

NEWS OF THE RAILROADERS IN MISSOULA AND ABROAD

Dan Smith Dies From Injuries Received in Milwaukee Accident, Making Two Deaths as Result of Collision Between Work Train and Handcar.

Dan Smith, injured in the Milwaukee wreck near Falcon Friday night, died yesterday at the district hospital of the company at St. Maries, Idaho. The story of the accident was told in this column yesterday morning. One man, Rodak Balles, a section laborer, was instantly killed. Smith had an arm and a leg broken and sustained internal injuries when the caboose in which he was riding was derailed and rolled down an embankment. Several others were injured, among them being Balles' brother and Smith's wife. It is not thought that their injuries are serious, however.

The accident was caused when a work-train backed through a tunnel and struck a handcar. The caboose was derailed and pitched over a steep grade. The injured were hurried to the hospital, train No. 17 having been near at hand when the accident happened.

All concerned in the accident were company employes. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were stationed at Adair, where he was in the building and bridge department, she cooking for the men of the Adair crew. Both Mr. and Mrs. Smith are members of the Milwaukee Pioneers club and had but returned

home from attending the annual convention at Seattle.

Dakota Washouts.
High water and washouts on the Dakota division, the details of which were not known at local headquarters yesterday, caused train No. 1 of the Northern Pacific, due here at 10:40 last night, to get 20 hours behind its schedule. On this division the work of train No. 1 was done by the Butte local last night as far west as Missoula and a train was made up here that left on No. 1's time at 10:50 p. m.

Tracklaying.
Great Falls, June 27.—(Special).—Tracklaying upon the Choteau line of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, was commenced out of this city yesterday. Work was started at the west end of the bridge recently completed across the Missouri river, and it was carried westward to and across the Great Northern tracks running to the Boston and Montana smelter. The crossing frogs had been put in some time ago by Great Northern trackmen and it was only necessary to connect the rails with these.

Just how soon the work of tracklaying will be taken up on a large scale is not definitely known, but it is expected to follow shortly after the completion of the basing on the Great Falls-Lewistown line. The steel will not be brought in until the construction forces are ready for them in order to avoid unnecessary handling.

Equipment Orders.
New York, June 27.—June will be the best month in equipment orders for the first half of the current year, it is said. To date about 11,000 cars have been ordered, which will be further increased by 3,000 boxcars which the Merchants Despatch will build, and by 1,000 which the New York Central is reported to have placed for the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie. The Central is also in the market for 1,000 boxcars and 1,000 hoppers for the Toledo & Ohio Central. The best previous month this year was February, with 13,500.

Figuring June car orders at 20,000, the first six months will show about 69,000 cars, or at the annual rate of 128,000, practically the same as last year. Should the rate decline cause the equipment business to pick up in the last half, 1914 should be better than 1913.

The following shows cars ordered each month this year, with June estimated: January, 11,000; February, 13,500; March, 8,000; April, 10,000; May, 7,500; June, estimated, 20,000. Total for six months, 69,000.

Cars ordered each year since 1904 compare: 1914, estimated, 128,000; 1913, 140,000; 1912, 227,000; 1911, 125,000; 1910, 145,000; 1909, 183,000; 1908, 64,000; 1907, 153,500; 1906, 313,500; 1905, 344,700.

Except for 1912, car orders in each of the last five years were below the average. Increasing tendency to buy steel cars has something to do with the drop, as a steel car far outlasts one of wood.

Equipment makers say that with possible exception of 1908 there has never been a period when business was so dull as since the first of the year. Prices are on the bottom and still the railroads refuse to buy anywhere near what they need.

Harvey and Family Make Long Trip in Their Ford

FROM PHOENIX, ARIZONA, FAMILY TRAVELS NEARLY 4 000 MILES WITHOUT TROUBLE.

The motor of their five-passenger Ford automobile registered 3,589 miles as cars rolled into Missoula late yesterday afternoon after a very interesting tour from their home at Phoenix, Arizona to British Columbia and back this far over the northern route. Mr. Harvey and his family are out looking over the country to see if they can find a place they like better than Phoenix. So far they have failed. But they expect to stay several days in Missoula and this may prove to be the place for which they have been seeking.

In telling of the trip the head of the Harvey family said last evening: "We left Phoenix May 4, and went down into California to the ocean below San Diego. Then we started back up the coast through Oregon and Washington into British Columbia. We were going to Alberta but found that from Vancouver there is no road over the mountains. We retraced our routes back over the Pacific highway to the Great Northern, having to ship our machine from Cedar Falls to Eastern, where a new road, now under construction, is practically impassable for about 25 miles. We followed the northern route into Spokane and came over to Wallace and from there to Missoula by the Murray-Thompson Falls route. We have been making good time, as the distance we have traveled will indicate, but have stopped wherever we became interested in the country, sometimes for several days. We will go to Great Falls from this city and probably will try and get into Alberta over this route.

Forced to Camp.
"We aim to stop at towns and villages along the road each night but for an emergency we carry a camp outfit. While we have used this several times by choice, we were forced to use it but twice, once when we got lost and were overtaken by night and another time when we ran out of gas away up in a mountain range and were stalled until we could send for a fresh supply. In addition to the family the car carries 500 pounds of luggage. Since we left home we have never had to be pulled out of a mudhole or the ditch. That's a pretty good record for the roads we have been over."

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LECTURES ON PLAY AT UNIVERSITY THIS WEEK

NOTED LEADERS TO DISCUSS VALUE AND THEORY OF DIRECTED PLAYING.

In the past 10 years the play movement has burst upon us and has brought with it an illumination as to the educational value of play. The old-time school yard, with its limited space and its restrictive traditions, is entirely unsuited to the new uses demanded by the new ideals, and there is going on everywhere a reconstruction of theory and practice to meet the new requirements. As in all reconstruction periods, however, the facilities and needs are out of harmony, though many cities, with an imperfect understanding of the problems involved, are attempting to improve conditions according to their lights.

This movement is not related solely to city and town life, since one of the greatest problems of our rural communities is how to make country life more attractive and more recreative. Thus the play movement is reaching out to rural districts in the hope that a more equitable balancing of work and recreation of the relaxing and wholesome type may be made possible.

The importance of this work has led the university summer school to give it deserved emphasis during the present session and it is a matter of congratulation that it has been possible to secure probably the foremost leader of the playground movement in the United States. Dr. Henry S. Curtis comes to the university for lectures and demonstrations during the first three days of the present week.

Mr. Curtis was educated at Olivet college, Michigan, and Yale and Clark universities, receiving the degree of Ph. D. in psychology and philosophy in 1898. During three summers he was an assistant director, director and general director of playgrounds in New York city. He spent one summer in investigating the playgrounds of Germany and England. He was for four years supervisor of the play-

grounds in the District of Columbia. In 1902 an article of his in Harper's Magazine led Mrs. Humphrey Ward to start the recreation centers of London. In 1906, with the help of Dr. Gulick, he organized the Playgrounds Association of America, of which he was secretary for three years and afterwards second vice president and secretary of the committee on a normal course in play. During the past year he has been secretary of the Child Conference, and has lectured at Harvard and Columbia universities, the school cities in Chicago, the School of Philanthropy in New York at Lake Geneva, at Chautauques and many university and normal school summer sessions.

Among the lectures which have given Dr. Curtis great popularity with the American public are the following: "The Joy of Play and its Source," "Age and Sex Differences in Play Interest," "The Transmission of Games," "The Influence of the City on the Development of Play," "Relation of Play to Work," "Play, Optimism and Happiness."

He is, moreover, author of a recent publication just from the press of Ginn & Co. This is "Play and Recreation for the Open Country." This book is an attempt to show some ways in which the adventure and romance and social co-operation which the country had in the days of the pioneer, but which it has so largely lost, can be brought back to country life. It contains many helpful suggestions for the organization of recreation in the rural home, in the rural school, and in the rural community. It is intended for parents, teachers and other students of rural life.

Advance notices which have been received speak flatteringly of Dr. Curtis as a lecturer. The message he brings ought to be heard by every person interested in child welfare.

PICKENS BABY DIES.

The four-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dimple Pickens died early yesterday morning at the family home, southwest of the city. The child succumbed to a severe attack of grippe. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Marsh chapel.

SOCIALISTS' LOCAL.

There will be a meeting of the Socialists' local this afternoon at 3 o'clock in Eagles' hall. Rev. Harold Griffin, pastor of Calvary Christian church, will give the address of the afternoon. Refreshments will be served at the close of the session.

PLEASANT PROGRAM TO BE GIVEN TONIGHT

LINCOLN SUNDAY SCHOOL TO ENTERTAIN FRIENDS WITH "THE BUILDERS."

There will be an exercise entitled "The Builders" given this evening by the Lincoln union Sunday school at the Lincoln school house. All friends who may be interested in the program of this Sunday school are cordially invited to be present. The program will include the following numbers: Opening song of praise, school. Invocation. Recitation, "A Welcome," Gerald Clausen and Walter Dunn. Prayer song, "God Bless Us Every One," school. Recitation, "Words," Ruth Hamilton. Responsive reading of scripture. Song, "How Firm a Foundation," Fannie Smith. Song, "Jesus Loves Even Me," school. Recitation, "Foundation," Evelyn Dunn. Exercise, "The Smallest Ones of All," class No. 1. Song, "Many Little Hands," classes Nos. 1, 2 and 3. Scripture reading, "Christ's Love," school. Recitation, "A Parable," Lois Veeder. Song, "Light at Eventide," class No. 5. Exercise, "Building Stones," classes Nos. 2 and 3. Song, "Little Builders," classes Nos. 2 and 3. Recitation, "The Time It Takes," Leslie Hamilton. Vocal solo (selected), Mrs. C. E. Day. Address, Sunday School Missionary R. W. Newman. Song, "The Work to Be Done," Wesley Spencer. Song, school.

BLACKWELL IS CAUGHT WITH STOLEN BICYCLE

F. N. Blackwell, well known to the police here, was caught in the act of stealing a bicycle yesterday afternoon, this being his second offense in the last three weeks. The bicycle, owned by a member of the business-office force of The Missoulian, was taken from in front of the building about 6 p. m. It was missed a few minutes later, and the owner telephoned his loss to the police station. As Desk Sergeant Theriault was taking down the description, Blackwell was riding down West Spruce street on the stolen wheel. Officer Jack Rice was at the station, and had heard enough of the conversation to know what it was about. He saw Blackwell riding along the street, and recognized him as the man who had attempted to sell him a stolen bicycle two weeks ago. Rice hurried out and collared the thief, thinking to investigate how the man came into possession of the one he was riding. Blackwell protested his innocence, but was held until the wheel in his possession was identified as the one stolen a few minutes before. The thief had carefully removed the name-plate, but the owner made positive identification of the machine. Blackwell will be the city's guest until arraigned to answer for his crime in police court Monday.

PROTRACTED ILLNESS IS ENDED BY DEATH

M. Martin, a rancher from the Flathead, died last evening at St. Patrick's hospital of pulmonary tuberculosis. Mr. Martin has been at the hospital, ill, for several weeks. He was about 50 years of age. Nothing is known of the dead man's family. The body will be held at Lucy's undertaking rooms until relatives can be found.

CUMMINGS-BATEMAN.

S. A. Bateman and Miss Esther Cummings were married here Tuesday afternoon at the Christian church, Rev. H. H. Griffin performing the ceremony in the presence of a few friends and relatives. The bride, one of the charming young ladies of this city, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cummings of Beach street. The groom is a well-known young man employed as boiler-maker at the Northern Pacific shops. Mr. and Mrs. Bateman will be at home to their friends at 511 Ross avenue.

SENTIMENTAL.

Malta, Mont., June 27.—Grace Fuller, a Dodson young lady, made a sensational attempt at suicide here today when she took a big dose of poison and leaped into the grave of her sweetheart, Thomas Darling, who was drowned at Dodson on Thursday, and who was being buried today. The Fuller girl was taken to the Malta hospital, where small hopes are entertained for her recovery.

WARRING COUNSEL SAY HARSH WORDS IN COURT

Quebec, June 27.—With accusations made by each side that the witnesses of the other had been guilty of deliberate falsification, counsel for the Empress of Ireland and the Storstad finished their summing up today before the commission appointed to investigate the circumstances of the disaster. The commission has now ended its labors as far as the hearing of evidence and the addresses of counsel are concerned. After a private hearing next week a finding will be rendered.

NEW VARSITY STUDENT.

From old Missouri yesterday came L. G. Sterrett, a young man 18 years of age, for the purpose of entering the University of Montana to complete his education. The new arrival came from the family home in Nevada, Mo., to live here with his brother, Harry Sterrett of The Missoulian's business-office force.

CHILE MARBLE PLANT.

Valparaiso, Chile, June 27.—A plant to saw, turn and polish marble has been established at San Felipe by Clark Bros. & Cementerio. One of the piazzas of Valparaiso is to be paved with this Andean marble.

Local Brevities

8% money to loan. J. M. Price Co.—Adv.

Mrs. W. H. Cramer of Victor was a guest in the city yesterday.

Stenographer, Dawson, Montana Bk.—Adv.

Harry South of Hamilton had business in Missoula yesterday.

Chiropractor Moore, Hammond Bk.—Adv.

Alex W. Miller of Ovando had business in the city yesterday.

Dr. Ward, veterinarian, Both phones.—Adv.

Frank Keith went to Helena yesterday for a short business visit.

Hall Insurance, F. T. Stoddard, room 15, Higgins block.—Adv.

W. S. Hollingsworth came into the city on business yesterday from Roman.

Money for farm loans; low rates; quick service. The Banking Corporation.—Adv.

Otto Quast spent yesterday on business at Woodside in the Bitter Root valley.

Western Montana Marble & Granite Co., South Higgins Ave.—Adv.

A son was born Friday night to Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Nelson at their home on Connell avenue.

Dr. Anna James osteopath, Higgins block. Phone 834 black.—Adv.

Harry Van Wart left yesterday for Lolo, where he is making his headquarters for his usual week-end fishing trip.

New Victor records for July just in. Orton Bros., 118 East Cedar.—Adv.

Mrs. Mary Harrison, a trained nurse, has returned from Stevensville where she has been for two weeks on professional duty.

Dr. Willard, osteopath, 1st Nat Bk.—Adv.

J. Wright Gray returned yesterday from a trip of 10 days up the Blackfoot valley on business for the Blackfoot Land Development company.

Marsh, the undertaker, 311 W. Cedar. Phone 321.—Adv.

New Victor records for July just in. Orton Bros., 118 East Cedar.—Adv.

Mrs. C. N. Baird, wife of Engineer Baird of the Northern Pacific, will leave this morning for a trip to Chicago and other eastern cities.

All kinds of 16-inch wood delivered. Western Montana Flouring company. Phone 85.—Adv.

Mrs. Margaret Hughes will entertain the ladies' auxiliary to the Ancient Order of Hibernians next Tuesday evening at her home, 411 Alder street.

An attractive gummetal key chain free. Better have your key registered. The Banking Corporation.—Adv.

Mrs. E. H. Edson has returned to her home in Missoula after spending two months visiting friends at Buffalo, Detroit, Omaha and other eastern cities.

Come in and hear the July Victor records. Orton Bros., 118 East Cedar.—Adv.

Mrs. Charles F. Dorman and son Harold are leaving today for an extended visit east. They will stop in Chicago for two or three weeks, then visit friends in Boston and later go to New Brunswick. The Dorman

house on South Fourth street has been rented by Mr. McVeigh and his sisters.

Good 16-inch wood, delivered. Western Montana Flouring company. Phone 85.—Adv.

George Feyder, traveling passenger agent for the Chicago and Northwestern lines, returned to his home at Helena yesterday after spending several days here.

Newton H. Schwelker, optical specialist, Rooms 203-205 Montana Bk.—Adv.

Mrs. W. E. Toney is here from Hunters Hot Springs, where Dr. Toney is located, and she will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Fleming, at their home on West Pine street.

The Missoulian has the best duplicating second sheets for letters. 75c per 1,000.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Lamberton of DeWitt, Iowa, have arrived in Missoula to spend the remainder of the summer with their daughter, Mrs. Bert Drew, at 326 South Sixth street east.

Come in and hear the July Victor records. Orton Bros., 118 East Cedar.—Adv.

Mrs. J. G. Wisterman, with her children, John and Frances, have come from Gallon, Ohio, to spend some time in Missoula, guests in the home of Mrs. Wisterman's sister, Mrs. Charles H. Hall.

Mrs. C. A. Chalkley will give lessons in oil, water colors and china painting. Call 3 to 5 afternoons, 603 East Front.—Adv.

New Victor records for July just in. Orton Bros., 118 East Cedar.—Adv.

Mrs. McMarnahan returned from Butte, where she went to attend the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Groeneveld and Dr. Charles Blake, which was a very elaborate and beautiful social function.

Money to loan on ranch and city property. H. D. Fisher, 113 E. Main.—Adv.

Touring cars for rent, \$3 per hour. Special rates for trips. J. J. Deakin. Phone 523.—Adv.

Mrs. Sara Carter Mullin and Miss Anna Carter left yesterday for Oak Park, Ill. Mrs. Mullin has been here for some time with her sister and Miss Carter is planning to make a short visit with her at Oak Park.

Dr. Louise Smith, osteopath, Masonic temple. Phone 618; res., 533 red.—Adv.

Handy scratch pads and walter checks for sale at The Missoulian office.—Adv.

Mrs. E. F. Baird and little daughter will leave this morning on the Northern Pacific for Battle Creek, Mich., there to visit some time with relatives. Mr. Baird, who is clerk at the local ticket office of the Northern Pacific, will go as far as Helena with his family.

Autos for hire. Phone 573. Garden City Garage.—Adv.

Dr. Rietsland, well known eyesight specialist, will be at the Palace hotel, professionally, July 17 to 20.—Adv.

Mrs. A. Busch and Mrs. John Nordquist stopped over in Missoula yesterday on their return journey from Portland, Ore. They will go today to their homes at Bozeman accompanied by Mrs. Busch's daughter, Mrs. Dale Hodson, and her baby daughter, who will spend a month in Bozeman.

Miss Ruth DeJarnette left yesterday afternoon for Birmingham, Alabama, where she will spend the summer with

Men's Raincoats and Gaborlines in this sale at a discount of 15%

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. DeJarnette. She will return in the fall to make her home during the winter with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. DeJarnette at Orchard Homes.

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The Western Montana Flouring Company is prepared to deliver 16-inch wood of all kinds to any part of the city. Phone 85.—Adv.

STATE EPWORTH LEAGUE CHOOSES NEW OFFICERS

Billings, June 27.—The Montana state Epworth league today selected Helena as the meeting place of the 1915 convention, and also elected a Helena man, W. Ray Andrew, president. Other officers elected were as follows: Vice presidents, Miss Louise Dadds, Dillon; Miss Helen Mills, Missoula; Miss Letha Henderson, Moore; and Miss Bond, Kallispell. Treasurer, R. C. Dillavon, Billings. Secretary, K. J. Kirkpatrick, Miles City. Superintendent Junior League, Miss Jessie M. Bassett, Great Falls. The regular program of the convention ended today, but the final event of the gathering will be a monster meeting tomorrow night, at which the new officers will be installed.

PARK PROGRESSIVES WILL WELCOME DIXON

Livingston, June 27.—At a meeting of the Park county progressives here this afternoon it was decided that a delegation of at least 40 members will leave here Monday afternoon for Big Timber and welcome former United States Senator Joseph M. Dixon, who is to address a progressive meeting on that evening.

URUGUAY RAILROAD PROSPEROUS

Montevideo, Uruguay, June 27.—The Central railway of Uruguay has been obliged to order 12 additional locomotives of heavy type owing to the increasing passenger traffic with Argentina.

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