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SATURDAY, JULY 13, THE PROGRESSIVE CALL.

There have been a good many opinions expressed as to the call for the third-party convention. The progressives, as a rule, regard the call with strong favor.

The call for a progressive convention marks a new epoch in American politics. Whatever follows is of less moment than that this direct appeal to principles above partisanship should be made now while every detail of the lesson taught the American people—with cynical insolence at Chicago and with more tact and in direction, yet with hardly less significance, at Baltimore—is fresh in the minds of citizens.

The real triumph at the Baltimore convention was scored by the band leader, who caused his musicians to play "O, You Beautiful Doll," when J. Ham Lewis temporarily took the chairman's gavel.

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all the skill and resources of the many interests involved and is sure to end in a life-and-death struggle, with the overthrow of one contestant or the other. One battle line consists of a small, compact group of capitalists, backed by great wealth and influence, skilled in taking what its members want from the public, whether the public acquiesces or not.

Under the direction of the grasping capitalists a clever campaign is being waged to bring about the adoption of free sugar. They are convinced that the sudden removal of the customs duty at the present time before the domestic production of sugar is firmly established will destroy both the beet and cane industry and leave them in undisputed control.

IN THE BITTER ROOT.

Yesterday was a gala day in Hamilton. It was Missoula day in the Eagles' celebration and the people of the Bitter Root capital made it a memorable occasion by their hospitable reception of their visitors and their cordial entertainment.

One of the echoes of the convention of club women in San Francisco is the story of the woman who registered at a hotel: "Mrs. H. T. Howe and husband." Yet the suffragists complain that their rights are not recognized.

The wife of a Binghamton, N. Y., man has been sent to jail for beating him. Woman is slowly, but none the less surely, attaining the equal rights for which some of her yearn so earnestly.

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Mr. Lorimer didn't work the soft pedal much in his second appeal; but his deft was as ridiculous as his plea had been, before it.

Commencement being over and the June wedding out of the way, father counts up to see how much he can stand for a vacation touch.

Though not all of the dope worked out all right, yet we have cause for satisfaction in the returns from Stockholm.

THANKS, WE HAVE A TIP

In the rush incidental to organizing his new party it is to be hoped that Colonel Roosevelt will not overlook the presidential primary as a necessity for the selection of delegates to his convention which meets next month.

In this fashion does the Montana Record—presumably in friendly spirit—counsel the members of the new party. If the Montana Record and its allies had followed this counsel themselves, the theft of the Chicago convention would have been impossible.

Why then this assiduous concern of the Montana Record as to the course which the new party will pursue, unless it be pure friendliness? There can be no other explanation for it. It is an act of courtesy.

It is possible that the Montana Record has not heard of the primaries which have been held—the primaries in which the real sentiment of the republican party in the country was expressed?

Did not the Montana Record hear of the primary of the great state of Illinois, which declared for Theodore Roosevelt and upset Boss Lorimer? Or of the primary of the great state of Pennsylvania, which declared for Theodore Roosevelt and cast out Boss Penrose?

These are the primaries which will be the guide of the new party's convention. These are the primaries which were disregarded by the national convention; these are the primaries which were set aside by the arrogantly assumed authority of thirty-odd men in national committee.

- Marlow of Lewis and Clark. Lanstrum of Lewis and Clark. Donlan of Missoula. Charles of Silver Bow. Baggs of Ravalli. Stephenson of Cascade. Clay of Valley. Kinney of Dawson. Whilcomb of Madison.

America's Endowments III.—The Carnegie Institution's Work.

By Frederick J. Haskin

No other part of the work of the Carnegie Institution of Washington has a greater fascination for its founder or for the average layman than that of the Mt. Wilson observatory, near Pasadena, Cal. Here astronomers are at work studying the large problems of the universe, feeling their way with astronomical apparatus over untrodden paths of space.

Just now the interest of the astronomical world is centered in the big 100-inch reflector telescope that is being constructed at Mt. Wilson. The great difficulty in constructing this remarkable instrument has been the making of the 100-inch disk which is to be the most powerful and the largest in the world.

One of the most interesting lines of investigation by the Mt. Wilson observatory has been the problem of the movement of the stars. It has been found that when a star is moving toward the earth the light waves tend toward the blue end of the spectrum, while in the case of those moving away the light waves tend toward the red.

the stars by changing light waves. The Mt. Wilson observatory studies are demonstrating new facts about the movement of great streams of stars through the universe. Some show by an analysis of their light waves that they are composed of the same materials as the earth and the sun.

Perhaps no part of the work of the Carnegie Institution is better known than that undertaken by the department of terrestrial magnetism, which includes a magnetic survey of the entire earth. It was for this work that the non-magnetic yacht, the Carnegie, was fitted out, in whose construction not a pound of iron or steel was employed.

The significant part of this work was that many and unsuspected errors were found to exist. In the Indian ocean, for instance, it was found that many of the recently-issued sailing charts were as much as four to six degrees in error in their "compass variations," an error which in these days of precise navigation is a most serious one.

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Editor's Note.—In tomorrow's article Mr. Haskin will tell of the great work for humanity being done by the Rockefeller Institute of Medical Research—a place where pure science and applied science strike hands. This will be the fourth of the 12 letters in Mr. Haskin's series on "America's Great Endowments."

Corvallis, July 12.—(Special.)—Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Coughenour are on an extended visit to relatives at Anaconda. This is the first visit after 17 years. The many relations and old-time friends will gladly welcome these early settlers of Montana.

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SEASIDE AND GEARHART, OREGON. Why Not Spend Your Vacation at the Sea Shore? It is the one perfect summer spot—refreshing and recuperative days and nights.

\$29.25 Round Trip From Missoula. Tickets Sold Daily, Season Limit. Stopovers at Portland, Astoria, Seattle, etc., and choice of routes in each direction. All lines sell tickets to Seaside and Gearhart.



ON THE SPUR OF THE MOMENT. By Roy K. Moulton. According to Uncle Abner. There ain't no man so poor that he can't get a lot of mail from the patent medicine concerns.

There ain't no man so poor that he can't get a lot of mail from the patent medicine concerns. Hod Peters says there ain't no date on the calendar that comes around so quick and so often as the first of the month.

It seems as though Noah Webster during the course of his literary work, used almost every word in the English language. Some fellows can get rich on \$7 a week while others die poor on \$700 a week.

They are advertisin' a green horse race for the county fair, and Lare Higgins has bought a can of paint in order to improve in that line. Since Elmer Spink has been writin' love letters to Miss Pansy Tibbitts he is thinkin' some of goin' to a correspondence school for a year or two in order to improve in that line.

The nicest thing in the world is an old-fashioned 2-cent piece when it is dropped in the collection platter. T. Egbert Peavey jumped out'n bed sudden the other night in his new striped pajamas and scared a burglar to death.

Caught on the Fly. Some of the women will evidently not be satisfied until their skirts are so tight that they have to put them on with a shoe horn.

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And, then again, perhaps Senator Bailey, in declaring that he will not be a candidate, is one of the few who recognize the psychological moment when they meet it face to face. A western man wrote a poem to the governor and was saved from execution.

When a New Perfection Comes in at the Door Heat and Dirt Fly Out at the Window. What would it mean to you to have heat and dirt banished from your kitchen this summer—to be free from the blazing range, free from ashes and soot?

New Perfection Oil Cook-stove. With the New Perfection Oven, the New Perfection Stove is the most complete cooking device on the market. It is just as quick and handy, too, for washing and ironing.