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On the Run About Town

In the first place, in justice to the south side, it should be said that the supposition was incorrect that the jackrabbit which exceeded the speed limit on Higgins avenue, Monday afternoon, came from the verdant fields across the river. In the second place, in justice to Officer Theriault, it should be said that the rabbit did not escape arrest for running too fast and without tail lights on Higgins avenue.

These developments follow a more careful investigation than was possible in the heat of the pursuit. To begin with, the rabbit came to town in a load of hay from Grass Valley. The hay was hauled to the Green & Ellinghouse stable on West Front street Monday afternoon. Presumably, his jacklets had crawled into the haystack on the ranch in order to be comfortable in the cold weather. However he got there, it is certain that he was there and when the hay-maker dug into his load to get a big forkful to heave into the stable, there was a rabbit in the hay. The lepus leaped and made a record run up the street to the Owen Kelley corner, there he turned and there Officer Theriault hailed the speeding animal, commanding him to slow down. This made the rabbit run the faster, which is exactly like an automobile speeder. Then it was that Theriault exclaimed: "Here's where I lose my job for letting that rabbit run too fast on Higgins avenue and without showing tail lights." But when he had said this, he dug his toes and scooted after the rabbit. He chased him across the Northern Pacific tracks and out along the foothills into the lowering dusk of the winter night. It was supposed that the rabbit escaped. Theriault was just off shift when he started the chase and it was presumed that he had abandoned the chase and gone home. But it was not so. Yesterday morning brought the details of a chase that has not been equalled in the annals of sport or war.

When the rabbit struck the soft going on the foothills, he thought probably that he had a snap. But he didn't know Theriault. That is just the sort of footing that suits him. He hiked away after the rabbit and in a two-mile run which ended under a freight car out at the stockyards on the Northern Pacific, overtook him. It was a stern chase, but the officer won.

Likewise, Louis Kennedy is something to talk about in the chase business. He wasn't chasing a rabbit, but he successfully pursued a thief and brought him to time. The thief swiped a bundle of woolen stockings from the front of the Darbee store. Kennedy was alone in the store and saw the performance. Deputizing his watch to watch the store, Kennedy started after the thief and overhauled him at the alley near Licht's. There was a brief parley, in which Kennedy did most of the talking and during which the thief dropped the bundle of hosiery from under his coat. The package fell in such a way as to tempt Kennedy to stoop and pick it up. Had he done this, however, the thief would probably have swatted him in the back of the neck and then would have made a getaway. But Louis was not to be caught with such bait as that. He left the stockings and hung on to the thief. The result was that there was an arrest instead of an escape.

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Orange wood sticks, 5c and 10c
Rexall Violet Talcum, 15c
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There were others; nine of the Johnsons brought in 21 deer in two days. It has been remarkable. There have been many Butte and Helena Hunters out our way and all have done well.

John R. Daily points with pride not only to his part in the Elks' minstrel, but also to the fact that his big market contains one of the finest displays of poultry ever made in Missoula. It was a sight for a hungry man to enjoy yesterday to see the turkeys, the geese, the ducks and the chickens which were arrayed in the Union. They were in great numbers and inviting array. "There's a great difference this year in the poultry business from what it was a year ago," said the Man With The Cleaver to the Man About Town yesterday afternoon. "Last year turkeys cost 21 cents a pound and we weighed the feet and heads. This year they cost 27 cents and the heads and feet are not weighed. That's quite a difference and our part of the Thanksgiving performance has none of the high cost of living mixed up in it."

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen are to be hostesses tonight at the annual ball of their order. It will be a harvest dance; it will be in Elite hall; there will be beautiful decorations and the music will be fine. These are some of the things which the ladies told the Man About Town. There were many more, but these should suffice. If anybody wants to learn any more, let them go to the dance. These ladies of the trainmen have a great reputation as hostesses and they are planning to annex a few more laurels tonight. If there is anything which they have overlooked in their preparation, it is something which neither long experience nor clever foresight could suggest. They promise their friends a royal time and hope that all will come and join in the harvest dance.

Yesterday two debating teams of the eighth grade of the Central school met in the assembly room of the building in one of the best grammar school debates ever heard in Missoula. The winning team was composed of Wilbur Graham, captain; Gladys Phillips and Charlotte Stone, while the vanquished side was Lillian Stearn, captain; Alfred Farmer and Herbert Hawk. The question discussed was, "Resolved, that the battle of Saratoga was a greater military achievement than the capture of Yorktown." The negative side was upheld by the winners. Miss Simpson presided at the debate and J. U. Williams, Miss Baker and Mr. Akin were the judges who turned in a unanimous vote for the victors.

HARVEST BALL.
L. A. to B. of R. T. Harvest ball Wednesday night, November 29 at Elite hall. Missoula Club orchestra will furnish music. General admission, \$1.00; ladies without escort, 25 cents.

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Sweet potatoes, 4 lbs. 25c. Cauliflower, head, 20c. White turnips, red beets, canned squash, 20c. Tender Maine corn, 20c. Extra sifted peas, 25c. Grilled asparagus, 25c. Succulent asparagus, 40c. Small lima beans, 20c. Baby stringless beans, 25c. Okra, 30c. Extra Mushrooms, 40c.

RELISHES
Stuffed olives, pint, 30c. Large Queen olives, quart, 60c. Preserved ginger, lb. 50c. After Dinner mints, 10c and 25c. Midget sweet pickles, pint, 25c. Giant Dills, dozen, 30c.
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DAMAGING WITNESS IS CONNORS

CROSS-EXAMINATION IN CHEVIGNY CASE FAILS TO SHAKE EVIDENCE.

At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon Judge Small began hearing the testimony in the case of J. L. Chevigny, who is accused of setting fire to the house at 319 West Spruce street. The residence, a three-story affair, was being utilized as a rooming house and there were several narrow escapes recorded. The evidence given yesterday afternoon was very unfavorable to the defendant. Court adjourned until this morning at 9 o'clock. As there remain only three witnesses to be examined, it is probable that it will be concluded before noon.

Fire Chief A. K. Fox was the first witness to be called. He testified as to the fire, where, in his opinion, it originated and gave other general evidence. He testified to seeing a can at the head of the second flight of stairs where the flames were the worst and also stated that Chevigny had come to him about two minutes after the department arrived and had asked him "not to let the other house catch fire." He stated that Chevigny was the first man he noticed around the fire. He said that telephone wires in the neighboring house had been cut.

The state's chief witness, H. L. Connors, was next on the stand. His testimony was fearfully damaging to the defense. W. L. Murphy, of the firm of Bickford & Murphy, was in charge for the defense, and his cross-examination failed to shake Connors' testimony. Connors said that about July 10 he leased the Holden ranch, near Florence, from Chevigny. On October 2 Connors came to Missoula and met Chevigny at the Missoula hotel. Chevigny asked Connors to come down to his house for dinner. Chevigny lives in the 400 block on West Spruce street. On the way to the Chevigny residence they passed the house at 319 West Spruce street. Chevigny brought up the matter and told Connors that he held an escrow deed to the house and that the insurance was all paid up and in his name. He stated that he did not think that Holden could meet the mortgage for \$5,000 which Chevigny owned on the house and that he wished it would burn when he could get his money out of it. Connors' testimony was that after Chevigny had discussed the way he would go about burning down the house, he offered Connors \$10 to set fire to it. Connors said that he told Chevigny he wasn't in that kind of business. Chevigny then tried to pass the matter off and said that he was "joshing." Connors said that Chevigny mentioned his way of accomplishing the burning of the house would be to cut the wires, saturate everything with coal oil and set fire to it. Connors went on to say that he asked Chevigny in regard to the inmates and that he said they could look out for themselves.

On October 22, just three days before the fire, Chevigny came to the ranch and stated that his wife wanted him to bring down the largest of the coal oil cans, which had been sent to the ranch when Connors moved up there. Connors gave him the can and drove him to Kendall spur where he took the train for Missoula. He stated that Chevigny had the can with him when Connors left him at the spur. Chevigny again brought up the question of burning the house on his Sunday visit and asked Connors if he thought that he, Chevigny, would do a thing like that. Connors replied that "he would hate to think that he would."

Connors went on to state that on October 27 he held another conversation with Chevigny at the Missoula hotel and that Chevigny told him that anyone that tried to incriminate him in the burning of the house had better not sleep too deeply at night. Connors further stated that Chevigny offered to cancel a note which he held against Connors in case Connors kept his suspicions to himself. This Connors said he refused to do. On November 12 Chevigny came up to the ranch and asked why Mrs. Connors did not come down to see his wife any more. Connors said that Chevigny asked him if Mrs. Connors did not come because she suspected him of burning the house. Connors told Chevigny that was the reason.

CAN IS PRODUCED.
County Attorney Mulrooney then produced the can which was taken from the burned residence and asked Mr. Connors if it was the same can that Chevigny got from his ranch that Sunday. Connors stated that it was the same size and the same shape. He went on to say that the can Chevigny got from the ranch had a wooden jacket on it. His general description of the can tallied with that of the one produced by the state. The can was dated on the rim in about the same manner as the one found in the burned house.

After Attorney Murphy had cross-examined the witness without in any way damaging his evidence, Nick

TRUSTEES DISCUSS COUNTY LIBRARY
PLAN TO COME BEFORE STATE LIBRARY ASSOCIATION AND LIBRARIANS ASK ADVICE.

The library board held a meeting last evening and after transacting routine business engaged in an informal discussion of the merits of a county library system. Miss Gertrude Buckhouse, librarian at the university was present, and explained interestingly the system that has been adopted in California, Miss Buckhouse having studied it while visiting in that state this summer. The matter is one in which Librarians Miss Stoddard and Miss Buckhouse are interested, as the question has been made one for discussion at the coming meeting of the State Library association at Great Falls late in December. At the present time there is no law in this state under which county systems may be established. The sentiment of the local trustees as to their favoring or disapproving a movement to secure legislation necessary to allow of county libraries being established is sought by both librarians here. A resolution favoring the scheme was presented after the discussion last evening, but on account of there not being a full attendance of board members no definite action was taken. The resolution will be presented to each trustee and perhaps another meeting will be held before it is finally disposed of.

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Friend, cashier at the Northern Pacific freighthouse was called to the stand. Freund and several other men took the train at Kendall spur on the afternoon that Chevigny returned from the ranch with the can. Mr. Freund testified that Chevigny had a can with him and that he set it under the washstand in the inner vestibule of the car.

Mr. Freund was the last witness called and after his testimony the hearing was adjourned until this morning.

THE WEATHER
Another snappy day was yesterday, but after hearing of the cold in other places in Montana, some reports being as low as 20 below zero, Missoula weather seemed really fine. Bright sunshine prevailed. The bureau reported:

Maximum	26
Minimum	9
At 8 a. m.	11
Barometer	27.22
At 6 p. m.	20
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