by Mr. Weyer. He had a contest with the railroad over this land several years ago. He had his title quieted after a legal battle. While Mr. Weyer was away today an O. R. & N. section crew began laying rails for a sidetrack. Over 200 feet of rails were laid before Mr. Weyer was notified by friends. He procured the largest sledge hammer he could find and proceeded to knock loose every rail laid. The section crew continued to lay track and as fast as the rails were in place Mr. Weyer tore them up. He did not offer violence to the section men, saying he knew they were under orders, and he was not disturbed by the men. The latter finally quit work in disgust and notified the railroad company's attorneys here.

The Great Council of the Red Men of Idaho which has been in session at Burke, has chosen Grangeville as the place of meeting next year. Among the officers for the state chosen are Great Sachem E. H. Magnus of Boise, Great Senior Sachem Walter Murphy of Burke, Great Chief of Records J. A. Harroder of Payette, Great Keeper of Wampum H. C. Hart of Boise, and J. L. Seawell of Payette, state representative to the great council of the United States.

The forest fire situation is better now than for weeks though one of the large fires, that on Copper creek, is not under control. The rest seem to have done all the damage they will. About 2,000 acres of timber land has been devastated, several hundred thou-

WHEN you can buy the same clothing we sell regularly---our peerless PREMIER suits, genuine Hart, Schaffner & Marx suits and WOOL WORTH suits---at such prices as we are making in this JULY CLEARANCE SALE you'll readily see that such values are about double what you can usually get for your money.



Suits that sold all season at \$12.50 you can buy for \$8.75.

Suits that we've sold hundreds of at \$15.00 and \$16.00 are going for \$9.75.

Suits that had no comparison in town at \$18.00, \$20.00 and \$22.50 are going quickly at \$12.75.

Suits that sold at \$25.00 and \$27.50 have been reduced to \$16.75.

Suits, good values at \$30.00, now \$18.75.

Suits for which \$35.00 was a reasonable price are now \$21.75.

Suits, the finest you can buy anywhere, regularly \$40.00 and \$45.00, only \$24.75.

In young men's suits, chaps from 17 years up, the reductions are even more striking, being cut a full 50 per cent—Suits sold at from \$10 to \$35.00, now going at, from \$5.00 to \$17.50

THE clearance of men's custom made trousers deserves the attention of every economical man; one-fourth off is the rule, making regular \$3.00 to \$10.00 trousers now \$2.25 to \$7.50; all the young men's peg-top trousers at half price—Regularly \$3.50 to \$8.00, now \$1.75 to \$4.00.

FINEST Shirts made—Manhattans—at savings men appreciate; \$2.00 ones, \$1.35; \$2.50, now \$1.85; \$3.00, now \$2.25, etc. The \$1.50 Coronet shirts priced now at 85c, are moving out at a rapid rate; 65c and 75c work shirts at 35c need no special urging.

STRAW Hats and Panamas as lightly priced as they are light—all Straw Hats reduced to half price, while \$3.90 buys a \$5.00 Panama, \$5.00 a \$7.50 one, and so on.

BOYS' and Children's clothing—the better kind for which this store has an established reputation; all sizes, from 2 1/2 to 16 years, in a clearance that offers rare opportunities for saving.

Boys' Suits, regular prices \$3 to \$12 - - \$1.50 to \$6

Juvenile Suits, regular prices \$4.50 to \$8 - \$2.25 to \$4

Children's Wash Suits, regular prices \$1.50 to \$4 - 75c to \$2

TRAVELERS and would-be travelers are reaping a harvest in this clearance of all trunks, suitcases and traveling bags at a discount of 25 per cent.

Other Clearances Now Going on Here

- Clearance of Summer Silks, Wash Goods, Neckwear, Belts, Remnants of all kinds.
- Clearance of Women's and Misses' Apparel and Millinery.
- Clearance of Odd Lots of Men's, Women's and Children's Summer Footwear.
- Clearance of Furniture, Carpets, Curtains, Draperies, etc.

The Store That Makes Good

Missoula Mercantile Co.

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sand dollars worth of timber destroyed and about \$6,000 has been spent on wages for fire fighters during the past seven days.

The thermometer reached 99 degrees above zero here yesterday, it being the warmest day for years in the Couer d'Alenes.

Sheriff Hodges of King county, Wash., is on his way here from Seattle to take charge of Herbert Ford, alias Albert Strout, and Irene Mitchell, alias Cora Brunn, who were arrested as fugitives from justice. They are wanted in Seattle on a statutory charge which is said to have been preferred by the woman's husband, a prominent business man of the coast city. Both are in jail under \$1,000 bonds each.

Burglars entered the White & Bender grocery store last night and obtained \$50 from the money drawer in the office. The Holy Trinity church was also entered and \$22 taken from the "birthday" box in the Sunday school room. Into this box the children dropped pennies, one for each year, whenever they had a birthday.

The smoke from the big forest fire on Pina creek has hung over all the towns in the Couer d'Alenes for several days. The ashes from the huge 3,000-acre fire are carried as far as 20 miles. The streets in Wallace are covered every morning. In Osburn the children make a pastime of catching the flakes of ashes in their hands.

Several hundred men are employed by the Milwaukee Railroad company in the construction of their Big creek branch line toward Wallace. More men are being employed as fast as

they can be hired. While the Big creek line is being built to reach the valuable timber holdings along the stream, yet the preliminary surveys showed that a 500-foot tunnel through the mountain would enable the road to come through to Wallace.

The forest supervisor here has been requested by the Indian office in Washington, D. C., to send help to the Indian agent on the Couer d'Alene reservation where the forest fires are bad. The request has been refused as all the men are engaged in fire fighting here.

John Morgan heard a noise at his front door last night. He supposed it was his dog and arose to let the animal in. He met a burglar at the door instead and that gentleman left rapidly for the alley across the street. Mr. Morgan, clad in night robe only, gave chase for a block. The burglar stumbled and fell once, dropping his hat, watch and a pair of pliers.

Ore carrying wire silver in large quantities is being taken from the upper workings of the Roanoke property near Wardner. The ore corresponds in richness to that taken from the upper tunnel of the famous Sierra Nevada property in the same vicinity.

William Scellers, aged 35 years, was drilling in the Jack White mine at Murray when his drill encountered a "bung" charge of dynamite. The resulting explosion knocked him down and filled his face with bits of rock. It is not believed he will recover his sight.

With a total deposit of a little over \$2,000,000 in the three Wallace banks, this city still claims the distinction

which it has claimed for years, that of being the richest city per capita in the United States. The deposits indicate that there is on deposit in the banks \$700 for every man and woman and child in Wallace.

A WORTHY CAUSE.

Editor Missoulian: At the G. A. R. encampment, held in Helena this year, the writer was made patriot instructor for the auxiliary body, the Woman's Relief corps.

It is according to Scripture more blessed to be useful than ornamental, and the business of patriotism requires haste in Montana. No sooner was the newly elected official installed in office than she had to face the charge that Montana was delinquent in the matter of helping to save the Francis Scott Key home, in Washington, D. C. Some people could hardly tell the difference between Francis Scott Key and a modern, middle aged literary man. I asked a citizen of Billings for a subscription for the purpose of conserving this resource of American patriotism and what do you suppose he said?

"I won't give a cent to any democratic president that ever lived." There are 5,000 citizens of Montana who will give me checks or other bits of the circulating medium for the saving of the home nest wherein the national song, "The Star Spangled Banner," was written. The conviction is set like a bear trap in my mind that instead of being at the bottom Montana is good enough to be at the head of this enterprise. All the money in the state will not be needed this fall to move the crops. Some of it can be spared to make the country sit up and take notice to the way Montana does things when she is once interested. Please turn on the editorial power

and set the sparks to flying in this righteous cause. Cause the trumpet to give forth no uncertain sound. Montana can do more for the nation by lending a hand here than by sending a new set of hired men to Washington. Help to agitate for a liberal subscription to the Francis Scott Key home. Yours for the flag,

ALICE L. FREE, Patriotic Instructor, Woman's Relief Corps, Dept. Montana, 206 North Twenty-Ninth street, Billings, Mont. P. S.—All subscriptions will be acknowledged and receipted for. Billings, July 15, 1910.

DENTISTS APPROVE.

Denver, July 20.—The National Dental association at its session in this city today adopted a resolution heartily endorsing Senator Owen's bill for a national department of public health. Senator Owen's measure provides for a cabinet officer to be at the head of the proposed department. The convention also voted its approval of the navy department bill giving rank to dentists in the United States navy.

Stolen—\$25.00 Reward.

I will give a reward of \$25.00 for any information leading to the recovery of the horse, buggy, harness, whip, two laprobes, and currycomb and brush stolen from my barn three miles northeast of Farnham, between the hours of 1 and 5:30 a. m. the morning of July 3. Horse 14 1/2 hands high, unbranded but with right ear nipped, color, a strawberry roan; has a quarter split in each front foot; wore a brass trimmed harness; the buggy was a rubber-tired runabout, Michigan make, right shaft broken and mended. Address D. C. Welty, Hamilton, Montana.

EXTRA! EXTRA! EXTRA!

The BIJOU

Wednesday and Thursday---Matinee Thursday King Edward's Funeral

With Colonel Roosevelt, as Special Ambassador for the United States. The best picture of the past year—one that should be seen by all.

A HONEYMOON FOR THREE

A laugh in every foot. A thousand feet of laughable comedy. If you don't laugh it isn't our fault. The laugh producer from lughtown. You simply can't help but laugh.

THE TWO PORTRAITS

Just like all Bijou pictures. A feature by itself. A show in itself. If you miss these you will miss something real good. Three thousand feet of all feature program, with a great song by the popular Ed Leynasser.

Monday evening we give away the Car Line lot.