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RIALTO THEATER
CASE IS NOW PENDING

Judge Jackson Hears Arguments for Appointment of Receiver and Takes Matter Under Advisement.

Arguments in the matter of the application of Rowe and Drobilich for the appointment of a receiver for the Silver Bow Amusement company, operators of the Rialto theater in Butte, were heard yesterday by Judge Joseph R. Jackson. The matter was taken under advisement.

Attorneys Nolan & Donovan and Bourquin, for the plaintiff, cited at length the conditions brought about through the action of Jensen & Von Herberg, co-owners with Rowe and Drobilich in the Rialto in combating the union musicians and moving picture operators in some of their theaters on the Pacific coast. It was alleged that this attitude of hostility by Jensen & Von Herberg toward the unions on the coast had resulted in a boycott against the Rialto theater in Butte, which, it was stated, was being affected to such an extent that the profits of Rowe and Drobilich were placed in jeopardy.

Attorneys for Jensen & Von Herberg admitted the allegations in the complaint, but argued that these did not furnish grounds sufficient for the appointment of a receiver.

NEW NAMES ON BANNER

In the painting of the big banner stretched across Main street in front of democratic headquarters, the names of Peter J. Kelly, democratic candidate for assessor, and Dan Holland, for coroner, were inadvertently omitted. Yesterday two pennants, one bearing Kelly's name and the other that of Holland, were attached to the banner, which now contains the names of all the candidates on the democratic county ticket.

MAY OPPOSE OREGON.

(Special United Press Wire.)
Vera Cruz, Mexico, Oct. 21.—Armed opposition to the Mexican government has arisen in the state of Puebla, where revolutionists have congregated in two towns, according to dispatches. Three thousand under the leadership of an ex-Carranza general have armed themselves, swearing to do all in their power to prevent General Obregon assuming the presidency.

HOWATT ASSERTS RADICALS WILL TRIUMPH

Says Kept Press Stories Emanating From Coal Miners' Headquarters Are Mis-statements.

(By ERWIN ST. JOHN TUCKER.)
(Written for the Federated Press.)
Pittsburgh, Kan., Oct. 21.—The statement issued from Indianapolis that the national convention of the United Mine Workers had thrown out the "radicals" and endorsed the John L. Lewis administration is erroneous, according to Alexander Howatt, leader of the aforesaid "radicals" who recently returned from the convention. The election for national officials, which is by referendum, does not occur until the second Tuesday in December.

What happened at Indianapolis is that the nominations by the different miners' locals were canvassed. It was found that John L. Lewis had been renominated by 926 locals and Harlin of Washington had been placed in the running by 468 locals. Alexander Howatt had been nominated for vice president by 687 locals, and Murray's name by 740 locals. Howatt was nominated for president by two or three hundred locals, but he refused to accept the nomination, centering his fire on the vice presidential office.

"There are 4,200 locals in the United Mine Workers," said Howatt today. "Only 1,400 of these took the trouble to nominate anybody, the rest of them have refused to take part in the nominating. The showdown will come at election time."

"Why John L. Lewis gave out the statement I cannot understand, unless it was to influence the undecided."

The coal situation is tense. With the whole country yelling for more coal, the miners are able to work only three days a week on the average. They are ready and willing to work every day in the week, but the operators won't let them. They profess that there is a shortage of cars. The truth is that they are working hard to prevent a surplus of coal from getting on the market. They are taking a car shortage.

There are many instances where they could have given cars to the miners, but failed to do so. They did not want them. They are now working to make the people believe that there is going to be a coal famine this winter, so that they will be glad to pay fancy prices to keep warm.

"Ninety per cent of the coal miners are in favor of Eugene Deb's plan of nationalizing the coal mines," continued Howatt. "The Cleveland national convention voted unanimously in favor of it. At present the miners can only make about \$18 a week clear; it is not possible to live on that, only to exist."

"If the public owned the mines, public interest would be to produce as much coal as possible, so that there would be plenty of it for all; and this would enable coal miners to work every day, making enough to support their families. But the injunctions of the federal court are aimed at preventing concerted action by the miners to better their condition to this extent."

Howatt's appeal from the Kansas industrial court has been taken to the United States supreme court. He claims that the Kansas industrial court constitutes enslavement of labor, and as such is unconstitutional. Nebraska has just passed an enabling act opening the door for a future adoption of an industrial court law similar to that of Kansas. If Howatt's appeal is reversed by the supreme court there seems to be no doubt that it will be adopted by other states.

Howatt is confident of election as vice president. He has been president of the Kansas district for some 14 years, and in all of that time has been fighting for greater control of the miners' union by the members thereof. He says his fight has just really begun.

Concerning him, John H. Walker, president of the Illinois Federation of Labor, said in his foreword to his published testimony before the Illinois constitutional convention: "In fighting against slavery and involuntary servitude being imposed on the working men and women of Kansas, Alexander Howatt is the law-abiding American, fighting to uphold and maintain the constitution of the United States."

"He who would not fight for freedom is unworthy to be free. He who would submit to slavery himself or betray others into slavery is unfit to be an American citizen."

"It is the spirit and courage displayed by such men as Alexander Howatt and such action as he has taken in the situation in Kansas that has made possible all of human progress."

RUSSIAN DELEGATION WOULD VISIT FRANCE

(By the Federated Press.)
Paris, Sept. 15. (By Mail).—In response to a telegram sent by the Russian syndicalist delegation visiting Germany, the French General Federation of Labor has determined again to seek permission from President Millerand for the Russian delegation to enter France. The permission has been refused once.

The telegram states that the denial of permission to enter France is considered by the Russian delegation as an insult to the working class of both Russia and of France and it insists again that the French unions do their utmost to obtain the authorization, especially in view of the fact that Russian generals and bourgeois have free access to the country.

FORM NEW JOINT BOARD TO UNITE LOCAL UNIONS

(By the Federated Press.)
New York, Oct. 21.—A new joint board of the waist and dress industry, composed of delegates from the locals of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' union has been formed and will begin to function immediately, according to a statement by officials of the union.

To knit the locals more firmly together and to give them new life is the object of the new board, the officials say.

"The agreement between the employers and the unions in the waist and dress industry is about to expire," say the statement, "and those who are familiar with the temper of the employers in that industry, their never ceasing opposition to the union, will readily understand that a united and strong organization is the only argument, the only weapon that these employers will respect and to which they will bow."

THREE MORE WITNESSES TO TELL ABOUT IRELAND

(By the Federated Press.)
New York, Oct. 21.—The committee of One Hundred on Ireland has announced that three more Irish witnesses have called their acceptance of the committee's invitation to come to this country and testify before an impartial commission as to first-hand knowledge of atrocities in Ireland. The witnesses are the deputy lord mayor of Cork; John Derham, town commissioner of Balbriggan; and the chairman of the town commission of Mallow. Balbriggan was recently wrecked by the British "black and tans" and Mallow was burned and plundered by British regulars on Sept. 23.

Owing to widespread interests in the investigation, the committee has expanded to nearly 150 members, including the governors of four states, 16 United States senators, 13 mayors and 10 bishops of various denominations.

ASKING THE BOSS.

Youth—"Can you tell me which is Mr. Pousonby?"
Lady—"The man with the gray hair talking to those ladies over there. I am Mr. Pousonby's wife."
Youth—"I know you are, but why I asked you, as I thought you'd be sure to know."—Punch.

PHONE COMPANY PANNED BY COUNCIL

Freudenstein Tells Associates That Mountain States Company Discriminates Against Butte.

Declaring that the Mountain States Telephone & Telegraph company has shown a discrimination against Butte patrons in the matter of rates, and that the increases in the phone charges in Butte are much higher than those in other cities in the state, Alderman Freudenstein, at a city council meeting last night urged that some action be taken by the city to protect local telephone patrons against this discrimination.

After some debate, during which it was asserted by Freudenstein that on the basis of present telephone charges the patrons contribute sufficient every four years to entirely rebuild the telephone company's Montana system, the question was submitted to the city attorney with instructions to look into the matter and see what legal steps may be taken for relief. It was alleged that while Butte rates were raised \$1 per month the increases in Anaconda were 50 cents and in Helena only 25 cents.

Alderman Wilson supported the contentions of Alderman Freudenstein and declared the people of Butte were "easy marks for the telephone company."

Considerable debate ensued over the proposal of John Buckso who wants the city to sign a lease for a period of a year for the use of the Buckso building on East Mercury street for market purposes. Alderman Freudenstein combatted the proposal, declaring that while the market had originally been established as a means of bringing the farmers and the consuming public together through the elimination of the middleman, it had been operated it had developed into a mere clearing house for the commission men of Butte.

The question was referred to the market committee of the council.

The council meeting was notable in that Mayor Stodden agreed with Alderman Freudenstein on a question up for consideration. It was in the matter of bias for the two automobiles which are to be sold by the city. Bids of \$719 and \$325 were submitted for the Packard and Ford cars now in the city. The city's previous bids were \$100 and \$200. Alderman Sullivan declared the bids were too low and wanted the matter again referred to a committee and new bids asked for. During the debate Freudenstein declared he believed the bids were the best that could be obtained and urged that they be accepted. It was on this contention that Mayor Stodden expressed his agreement with Freudenstein.

City Building Commissioner Sam Billings presented a communication to the council declaring that through the vibrations caused by the tolling of the curfew bell, the foundations in the city hall tower were being dislodged, causing bricks to fall and creating a menace to pedestrians. The mayor stated he would issue orders abolishing the ringing of the curfew.

THREE ATTEND HELENA MEETING FOR WOMEN

(Special to the Bulletin.)
Helena, Oct. 21.—Lester Loble, former county attorney here and now one of the campaign managers of the renegade democrats and loyal republicans who are supporting United States Senator Henry L. Myers in his campaign to elect the republican state ticket last night made a futile attempt to organize the women of Helena into an organization in support of Dixon for governor.

The meeting was scheduled for Lester Loble's campaign headquarters. Three women attended. They were Mrs. C. W. Canady, whose husband is an electrician for the Montana power company at East Helena; Mrs. W. A. Campbell, wife of the notorious editor of the Helena Independent, and Mrs. D. D. Burgess, who was asked to resign from the W. C. T. U. four years ago because of a letter she sent out as secretary of that organization in behalf of some republican candidates.

"These women, it is said, were very enthusiastic at their meeting and perfected an organization. Mrs. Canady was elected president.

The letter written by Mrs. Burgess became known as the famous "Dolly Dean Burgess letter." Both the latter and Mrs. Burgess were repudiated by the W. C. T. U.

BILLINGS PRINTERS TAKE STRAW VOTE; WHEELER

(Special to the Bulletin.)
Billings, Oct. 21.—Recently a straw vote was taken at the Western Newspaper Union on Wheeler and Dixon. Wheeler received almost unanimous support, Dixon getting two votes out of the entire force of employees, including printers, pressmen, stereotypers and office clerks, as well as shipping clerks and the janitor force. The result of this ballot was kept quiet until today, the manager of this concern being much disappointed at the result of the straw vote.

BUTTE BRIEFS

Final testimony was taken in the suit of N. J. Harrison against the Riddell Paint & Art company Wednesday afternoon when Mr. Messick, chief clerk of Bradstreet's, read from statements and reports relative to the financial standing of the defendant company. The case will be submitted to Judge Edwin M. Lamb on briefs.

P. J. Walsh, manager of the Lizio block apartments, in a statement made yesterday declared that it was not in his room, but in that of a guest, in which a quantity of whiskey and port wine was seized by the police Sunday afternoon.

Truss fittings—All brands; repairs quickly made; Woody-Doull Drug Co., the Truss Shop, 29 S. Main, Butte.—Adv.

Troop 12 of the Boy Scouts will meet at 7:30 this evening at the Congregational church, corner of Edwards and Blackstone streets. No first aid instruction will be given until Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Announcement of the appointment of Mae G. Morris as postmaster of Zurich is contained in the current number of the Postal Bulletin, received yesterday at the Butte post-office.

\$100 reward will be paid to any one proving we do not put in the best main spring for \$1. Mayer, 57 North Main street.—Adv.

John W. Neville of the marine aviation force arrived in Butte Wednesday night from the Great Lakes aviation station for a brief visit with his mother.

Mrs. Benno Farenwald, who has been visiting in Butte for the past week, returned Wednesday to her home in Deer Lodge.

Lessons in English, 241 E. Broadway, 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.—Adv.

The Dorcas society of the Emanuel Lutheran church will be entertained this evening in the church parlors.

QUESTIONNAIRES SENT TO LANDLORDS IN MILWAUKEE

(By the Federated Press.)
Milwaukee, Oct. 21.—More than 10,000 questionnaires were mailed to Milwaukee landlords by the rent bureau.

Under the questionnaires, house owners will be requested to show the rents charged and their relation to upkeep costs and valuation.

If rent rates are found to be excessive the state will start its own suit against the owner, with the view of bringing about a reduction, according to Arbitrator Walter H. Bender.

In the event a landlord makes a raise he will be required to report upon it within 10 days, plans of the bureau show.

Before a raise can become truly effective, a landlord must await the approval of the bureau.

NOTICE

Business office portable, No. 623, I. B. E. W. Monday evening. —Adv. A. A. SUNDBERG, Sec.

Lunch Bucket Facts

When the bucket is left here it is put in the steam rat and thoroughly cleaned. Good, juicy, wholesome meats are used for sandwiches, good butter, the very best kind of pies and cake and fruit is used, and, last but not least, it is put together so that you will be satisfied. That's our specialty. Yours for service.

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PEOPLE TIRED OF LAWYERS IN CONGRESS

Burton Watson Says Voters Willing to Send Practical Men Instead of Orators, as Representatives.

This is Montana's great year to send to congress two men who truly represent the common people, according to Burton Watson, democratic party candidate for congressman of the western district, who was in Butte yesterday. Mr. Watson has the endorsement of the Nonpartisan and the Montana Labor leagues.

"The voters are sick of having glibly lawyers get up and talk themselves hoarse in our national legislature and accomplish nothing," Mr. Watson asserted. "They are going to insist that the economic problems which face them shall be seriously considered by the next congress. They want no more repressive legislation. They want the rights guaranteed them by the constitution. They want our country out of the technical state of war it is still in."

In outlining some of the things he will work for as a member of congress, Mr. Watson said:

"The program of public ownership accepted by the majority of democrats in Montana must be brought to the attention of the nation as one of the fundamentals to a solution to the high cost of living problem. The farmers must be well paid for their labor and their risks. Grain gambling must be stopped. The manipulations of the speculators in foodstuffs must be stopped by all the powers at the control of the federal government. The elimination of many of the unnecessary middlemen will aid the city people in fighting the cost of living by reducing the prices. This has been the result of public ownership in most instances where it has been inaugurated.

"The infamous Esch-Cummings bill, passed by the republican majority in the last congress, which saddles an enormous burden upon the farmers and consumers, must be repealed. The government must take over the management of the roads again. William G. McAdoo has recently ably pointed out the impossibilities of the Esch-Cummings bill.

"Both the farmers and workers, as well as the business men who conduct legitimate business for legitimate profits, must be freed from the repressive legislation which the recent sessions of congress have passed. The war was over almost two years ago. All the legislation which tried, though unsuccessfully, to curb the rapacious profiteers, have been repealed and have been rendered ineffective. We must get rid of the laws which curb the freedom of the workers and their right to strike when they are not granted justice on the economic field. Laws which hamper the farmers must be relegated to the waste basket.

"With interest in the political field on the part of the progressive groups in the state and nation growing, the coming session will see a large faction of congress which will hold out against the old-line political bosses. A progressive bloc of legislators will sit in Washington to warn the old crowd that their days are near their end, and fight for the enactment of some real laws. We will not promise oratorical masterpieces when we get to Washington. But we propose to be on the job all the time, studying each important bill as it comes up, introducing our program, and keeping burning the fires of democracy."

GETTING READY FOR NEW OUTRAGES AGAINST JEWS

(By the Federated Press.)
Berlin, Sept. 22.—(By Mail).—Preparations are being made in government circles in Latvia for an anti-Semitic campaign, according to a dispatch from Riga. It appears that the semi-official newspaper, Latvijas Sargs, which is noted for pro-Germanism, is calling for action against the Jews and insisting that they be placed under special governmental control. It says every Latvian newspaper ought to run a special column headed, "The Jews of Latvia" in which notes regarding the Jews' conduct are to be printed regularly.

Furthermore, Latvijas Sargs wants a special investigation of the Jews made for the purpose of laying its results before the constituent assembly so that the latter may take "energetic measures against the Israelite population."

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SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE BULLETIN

THE LURE

A Realistic Story of the White Slave Traffic

Written by George Scarborough of the U. S. Secret Service. Deals openly with facts, presenting them frankly, but always with sincerity of purpose, readily apparent.

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To Our Friends

Owing to the greatly increased circulation of the Bulletin, all advertising copy for the Saturday issue must reach the office not later than noon on Friday, in order to insure insertion the following day. No preferred position can be guaranteed. We will do our best in regard to position. One business man said recently, "My business is going behind \$400 a month and I know I can get it back if I use the Bulletin, and I'm going to do it."

The mechanical equipment of the paper is being taxed to the uttermost, and the paper knows its friends will be glad to cooperate with the men who have to do the work, so send in all advertising copy at the earliest moment and mark it "to be run Saturday." —THE BULLETIN.

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(Paid Advertisement.)

SOVIET RUSSIA'S POSITION IS STRONG

Tchitcherine and Martens Comment on Situation in Russ Land; Less Hungry People There Now.

(By the Federated Press.)
New York, Oct. 21.—Soviet Russia has never been in a stronger position than now, both in her international relations and in her economic situation, in the opinion of George Tchitcherine, commissar of foreign affairs, and Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, Soviet representative to the United States.

A radiogram just received from Tchitcherine declares that now that an armistice has been signed with Poland, Russia is ready to make a strong offensive upon Gen. Baron Wrangel in the south. He describes the food conditions in the republic as greatly improved.

Martens, in a statement issued after the signing of the Polish armistice, asserted that France's attempt to attack Soviet Russia through Poland had collapsed permanently, and that Great Britain was on the eve of an economic alliance with the Soviet republic.

Tchitcherine's statement says that the reports current in Europe that a new federation of states in the south would be formed under a Kerensky-like government with the backing of the allies, had failed to frighten Soviet Russia into a truce with Wrangel.

"All the attacks from without upon our integrity have not shaken the morale of Soviet Russia," Tchitcherine declared. "This nation is uncrushable. We have had temporary reverses, it is true, but back of the Red armies is grain and the growing support of the peasants. Grain in storage today aggregates 50 per cent more than we had a year ago.

"There are less hungry people in Soviet Russia now than before. Ma-

FORMIDABLE PIE

A man has asked for a divorce from the wife who slapped him because he refused to eat her pie. The divorce is the result, probably, of his manliness in not striking back—with her standing there, holding the pie.—Lawrence Gazette.