

A REGULAR ENIGMA IS HIGGINS

MISSOULA MEMBER OF THE HOUSE PUZZLES HIS ASSOCIATES IMMENSELY.

Helena, Jan. 11.—(Special.)—The republicans find Ronald Higgins a puzzling proposition. They are afraid to approach him. It has been known for some time that Mr. Higgins did not intend to vote for Senator Thomas H. Carter unless something unusual happened. Just after the election he was quoted as saying that he would not support Mr. Carter. The Carter men are afraid to approach him. His attitude is not known to anybody save himself. He is an enigma. Two republicans were discussing him. One said: "You go and see him." "Nope, you do it," was the ready response. "They would like to belt the cat, but nobody wants the job. That is the way it looks now. In the meantime Mr. Higgins is enjoying life in a quiet way. One of his friends saw him clip an account of Governor Marshall's message to the Indiana legislature out of a paper the other day. It will be recalled that Mr. Marshall warned the lawmakers against "high-flyers." The Missoula county house member is not keeping company with any high rollers. Instead, he walks, sniffing the Helena breeze, watches the boys, and pays his own way. He is more than interesting.

"Will the republicans have a caucus?" a well-known republican leader was asked today. "No, we do not need one," was the reply. "Will all vote for one man?" "All except five or six."

Ronald Higgins is listed with the insurgents.

Notice.

Mr. H. A. Sparks of 1008 Sherwood street has taken the agency for the Grand Union Tea company and will call on all old as well as new customers in the near future. All business given him will be appreciated by Grand Union Tea company, D. R. Dawson. Phone 1684.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days. Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

Dr. W. B. Parsons has taken rooms 10, 11 and 12 in the Allen block and will be ready for business this week.

For EXCHANGE

A GENERAL MERCHANDISE STORE, not far from Missoula for a good city home.

If you have a good piece of property not too far out on south side worth between \$5,000 and \$10,000 and want to trade it for a good paying general merchandise store, come in and we will tell you about it.

W. H. SMEAD CO. Higgins Block Phone 212 Red Missoula, Mont.



Time Extended

Owing to the fact that so many out-of-town prospective piano buyers could not visit our new warehouses during our sale, we have been allowed 10 days extension of time in which to honor all unused Factory Piano Bonds making them good until January 20, 1911.

\$500 Reward

will cheerfully be paid by ORTON BROS. to any charitable institution in this city if anyone can prove and will establish the fact that the prices on these instruments have been raised a dollar (and on many of them prices reduced) from the regular retail list prices. You will readily see, therefore, that your Piano Bond is of great value to you if used before January 20, 1911. We are in Missoula to stay, and will establish a permanent store here as a distributing point for all western Montana.

ORTON BROS.

(Established 1886) Montana's Oldest and Largest Piano Dealers (HARNOIS THEATER BUILDING) MISSOULA, MONTANA

TELEGRAPH OFFICIALS VISIT IN MISSOULA

E. C. Labadie and U. G. Life, departmental superintendents of the Western Union Telegraph company, with headquarters at Salt Lake, arrived in Missoula yesterday morning and spent the day looking over the company's office at this place. This morning the officials will go to Hamilton and spend the day at that place inspecting the property of the Western Union company. In the evening they will return to Missoula and will go at once to Spokane, where they will meet officials of the same company from the coast districts for a general conference.

Recently the Western Union company redistricted its business sections in the west and the superintendents are now inspecting their new territories. The general offices have been changed from Seattle to Salt Lake, the latter office directing the affairs of Utah, Montana, Idaho, Washington and British Columbia west of Fernie to the coast. Superintendent Life said last night he expected to establish a great number of new offices in this immediate district.

N. P.'S ICEMAN MAKES DARN FOOL OF HIMSELF

Again have the prayers of the Northern Pacific's chief iceman been answered. For several days there has been much concern at Blossberg on account of the condition of the ice. With the first snap cut and out of the way the weather had only been cold enough to freeze the pond again to a depth of eight inches. That was not enough and yesterday there was a session of prayer and the weather man was most earnestly invoked to send a cold wave from the north. Swiftly came the answer. The thermometer commenced registering a falling mercury early in the evening. At an early hour this morning the iceman called up the headquarters here and announced that it was 28 below zero at that time, and that the worst storm of the winter was making. Reports from along the line at the same time showed the storm sweeping westward. Garrison had been reached by 2 a. m. and still the cold wave continued to advance.

STOMACH REMEDY

Guaranteed by George Freisheimer. If your stomach is weak and constantly upset, you must quickly do one of two things. Allow the rest of your body to become as weak as your stomach. Or make your stomach as strong as your body. There is only one choice for those who want to live and enjoy life, and that is to make the stomach as strong as the body. This can best be done by using the prescription of a specialist that in years of practice gave immediate relief and permanent cure to 85 per cent of the people who used it. This prescription is known from coast to coast as Mi-o-na. Mi-o-na stomach tablets, most people call them, are guaranteed by George Freisheimer to cure indigestion (acute or chronic) or any upset condition of the stomach, or money back. In five minutes they give relief from heartburn, acid stomach, gas on stomach, belching of sour food, fermentation, heartburn and waterbrash. If you suffer from stomach trouble get a large 50 cent box of Mi-o-na stomach tablets today and put yourself on the road to health. At George Freisheimer's and leading druggists everywhere.

STOMACH DISTRESS ENDED FOREVER

DYSPEPSIA, GAS, HEARTBURN OR INDIGESTION ARE RELIEVED IN FIVE MINUTES.

If you had some Diapepsin handy and would take a little now your stomach distress or indigestion would vanish in five minutes and you would feel fine. This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour, out-of-order stomach before you realize it.

If your meals don't tempt you, or what little you do eat seems to fill you, or lays like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of indigestion.

Ask your pharmacist for a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a little just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, nausea, debilitating headaches, dizziness or intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no undigested food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it prevents fermentation and takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is at any drug store waiting for you.

These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to thoroughly cure almost any case of dyspepsia, indigestion or any other stomach disturbance.

VICTORIA SOLD.

L. W. Norman has transferred his effects and lease at the Victoria rooming house to L. Herrick of the Orchard Homes. Mr. Herrick takes charge of the place at once.

M'KAY BUYS HOME.

R. H. McKay has bought the R. H. Billings home on Brooks street, through the agency of Taylor & Pearson.

THE WEATHER COLDER

It was probably the breath from the cold storms raging round about which blew this way yesterday. The thermometer registered a few points lower, but still did not get so low as to make things very uncomfortable. Fair weather is this, about which no one should complain. There was no snow or rain recorded yesterday, the following being the figures for the thermometer and barometer:

Table with weather data: Maximum 44, Minimum 33, At 6 a. m. Thermometer 21, Barometer 26.12, At 6 p. m. Thermometer 30, Barometer 26.07, Prevailing wind from the south.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

LADY LIVING ALONE WANTS large watch dog. Need not be thoroughbred, state lowest cash price. Address A. W. N., 509 Brooks street.

LAD PLEADS GUILTY TO LARCENY CHARGE

Ed DeRosier, an 18-year-old youth who has been doing farm work near Missoula since last spring, was arrested yesterday morning at the Missoula Brick company's yard west of town on a warrant charging him with petty larceny. DeRosier entered a plea of guilty when confronted with a complaint alleging the theft of a valuable revolver, leather scabbard and cartridge belt from the residence of a half-breed named Legrandeur living near Tzara. DeRosier claimed that the gun was one which he had sold to Legrandeur, but the latter had failed to complete his part of the bargain in the matter of payment. In view of this alleged fact, the youth said he entered the Legrandeur house and removed the property which he pawned with a Missoula broker. Through information furnished by a companion, the arrest of the culprit was made. DeRosier was fined \$10, which he paid.

POLICEMAN CAPTURES DESERTING SOLDIER

Archie Young, alias Charles Smith, a colored man, was arrested yesterday morning by Police Officer Gil Houle at the headquarters of the colored club on information furnished by the war department, Young being designated a deserter from the United States army. The prisoner stoutly maintained his innocence, declaring that he was not the man wanted. Later, when taken to Fort Missoula, he confessed, stating that he deserted from Fort George Wright, Spokane, in October, 1910; Young enlisted in company L, Twenty-fifth infantry, last April.

Dance.

Dance at "Car Barn Dance Hall" Saturday night. Free lunch served.

Music Lessons.

Professor Gustav Fischer, teacher of violin and piano, 419 South Third street. Bell 359.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Smoke Wm Hooper cigars. E. E. Hershby has returned from a short trip up the Bitter Root valley. Dr. Willard, osteopath, 1st Nat'l bank, Alloway's cafe, opposite postoffice. Swift Courville, a resident of Plains, is spending a few days in this city on business.

Dr. Ward, veterinarian, Tel. 33 or 531. Marsh, the undertaker, Phone 321. H. W. Martin, a Shiner rancher, was a business visitor in the Garden city Wednesday.

Stenographer, Dawson, Montana Elk Missoula and western Montana directory for sale at Missoulian office.

Mrs. J. G. Held leaves on train No. 41 this morning for a three months' visit with her eldest son in Pasadena, Cal.

Drink John Gundy's Peerless beer. For catering, call up Mrs. Cronburg's new number, 416 Red.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Gelsion, who have been visiting with friends in this city, left yesterday for Victoria, B. C., their home.

Dr. J. Louise Smith, osteopath, Masonic temple, Phone 618; res 533 R. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carson arrived in Missoula yesterday from Everett, Wash., and will locate on an orchard tract near Corvallis.

Dr. Anna James, osteopath, Phone 344 Black, Higgins block.

Mrs. John R. Dally, who was recently operated on at Rochester, Minn., is reported quite ill at her home on the south side.

Go to Crystal barber shop, Montana block, the finest in the state.

H. D. Galsbush, an office employe of the Missoula Mercantile company, resumed work yesterday, following a period of inactivity due to an injured eye.

Missoula and western Montana directory for sale at Missoulian office.

Miss Alice Nell, who has conducted a kindergarten in the Bourdeau building on South Higgins avenue, will conduct the school to the basement of the Roosevelt building today.

Dry cordwood, slabs and edgings. Riberty Lumber Co., Telephone 743.

R. C. Montgomery, who is connected with White Brothers in the construction of the Blackfoot railway, has returned from Chicago and points in Kansas and Texas, where he spent the holidays.

R. H. Melaney, ivory, hack and transfer, Phone 655; Ind. 547.

Charles H. Dunlap, manager of the construction department of the Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone company, arrived from headquarters in Helena yesterday and will spend several days in this city looking over the local plant.

For sale, at Missoulian office, nice leather pocket pencil pad holder, 75 cents. Made in the bindery.

Dr. Riessland, the optical specialist, in Hammond block, has sold his practice here and leaves January 24. All desiring to consult him must do so before that time. Consultation free.

J. D. MacVicar, engineer-in-chief to White Brothers, contractors, who went to the coast to spend the holidays, is now in British Columbia looking after business affairs in which the contracting firm is interested. Mr. MacVicar is expected home in about two weeks.

Newton H. Schweiker, optical specialist, Rooms 263 and 265 Montana block.

The remains of Al Schroeder, the Northern Pacific brakeman who was killed at St. Regis on Monday, were forwarded to Baltimore, Md., for burial. Mrs. Schroeder, together with



Women's Long Kimonos, One-Fourth Off

A good assortment of women's long crepe and velour kimonos, becomingly trimmed with braids of sateen, satin and silk ribbon, in both belted and loose effects. Price, ONE-FOURTH OFF.

Women's heavy velour bathrobes, in pink, light blue and tan; collar and sleeves trimmed with satin bands. ONE-FOURTH OFF.

Women's and Children's Underwear & Hosiery

- Women's fleeced union suits from a suit, 75c to \$1.75
Women's mixed wool and cotton union suits, in gray and cream; suit, \$1.75
Women's Swiss ribbed union suits, in silk and wool; a suit, \$3.00 to \$4.50
Boys' non-shrinkable union suits, in gray, all sizes; special, suit, \$1.25
Misses' fleeced union suits, color cream, in all sizes, suit, 75c
Misses' black pants, all sizes, pair, 75c
Women's wool hose, from, pair, 25c to \$1
Women's silk embroidered hose, in colors; broken lots to close out; regular \$2.50 values; special, pair, \$1.69
Children's wool hose, pair, 25c to 50c
Children's heavy ribbed school hose, all sizes, pair, 15c
Infants' cashmere hose, all colors, from 1 1/2 to 6 1/2; a pair, 25c

Spring Sewing Specials

This is the time of the year when you begin to think about making up your white wear for the coming season. Take notice of these three specials.

- EMBROIDERY 3/4c YARD. A large assortment of embroidery edging and insertion, an especially good value for trimming underwear; yard, 3/4c
18-INCH CORSET EMBROIDERY, YARD 19c. 25c corset embroidery, in a variety of designs, 18-inches wide; yard, 19c
ENGLISH TORCHON YD. 5c. Yards and yards of English Torchon wash lace, especially good for underwear; insertion to match, yard, 5c

Men's \$22.50 and \$20 Suits and Overcoats, Now \$11.95

Come in and See Them and Try Them On.

Your One Best Chance to Buy a Winter Suit Now.

SLOPPY CROSS-WALKS

Good Rubbers Help

MAPES & MAPES Best School Shoes in Western Montana



JUST SAY HOW MUCH

You want and we'll cut you off the meat you require. It will be as nearly all meat too as we can make it. That means little or no waste and a consequent savings which is a consideration to most people these days. We do our best to keep down "The High Cost of Living."

Koopmann & Wissbrod

Savoy Hotel Cafe Business Men's Lunch

From 12 to 2 p. m. 35c Music—Violin and Piano. After-theater parties a specialty.

"Just Say" HORLICK'S Malted Milk

The Food-drink for All Ages. More healthful than Tea or Coffee. Agrees with the weakest digestion. Deobis, invigorating and nutritious. Rich milk, malted grain, powder form. A quick lunch prepared in a minute. Take no substitutes. Ask for HORLICK'S. Others are imitations.

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

Colds Cause Headache Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world wide cold and grip remedy removes cause. Call for full name. Look for signature, E. W. Groves, 25c.

Write for Our CATALOGUE

OF FRUIT TREES, SHADE TREES, PERENNIALS, ANNUALS And everything that goes to make orchard and garden good.

MISSOULA NURSERY COMPANY

WATSON TRANSFER CO.

You will find our agents at all trains to care for your trunks and baggage. We do a general transfer and storage business. It will pay theatrical troupes to make arrangements with us for moving their trunks to opera house. Scavenger wagon also operated in the city. We have the U. S. mail contract. Telephone No. 571. Hamilton, Montana.

"Suffered day and night the torment of itching piles. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Ointment. It cured me permanently."—Hon. John R. Garrett, mayor, Girard, Ala.