

# NEWS OF THE RAILROADERS IN MISSOULA AND ABROAD

## HANNAFORD TELLS OF RAILROAD'S OBJECTS

PRESIDENT OF NORTHERN PACIFIC GIVES IN CLEAR WAY HIS HOPES AND FEARS

President J. M. Hannaford of the Northern Pacific at a luncheon to his party and a few friends, held in Helena during the past week, during the course of an informal talk, gave one of the best explanations yet given in the state of what his road is trying to do.

Following are extracts from the talk of President Hannaford:

"Gentlemen, I think you will understand just what I mean when I say to you in all sincerity that it often has been my heartfelt wish in recent years that those same cordial, friendly relations existed between the railroads and the traveling public that greased the ways in the stage-coach days—the same spirit of comradery, of give and take that speeded things up and reduced friction to a minimum.

### Road Selfish.

"To be very frank with you, the Northern Pacific is selfishly, not sentimentally, interested in doing its full share and then some to promote the rapid development in every way of the northwest. It is a hard business proposition. It is self-evident that a railroad cannot prosper and cannot continue to make good unless the same condition applies to the territory which it serves as a common carrier. If we are to develop tonnage, without which the receiver waits upon us, we must build up, not tear down, as the calamity howlers would have you believe; wherever possible we must lead our intelligent and hearty co-operation to any local enterprise that is developing the resources of the country, and this state fair is a splendid example of what I mean. By stimulating intensive cultivation of the rich soil of Montana, by promoting the livestock industry, by encouraging mining and manufacturing your great institution, is certainly a powerful auxiliary to the promotion department of the Northern Pacific railroad in creating and paving the way of that potential tonnage that is the very lifeblood of a railroad.

### Knocker's Day Done.

"I hope and believe that the day of the uncompromising, unreasonable railroad knocker is at an end. We have had enough of him. He has been in the saddle so long and has been so successful with his vapid mountings that he actually has succeeded in reducing most of our railroads to a state of panic. They don't know what he's going to do next. And it is this very condition of mind, constantly apprehensive as to the legislative future that is preventing a great deal of important extension work in Montana and other states that would open a great rich territory if the rails actually were being dealt with in a spirit of fair play.

### Favors Montana.

"I wish the people of Montana would remember that the money needed for these great improvements cannot be provided by the officials of the railroads. Speaking for myself I have a weakness for Montana. I

have always had an exceptional friendly feeling for this state. I believe I was one of the first men to preach the gospel of mixed farming here, for I know what it would mean for the future of the state. If I had the means, if I controlled the purse strings in my enthusiasm I might go ahead and order construction through the section traversed by our road wherever it seemed at all justified by conditions. But I have nothing to say about it. The most I can do is to be a friend at court; it is up to the stockholders, to the people who own and control the property, to say what the construction appropriations shall be. But it is plain that the controlling factors will be in a much more receptive frame of mind with the assurance that railroad tariffs will not be subject to constant, unreasonable tinkering—that the roads will not constantly be hampered and hedged about with unreasonable legislative regulation, framed by men who know absolutely nothing about the railway business or its legitimate interests which it has the right to demand shall be guaranteed the same protection given to every other lawful business."

Mr. Hannaford certainly carried away from his meeting with the fair officials, the assurance that those were their sentiments, too. He was assured that the people of Montana, no matter what motives inspired the Northern Pacific railroad, were profoundly appreciative of what the road was doing to build up the state and to facilitate the marketing of the farmers' products now increasing in volume at such a wonderful rate.

### Railroad Notes.

The general manager's special yesterday morning left Missoula for Wallace, where General Manager J. M. Rapelje, A. V. Brown, general superintendent of the central district, A. M. Burt, chief engineer, and Superintendent F. L. Birdsall of the Rocky Mountain division, all of the Northern Pacific, spent the day on general inspection. The special will return to Missoula today.

The Northern Pacific yesterday announced a fare of one and one-third the regular fare for the round trip to Plains and return and to Hamilton and return. This rate is made because of the Ravalli county fair. These shows will be held from October 7 to 10.

John P. Phelan, chief dispatcher, and F. E. Willard, superintendent of the Missoula division of the Milwaukee, yesterday went to Avery to meet Car-Service Agent West.

## FORESTER SILCOX TO SEE STATE FAIR

Among the passengers on the state fair special, which leaves Missoula this morning at 8:20, will be District Forester E. A. Silcox. Mr. Silcox is going over to inspect the fair, but is especially interested in the exhibit there, which has been arranged by the forest service. This exhibit is arranged to be both entertaining and educational and the forester wishes to see for himself how it "takes" with the visitors at the fair and to study the display with a view of making improvements for next year.

In addition to this, Mr. Silcox will suggest what sections of the exhibit should be sent here to be displayed at the Western Montana fair next week. Everything but some of the graphic relief maps, it is believed, will withstand shipping, so that the local show will be practically the same as the one in Helena.

## NORTHERN PACIFIC OFFERS TROPHY FOR OATS

RAILWAY WILL GIVE PRIZE FOR BEST BUSHEL AT EXHIBIT OF SEED GROWERS IN DEC.

The Northern Pacific Railway company has offered a handsome silver trophy for the best bushel of oats to be exhibited at the seed exposition of the Montana Seed Growers' association held at Bozeman, December 8 to 10. This railroad has offered many of the very good premiums to the different states in the west and has done much to encourage the exhibiting of Montana's superior products, which when known by central west and eastern farmers, are best drawing cards for settlers.

### Big Prizes Won.

Montana oats have won many of the best premiums ever put up. It was a Montana oat grower who won the thousand dollar oat trophy at the New York land show, and Montana oats carried off the United States sweepstakes, and came within a fraction of a point of carrying off the world's sweepstakes at the 1914 National Corn exposition.

American oats have on the average 30 per cent of hull, while the average percentage of hull in Montana oats is less than 25 per cent. This means that in every hundred pounds of oats there is five pounds more of good-kernal, high-grade feeding material in Montana oats than in oats generally.

### Interesting Figures.

In 1913 Montana produced 21,757,000 bushels of oats on half a million acres. The average yield per acre in the United States is 29.3 bushels, while in Montana the average yield is 43.4. With the exception of Washington, Idaho and Utah, Montana has the highest average yield per acre of any state in the union.

The seed exposition held in Bozeman, under the direction of the Seed Growers' association, December 8 to 10, offers many fine prizes for Montana oats. The winning entries at this exposition will be put in contest at the Panama-Pacific exposition this coming year.

## LOCAL SOCIETY

### With Mrs. Briggs.

The Women's Parochial Missionary society of the Episcopal church will meet with Mrs. George Briggs this afternoon at her home on East Pine street.

### For Mrs. Davis.

Mrs. H. H. Hayes entertained in her home at Orchard Homes yesterday afternoon, as a farewell compliment for Mrs. G. L. Davis. The guests were Mesdames De Jarnette, Clements, Erfert, Irving, Harlow, Graham, Anderson, John Campbell and the guest of honor. The ladies visited informally and afternoon tea was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. John Campbell. Mrs. Davis and her three children have lived during the summer at Orchard Homes and they will leave this morning for Malta, where Mr. Davis is located on government reclamation service.

### Missoula Ladies Win.

Out of the 87 different kinds of fancy work awarded prizes yesterday at the state fair in Helena, a specimen of colored silk embroidery on colored linen done by Mrs. John M. Eabeart took a first prize; and a specimen of novelty braid dollies done by Mrs. Ida L. Dean took a first. Mrs. D. E. Lockridge of Stevensville won a first prize on knitted wool mittens. Mrs. Eabeart received a second prize on a fancy silk work bag and Mrs. Lockridge of Stevensville took a second on hemstitched handkerchiefs.

### Baptist Ladies.

A social session of more than usual interest and pleasure was held by the Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church, yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Spurgin at Orchard Homes. Announcement was made at this time of a cooked food sale to be held by the South Side circle of the society Saturday morning, beginning at 11 o'clock in the Hentley and Eligman store.

### Invitations Issued.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edgar Johnson, asking friends to be present at the wedding reception of their daughter, Cecile Carmody Johnson, and Percy Roy Campbell next Thursday evening at the Johnson home, 215 South Fifth street east.

### Congregational Ladies.

Mrs. F. A. McDonald's birthday yesterday and Mrs. Bertha Thurston's birthday Saturday were pleasantly celebrated by the Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church in session at the McDonald home yesterday afternoon. A cluster of unusually beautiful roses grown in Mrs. W. F. Cobban's garden was presented to the hostesses and several wrapped packages were given them in honor of the day. Plans were made in the business session, for serving a lunch from 11 o'clock in the morning until 7 o'clock in the evening on Thursday and Friday of fair week, at the store of the O. W. Perry Coal company and the DeMars Electric company. A decision was also reached to engage E. R. Couzens to take charge of the music for the Sunday morning services of the church. Mr. Couzens is a vocalist of marked power and culture. The Congregational church culture, self fortunate to have him as soloist and choir leader.

## UNUSUAL CONDITION LAND SURVEYS NOT ASKED

PLENTY OF FUNDS FOR HOME-STEAD SURVEYS IN MONTANA AWAITING APPLICATIONS

A bulletin from the surveyor general of the United States land office at Washington tells of rather an unusual condition. He gives to the public the following statement:

"It is not because of lack of funds that the surveys in Montana are not being made, as the appropriations made by congress for this work have not yet been exhausted. They say the policy of the department is to make the surveys only upon application for such surveys by bonafide residents of the various townships and such applications have not been numerous enough to exhaust the available appropriations for this work.

### Unused Funds.

"In addition to the unused funds on hand, the sundry civil bill now before the house contains a large appropriation for this work, but the department will only proceed to make the surveys upon application for them by the bonafide residents of the different townships. Therefore, the thing to do is to have these residents of the various townships in Montana located in unsurveyed territory, who will be benefitted by the surveys, make application to the local office or direct to the department here, and the department will go ahead and make the surveys. The officials here say they can see no reason for making the surveys in Montana or any other state just for the sake of knowing that the lands have been surveyed.

### Delayed.

"In many places in the state development is being delayed because the surveys have not been completed. I don't know when some lands will be surveyed—if a bonafide resident has to make application. In some places where surveys are desired there are no bonafide residents. However, it is plain that more surveys would be made if the people most interested, would make the necessary applications, and this word should be spread among the people as generally as possible."

### We Should Worry.

"In regard to the land under the jurisdiction of the land office in Missoula, there is little, if any, detriment for lack of applications made by residents," said the register in the local office yesterday. "With the exception of 20 townships in the Swan river country, all the unsurveyed land is in forest reservations. The settlers go right ahead with their land development and the forest service looks after having needed surveys made."

## NEEDFUL KNOWLEDGE

Missoula People Should Learn to Detect the Approach of Kidney Disease.

The symptoms of kidney trouble are many. Disordered kidneys often excrete a thick cloudy offensive urine, or attended by a sensation of scalding. The back may occur and the victim is often weighed down by a feeling of languor and fatigue. Neglect these warnings and there is danger. Delay often proves fatal. You can use no better indorsed kidney remedy than Doan's Kidney Pills. Here's Missoula proof of their merit. Mrs. C. M. Cates, 813 Grand avenue, Missoula, Mont., says: "One of my family complained quite awhile of a severe pain across the small of the back and touches of rheumatic pain through his shoulders and arms. Some one suggested Doan's Kidney Pills and they were used. It was but a short time before they brought relief. Since then, whenever Doan's Kidney Pills have been used, they have acted as a tonic to the kidneys." Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Cates had. Foster-Milburn company, proprietors, P.O. Box 10, N. Y.

## DIRECTORY NOTICE

The new directory for Bell telephone company goes to press on October 3. Any changes or additions should be in the office by that date. Now is the time to put in your phone.—Adv.

Broken celluloid articles can be mended by softening the broken edges in ether, applying collodion liberally and holding the pieces together under a thoroughly warmed iron weight.

Dr. W. H. Harrison, practice limited to diseases and surgery of the eye, ear, nose and throat and fitting of glasses. Office Higgins block.—Adv.

Gordon House, who has been night clerk at the Thornton hotel in Butte, is spending a few days with friends in Missoula.

## MISSOULA'S BUSINESS SLATE

A Ready Reference for Busy People

<b>ELECTRICIAN</b> Big Reduction, Sterling Mazda Lamps, CAVANDER, 518 Higgins; 528 Black. Electrical Appliances, Motors, Fixtures, Wiring, Repairing, Mazda Lamps, Vacuum Cleaners, Missoula Electric Supply Co., 121 Higgins. Phone 1940. <b>MASSAGE AND HAIR DRESSING.</b> Mrs. Krichbaum, Missoula hotel, 482 Red. <b>TAILORING AND PRESSING</b> Jake, the Tailor, Suits to order; 139 West Main street. Burdick's Tailor Shop, Hammond Annex. <b>VULCANIZING</b> Missoula Vulcanizing Company, 110 West Spruce. 545 Black. Expert attention. Chicago Garage, Careful, prompt service. 227 West Main. 350 Bell phone. <b>AUTOMOBILE REPAIR</b> Chicago Garage, G. W. Brooks, Mgr. 227 West Main, Missoula. Tel. 350. <b>CHIROPRACTIC.</b> If You've Tried Everything Else With out Benefit, Try Chiropractic and Get Well. F. G. Moore, Hammond Bk. <b>SHOE REPAIRING.</b> J. A. Colling at Mapee and Mapee. New Method Shop, 322 North Higgins. <b>PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.</b> H. H. Achor, Phone 483 Black. <b>SECOND-HAND DEALER.</b> G. T. Meade, New and Second-hand Furniture Bought and Sold, 114 West Cedar Street. Phone 1411-J. Frank Long, Dealer in New and Second Hand Goods; 121 W. Cedar. <b>TINNER.</b> Reid, the Tinner. Furnaces. Tel. 635.	<b>HOTELS AND ROOMING HOUSES</b> The Missoula Hotel, J. A. Walsh, mgr. Steam heat, telephones, thoroughly modern. Week and month rates. The Palace Hotel, Corner West Cedar and Stevens streets. Convenient; strictly modern. Cafe in connection; breakfast and luncheon 35 cents. Dinner 25 cents and up. Special all-winter room rates. Grand Pacific Hotel, Chas. A. Schrage, Mgr. Opposite N. P. passenger depot.—Strictly modern and up to date. Personal service a feature. First-class cafe and dining room in connection. German dishes a specialty. <b>BOARD AND ROOM.</b> New Dining Room, Patten Street, Near Postoffice, First Class Meals Served. Modern, Steam-Heated Furnished Rooms. Reasonable. 222 Patten. <b>REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE</b> We have five prospective purchasers of small homes. List bargain real estate with Newell & Gage. <b>WELDING.</b> If you like good welding, go to 637 Woody Street. Phone 808. Missoula Welding Works. <b>HIDES AND JUNK.</b> Attention—We Give Full Value and prompt returns for hides, pelts, wool, rubber, Missoula Hides and Wool Depot, 631 Woody; 985 Black. <b>SHEET METAL WORKS</b> E. L. Metcalf, 129 Alder. Tel. 701. <b>CARPET CLEANING.</b> E. T. Dorsey, Phone 934 Purple. <b>GARAGE.</b> Paxton Garage, Expert Repair Work. Taxicabs and touring cars for rent. Monogram oil; supplies. Phone 678.
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## Local Brevities

8% money to loan. J. M. Price Co.—Adv.  
 Attorney Floyd J. Logan went last night to Helena.  
 N.Y. Life, M.R.C. Smith; phone 328.—Adv.  
 O. D. Swartz of Hamilton had business in the city yesterday.  
 Shunk—the Jeweler—144 W. Front.—Adv.  
 John Taylor of Stevensville spent the day on business in Missoula.  
 Dr. Anna James, osteopath, Higgins block. Phone 633 Black.—Adv.  
 Mrs. M. Mullen went last evening to Helena to spend the remainder of the week.  
 Dr. Willard, osteopath, 1st Nat. Bk.—Adv.  
 John Clifton of the firm of Clifton & Applegate, spent yesterday with his family in Missoula.  
 Dr. Riesland the eye-sight specialist is now at the Palace hotel and remains until Sept. 30. All glasses ground here.—Adv.  
 Attorney Leon L. Bulen went last night to Butte where he will be occupied today looking after matters of business.  
 Dr. W. H. Harrison, practice limited to diseases and surgery of the eye, ear, nose and throat and fitting of glasses. Office Higgins block.—Adv.  
 C. N. Baird, Northern Pacific engineer, has just returned from a trip to visit relatives at Cottage Grove, Oregon.  
 Handy scratch pads and water checks for sale at The Missoulian office.—Adv.  
 Gordon House, who has been night clerk at the Thornton hotel in Butte, is spending a few days with friends in Missoula.  
 We pay 4 per cent interest on savings accounts. The Banking Corporation.—Adv.  
 Mrs. G. A. Douglas is here from her home at Boulder Hot Springs visiting in the home of her grandson, Lawrence Grady.  
 Dance by H. Jette at Western Hotel, at Frenchtown, September 27th.  
 Hiram Thomas and his son, George W. Thomas, were here yesterday from Hall, having come to be witnesses in a trial in the district court.  
 Taxicabs and touring cars for hire; day and night service. Phone Bell 83.—Adv.  
 A telephone message came yesterday from Claude Marshall, machine operator at the Empress theater, saying that he had just gone into the ditch with his motorcycle, while

riding up the Bitter Root valley near Hamilton. He said that his collar bone was cracked and that he would be off duty until it healed.  
 George W. Stuffle, a prominent druggist from Belt, is here for a few days, a guest in the home of his long-time friends, Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Ellis.  
 The Missoulian has the best duplicating second sheets for letters. 75c per 1,000.—Adv.  
 Mrs. B. T. Stanton arrived in Missoula yesterday from Bozeman to spend a short time with her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Walker, at Orchard Homes.  
 Miss Grace Corbin has opened piano classes, all grades. Specialist in children's work. Phone 1342 black.—Adv.  
 Mrs. B. E. Tutwiler and small son went to their home at Drummond yesterday, having been for several days guests in the home of Mrs. Allison in Orchard Homes.  
 Robertson (Rob), the Life Insurance man.—Adv.  
 G. E. Whiteman, cashier of the Farmers' and Merchants' State bank at Dixon, visited Missoula yesterday.  
 Mrs. H. H. Bateman is visiting friends at Spokane this week.  
 For wines, liquors and soda water for family use, order from J. E. Power.—Adv.  
 Mrs. Emma Nelson of Spokane made application yesterday for homestead entry on 34.31 acres, lot 1, section 31, township 20 north, range 22 west. The application was allowed.  
 Dr. Louise Smith, osteopath, Masonic temple. Phone 618; res., 533 red.—Adv.  
 The parents of Miss Anna Foss, employed in the candy department of the Missoula Mercantile company, are spending a few days in Missoula, Mr. and Mrs. Foss are residents of Bellingham, Wash.  
 Money to loan on ranch and city property. H. D. Fisher, 113 E. Main.—Adv.  
 Fritolf Hornell of Ronan applied for homestead entry on 40 acres, the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 24, township 21 north, range 21 west. The application was rejected.  
 Marsh, the undertaker, 111 W. Cedar. Phone 321.—Adv.  
 Hibbert Shaw of Thompson Falls applied yesterday for homestead entry on unsurveyed land, list 1-2554, section 5, township 21 north, range 28 west, amounting to 26.12 acres. The application was allowed.  
 Dr. Ward, veterinarian. Both phones.—Adv.  
 Herman K. Romtveit of Ronan yesterday applied for homestead entry on 150 acres, the east half of the northeast quarter and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of

section 33, township 20 north, range 20 west. The application was allowed.  
 Newton H. Schwelker, Optical Specialist. Rooms 203-205 Montana Bldg.—Adv.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ben Morris returned yesterday to their home near Sunset. They were accompanied in the automobile by Mrs. Lora Wood Hughes, who is returning to duty as expert nurse in the case of Dwight Sperry, ill with typhoid fever.  
 The South Side section of the Baptist Aid will give a food sale at Hentley and Eligman's store, Saturday from 11 to 6 o'clock.—Adv.  
 Miss L. Loughran has come from Butte to take charge of the sheet music department in the Hoyt-Dickinson Piano store. Miss Loughran was a student in the Sacred Heart academy in 1912, and she has many friends who will welcome her in Missoula.

## ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed in the Missoula, Mont., postoffice for the week ending September 26, 1914:  
 Martin Aycock.  
 Mrs. Alon Barber, R. F. Baird, Charles E. Barber (2), Boston Department Store.  
 M. S. Camfield.  
 L. B. Davis.  
 W. J. English.  
 H. E. Foster, Leon Ferry.  
 Lacey W. Grose, Rollin Gilford.  
 J. B. Haworth, Mrs. H. B. Hartman.  
 Mrs. Ida Johnson.  
 Mrs. Hazel King.  
 Mrs. Louise Lauer, M. Lyons.  
 Mrs. Ora I. Miller, Charles D. Merchant, H. W. Meacham, Mrs. Mamie Mickels, Paul Markey, Montana Collection Agency.  
 Miss Della Perrine, Mrs. Henry Price, Major Pease.  
 Jack Sullivan, Miss Martha Sproud, Mrs. Paula Staples, Mrs. Carl F. Stillman.  
 Mrs. Jommie Wakon, Fred Winsel, C. F. Welsh, John Wallace.  
 Mrs. Mick Young, package.  
 Mahan Grant, package.  
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Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c, 25c.

## New Location

On account of the recent fire which damaged the store room and stock of goods I am compelled to move. After Tuesday I am pleased to announce that I will be located in the room formerly occupied by James Thurston, first door south of the Western Hotel.

A new and complete line of gents' furnishing goods is arriving daily.

## Come In and See Me!

# Louis Kennedy

North Higgins Avenue.

## A Dozen New Oil Companies

are now preparing to develop their holdings in the Sweetgrass fields of Toole county, Montana.

Important results may come at any time now. That we may push our work uninterrupted we are still offering a few shares. Write us today.

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F. M. Bell & Co. Fiscal Agents, Lewishon Bldg., Butte