

Schedule of Rates FOR MISSOULA SYSTEM

Schedule "A"—General Rate

First 50 K. W. Hrs. used per month 11.50 per kilowatt hour
 Next 50 K. W. Hrs. used per month 11.00 per kilowatt hour
 Next 100 K. W. Hrs. used per month 10.50 per kilowatt hour
 Next 300 K. W. Hrs. used per month 9.50 per kilowatt hour
 Next 500 K. W. Hrs. used per month 8.50 per kilowatt hour
 Next 1000 K. W. Hrs. used per month 7.50 per kilowatt hour
 Next 5000 K. W. Hrs. used per month 6.50 per kilowatt hour
 All additional 5.50 per kilowatt hour

The above subject to a discount of five (5) per cent if paid at the company's office within 10 days from date of bill.

Minimum monthly charge \$1.00.

If the number of lamps or sockets connected exceeds twenty (20), the monthly minimum payment shall be not less than a sum equivalent of five (5) cents for each 50 watt lamp equivalent, or empty socket.

The above rate includes free renewals under the rules and regulations of the company of all standard Edison base, metalized filament lamps.

The company reserves the right to not install a meter when no more than 120 watts are connected for use from dusk until midnight only. The charge for such lighting service will be \$1.25 per month net for each 60 watts installed.

The above is an exact copy of the general lighting rate put into effect June 24, 1914, by the public service commission of Montana.

Kindly read carefully, as bills are now being rendered on the new rate basis.

Missoula Light and Water Co.



"You'll Never Miss the Water, 'Till the Well Runs Dry"

Lamb With String Beans
 Get a piece of the forequarter of lamb, cook as a pot roast. An hour and a quarter before serving add a quart of tender, green string beans, cut lengthwise. Cover and cook until done. Then remove the lamb, and put in the middle of the platter. Slightly thicken the gravy containing the beans, and turn out on the platter around the meat.

You'll Always Have the Best of Meats If From Us You Buy

UNION MARKET
 BELL, 117. 132 HIGGINS AVE.

Operations start shortly on our holdings in the Sweet-grass oil lands. Send for prospectus now.

Montana-Canadian Oil Co.

F. M. BELL & CO., Fiscal Agents
 Lewisohn Bldg. Butte, Mont.

Bourdeau & Dennis

GROCCERS
 HAY, GRAIN AND FEED
 Bell phone 610-833 South Higgins

Our Mid-Week Stimulator

A few genuine pick-ups for this Wednesday and Thursday.

- Stumpy peaches, a yellow free-stone, by the crate 75c
- Red ripe watermelons, by the pound 15c
- Large ripe cantaloupes, 4 for 25c
- Well-filled sweet green corn, by the dozen 20c
- The finest egg plants to be had, a pound 10c
- White and yellow summer squash, a nickel a pound
- Cauliflower, home grown and tender, by the pound 5c

If you want to can some of the peaches we are advertising we will make you special prices on fruit jars as well. We are doing our level best to keep our sugar and flour prices down and it might pay you to investigate them.

JOHNSTON DELIGHTED

WITH THE PEN THAT SIGNED

A. P. Johnston of Superior yesterday received from Chairman Nelson of the board of county commissioners of Missoula county, one of the three pens used by the local board in signing the resolution that created Mineral county. Mr. Johnston was one of the early promoters of the new county movement and is very happy over the outcome. He will treasure the pen highly.

"I appreciate the gift of this pen, one of the three which signed Mineral county's declaration of independence, very highly," said Mr. Johnston. "The creation of Mineral county has made me very happy. I worked for it because I believed it was the best thing for all concerned. I will treasure this pen because to me it represents the accomplishment of my hopes, and those of many others who have worked just as hard and with the same impersonal interest in this matter as I have. I wish to thank all of the loyal supporters in the cause, those of both the mother county and

MINERAL OFFICERS GETTING SETTLED

Plan of Superior to Use Red Men's Hall for Temporary Courthouse Is Adopted and Is Proving Good—Commissioners Having Busy Sessions—Luedke Is Chairman—Officers Secure New Home

That the new commissioners of Mineral county have adopted the original plan of the people of Superior for the establishment of temporary quarters for county-seat officers in that town, was announced today by A. P. Johnston, who spent yesterday in Missoula on business.

The Red Men's hall of Superior, the largest public building in the town, will be the courthouse. The ground floor, partly a basement, as the building is built into a sidehill, has been partitioned off into offices and Mr. Johnston says that the arrangement makes things very comfortable. The upper floor has been made over into a courtroom with offices for clerk of the court and jury rooms. This also provides splendid court facilities.

Records Safe.
 As a safe place for the Mineral county records, Mr. Johnston has offered the board his stone warehouse, a building absolutely fireproof and in easy reach of the courthouse. With some alteration this building can be made to suit present needs and will eliminate the necessity of building an expensive vault until after the county seat is permanently established.

Commissioners Busy.
 The county commissioners met last Saturday, said Mr. Johnston, and are as busy as bees. Frank T. Luedke was elected chairman. They will be in session all week and are disposing of

much routine business. One of the matters that will be settled this week will be the transcribing of the county records. Bills will be called for and this work will be hurried as much as possible. A number of prospective bidders have already called on the board and there will undoubtedly be keen competition in the bidding. Mineral should get a very good contract for this work.

Superior Sure.
 Mr. Johnston believes that Superior will have no trouble in keeping the county seat when the selection is to be made between this town and St. Regis at the coming fall election. "The vote on August 1 gave evidence that Superior is the choice of the people," said Mr. Johnston. "There were no conflicting issues then which naturally gave St. Regis some votes which we should have secured. At the next election things will be different. We will get a stronger east-end support than before and we have strength in this end to overbalance any combination of west-end support for St. Regis. We are not worrying now and are going ahead as far as practicable with plans for the permanent establishment of the county seat in our town."

LIBRARY PATRONAGE DURING SUMMER MONTHS

IN SPITE OF HOT WEATHER MISSOULA PUBLIC LIBRARY IS WELL PATRONIZED

Yesterday Librarian Miss Grace Stoddard had prepared her reports of the city's free "temple of knowledge" for June and July. It appears that outing and camping trips and the natural indisposition due to hot weather had little effect upon the patronage of the library.

The total circulation was heavy and the books other than fiction, the "heavy reading" were generously used. Following is the statement, embracing both months:

Circulation Report.	
	June, July
Total circulation	4,102 3,445
Average daily circulation	158 133
Per cent of fiction	82 83
Largest daily issue of month	269 185
Smallest daily issue	107 90
New borrowers registered	59 42
Average number of readers on Sunday	1.09 .13
Amount collected in fines	\$23.15 \$18.95
Proceeds of the rental collection	\$2.80 \$3.05

Circulation by Classes.

Adult fiction	2,383 2,074
Juvenile fiction	996 819
Periodicals	153 128
Philosophy	23 18
Religion	10 19
Sociology	100
Philology	7
Science	22 20
Useful arts	40 20
Fine arts	52 41
Literature	148 119
History	53 37
Travel	58 28
Biography	40 32

ALL FAIR BUILDINGS ARE GROWING RAPIDLY

WESTERN MONTANA FAIR IS WELL WORTH WHILE

Have you visited the new county fair grounds lately?

If not, take a walk out there some afternoon. It will be worth your while. The work on the improvements has progressed far enough to give a splendid idea of how the county is preparing for the opening fair at the new location. In fact the buildings are all nearly completed. Two of the barns are entirely finished and the third, the one for exhibition stock, is all ready except some inside work. The grandstand is well under way, also. It looms up big now. From any seat offered on its sloping floor a splendid view is obtained of every foot of the half-mile racetrack. The stand faces to the southeast and there will be no looking into the face of the sun for afternoon races. The stand is very imposing and, besides being large and convenient, its architectural design has a pleasing dignity.

There will be no separate exhibition hall constructed this year, according to the announcement made by the county commissioners today. For this season the western Montana fair must get along with the one hall underneath the grandstand. This, however, will not be a cramped space. There is a hall 140 by 48 feet in size under the stand, exclusive of the offices and rest room, which have been partitioned off.

The ladies' rest room in the grandstand is of the wide, bright, and cheerful pride of the commissioners. This will be modernly equipped and will make a day's stay at the grounds by women and children, especially mothers with babies, a delight instead of a task.

LOCAL SOCIETY

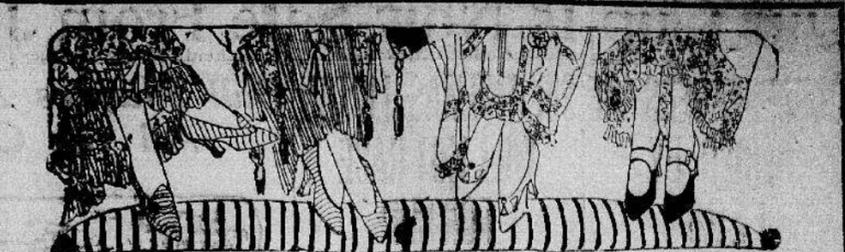
Y. W. C. A. Campfire.

The open-air meeting of the members and friends of the Missoula Y. W. C. A. on the "Island" Monday evening, was a splendid success and everything in connection with the session was enjoyable for all of the association crowd present. The session was called primarily for the purpose of listening to the reports of the association delegates who have just returned from the conference at Cop-hasset Beach. All of these delegates came home full of inspiration and enthusiasm and, to a great extent, they enthused and inspired their audience in the same way that they had been aroused at the conference.

When the company had assembled, a drift-wood fire was started on the river bank and around this, on the sand and on logs, sat the listeners while the delegates talked. Miss Hoogstraet, secretary of the Missoula Y. W. C. A., introduced the speakers. Before beginning they joined in singing the Montana song, composed on their way to the conference, and sang there with splendid effect.

Miss Wayne spoke first. The thing which appealed most to her at the conference was the way in which the Y. W. C. A. women conducted themselves under all circumstances and every condition, always displaying the true association spirit—always cheerful and happy, never complaining, no matter what befalls. Even a three-mile tramp in a beating rain, she said, failed to "dampen" their cheerful attitude.

Mrs. Dodd's subject was "The Persons at Large." She told how each delegate after hearing the inspiring things from the conference leaders, who spoke, felt the desire to make more of themselves—to do bigger things. She emphasized one important point—how the conference leaders showed wonderful adaptability to play and play



Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes at Great Reductions

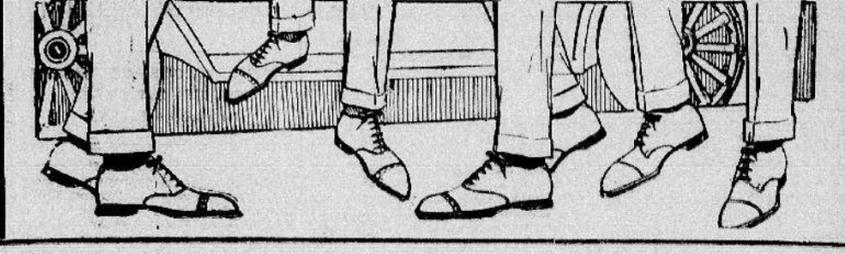
Hundreds of pairs of men's, women's and children's good shoes remain for clearance, assuring satisfactory selections, the correct size and values such as only the M. M. Co., ever offers, and here but once a season—now is the time to provide for the footwear needs of the family for some time to come.

10 Per Cent Discount 10
 On any pair of shoes in the store not otherwise reduced.

Women's Oxfords and Shoes, 75c, \$1.45, \$1.95, \$2.65, \$2.95, \$3.45 and \$4.50
 Regular prices were \$3.50 to \$7.50. Wonderful values

Men's Oxfords and Shoes \$1, \$1.45, \$1.65, \$1.95, \$2.45, \$2.95, \$3.45, \$4.95
 Former prices ranged from \$2.00 to \$6.50. All the styles to pick from

Boy's and Children's Shoes 65c to \$2.45
 Regular \$1.00 to \$3.50 values.



hard and then to turn to the real work of the conference and carry it through with all seriousness and earnest dignity.

Miss Ruby Jacobson, president of the students' Y. W. C. A., told of the conference. She brought back her full share of the spirit of good fellowship and hope which must have radiated from the conference.

Mrs. Fox told of the recreation periods and Miss Jennie Rowe of the Bible-study classes. One subject was especially enjoyable and helpful to her, she said, that of the life of Paul in which his gentleness was emphasized. She suggested to members that they substitute this word "gentleness" for "charity" in this epistle and see what the result will be. Miss Hoogstraet told of the beautiful prayers that were offered before each meal, and the hymns every one knew and loved, "Still, Still With Thee" in the mornings and "Day Is Dying in the West" in the evenings. The voices of the many high school girls, she said, sounded clear and sweet through the great hall in their earnestness.

All in all the secretary said, the conference is one of great inspiration. Five hundred delegates attended this year. It is hoped that this number may be doubled at the next session.

After the speeches and when the members of the campfire were just right, the coffee was put on to boil and all gathered round to roast wieners and marshmallows. There was a good feast and a happy time until the noon peeped over Jumbo. Then the fire was smothered and the farewell "Soft Over the Mountain" was sung and the evening was over.

Many other sessions of this sort have been planned by the association for the summer and early fall.

Guest From Ogden.

Miss Margaret Mercer of Ogden, Utah, is the guest of the Misses Deschamps at their home on East Front street. The Misses Juliet and Loretta Deschamps and Miss Mercer are leaving Wednesday for the Deschamps ranch to spend the week-end.

Home Missionery.

The Women's Home Missionery society will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. John Inch at 125 Fourth street, east. There will be an election of officers and all members are asked to be present.

Christian Endeavor Picnic.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church will have a picnic at Riverside park on Thursday evening. As many as possible are asked to take the 6 o'clock car and be at the park to prepare the big feed for those who will be unable to leave until an hour later.

Lutheran Aid.

The Ladies Aid society of the Evangelical Lutheran church will meet

this afternoon instead of yesterday, as was announced, at the home of Mrs. Christian Jacky on South Higgins avenue. Take University car, get off at Mount Avenue, walk two blocks west. All members and friends of the church are requested to be present.

W. C. T. U. Today.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will meet Wednesday with Mrs. Corbin at her home on South Fourth street. The business of the meeting will be to make suitable arrangements for the reception of Mrs. Armor of Georgia, who will be here on August 31 to talk on Christian temperance work. Mrs. Armor has the reputation of being a splendid speaker for the temperance cause and the ladies of the local W. C. T. U. are anticipating the arrival of this worker with a great deal of pleasure.

Herbert Spokesfield's Birthday.

Mrs. Emily Spokesfield entertained at dinner Monday evening in honor of

the 10th birthday anniversary of her son, Herbert. Besides Mrs. Spokesfield and Herbert, there were present Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Luch and son, Herbert, and Miss Gretha Spokesfield.

Auction Bridge.

Mrs. Gilbert Reinhard entertained a company of ladies at auction bridge Tuesday afternoon, at her home, 414 Eddy street. She had as her guest of honor Mrs. Walter Cowan of Albion, Ind., who is an old schoolmate of Mrs. Reinhard. An hilarious and tasteful arrangement of sweet pens and so on followed the game. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Those who had the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Cowan were Mesdames John Lucy, Jr., Hugh Forbes, McGowan, Chesley, A. N. Whitlock, Edward Simons, R. H. Nelson, Misses Marguerite, Florence and Helen Guen, Beth Ferrell, Agnes Leonard, Gross and Leona Forbes.

Missoula Housewives

As previously announced, we have secured the services of Miss Myra Pellens, for the month of August only. Phone 1152 if you wish to make an appointment for her to call at your home, and give you any advice or instructions on how to USE YOUR GAS RANGE. Miss Pellens is an experienced domestic science teacher, and her time is yours for the asking.

NO CHARGES WILL BE MADE for any assistance she may give you, and she will not try to make any sales of gas appliances.

OUR PURPOSE is to give to our customers expert instructions on the use of gas. No other fuel is so **QUICK** and **ECONOMICAL**, and we propose to use every available means to acquaint you with **THE PROPER CARE AND USE OF YOUR GAS RANGE.**

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