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BUILDING MATERIAL FREIGHT RATES CUT THROUGH MONTANA

State Railroad Commission Orders Redution of 20 Per Cent.

Helena, May 1.—Twenty per cent reduction in intrastate freight rates on sand, gravel, cement and crushed or broken stone has been made by the Montana railroad commission putting the rates back where they were prior to August, 1920, when the commission permitted the companies to apply the schedule allowed by the interstate commerce commission.

The commission in its ruling declares that the rates now in force have been demonstrated as unreasonable and beyond the value of the service given.

With many big building projects being held up in Montana because of high freight rates that make it impossible or inadvisable to proceed, and considering the need for construction work not only to provide homes and economic facilities for people but to provide work for them, rates should be adjusted so as to aid in the revival of industry, the commission says.

The new rates are effective 20 days after the railroads have received certified copies of the commission's order. On April 15 the commission held a hearing on the rate question and much evidence was presented by the railroad officials and persons promoting public works.

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Week in the Churches

PEOPLE URGED TO READ BIBLE TO VISUALIZE JESUS' RETURN

Rev. Daniel Bryant, Preaching Upon "The Eminence of Christ's Coming" Cites New Testament Passages as Proof.

The first of a series of sermons which the Rev. Daniel Bryant, pastor of the First Baptist church, will deliver on the second coming of Christ, was given Sunday afternoon at the Palace theater. The building was filled to capacity. Special musical numbers were given by Miss Marjorie Grover, Alex Campbell, Mrs. W. C. Cobb, Mrs. A. S. Donovan, Miss Kathleen Sutherlin, Steven Gaylord and the First Baptist church choir.

Dr. Bryant spoke on "The Eminence of Christ's Coming," and said in part as follows:

"It was eventide, and Christ was sitting with his disciples on the Mount of Olives. His earthly ministry was ended. For three years He had taught the Jewish nation, on mountainside, in the synagogue, on the thronged streets, in personal and private interviews. He had wrought miracles in their presence and in every way sought to interpret to them His mission as their Messiah.

Defines the Program.

"The nation had rejected Him. He thus sat with His disciples about Him and taught them explicitly all that would occur. He would be crucified, and the third day He would rise from the dead. He would leave the world and return to the Father. He clearly defined the program that was to be carried out when He was away. He would return to the earth again in glory and complete His work as the Savior of the world. True to His prophecy, he hung in agony upon the cross, and gave His life for sinful mankind. He arose from the dead, and 40 days after the resurrection He again stood on the Mount of Olives with the disciples about Him, gave them His parting benediction, and while they beheld He was receive up into heaven and a cloud obscured Him from their sight. And while they looked steadfastly toward heaven as He went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel, who also said, ye men of Galilee, why stand ye gazing up into heaven? This same Jesus which is taken up from you into heaven, shall so come in like manner as ye have seen him go into heaven.

"The world is familiar with the circumstances of the first coming of Christ into the world. The most incontestible, confirmed event in human history is the appearance of the Son of God on this earth 20 centuries ago. The leading civilized nations of earth, representing its best culture and intellect, accept that fact without dispute. If you should canvass the opinion of the 25,000 inhabitants of Great Falls on the subject, "Do you believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God?" you would get an overwhelming affirmative, but there is far more said in the Bible on the second coming of Christ, that coming which is now at our very doors, than there is upon the first coming. And yet, if you should canvass public opinion upon the subject, "Do you believe that Jesus Christ is soon to return to the earth," you would find great confusion and utter vacuity of mind.

"We are as ignorant today of the fact that Jesus Christ is about to return to the earth as the people were 20 centuries ago of the fact that He was then to appear. It is supposed that this subject of the coming of the Lord is a very deep, abstruse one, only to be understood by leading ministers of the gospel and within the walls of the theological school; but our learned divines are in the main about as astray on this subject as the learned divines of 20 centuries ago went astray when Christ appeared.

Appeal to People.

"It was the common people that heard Him gladly then, and to the common people we must appeal today. The Bible is a plain book for plain people. In our American law, we want the most highly educated judges on the bench; we want the most expert barristers to plead at the bar, but when the verdict is to be found, we want 12 men from the common walks of life, and this because the degree and quality of intellect which they possess is the swiftest and safest in reaching a conclusion as to guilt.

"My reading of the Bible has convinced me that Jesus Christ will return to this earth, but I have no right to demand that you must accept my view. I have, however, the right, nay, it is an obligation resting upon me, to call your attention to three things which involve you in this matter. First, that the Bible is the word of God; secondly, I am safe in assuming that the vast majority of this audience is not reading the Word of God, and in the third place, it is my duty to remind you of your responsibility to read the book and arrive at your own conclusion.

"You cannot divest yourself of the responsibility. The preacher may say helpful things to you, but the truths you gain from a personal reading of the Bible, are the ones that become a real part of your soul. There are 27 books in the New Testament. They average 10 chapters each, making a total of 270 in all. If you should read two chapters a day, you would read the New Testament through in four and one half months; that is, if you begin on the first day of May, you will finish by the middle of September. Suppose you say, I will find out for myself the truth about Christ's return to this earth. With this thought in mind, should you read the New Testament through, I will promise you one of the most delightful and highly profitable experiences of your life, and I feel safe in saying that if you approach God's word with an open mind you will see what is there outstanding on every page, the great truth of Christ's return to the earth.

"Jesus said, Jerusalem shall be trodden down of the Gentiles. Forty years after his prophecy, the Roman army under Titus threw up their embankments about the city and with their engines of destruction they battered down the walls and 600,000 people perished from famine, pestilence and the sword. And then nation after nation poured their armies in upon Jerusalem and siege after siege took place. Truly, it was trodden down. Truly, the cry of the Jews, 'His blood be upon us and our children' was fulfilled. Jerusalem, Jerusalem! How her house was left to her desolate! Armies from Syria, armies from Arabia, armies from Egypt, fierce Mohammedans and Tartars, and at last the Ottoman Turk—they all pointed their glittering sword at the breast of bleeding Jerusalem. Thank God for Christ's words concerning Jerusalem, 'trodden down'.

"On the 11th of December, 1917, through the Joppa gates, marched General Sir E. H. H. Allenby with his staff and allied generals and Jerusalem passed into the friendly hands of the British empire.

Occupied by British.

"The German general staff had planned an occupation of Palestine because it was the open way to Egypt and British prestige in the East. Great Britain planned the conquest of Palestine with the avowed purpose of making it a national home for the Jew. The supreme council of the allies at San Remo on April 24, 1920, made England the mandatory of Palestine. I have in my hand the pamphlet containing the text of the mandates over Palestine as England drew it. There are 28 articles in it. The premise of the mandate reads as follows:

"'Whereas recognition is thereby (Balfour declarations) given to the historical connection to the Jewish people in Palestine for the purpose of reconstructing their national home; whereas the allied powers have selected his Britannic majesty as mandatory;..... whereas his Britannic majesty has accepted the mandate and undertaken to exercise it in behalf of and in conformity with the following propositions:.....

"Then follows the 28 articles of the mandate. Articles 2, 4, 6, 7 and 12 deal directly with the question of the Jewish occupation of Palestine. Article 2 reads: 'The mandatory is responsible for placing the country under such political, administrative and economic conditions as will secure the establishment of a Jewish national home; and the development of self-governing institutions and the safeguarding of the civil and religious rights of all inhabitants, irrespective of race or religion.' Article 17 is of profound interest to the Christian church throughout the world. It reads: 'There will be no interference with missionary enterprises'; thus England has not only made it possible for the Jews to go back to their country and repossess their national home, but Jewish prejudice and bigotry are made impossible by the opening of the country to gospel ministrations.

Collect in Palestine.

And now the Jews are collecting in Palestine; they are colonizing; they are establishing schools. Since 1883 Zionism has taken on continuous life, the Hebrew language has been revived, the history, the customs, the arts, the literature of the nation, in short, the cultural period of Zionism has been fulfilled and now political Zionism is established. The war stirred the peoples of the earth to the right of self-determination. The 12,000,000 Jews of the world want Palestine for a national home. They are even now rebuilding Jerusalem and colonizing her long neglected fields. The early and the latter rains have returned, and Jesus has said, 'When ye see these things coming to pass, know that He is nigh, even at the doors.' Even so, Lord Jesus, come quickly."

NEXT THURSDAY ASCENSION DAY

Occasion Is One of Obligation for All Catholics; Masses at Cathedral.

Thursday is Ascension day, and will be a holy day of obligation for all Catholics. Masses will be said in St. Ann's cathedral at 6, 7, 8, and 9 Thursday morning. Evening devotions will be observed at 7:30 o'clock.

Confessions for the first Friday of May will be heard at the cathedral Wednesday and Thursday afternoon and evenings. Mass will be said Friday morning at 6:30 o'clock, and evening devotions will be observed at 7:30 o'clock. Special devotions will be held every evening at 7:30 at the cathedral during May.

The ladies of the Ursuline Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. A. J. Howard, 1401 Second avenue north, Wednesday afternoon.

On Tuesday evening the Women's Catholic Order of Foresters will meet in St. Ann's hall. The Ancient Order of Hibernians will meet Wednesday evening; the Men's Catholic Order of Foresters will meet Thursday evening, and troops 8, 9 and 10 of the Boy Scouts will meet Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, respectively.

An open social will be held by the American association for the recognition of the Irish Republic Friday evening at St. Ann's hall. The public is invited.

PRESBYTERIAN GENERAL AID WILL MEET NEXT THURSDAY.

There will be a meeting of the general aid of the First Presbyterian church at 6 o'clock Thursday evening in the parlors of the church. All members have been requested to be present. A social will be held by the Intermediate Christian Endeavor society next Friday evening at the church.

PRESBYTERIAN BOARD WILL MEET THURSDAY.

The regular monthly business meeting of the official board of the First Presbyterian church will take place Thursday evening at the church. Reports from the various committees will be read and business of importance transacted.

MOTHERS AND DAUGHTERS TO BANQUET THURSDAY.

A Mothers' and Daughters' banquet will be given Thursday evening at 7 o'clock, in the First Presbyterian church. A special program has been arranged in addition to the banquet. Everyone is invited.

Congregationalists Choose Delegates to Helena Conference

Mr. and Mrs. John McKenzie and Mrs. L. H. Hamilton of Great Falls have been elected delegates from the First Congregational church to represent it at the joint meeting of the Western and Great Falls association, which convenes at Helena on Thursday. The sessions will close Friday evening.

The Rev. Vere V. Loper, pastor of the Great Falls church, will preach the conference sermon. Dr. Loper, Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie and Mrs. L. H. Hamilton will leave Great Falls Wednesday for Helena.

Echoes of Conference Related by Boys Who Attended Butte Meet

"Echoes from the Older Boys' conference" which was recently held at Butte, were given by the seven young men who attended from Great Falls, at the First Christian church Sunday evening. Each boy spoke for five minutes as follows: "Outline," Sutton Cobb; "Discussion," Robert Sproat; "Dr. George Irving," Gordon Meisel; "Mrs. Ellis," William Gonser; "E. L. Mogge," Richard Hart; "Inspirations," Stanley Oliver; "Results of Conference," Ernest Balyeat; and "The Coming Conference," Ford Bailor.

Ladies Circles Plan County Fair Social

The Ladies' Circles A, E, H and I of the First Methodist church, of which Mrs. H. H. Heath, Mrs. Frank Bauer, Mrs. William Gibbs and Mrs. T. G. Oakland are leaders, will give a "County Fair" social in the dining room and parlors of the church next Friday afternoon and evening. An entertainment of many shows and special features similar to the old-time county fairs is announced.

Hot lunch will be served cafeteria style, beginning at 5:30 p. m. Invitatio nis extended to the public to enjoy the good-natured frolic.

The amir of Afghanistan and India decreed absolute prohibition in the year of 1030.

Ministry of Music Dr. Totten's Subject at Sunday's Sermon

Special musical programs were held in the churches of Great Falls at the morning and evening hours of worship Sunday in celebration of music week. In addition to the musical program the Rev. Leo L. Totten, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, spoke Sunday evening on "The Ministry of Music."

"In the old testament," said Dr. Totten, "the psalmist called on all creatures to praise God, and in the 48th and 50th Psalms, he has reached the climax of universal praise, calling upon all creatures and all creation to unite in the grand symphony of praise to Almighty God.

"In the new testament, (Eph. 5:19), we are commanded to be filled with the spirit, speaking one to another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making a melody in your hearts unto the Lord.

Music, Divine Art.

"Music has been called the divine art, for it is so closely associated with the religion and the worship of God. The word 'music' has come to us from several different languages, the Greek, the Latin, the French and others, and it has reference to the inspiration of the muses, who were supposed to have presided over music and poetry.

"Music on its physical side is simply a series of sounds. It is a physical vibration; a moving of molecules, which, in turn, produces emotion, and spiritual results in animated beings. Where and when music originated, we are not told. It is one of the elements of human nature, and life. It is a part of the creative elements placed in nature, and it is written that there was joy 'when the morning stars sang together, and all the sons of God shouted for joy,' (Job 38:7).

"Jubal was the father of all those who handle the harp and pipe. King David was the psalmist and the sweet singer of Israel, and in the building of the tabernacle and temple, he organized great hosts of singing men, and women, and harpists, and musicians, and trumpeters. Sometimes 20,000 engaged in the mighty harmonies of praise.

"Music has ministered to all moods and conditions of life. It has marched with men in all wars. It has stirred the passions in the Bacchanalian feasts and in the monstrous worships of the Druids in the forests. It has also stirred the souls of multitudes in the great oratorios and symphonies of a Handel, Mendelssohn and Beethoven, and has translated itself into the master's instruments by the soul of a Haydn, a Mozart and a Bach, in the great Christian temples.

Appeals to Senses.

"Music appeals more to the senses than to the intellect, but as Spencer says, 'the feelings rule the intellect,' therefore, music masters minds. It is a vital part of religion, and the sweet muse of the home. It is a great river of pleasure that flows through the metropolitan streets of human life, spreading far and wide, and flowing on through the ages. It is a mystic river, which has a thousand voices. Its notes are as the tinkling of jewels, and it casts upon its banks the pearls of great price and makes fruitful the valleys on every side as it rushes towards its great destiny, the eternal sea.

"Music accompanies the bride to the altar, and sounds the requiem in the last and eternal sleep of man. The grandest songs that the world has heard, were the songs of the angels."

SERMON SERIES ON COMING OF CHRIST PLANNED

Rev. Daniel Bryant of Baptist Church Announces Subjects to Begin May 8.

Beginning Sunday night May 8, at 7:30 o'clock, the Rev. Daniel Bryant will deliver a series of sermons on the return of Christ to the earth. The subjects are as follows: Sunday evening, May 8, "His Return Imminent." "When ye see these things coming to pass, know that He is near even at the doors." Sunday evening, May 15, "The First Stage of His Coming." "We that are alive and remain till the coming of the Lord, shall be caught up to meet the Lord in the air." Sunday, May 22, "The Descent From the Air to the Earth." "Ye shall see the Son of Man coming in the clouds with power and great glory." Sunday evening, May 29, "Christ Taking Actual Charge of the Kingdoms of Earth." "When the Son of Man shall come in His glory, then shall He sit upon the throne of His glory and before Him shall be gathered all nations."

The Baptist orchestra will give a preliminary concert each Sunday night at 7:30, and there will follow a musical program by the Baptist choir, men's and ladies' quartettes, solos and duets. The well known contralto singer, Mrs. A. S. Donovan, will sing with Mrs. W. C. Cobb, soloist of the First Baptist church, at these services.

GENERAL AID SOCIETY TO MEET ON THURSDAY

The General Aid society of the First M. E. church will hold its monthly business and social meeting in the church parlors Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Circle O and D, Mrs. Wm. Bauer and Mrs. J. R. Swan, leaders, will be hostesses for the social hour.

EPWORTH LEAGUE PLANS ENTERTAINMENT TUESDAY

The Van Orsdel Epworth league chapter, under the direction of Ivar Ivarson, will give an entertainment in the First Methodist church Tuesday evening. A special feature will be the playlet, "The Broken Engagement," given by four high school girls.

Crop Outlook Good Says T. D. Campbell Big Wheat Farmer

Poplar, May 1.—While in the city last week Thomas D. Campbell, president of the Montana Farming corporation, said he had never seen conditions for a crop look better on the Fort Peck reservatoin.

"Since we have been here conditions have never looked better for a crop," said Mr. Campbell.

Mr. Campbell said his company would have in about 17,000 acres of crop on this reservation and about 23,000 acres on the Crow reservation.

MARTIN LEAVES FOR DEACONESS BOARD MEETING

Great Falls Minister Will Represent Northwest at Gathering of Ruling Body.

The Rev. J. A. Martin will leave this (Monday) morning for Chicago to attend the conference of the general Deaconess board which convenes there Wednesday, May 4, and lasts until Saturday, May 7. Dr. Martin is the representative from the northwest for the Deaconess institutions at this meeting.

Bishop Charles Wesley Burns of Helena, will also attend the conference, leaving Helena Sunday for Missoula and going to Chicago by way of the Northern Pacific.

The general Deaconess board is the ruling power over all Deaconess institutions in the United States. Twenty-one members, representatives from various portions of the United States, constitute this board and will be in attendance at the general conference this week. Plans for the extension of the work and the matter of pensioning Deaconesses will be taken up as one of the principal features of the meeting.

Dr. Martin will visit his daughter, Miss Thora, who is attending the Northwestern university at Evanston, Ill., and will also visit a number of the theological seminaries to secure young ministers to fill charges in his district this summer.

Farmer Is Dragged Under Seed Drill, Escapes With Life

Gilman, May 1.—Rolla Heckman of Spring Valley was in town last week and showed the effects of an accident he suffered recently. He was seeding grain and using a half-broken team of horses. Something happened to the drill and he got down to fix it. At that moment the horses started to run and he made a lunge to catch them, but was thrown down in front of the drill. The drill was dragged over him, and he was badly cut and bruised by the disks, as well as sustaining a few broken ribs.

Mr. Cox's Funeral Held at Lewistown

Special to The Tribune.

Lewistown, May 1.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Evelyn Cooley Cox was held this afternoon at the Episcopal church, Rev. George Hirst conducting the services. Before coming to Lewistown to reside with her son, Dr. C. W. Cox, Mrs. Cox was a resident of the Bitter Root valley, where she long resided.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Virginia Nicewander, wife of Charles Nicewander, who died at Grass Range Saturday, aged 38 years, will be held tomorrow from the Catholic church in this city.

Appeal Is Taken to Save Vuckovich From Gallows, May 27

Special to The Tribune.

Missoula, May 1.—Attorneys representing Joe Vuckovich, convicted of murder and who is sentenced to hang May 27, have filed notice of immediate appeal to the supreme court. Filing the notice of appeal merely paved the way for direct appeal to the supreme court in case Judge Lents should deny Vuckovich a new trial. If the trial is denied, Vuckovich will then appeal from both the the judgment of the court and from the denial of a new trial.

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TIME OF TRAINS

GREAT NORTHERN	Leaves
324 For Havre	7:00 a.m.
43 For Seattle	7:30 p.m.
44 For Kansas City	7:00 a.m.
226 For Havre and East	9:40 p.m.
227 For Helena and Butte	2:05 p.m.
238 For Lewistown	2:50 p.m.
275 For Helena and Butte	8:00 a.m.
269 For Choteau and Gilman*	3:00 p.m.
216 For Stockett, Sand Coulee and Neihart*	6:25 a.m.
239 For Shelby and Sweet Grass*	7:25 a.m.
	Arrives
43 From Kansas City	6:50 p.m.
44 From Seattle	7:30 a.m.
226 From Havre and East	7:30 a.m.
228 From Helena and Butte	9:30 p.m.
237 From Lewistown	1:45 p.m.
223 From Helena and Butte	3:35 p.m.
238 From Havre	7:15 p.m.
274 From Gilman-Choteau*	10:55 a.m.
215 From Stockett, San Coulee and Neihart*	4:30 p.m.
240 From Shelby and Sweet Grass*	7:15 p.m.

*Daily except Sunday.
Trains 43 and 44 connect for Lewistown daily.

MILWAUKEE	Leaves
Daily for the East	9:05 a.m.
For Choteau, except Sunday	3:00 a.m.
	Arrives
Daily from the East	2:00 p.m.
From Choteau, except Sunday	4:30 p.m.

To Use Fair Grounds for a Tourist Camp

Special to The Tribune.

Roundup, May 1.—At a meeting of the commercial club a committee was authorized to proceed with the installation of necessary conveniences at the fair grounds for use by tourists. It is beautifully located with shade trees, and the Musselshell river flowing alongside affords a splendid swimming pool. Several large lights will be placed there, and a phone, shelter, fuel, water and sanitary facilities afforded. Accommodation for doing light laundry work and a large hot water tank are recommended. A committee will call on the tourists every day and welcome them. A register, stationery, and a small booth with tables for writing and reading will be added. The total cost will be raised by subscription and will amount to about $1000. A cartaker will be installed during the five months of the touring season.

Fraternal News

FARMER RESIGNS AS CHANCELLOR FOR DISTRICT

Court of Honor Official Unable to Devote Necessary Time to Duties of Position.

At the last regular session of the Great Falls District Court No. 400 of the Court of Honor F. W. Farmer resigned as chancellor for the Great Falls district. Mr. Farmer stated that his resignation was due to the large amount of time he would be required to spend in the field this summer because of the campaign which will be launched this month for 1,000 members by January 1, 1922. A vote of thanks was extended Mr. Farmer by the lodge for the services which he rendered it as chancellor. His successor has not yet been elected.

A state gathering of the courts of the Court of Honor will be held in Great Falls on July 21. At this time a state picnic will be held in the vicinity of this city. A carnival and sports of all kinds are being planned for this meeting. Committees from other courts in the state will meet here within a few weeks to confer with Mr. Farmer about the state meeting.

A masquerade ball, the last of a winter series of dances will take place Thursday evening, May 5, at Lyceum hall. Miss Ann Stocker is chairman of the entertainment committee. Prizes will be given for the best costumes.

Walkerville Woman Chosen State Head of Degree of Honor

Mrs. Jessie Squires of Walkerville was elected state president of the Degree of Honor at a meeting of this society, held last week at Butte. Mrs. Amelia Tretheway of Butte was elected vice president; Mrs. May Beadle of Roundup, secretary and treasurer.

These officers were installed by the national president, Mrs. Frances Buell Olson of St. Paul, and the two past state presidents, Mrs. Jessie C. Gunn and Mrs. Mary E. Simonson.

Mrs. Hans A. Nelson of Great Falls represented the Degree of Honor society of this city and will give a report of the convention at the next meeting of the lodge, Friday evening, May 6. Delegates from 63 lodges in Montana attended the convention.

Thimble Club Votes for Iris to Become Official City Flower

Iris as the flower for Great Falls was unanimously selected by the members of the Thimble club at a regular meeting last Wednesday. Mrs. Margaret Kommers was elected vice president to succeed Mrs. P. Malone, resigned. Cards were played during the afternoon. Mrs. C. A. Hagen and Mrs. Peter Kommers will entertain the club next Wednesday afternoon.

Scandinavians Plan to Celebrate Norway Independence Day

In observance of the anniversary of Norwegian independence, a celebration will be held by the Sons and Daughters of Norway and the Scandinavian Fraternity Tuesday evening, May 17, at the Masonic temple. A program is being arranged under the direction of Mrs. Soren Monsos and a dance will be given following the program. P. Haug has been selected chairman of the three committees making arrangements for the celebration.

MRS. MARSHALL HOSTESS TO ROYAL NEIGHBORS

Mrs. F. P. Marshall of 1708 Fifth avenue north, will entertain the members of Electric camp, Royal Neighbors, and invited friends Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Marshall will be assisted by Mrs. Bertha Murray and Mrs. C. E. Osborn.

ODD FELLOWS' BIRTHDAY IS OBSERVED HERE

I. O. O. F. and Rebekah Lodges Observe 102nd Anniversary of the Order.

The 102nd anniversary of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows was fitingly celebrated last Wednesday evening by the Rainbow, Progressive and Myrtle Rebekah lodges of that order. The hall was decorated with the various colors representing the three lodges and a large banner painted by Frank Huba on which were the symbols of the fraternal organization hung above the station of the noble grand. George Harris presided.

Odd Fellows and their families and Rebekahs and their families and friends of both orders filled the hall. The Rev. Leo L. Totten, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, delivered the principal address and spoke on the founding of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and the principles which are embodied in that organization. Following the program a banquet was served in the dining room and dancing was enjoyed until midnight.

Among the numbers on the program were: Invocation and address by the Rev. Leo L. Totten; a vocal solo, Alex Campbell; remarks by E. R. Reynolds; violin solo, Miss Doris Englander; a vocal solo, Sam Clutton accompanied by Mrs. W. F. Clutton at the piano; a piano solo, Isaac M. Loose of Fort Benton; drum solo by George McGovern, the six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McGovern, and benediction by the Rev. A. G. Bennett.

Silver Leaf Circle Chooses Delegates to District Meeting

Mrs. Mabel Seltzer, Mrs. Sophia Mayer, Mrs. Clara Egert, Mrs. Lydia Farrell, Mrs. Beatrice Morrison, Mrs. Nora Hurd, Mrs. Katherine Ledner, Mrs. Bessie McMahon, Mrs. Margaret Kommers, and Mrs. Margaret Putnam were elected delegates to represent the Silver Leaf Circle, No. 35, Neighbors of Woodcraft, at the district convention which will be held in Great Falls in June. The following were chosen as alternates: Mrs. Lilliam Kommers, Mrs. Sara Ridyard, Mrs. Ida Ferche, Mrs. Mary Schnader, Mrs. Elsie Houtari, Mrs. Carl Seltzer, Mrs. Cynthia Byersdorf, Mrs. Rose Webber, Mrs. Louise Webber, Mrs. Louise Beck and Mrs. Alice Dennison.

During the business session the Circle also voted for the iris as the city flower of Great Falls. A card party was enjoyed after the business meeting.

Daughters of Norway to Give Card Party

A card party will be given by the Daughters of Norway this (Monday) evening, May 2, at Odd Fellows' hall, at 8:30 o'clock. A brief business session will be held prior to the card party. Prizes will be given and refreshments served. Miss Gina Hougan, chairman; Mrs. Theo. Nedderman, Mrs. Renen and Mrs. Myers constitute the committee on arrangements.

Lady Maccabees Plan Silver Jubilee for Local Organization

The Ladies of the Maccabees will have an anniversary celebration May 25, marking the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization of this fraternity in Great Falls. The program will be held in K. of P. hall and it is probable that a banquet will be given after the program. Mrs. Emma Black, Mrs J. Beckland, Mrs. J. E. Seelinger and Mrs. Fred Staats have been appointed on the committee in charge of arrangements. Several candidates were initiated into the lodge at its regular session, held Friday evening.