

# An Appeal to the Electors of Silver Bow County

## To the Electors of Silver Bow County

The Associated Criminals of the A. C. M., in a final effort to prevent my election, are attempting to make me responsible for acts of John Mella, and to deceive the voters of this county, that if I am elected sheriff Mr. Mella will be my undersheriff. I desire to say that Mr. Mella has never, either directly or indirectly, sought any appointment under me as undersheriff, deputy sheriff or otherwise, and that his name has never been considered by me for any office. I will say further that I have never intended to appoint Mr. Mella to any office and do not now have any such intention, and that if elected to office I will not during my term of office make any such appointment.

There is not now, and never has been, any connection whatsoever between me and Mr. Mella. But there has been a very direct connection between Mr. Mella and the A. C. M. Company and its mouthpiece, the Anaconda Standard. In support of this statement, I call attention to the fact that Mr. Mella has held office by appointment of County Attorney Rotering, whom the A. C. M. Company supported at the primary for re-nomination and re-election as county attorney. I call attention to the further fact that Mr. Mella's monthly salary is approved and allowed by the board of County Commissioners, a majority of whom (Cooney and Fabian) sat on the stage at the Broadway Theater when the Company's stool-pigeon, Henry L. Myers, spoke there in support of the A. C. M.'s state ticket. Mr. Mella's warrant is drawn and delivered to him every month by County Clerk Sam L. Anderson, the Company's candidate at the primary for re-nomination and re-election to that office. If Mella has granted on bootleggers in Silver Bow County, these bootleggers have followed their illegal occupation under the administration of John K. O'Rourke, the A. C. M. candidate at the primary for re-nomination and re-election as sheriff. I am also informed that the alleged letter published by the Anaconda Standard was written to Mrs. Roy S. Alley in January of this year, and was in the possession of Mr. Roy S. Alley when he and the Anaconda Company and the Anaconda Standard were supporting Mella's principal, Mr. Rotering, for re-election as county attorney, and were also supporting for re-election Mr. John K. O'Rourke and Sam L. Anderson. I am NOT responsible for Mella, but Alley, Kilroy and the other stool-pigeons are.

I have no connection with any gambler or bootlegger, and if elected I will strictly enforce the law against gambling and against the liquor traffic. Under my administration there will be no use of a dry squad. Any statement to the contrary is an unqualified falsehood.

However, I am on the A. C. M. blacklist as the same appeared in the Anaconda Standard and on a card circulated throughout the city. This is probably because it was I who laid in their last resting places the remains of Frank Little and Thomas Manning, the victims of the A. C. M. murder squads. Perhaps the thugs who murdered Manning and Little desired that their bodies should not have decent burial. I cannot agree with this. I abhor murder. If elected sheriff of this county, I will not permit murder; neither will I permit election forgery or stealing.

I appeal to all those who are opposed to murder and election crimes to support me at the polls next Tuesday, and to give their aid to prevent the stealing of the election.

LARRY DUGGAN.

## To the Electors of Silver Bow County

On yesterday, at the eleventh hour before election in the hope that their strictures could not be overtaken by truth, the Anaconda Standard published what purports to be an advertisement by "Better Butte Club," characterizing me and some fellow candidates as a menace to Butte and a detriment to progress. The like was also circularized. So far as my Americanism and my patriotism, here attacked, are concerned, I have only this to say: I volunteered and served in the military forces of my country and was, after the armistice, honorably discharged therefrom. If the persons responsible had sufficient courage and sense of fairness to declare who they are that thus assume to libel myself and associates, it might be allowed to pass as a part and parcel of their vituperative campaign. Knowing them, you would be able to appraise their attack at its real value. But since they lack courage and fairness, like midnight assassins strike in the dark and stab in the back, I submit to all honest and fair-minded voters, if it be not a fair inference that the "Better Butte Club" is but a fictitious and fraudulent name assumed by the same sinister and malignant influence that has incited so many of ours to betray the party and to abandon principle, in the interest of predatory power—the same sinister and malignant influence that has brought Butte to its present ill estate wherein, God knows, it has dire need of a Better Butte Club and many of them. At another time, such trivial attacks upon one so long and (I may say without immodesty) favorably known as myself, could be passed over as unworthy of notice. And in the present emergency I but suggest a thought to you, trusting to you to vindicate by your ballots, my repute, and by the same token to confound the traitors in the camp of Democracy. And if you do, I pledge myself to the task, with you, to make this a Better Butte, indeed.

GEORGE BOURQUIN.

## To the Electors of Silver Bow County

Some unidentified group of copper-collared warriors, calling itself the "Better Butte Club," has assailed me and some others on the Democratic ticket as un-American, untrustworthy and a "menace to the future of the city of Butte." This attack is made in the Sunday issue of the A. C. M. company's Anaconda Standard and in a card distributed throughout the city. No individual attaches his name to the charge or stands sponsor for it; but the character of the charge sufficiently indicates that it comes from A. C. M. sources.

As to my Americanism: I call attention to the fact that I happen to be the only one among the six candidates for district judge on the Democratic and Republican tickets who entered the military service in the late war. The files of the war department will show that enlisting as a private in the infantry, my service record was such that I was recommended for promotion in rank, before the armistice was signed and was honorably discharged a few weeks thereafter when my unit was disbanded. Notwithstanding these facts, I am the one candidate among six who is assailed by the A. C. M. minions as un-American.

As to trustworthiness: I have been in the practice of law in Butte for 14 years. During that period I can safely say that no client of mine has ever intimated that I was not true to his interest. I have been Chief Deputy County Attorney of this county, Assistant Attorney General of the state, and a member of the School Board of this city; and so far as I know, no one has ever charged me with a dishonest act in connection with any of these offices.

The real reason for the A. C. M. opposition to my election as District Judge is not the reason alleged by their anonymous home-owners. The real reason is that I have frankly and openly denounced murder and election crimes, even when committed by company servants for the company's benefit, and I have assisted in exposing both. Further I have, in the course of professional business, assisted in the defense of men whom the company desired imprisoned or executed.

For these reasons, and these alone, the sympathizers with murder and election crimes denounce me as untrustworthy and un-American.

I brand the accusation as a LIE, and those who make it as liars. I appeal to the decent electorate of Silver Bow county to decide by their ballots between me and these anonymous accusers, and, when the ballots have been cast, to see that they are honestly counted.

LOUIS P. DONOVAN.

# NOTICE!

## SOUTH SIDE VOTERS AND TAXPAYERS.

At the last regular meeting of the South Side Home Owners' Association a committee was appointed to investigate the qualifications of the democratic and republican tickets, for the purpose of ascertaining which of the parties would work to the best interests of the taxpayers of this community.

The committee reported as follows: "We, your committee appointed to ascertain the qualifications of the candidates seeking office in this county, after a most thorough investigation, wish to report as follows:—

"We condemn the efforts of the republican county central committee in trying to bring religious questions into the election, and wish further to call your attention to the fact that this is the same committee which vouches for the present inefficient, notorious and grafting republican city administration. This city administration tried to put over on the South Side home owners a \$60,000 lighting system and a \$60,000 parking system, and the members of the organization lacking this contract before the city council had as its prominent members: F. W. Bacon, now running for judge on the republican ticket; present mayor, Charles E. Kelly, now running for county attorney; Geo. W. Carlson, running for sheriff on the same ticket.

"The threats of the republican central committee that the mines will be closed if we do not elect their candidates is unfounded, as the price of copper alone controls the industry. We regret that it is a truth that many thousands of people have left Butte, and that here are many empty houses here, but this condition was brought about by conditions for which the present city and county administrations are responsible. In their efforts to add and subtract the Anaconda company, the Associated Industries, and the chamber of commerce. Many people were forced to leave Butte because of the blacklist, which we condemn.

"We find that B. K. Wheeler, candidate for governor, paid taxes in over \$100,000 in the city of Butte, and that Larry Duggan paid taxes on over \$30,000 in this city, and it is most reasonable to believe that such citizens will do everything in their power to build a better Butte. Many months ago our club passed resolutions favorable to Peter J. Kelley, county assessor, for the just taxation placed on the small home owner. The tax law is very imperfect, being the work of Charles R. Leonard, now a member of the republican central committee, and compels the home owner to pay large taxes in proportion than is charged against the owner of large business blocks and other properties. George Bourquin, candidate for county attorney on the democratic ticket, was born in Montana; enlisted in the late war and served with distinction. Prominent members of the Montana Bar Association recommend him as eminently fitted to fill the position to which he will impartially enforce all laws.

"Mrs. Nellie Small, candidate for county superintendent of schools, is a resident of the South Side, and the best superintendent of schools Silver Bow county has ever had, and will receive an overwhelming vote. We especially recommend for your consideration Louis P. Donovan, running for district judge. He is also a returned soldier, and eminently fitted for the position, having been assistant attorney general for Montana some years ago, and has practiced law in Butte for many years. The professors' league is doing everything in its power to defeat Judge Jeremiah J. Lynch because of his printed statements in the press against the professors, and against Judge Joseph T. Jackson for bringing his high cost of living investigation a year ago. Judge Jackson was unable to secure conviction because of flaws in the state law against profiteering and combination in restraint of trade.

"After carefully investigating the records of all of the candidates for office on the state and county tickets, and the pledges made in their platforms, we respectfully request that all people interested in good government and a bigger and better Butte vote the democratic state and county tickets straight, from top to bottom. (Signed) "COMMITTEE SOUTH SIDE HOME OWNERS' ASSOCIATION. "By J. T. ROUNDS, Secy."—Adv.

On the voting machines be sure and pull down the levers on the last row; on the ballots be sure and mark your X's on the first row, on the left-hand side of the ballot.

## UNDERTAKERS

DEATHS AND FUNERALS. Mulholland—The funeral of Dorcas, the 7-months-old beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Mulholland, who died yesterday morning, will take place this Monday afternoon, at 2 o'clock at the family residence, 95 East Gagnon street, in the Catholic cemetery.

Shifty—The funeral of the late Fred Shifty, aged 55 years, will take place tomorrow (Tuesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock at Duggan's undertaking parlors.

Holland—Cain C. Holland, aged 34 years, died at the family residence, 152 East Daly street, Walker ville, this morning. The funeral will take place at the family residence at a time to be announced later.

LARRY DUGGAN Reliable Undertaker and Embalmer 822 North Main Street. Phone 770.

CASSIDY & BILBOA 125 East Park St., Butte, Phone 348 Undertakers and Embalmers. Residence Phone 3404. Auto Equipment.

IF YOU WANT WHAT YOU WANT, WHEN YOU WANT IT USE **Bulletin Want Ads** 1 CENT A WORD IN ADVANCE NO AD LESS THAN 15 CENTS

### MALE HELP WANTED

MEN WANTED—To have their suits sponged and pressed, 700 S. 13th Cleaners and Hatters, 86 1/2 E. Park. Call us, phone 382. We call. Joe McHugh, Prop.

WANTED—Ambitious men to prepare for promotion. Apply International Correspondence School, basement, No. 1 West Broadway.

RUBBER footwear resoled and repaired by the vulcanizing process. Write for price list. The Rubber Shop, 324 E. Park street.

### FEMALE HELP WANTED

LADIES! Save money by buying your millinery at Hughes Millinery store, 643 Utah.

### BUSINESS CHANCES

STORE AND RESTAURANT for sale; bargain; good location. 326 N. Wyoming.

### REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

WELL-BUILT small bungalow, one acre of ground, shed, garage, philo chicken coops and runs; \$1,500; terms. J. A., care Bulletin.

### FURNISHED HOUSES

ANSONIA hotel, under new management; steam-heated rooms; modern.

### WANTED TO BUY

HANDLEY'S cafe, 219 1/2 N. Main st., wants to buy city 683.

WANTED TO BUY—Used furniture; will pay the highest prices. Union Furniture Exchange, 248 E. Park st. Phone 2783-J.

WANTED—Five hundred second hand suits. Uncle Sam's Second hand store is paying the highest prices. 11 S. Wyoming. Phone 4382-J mornings.

### FOR RENT

MODERN 2, 3, 5, 6-room houses. Apply 809 Dakota st., or 2007 Garrison ave.

### Cleaning and Repairing.

PEOPLE'S HAT CLEANING CO. 38 E. Park St. Satisfaction guaranteed.

### PERSONAL

CLAIRVOYANT readings, 144 W. Mercury St., phone 5124-J.

### LOST

LOST—A black French female bull dog; white chest, screw tail, weight about 20 pounds; from Northern Pacific depot, Sunday, Oct. 31. Reward, Phone 1778.

### FURNISHED ROOMS

NEWLY renovated rooms, steam heat, hot and cold water; under new management. Southern Hotel, 210 E. Park street.

FOR RENT, for sale and other placards at The Bulletin office.

THE "GAGNON," formerly the Peterson house, 10-12 E. Gagnon at has been thoroughly renovated and will open for business under new management Tuesday, Sept. 14. Board and room reasonable. Cecilia Gares, Prop.

### Hemstitching and Picotting.

METAL hemstitching, knife and accordion plating, raised braiding, buttons covered. M. E. Benedict, 201 Penn Block.

### CARPENTERS

UNION CARPENTER, day work done; day or job work. Call 2578

### CHIROPODIST

JOHN D. LONG, doctor of chiropractic. Removes the cause of disease. Office hours, 1 to 4 afternoons, 7 to 8 evenings. 126 Pennsylvania blk., Butte, Mont.

### FOOT CORRECTION SPECIALIST

Don't let your feet become aged because of corns, callouses, ingrown nails, bunions, tired aching feet, caused from fallen arches and not rheumatism. See Dr. Anderson, Chiropodist, 67 Owsley Bldg., maker of the feather-weight arch supports. Impressions taken from the individual foot. Process patented. Phone 1978.

### ELECTRICIANS

FOR UNION ELECTRICIANS phone 1659 or 659-J.

### FISH.

ADRIATIC FISH CO., 117 East Park street.

### MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY ADVANCED on Liberty bonds, diamonds, watches, jewelry and other articles of value. Square Deal. People's Loan Office, 38 1/2 East Park St.

WE HAVE money to loan in large and small amounts on real estate and chattels. No delay. Von Falkestein & Co., 310 Phoenix Bldg.

### Painters and Paperhangers

PAINTING AND PAPERHANGING UNION painters and paperhangers furnished. Call phone 1659, between hours of 8 to 9 a. m., 12 to 1 and 5 to 6 p. m.

### DINING ROOM

TABLE BOARD, rooms, Maryland cafe, Maryland rooming house, 23 W. Quartz. New management, Oct. 19.—10-20-61.

FOR service try the Sunnyside cafe 251 E. Park. 30 cents for lunch buckets.

### POPCORN STAND

THE LITTLE PLACE—You don't know good popcorn until you reach the Little Place, No. 8 W. Park St.

### BIRDS FOR SALE

SINGERS from \$5.00 upwards. Bird seeds of all kinds. Holiday china and glassware. Stand and swing picture frames. Full line of Edison Mazda electric light globes. Butte Picture Framing Co., 321 East Park.

### FINANCIAL

FIVE THOUSAND WORKERS wanted to buy \$5 worth of stock in The Bulletin Publishing Co.

### SCAVENGERS

PERRY & PATON, 1037 Maryland street. Phone 4074-W

### STAGE LINE

ANACONDA AND PHILIPSBURG stage leaves Anaconda on arrival of the 6 o'clock train from Butte and arrives in Philipsburg 7:30 in the evening. William Helm, Prop.

### CLEANERS AND DYERS

AMERICAN Dyeing & Cleaning Wks 1341 Harrison Ave. Phone 131.

### Phonograph Records.

VICTOR, COLUMBIA and Edison cylinder records. Exchange for 5 cents. 359 E. Mercury.

### SECOND-HAND FURNITURE WANTED

SECOND-HAND FURNITURE ANY ranges. City Furniture Exchange 206 E. Park street. Phone 6489-W

### TO ALL DECENT CITIZENS

Vote for the democratic candidates on the BOTTOM ROW on the voting machines if you favor government of the people, for the people and by the people, instead of government of the people, for the A. C. M., by the A. C. M. hirelings.

### ON VOTING MACHINES

The names of the democratic candidates are on the BOTTOM ROW on the voting machines.

When in doubt, look up the Butte Daily Bulletin.

### OPEN FORUM

This column is conducted for and written by Bulletin readers. If you have any suggestions to offer for the betterment of conditions in which the public is interested, the Bulletin offers you this opportunity for their expression and interchange of comment with your neighbors and friends. Properly to protect this Open Forum, all communications must be signed with the name and address of the writer, but anonymous signatures will be used in the column if requested. Address of the Bulletin and please be brief and to the point.

### COLORED PEOPLE NOT FOOLED.

Appearing in the Anaconda Standard of date, Oct. 29, was an appeal to the "negro voters," urging that they stand at attention and do their duty as American citizens and "vote her straight" from present and future neighbors and friends. Properly to protect this Open Forum, all communications must be signed with the name and address of the writer, but anonymous signatures will be used in the column if requested. Address of the Bulletin and please be brief and to the point.

### THE REAL WASTERS.

Editor Bulletin: Remember last fall when you read with concern of the forest fires and how sorry you were that the timber of the north-west was being ruined, but did you go any farther into the subject? Do you know that there are large tracts of perfectly beautiful timber that escapes the ravages of the forest fires each year? Why? There's a reason. The timber that is almost always safe is the timber standing on the tracts belonging to the Interstate Lumber company, successors of the Big Blackfoot Lumber company, a subsidiary of the A. C. M. The method is simple. After the fire has a good enough start, the large portion of the timber of the tract covered by the fire has been burned enough to kill it. Timber in this condition is preserved and will stand for as long as five years without very much depreciation in its actual lumber value. This timber is bought up as condemned timber by the agents of the various companies at such a low figure that you wonder why the state does not donate it to the companies instead of selling it. The outer portion of this timber is cut off in slab wood, then box lumber is made of the slightly decayed portion of the trees and the center of the tree is just as good for lumber as if it were cut away ever being burned. The trees that are in a doubtful condition are used for railway ties.

### JUSTA NUTT.

Editor Butte Daily Bulletin: Will you kindly print my answer for the "fictitious" Better Butte club for the compliment of printing my name in red ink and advising voters against voting for myself and friends.

No set of individuals can claim a monopoly in a Better Butte club and the moral courage to accept responsibility for their vile, slanderous, untrue propaganda, individually or together, who themselves have violated the law, under the corrupt practices act, are scarcely the kind to bring about a Better Butte. They know that if Louis P. Donovan, George Bourquin and Larry Duggan are elected, they will be prosecuted according to law, and so they hide their identity under anonymous attacks on honorable men and women.

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I have seen so many false state ments and insinuations in the daily newspapers against the Nonpartisan League of North Dakota, that as a former minister in North Dakota, I feel it my duty to both the citizen of Montana and North Dakota to say a few words about the Nonpartisan League of North Dakota.

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The Nonpartisan League of North Dakota has not and does not stand for free love as stated and insinuated by several speakers and newspaper in this state of late. The people of North Dakota are as good moral and home-loving, and as good citizens as you can find anywhere. They are against the profiteer and for the home-builder. The Nonpartisan League is trying to better the conditions of the farmer and laboring man and their families. The Nonpartisan League program in North Dakota is the same as announced in the democratic platform in the state of Montana.

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