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CAUGHT On the run About Town

They say that good St. Patrick was no Irishman at all, but he journeyed up to Ireland and hired him a hall; for the Irish sure were tough enough before St. Patrick came and converted every one of them—more power to his name! He taught them to have weddings and christenings and wakes; and then he got right busy and drove out all the snakes; and when the serpents, one and all, had driven from the land, he took and drove the toads away—O, me, but it was grand! They say—though he a Frenchman—was—drove the frogs out, too; but, though I love St. Patrick, I scarce believe it's true. He didn't do much, Belfast way, but he was strong in Cork, and he found enough of Irishmen to populate New York. 'Tis hard to think what would have come with Ireland so fair, if good St. Patrick on his tour had never landed there; she'd have had no politicians to send across the sea and there'd be no democrats at all, to fight the G. O. P.; there'd be no Big Chief Murphy to govern Tammany hall; and as for big policemen—why, we'd have none at all. We owe much to Columbus for discovering our shore, but our debt to good St. Patrick is sure a great deal more; for from the Gaelic savages, whom Patrick taught to pray, has come the race of Irishmen, that runs the U. S. A. So glory to St. Patrick! The honor's his, I ween, that all America pays him by wearing of the green.

TOAST TO SHAMROCK

Always, Arthur P. Quinn is an enthusiastic observer of St. Patrick's day; always his friends receive from him some token of the date and the season. This year his favors are specially pleasing and appropriate; pretty enameled shamrock leaves are some of them; Irish badges are others; there is a great variety but so well have these favors been distributed that each recipient regards his as the best. To the Man About Town there came, along with a badge of green and gold, a dainty little folder with the bright shamrock upon its front cover and, inside, some shamrock stanzas, of which the following is one:

There's a dear little plant that grows in our life, 'Twas St. Patrick, himself, sure that set it; And the sun on his labor with pleasure did smile, And with dew from his eye often wet it.

It thrives through the bog, through the brake, through the mireland, And he called it the dear little shamrock of Ireland, The sweet little shamrock, the dear little shamrock, The dear little, green little, shamrock of Ireland.

It was a gay crowd that made its preparations for St. Patrick's day in Missoula yesterday; there were many people in town and each one of them had a Patrick's-day smile on her lips. The stores blossomed out in green. The long window in Donohue's was decorated with Irish flags which showed the golden harps and the Erin color to advantage. Pat Reilly had a window in solid green, but he is threatened with excommunication because he distributed pyramids of lemons and oranges upon the emerald lining of the window. There were shamrocks in many windows; the Orvis Music company has them floating all about the place and there was not a graphophone in the establishment which was not singing, "Kathleen Mavourneen," or "The Wearing of the Green."

Charlie Dallman kept his automobile running between the greenhouses and the city all day, bringing in green cars; the windows of his city store was completely filled with them and there were several thousand of the favorite decoration sold during the day. There was a great sale of Patrick's-day novelties at all the stores which deal in these articles. By evening there were few persons in town who did not show a knot of green. And Phil Kenny sang contentedly of the River Shannon, as he nursed the little bunch of shamrock that the mail brought him from County Leitrim.

C. E. Putney reaped a fine financial harvest yesterday morning before the ignorant public got on to his scheme and he must be considerably ahead of the game on his annual cash statement, despite the red balance which he showed just after his eastern trip. He made even, all right, before noon yesterday. His scheme was to express admiration for the patriotism of Missoula in closing all her stores and saloons in honor of St. Patrick's day. It was, he said, the first time he had ever known a town to do this and he was glad to see it done. Then somebody would protest that it was not so and Putney would come back with the assertion that the banks and the postoffice would close, also, and all the county offices. Then there would be a bet made and when the stakes had been posted, Mr. Putney would call attention to the fact that St. Patrick's day and Sunday are coincident this year. He would rake in the stakes and move on to find a new victim. The day proved very profitable, until his victims became so many that there was a threat of mob violence. But by that time the game had proved profitable enough and Mr. Putney didn't care if he did quit.

St. Patrick's Day Ball. Dance to be given Monday night, March 18, at Elite hall under the auspices of Ladies' Auxiliary of A. O. H. Tickets \$1. Ladies without escort 25 cents. Everybody invited.

PALM OLIVE SOAP SPECIAL

The manufacturers of this justly popular soap are offering for a short while special inducements, as follows: With every sale of six cakes of Palm Olive Soap we will give free a 50c Jar of Palm Olive Cream. We sell you the six cakes for 50c.

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ALL FOR THE GLORY OF IRELAND

ST. PATRICK WOULD ALSO APPROVE OF PLANS FOR BALL BY A. O. H. LADIES.

The announcement of the fifth annual ball by the ladies' auxiliary to the Ancient Order of Hibernians, which will be given at the Elite hall Monday evening, brought good cheer to those who enjoy dancing in Missoula. The ladies of this organization have a reputation as entertainers, especially on this annual occasion, when all plans are made for the glory of dear old Ireland and St. Patrick, that has increased from year to year since the first annual affair. Last year's dance was an affair to be long remembered. It has been remembered by each one who had the pleasure of attending and all even yet look back upon it as one of the most pleasurable functions of the kind of that season. Thus it is that a simple announcement of the repetition of the annual is sufficient to insure a crowd. The hall last year was packed to its capacity. It is hard to predict what will happen this time; perhaps it will be necessary to provide another hall for the overflow.

Seriously, the ladies are planning a sumptuous affair for Monday evening. There will be special decorations and a special committee has been appointed to see that there is no chance for the decorator slipping over the wrong color this time. The Club orchestra will furnish the music so the next important item of a successful dance is settled.

\$10,000,000.00. Have you ever stopped to think that if you should deposit one cent in the bank and double your deposit each day for thirty days that your bank book would show a balance of \$10,000,000? If you don't believe this try it. While I don't agree to do this for your baby, I do agree to deposit \$1.00 to the baby's credit for every dozen portraits taken of the child or its relatives at my studio.

You will be surprised how baby's bank account will grow. I also want to call your attention to the fact that it's time to get out your camera, bring it in and I will look it over and see if it is in perfect shape. The bright, sun-shining days will soon be here and you will want to use it. Come to the Camera club at the studio Thursday evening 7:30, and get some helps on making pictures.

MURRAY BROWN, Photographer to Particular People.

NOT A BOY. Mr. and Mrs. LaChapelle, who were quite recently blessed by the arrival of a baby, take issue with the statement that the child is a boy. As they are undoubtedly the court of last appeal in this case, the description of the child is hereby changed to read "girl." The change is made so much the more cheerfully, as it was a girl baby that was desired by the parents.

Pleased With the Work. All who have taken advantage of our twenty-five per cent discount the past week have expressed themselves as very much pleased. You will be, too. But you will have to hurry to take advantage of this offer as we shall run it but a few days longer.

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A few boxes of Canada Reds, Baldwins and Grimes Golden.

This special lot of apples, bought to sell at \$1.25, and specially priced for Monday and Tuesday at

A DOLLAR A BOX.

MAYOR EVANS ASKS INVESTIGATION

THURSDAY IS SET AS THE DATE FOR PROBING COMMISSIONER PEAT'S STATEMENT.

Day by day Missoula is taking her place among the foremost cities of the land. Pittsburgh, San Francisco—all will soon fade before the record of the Garden city. A vista of investigations, immunity baths and all that sort of thing has been unfolded. We are to have a real, live, honest-to-goodness investigation and the date for this has been set. It was at the close of yesterday morning's council meeting that Mayor John M. Evans made mention of the statement made by Commissioner Cuthbert Peat in yesterday's Missoulian. The mayor addressed his remarks to City Attorney Woody. He said:

"Peat charges in the public press that there has been a change of records. I would like to have an investigation of these charges. Have you any suggestions to be made in regard to this?"

Mr. Woody replied that it seemed best to him to drop the matter entirely, as it really amounted to very little. "I do not think that the matter should have ever been taken up at all," said Mr. Woody.

"Yes, but you can't control the action of scandal-mongers," said the mayor.

Commissioner Peat here interjected the only remark that he made during the heated part of the session. He stated that the matter had been forced to a head by the mayor, himself, who circulated letters in regard to the affair and attempted to damage Peat, thus making him carry the fight to the open. He stated that he had told the mayor that it would be better to leave the matter alone, but that he had not seen fit to do so.

Mr. Woody then said, that it seemed to him as if the records had been changed and that the changes should have been interlined with pen and that the entire record should not have been altered. He then reiterated his statement in regard to the relative unimportance of the entire affair.

The mayor then again asserted that he wanted an open investigation.

The city attorney then said: "I don't care to make the investigation, but I will do it, if told to do so. The dispute being between two members of the council, I do not like to take any action. I would suggest that a committee be appointed."

The Motion. Mayor Evans then moved that Thursday, March 21, at 8 o'clock in the city hall, be set as the time and place when investigation shall be made in the matter and that the city attorney be instructed to be present and examine the witnesses.

Commissioner Price then stated that he felt much like Mr. Woody, but that if the council had to "go to it," why, he was in favor of the investigation. He seconded the motion and it was carried.

The council then adjourned until Tuesday morning, but was reconvened by the mayor, who stated that there was another matter that he wished included in the matter. That was the statement that the mayor had in some manner been influenced by W. H. Yerrick, a saloon keeper, on the question of the resolution stopping the sale of liquor in the proscribed district. Mr. Price not having any objections, this was incorporated in the first motion.

Mr. Peat said that it had been stated that it appeared to be a strange coincidence that the mayor had held a consultation with Mr. Yerrick. This amended motion was passed.

Regular Business. Yesterday was the day set for opening bids for Norway Maple shade trees for the improvement districts. Three bids were received. The Missoula Nursery company, Thomas P. Street and L. L. May & Co., of St. Paul, were the bidders. The bids call for prices on 550 trees.

The bids were as follows: Missoula Nursery company, 8 by 10 trees, \$672; 10 by 12 trees, \$812. Trees delivered at the districts. Thomas P. Street, 8 by 10 trees, 85 cents each, \$476; 10 by 12 trees, \$1 each, \$560. Trees delivered f. o. b. Missoula. Two cents additional delivery on streets. L. L. May & Co., 6 by 8 trees, 75 cents; 8 by 10 trees, \$1; 10 by 12 trees, \$1.25. Trees f. o. b. the company's nursery.

The May bid was made by telegram and was followed by a letter which stated that the company's product was of the best. The bids will be considered further before contract is entered into.

The city clerk's desk was littered with requests for fire plugs and arc lights. It was the best day along this line that has been experienced for some time. The petitions were all referred to Commissioner Price, who recommended that the following be granted: An arc light at the corner of South Higgins and Beckwith avenues, a hydrant on the corner of Hill and Beckwith streets, a hydrant at the corner of Helen and Keith streets, an arc light at the corner of Hilda and Keith streets, and a hydrant at the corner of Gerald and McLeod avenues.

EVANS AND MURPHY REPLY

To the Public: Mr. Cuthbert Peat yesterday morning published some correspondence which had passed between us, relating to a scandal which he is alleged to have started, and then tries to justify his acts by insinuating that the scandal stated by him is true.

As mayor of the city I promptly called an open meeting of the city council to be held at the earliest reasonable date to investigate the matter. The meeting will be called in the council chambers of the city hall,

Thursday evening, March 21, 1912, at 8 o'clock, and the public is invited to attend. We are now on the eve of an election and I do not care to discuss the matter at any great length, but am willing for the people to form their opinion from the sworn testimony as it is produced at the investigation.

Lest, however, somebody may be influenced in the meantime by his false and slanderous statements and insinuations, permit me to say that his statements and insinuations are wholly false and were known to him to be false.

I have set the investigation at an early date as possible, because I wanted it before election.

If Mr. Peat's statements and insinuations are true, then I am a corrupt and dangerous man. If they are false then he is a character assassin and a scandal-monger. There should be no place for either in the city government.

A week ago I issued a statement to the public in which I said, "I propose to follow the scandal-monger of this community even though his trail lead into the church." I think I am making a little progress.

Very respectfully, JOHN M. EVANS.

MURPHY'S STATEMENT

To the Public: In the morning paper Cuthbert Peat says that I had changed the records of the city council at the instance or suggestion of Mayor John M. Evans.

The mayor has called a meeting to investigate the whole matter and I therefore refrain from a discussion of the matter further than to say that I never changed any records of the city council at the instance or suggestion of Mayor Evans, or anyone else. That the records kept by me are correct and in accordance with the facts and proceedings of the city council.

When Mr. Peat states that I told him or anyone else that I changed a record of the city council at the instance of Mayor Evans or anyone else, he is simply a falsifier.

Very respectfully, THOMAS A. MURPHY, City Clerk.

PEAT MAKES REPLY TO SLAMS

Editor of The Missoulian: Mayor Evans is out in the papers with an address to the public, called forth by my letter in The Missoulian yesterday morning.

He informs them that he has called an open meeting of the city council "to investigate the matter" referred to in my letter above mentioned.

If strong language could convince the public that I am a very bad man, the case would be all against me, and my name would be "Dennis," sure enough. But strong words do not always stand for strong facts, so after all, I am able to be about.

I invite the public to compare my statement of yesterday morning with the statements made by Mr. Evans and his city clerk, Mr. Murphy. They both try to make it appear that I said the mayor changed or caused to be changed "the official records," or "the record of the city council," and then they shout unanimously "falsifier," "slanderer," and all the rest of it. But, of course, I did not say that Mr. Evans changed or caused to be changed the "official records," or that Mr. Murphy had informed me that he did so. I did say that I was given to understand that the city clerk, on the suggestion of the mayor, changed the minutes on the vote to prohibit the sale of liquor in the crib on West Front street before they were read to the council. These minutes were not "official records" till adopted by the council, though I am only a work-journal, and not a lawyer like Mayor Evans. I know that much. And I did say that in order to make that change, certain "official records" were transferred to an other leaf in the record book and there re-signed by the mayor and city clerk. I cannot say that any change was made in that record when so transferred until I see the original record and compare it with what we now have. I presume that we have an exact copy, though I do not know.

The mayor tells the public that he has called an open meeting of the city council for Thursday of next week to investigate the matter. I suppose as interested parties in the case, both Mr. Evans and myself will be distinguished to sit as judges. Mr. Price will have all the responsibility.

I wish the investigation had been ordered to proceed at once. It could have been pushed to a conclusion on Saturday afternoon and evening, it is so simple; and then the people would know before Monday whether or not I am all the bad things the mayor and his city clerk call me.

The mayor is anxious, however, that the people should be assured, "lest somebody be influenced in the matter by my false and slanderous statements" that "my statements and insinuations are wholly false." It would be very convenient for him, no doubt, if the public would accept his assurance on that matter before the investigation is made and the primaries are held; but they seem slow to do that. People are getting so mistrustful these days. Let me assure the public also that my statements as made in my letter of yesterday morning, are to the best of my knowledge, altogether true. Mr. Evans and Mr. Murphy to the contrary notwithstanding.

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