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BITTER ROOT NEWS CELEBRATION FANS MEET WEDNESDAY

FOURTH OF JULY COMMITTEES WILL GET TOGETHER IN HAMILTON.

Hamilton, June 10.—(Special).—The several committees in charge of the Fourth of July celebration to be held in this city will meet next Wednesday evening at the chamber of commerce building. All the members of the committees are earnestly requested to be present, as the date demands that the work of the several committees be outlined definitely. Most of the committees are at work on their part of the day's program, and are making good progress, but the executive committees wish to know at this meeting just what has been done by each.

Previous to this meeting Chairman Tolman and Secretary White of the executive committee, E. M. Welliver of the parade committee; M. L. H. Odea of the special feature committee, and J. J. Fitzgibbons of the racing committee, will tour the northern end of the valley by automobile to stir up interest in the celebration. Later other parts of the valley will be visited by these gentlemen. An invitation to all the people of Missoula will be extended at the time of the Good Roads convention to be held there soon. The naming of the carnival queen is open to every town in the valley, and a special float will be built for the town winning out in the contest.

POULTRY RANCH HAS ROOM AND CHICKENS

Hamilton, June 10.—(Special).—Alfred W. Williams was down yesterday from his orchard tract on Charles Heights. Mr. Williams has chosen the poultry business as a side line for his efforts while waiting for his trees to come into bearing. He has an ideal location for the business and is getting a nice start. He recently received 100 choice birds from the Cedar Lawn Poultry farm, located at Mankato, Minn., the shipment containing Buff Orpingtons, Buff Cochins, Banded Plymouth Rocks, Black Minorcas, Rhode Island Reds, Brown Leghorns, White Face Black Spanish and White Wyandottes, all being of the rose-comb variety. At the present time he has four incubators, each of 240 egg capacity, to bring out his first hatch. Mr. Williams says he does not expect to be ready this season to offer much for the market, but will be prepared next season to furnish eggs and pens of single birds of each variety.

ACCREDITED.

Stevensville, June 10.—(Special).—Superintendent Sharp of the Stevensville schools has received a letter from the state board of education informing him that the Stevensville high school has been placed upon the accredited list of the state, it having met the scholarship requirements. The Stevensville high school is now on an equal standing with any high school in the state, and the graduates may enter the state university without first passing an examination.

MARX FALLS.

Hamilton, June 10.—(Special).—Ed Marx, the big player who looks after flies in right field for Eddie Hammond, will go by the name of "Badger" Marx from now on so far as his teammates and local fans are concerned. During the reception and feed given Hammond's men last evening at the Hotel Hamilton, a badger fight was pulled off, with Ed as referee.

MR. McLAUGHLIN TO SPEAK.

Stevensville, June 10.—(Special).—John McLaughlin of Stevensville has been asked to deliver the memorial address at the L. O. O. F. lodge at Hamilton Sunday afternoon. Some time ago Mr. McLaughlin delivered the anniversary address of the local lodge here.

KELLOGG BACK.

Stevensville, June 10.—(Special).—Dr. Karl H. Kellogg, who for several weeks has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Kellogg of Battle Creek, Michigan, returned to Stevensville yesterday.

MISSIONARY SPEAKS.

Hamilton, June 10.—(Special).—Mrs. Eddy, a noted missionary, spoke of her work and the work of other missionaries at the Methodist church south last evening. A large audience listened to her interesting discourse, which was given without charge.

TO BUTTE.

Hamilton, June 10.—(Special).—Helen Lockwood left yesterday afternoon for Butte, where she will visit with relatives and friends, while taking her vacation from duties at the Valley Mercantile company store.

MRS. ODEA VISITS.

Hamilton, June 10.—(Special).—Mrs. M. L. H. Odea has gone to Helena, where she will visit for a few days with her parents.

FAVOR RECIPROCITY.

Detroit, June 10.—As the closing act of the week's convention here, the National Fraternity of Operative Millers today adopted resolutions in favor of the reciprocity agreement with Canada.

BITTER ROOT CROPS SPLENDID

WARM WEATHER OF PRESENT IS HELPING VEGETATION OF RICH VALLEY.

Hamilton, June 10.—(Special).—Ranchers in the vicinity of this city are much pleased over the wonderful spurt being made by all crops, as the result of the bountiful rainfall of the past two weeks, coupled with the warm weather being delivered by the weather man. The soil throughout the valley has been given one of the most thorough soakings it has ever seen at the hands of Mother Nature; and the present warm sunshine is hustling the growing crops at a lively clip. The continued cold weather experienced this spring has held most growing grains and vegetables back, but the present temperature has uncorked all the bottled energy of the young vegetation and is making the Bitter Root one continuous panorama of green. The fruit crop, which is one of the best in the history of the valley for this time of the year, is rapidly developing. The young apples, cherries and other fruits are swelling in size until the heavy loads on the trees are discernible from the highways. The promise of a bountiful crop in the valley this season has been talked of for some time, but as the season advances and the steady growth is watched, the enthusiasm of the rancher increases. With continued warmth for the next two weeks, the valley will undergo a change more noticeable than that of the past two weeks.

SLAGLE RETURNS.

Stevensville, June 10.—(Special).—Secretary Clyde Slagle of the Stevensville Chamber of Commerce, accompanied by his mother, arrived in Stevensville yesterday from Toledo, Ohio. Mr. Slagle has been absent from Stevensville for several weeks, during which time he visited a number of the important cities of Ohio. He expects to soon engage in the practice of law here.

CHAMBER IN VALLEY WILL GIVE SMOKER

Stevensville, June 10.—(Special).—A smoker will be given by the Stevensville Chamber of Commerce at its regular meeting, next Tuesday evening. The meeting will be an important one, and there will be a number of well-known men present from the outside, who will address the assembly. Among them are L. W. Lefevre, horticulturist for the Bitter Root Valley Irrigation company; Secretary Odea of the Hamilton Chamber of Commerce and President Owens of the Hamilton organization. Musical entertainment will be provided by Clare D. May, A. H. Perz, H. H. Hirsch and Charles Nelson.

STEVENSVILLE NEWS

Stevensville, June 10.—(Special).—Miss Ella Holt and Miss Camille Holt of Chicago arrived in Stevensville yesterday and are the guests of their sister, Mrs. A. H. Perz, at the Hills-shoemaker-Perz ranch. Hoke Sisk of Shelby, North Carolina, arrived here this week for a visit at the home of his uncle, S. S. Markes. He came to Stevensville from Denver, where he had been for some time. Miss Lois Tetreau, a graduate nurse, who for the past two years has been in Stevensville, left yesterday for her home near Chicago. She will visit friends in Milwaukee and Chicago before going to her home at St. Ann.

Mrs. George W. Dickinson returned to Stevensville Thursday from Ohio, where she had been visiting her old home. Mrs. Dickinson went from Stevensville to Rochester, Minnesota, some time ago and underwent an operation there. From Rochester she went to Chicago and later to Ohio.

Mrs. J. W. Bardman and children left yesterday afternoon for their old home in Lost Nation, Iowa. They were accompanied by Miss Emma Lidow, who goes to her home in Manawa, Wisconsin.

The salary of Postmaster W. E. Baggs has been increased to \$1,700 a year. This amount represents an increase of \$100 which was made by the postoffice department this week.

HERON NEWS NOTES

Heron, Montana, June 10.—James Berry of Bull River was transacting business in Heron the first of the week.

George Pinkbone made a business trip to Spokane this week.

A baseball game was played between Heron and Noxon Sunday afternoon with the final score standing 9 to 2 in favor of Heron.

W. A. Beebe was in Heron a short time Tuesday transacting business. J. E. Holtzlander of Spokane spent a few days visiting friends in this vicinity. Lois Laffay went to Sandpoint Tuesday returning home Thursday. A basket social and dance was given in the hall on Saturday by the ladies' guild of Cedar Spur. The proceeds were used for the church. Charles Ahlin made homestead proof before Commissioner Beebe Tuesday.

CHARLES F. WORD IS KILLED

PROMINENT HELENA LAWYER ACCIDENTALLY MEETS DEATH PRIOR TO WEDDING.

Helena, June 10.—Charles F. Word, a lawyer of this city, was found dead in his room here this morning with a bullet hole in his temple. He was to have left on a train this morning for Canada, where he was to have been married next week. It is supposed he was cleaning his revolver when it exploded. He had packed his trunk, was about ready to take the train and there is no known reason why he should kill himself. Mr. Word was the son of Samuel F. Word, a pioneer of the state, and served as the private secretary of Governor Smith from 1896 to 1900.

An investigation was made by the coroner, and he decided that in the circumstances pointed to the accidental discharge of the revolver.

Mr. Word was a member of the law firm of Word & Word. He was the president of the Montana club, and for a number of years had been a director of the club. He was also secretary of the Montana Bar association, and took a great deal of interest in that organization. He was elected a member of the Eighth legislative assembly from this county and was a member of the judiciary committee.

Mr. Word was born in Virginia City, 41 years ago, and was a graduate of the law department of Yale university. He is survived by a mother and sister, who are living in California, and by two brothers, William F., and R. Lee, who live in Helena.

BARBER AS WITNESS IS UNSATISFACTORY

Viterbo, Italy, June 9.—Cuiol, a Neapolitan barber, was again in court at today's sitting of the Camorra trial. Judge Romano, who conducted the earlier investigation into the murder of Genarro Cuocolo, for which the 36 Camorristas are now on trial, and before whom Cuiol had testified that he saw among the thugs worn by Cuocolo the one recognized by the carabinieri, following the arrests, confronted the witness. The ring is regarded by the prosecution as an important link in the evidence connecting the accused with the murder of Cuocolo and his wife.

When interrogated today Cuiol wavered as to whether he had seen the ring. The court urged him to tell the truth and say who induced him to tell the story of the ring. The witness, still hesitating, was threatened with prosecution for perjury.

INSURRECTO LEADER LOOKING FOR A JOB

San Francisco, June 10.—C. A. Rhys Pryce, erstwhile general of the army of liberation in Lower California, is in San Francisco looking for a job. Any job that will provide excitement and enough money to live on will be satisfactory, he says.

Pryce declares that the refusal of the Los Angeles junta to furnish food, clothing and ammunition for his army, made it impossible to resist an attack successfully, so he resigned his command.

BIG CONFLAGRATION AVERTED.

Biddeford, Me., June 10.—Tenements, lumber yards and manufacturing establishments were threatened by a fire that broke out in the box factory of the Deering-Proctor company on Main street at midnight. At 1:30 a. m. the factory and the big lumber yards adjoining had been swept, with a loss of \$100,000. The flames were finally confined to the box factory and were declared under control shortly before 2 o'clock. The origin of the fire is not known.

CHANGE IN PLANS.

Washington, June 10.—Protests of Oklahomans by telegraph and through Representatives McGuire and Morgan against the appointment of former Registry of the Treasury William T. Vernon, a negro, as assistant superintendent of the schools of the Five Civilized tribes, have resulted in a change in the plans. Vernon will be appointed assistant superintendent of schools in which negroes and Indians are pupils. He will not be permanently assigned to any one state but will cover all states in which such schools are located.

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NEW DEPARTMENT FORMED

THE OLD ARRANGEMENT FOR ADMINISTRATION OF ARMY HAS BEEN CHANGED.

Missoula Bureau, Congress Hall.

Washington, June 10.—(Special).—The war department has decided upon the policy of abandoning the present departments into which the United States has for years been divided in the administration of the war department. This only affects the administration of military affairs, as hereafter there will be but three department headquarters in this country, one at New York, one at Chicago and another at San Francisco. The old department of the Dakota, which includes the states of Montana, will no longer exist after July 1. It was a misconception and a misunderstanding of the general order consolidating the departments that caused a Washington correspondent of a Minneapolis paper to send out the story that all of the army posts in Montana were to be abandoned.

The war department estimates that a saving of \$20,000 per annum can be effected by the consolidation of the present military departments into the three headquarters above mentioned. H. E. C. BRYANT.

ROBBERS IN AN AUTO CHASED BY A DOCTOR

Monmouth, Ill., June 10.—Robbers who had dynamited a bank at Seaton, near here, early today, were chased for miles as they fled in an automobile, by Dr. Evans of Seaton, in another machine. He fired at them a number of times and in the return gun fire he was slightly wounded. It is not believed the men secured any money. The explosion set fire to the bank building and a block of small business houses was destroyed. There were four bandits in the gang.

A body found in the ruins of the bank late today when the fire had been extinguished, is believed to be that of a fifth member of the band which dynamited the bank.

WILL TRY HUNTING WITHOUT FIREARMS

Atchison, Kan., June 10.—S. E. Jackson and J. M. Challis, attorneys of this city; Harry M. Richardson of Boston and W. H. Thompson of Seattle, all expert archers, will start July 2 for a hunting trip in British Columbia, armed only with bows, arrows, hunting knives and fishing tackle. All firearms are barred. The men expect to hunt mountain lions, bear and deer.

Mr. Richardson holds the championship for archery of the United States and England. Jackson and Challis have lectured on archery before many country clubs. Thompson is a brother of Maurice Thompson.

LOST GIRL FOUND.

Duluth, Minn., June 10.—Miss Alice Graff, the 18-year-old girl who disappeared from her home near Genab, a short distance from Coleraine, last Sunday, and for whom large parties have been searching, was found this morning near Sileria Sliding, about 30 miles east of Coleraine. She was very weak from exposure and hunger. She is the daughter of a homesteader, William Graff, and had become lost in the woods.

INSURANCE COMPANY LIABLE.

Topeka, June 10.—The supreme court today decided in the case of Jacob Pfeister of Newton, when an insurance agent makes an agreement with a policyholder, the company is liable for its fulfillment. The suit was against the Missouri State Life Insurance company, which objected to paying a policy on the ground that the agent made an unauthorized contract.

TONNAGE DECREASES.

New York, June 10.—The United States Steel corporation announced today that the unfilled tonnage on its books May 31, was 3,113,187 tons. This is a decrease of 105,567 tons from April 30.

Monday's Specials In Monday's Paper



EXCURSIONS VIA OREGON SHORT LINE

From Butte, Anaconda and Helena to Chicago, Milwaukee and return. \$54.50
St. Louis, Mo., and return. \$51.00
Peoria, Ill., and return. \$52.15
St. Paul and Minneapolis and return. Rate applies from Butte and Anaconda only. \$45.90
Missouri river terminals, Sioux City to Kansas City and return. \$42.00
Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo and return. \$37.50
Tickets on sale June 9, 10, 11, 17, 18, 24, 25; July 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 22, 23; August 16; September 2 and 3.
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LOS ANGELES, going via Salt Lake route, returning same route. \$61.15
LOS ANGELES, going via Salt Lake route, returning via San Francisco and Ogden, or vice versa. \$61.15
LOS ANGELES, going via Ogden and San Francisco, returning same route. \$61.15
LOS ANGELES, going either of the above routes, returning via Portland and Huntington, or vice versa. \$77.65
Tickets on sale June 1 to September 30; final return limit October 21.
Special Convention Fares to
SAN FRANCISCO, going via Ogden, returning same route. \$45.00
SAN FRANCISCO, going via Ogden, returning via Portland and Huntington, or vice versa. \$56.25
LOS ANGELES, going via Salt Lake route, returning same. \$47.40
LOS ANGELES, going via Salt Lake route, returning via San Francisco and Ogden, or vice versa. \$47.40
LOS ANGELES, going via Ogden and San Francisco, returning same route. \$47.40
LOS ANGELES, going either above routes, returning via Portland and Huntington, or vice versa. \$66.25
Tickets on sale June 10 to 22; final return limit September 15.
All the above rates via Portland apply by rail or steamer between Portland and San Francisco.
For the N. E. A. convention at San Francisco, July 8-14, the above convention fares will apply, tickets being on sale June 27 to July 5, going transit limit July 14; final return limit September 15, passengers to provide themselves with membership certificate at San Francisco, for which a charge of \$2.00 will be made.
For Pullman reservations or any information call at or address this office.
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