

BUTTE

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FASHION'S FANCIES should always be mirrored in your attire. That's the only practical way to dress correctly, and at the same time find it best to adopt the plan of coming to us and having our clothes made to order of the best materials and in a way which the most fastidious of good dressers could not refuse to approve and admire.

BUTTE CURRENT NOTES.

Part 1 to 16, World's Fair Views now ready. For wood and coal go to E. Grefig, 457 S. Arizona street, tel. 139.

Collections—We pay court expense, Wilson & Co., 110 N. Main street.

Butte Business College offers unprecedented advantages in stenography.

For plumbing and tinning call on Wm. Maus & Co., 3 West Helena street, tel. 248.

Watch cleaning, \$1.50; main springs, \$1. Warranted one year. Jewelry repairing relatively cheap. Mayer, 40 W. Park.

Andy Carroll and M. J. Allen have opened a news depot, cigar, tobacco and confectionery store at East Park street.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to Michael Danagher and Mary Keenan, and Charles McAniff and Mary A. Lyons of Butte.

In police court yesterday, Teresa Straus was dismissed on the charge of grand larceny, but was held to await the filing of a new complaint for petit larceny.

Among the several songs jolly Nellie McHenry sings in "A Night at the Circus" there is none that pleases the audience more than the German song, "Sweet Marie."

John Bodigo, foreman of the Belmont mine, was fined \$10 and costs by Judge Meach last evening for employing a stationary engineer on longer than eight hour shifts.

They fit well "where the chicken got the axe," those shirts that we are offering as a sacrifice for the benefit of the people; the price one dollar at "Boucher's, the Park Street Clothier."

Mrs. Walter Murphy died yesterday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Gillick, at the age of 64 years. The funeral will take place from Gillick's residence near the Butte reduction works, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Under the new time card which went into effect on the Great Northern recently, No. 20, local train, will leave for Helena at 3:30 p. m. instead of 2:40 o'clock, and will connect with a train from Anaconda. No. 1 will arrive from Helena at 10:40 a. m. instead of 11:40 o'clock and will run through to Anaconda on the B. A. & P. No. 23, the through train from the East, will arrive at 6 p. m. as before. No. 24 will leave Anaconda at 8:30 a. m., and will leave Butte at 9 o'clock a. m.

AT THE BUTTE.

BUTTE, Jan. 15.—The Butte—A. H. Healey, M. Gordon, J. E. Quigley, Anaconda; A. M. Brown, Youngstown; N. B. Ringling, Phillipsburg; R. B. Turner, Bozeman; C. E. Cadue, J. B. Adair, Mrs. W. Newburg, Chicago; G. L. Tracey, T. H. Fleicher, H. T. Sappington, A. C. Marsiman, P. Winne, Helena; M. E. Henderson, Miss M. Thomson, H. A. Shores, Great Falls; F. M. Aldes, New York; Ben Rosenstein, San Francisco.

The McDermott—J. Goddard, J. W. Plummer, DeLamar; G. W. Arnold, Alameda; Geo. Berryck and wife, Salmon City; N. G. Pickett and wife, J. N. Glass, M. J. Haley, Helena; Martin Lundin, J. D. Crossman, Grand Forks; R. B. Smith, Anaconda; Maurice Weil, Chicago; T. E. Patton, New York.

A European Rate War

Is now on. The steamship lines operating between New York and all European ports are making great reductions in ocean fares. Persons desiring to spend the holidays with the old folks at home will find that they will save money by purchasing their tickets of W. M. Tuohy, general agent Northern Pacific railroad, 23 East Broadway, Butte.

Ladies Appreciate

A good remedy and there is not any other on the market that equals French Tansy Tablets for the relief and cure of painful or irregular menses. These tablets remove all obstructions, no matter what the cause. Manufactured by A. Augendre, Paris, France, and for sale only by D. M. Newbro Drug Co., Butte, Mont., sole agents. Price \$2 per box; sent by mail securely sealed.

Insure your property with W. McC. White & Co., 17 West Broadway.

Ten dollars a month buys a piano at Orton Bros., 305 North Main street.

We serve you the best oysters and shell fish at the Rink oyster house. Coffee a specialty.

Turkey and ostrich feather dusters, all sizes and prices at Fosselman Drug Co.

Travel in Comfort.

Beware of the "Well shaken after taking" railroads. If you desire comfort when traveling, the Great Northern offers you a smooth roadbed and easy-riding, elegant and comfortable tourist sleeping car to eastern points. Dining cars on all trains, thus avoiding delays at eating stations. The Great Northern enters to second as well as first-class traffic. For the accommodation of such patrons an upholstered, well-ventilated tourist sleeping car is attached to every through train. No extra bedding required for these cars. Porters in charge furnish bedding and make up the berth. No desert or dust is encountered via this line. Time—Butte to Chicago, 67 hours, 33 minutes. For tickets, maps and information apply to J. E. Lawson, general agent, 106 Main street.

THEIR WORK WAS FINE

Check Manipulators Who Showed Remarkable Cleverness.

THEY USED SOME NEW ACID

It Removed the Ink, But Did Not Affect the Paper and They Filled in the Blanks—Butte Merchants the Victims.

BUTTE, Jan. 15.—The police are hard at work upon a couple of important cases of check raising which have just come to light. The checks were Montana Central pay checks, and were manipulated by the use of acid in such an expert manner as to make detection absolutely impossible. After being cashed here without a shadow of suspicion, they passed through several banks and finally reached St. Paul, where they were unhesitatingly cashed by the treasurer of the Great Northern road. It was not until the innocent looking pieces of paper, which carried a face value greatly in excess of their actual worth, reached the auditor's office that the fraud was discovered through a comparison of the checks with the stubs, which gave the snap away through their inability to lie.

The fraud was undoubtedly the work of experienced hands at crooked business of the kind and their expertness is attested by the fact that it was not until the checks had been compared with the stubs in the regular routine work of the auditor's office that there was even so much as a suspicion of anything wrong.

One of the checks was for \$22.50 and was made payable to Robert Knight, the section foreman at Elk Park, and bears his indorsement on the back. The other was for \$12.75 and was originally made payable to J. Ryan, a section hand at Elk Park, but the name of G. Jones was substituted for that of Ryan at the time the check was raised. By the judicious use of some powerful acid, Kuzni's check was raised to \$183.75, while the other one was raised in the same way to \$136.75.

The Montana Central checks are of a very nice coloring and have the words "Montana Central" across the face in large, light yellow letters, but the acid did not affect the colors to the slightest degree, although it completely obliterated the ink. This left the manipulators free to fill in the checks for any amount they pleased and they were not at all shy about it, although they showed long and well filled heads by not making the amount large enough to excite suspicion.

Both of the checks were passed here Saturday night, Dec. 22, and both were accepted without question. Pete Hanson of the Palace beer hall cashed the large one and Kaufman Brothers accepted the one that ostensibly called for \$156.75 in payment for a \$15 overcoat, returning the difference in cash. The next morning Hanson got his check cashed at Harbold's liquor store and it was afterwards deposited with Hoge, Brownlee & Co. It was sent by them to Helena, where it passed through the Merchants and Montana National banks and was then sent to St. Paul, where it was thrown out by the Great Northern auditor, after it had passed through the treasurer's hands. The other check reached the general office about the same time and met with a like treatment, after having passed through a similar experience. The checks were then started back westward through their respective channels and reached the parties who cashed them a day or two ago. The police were called in and Detective Murphy left this evening for Elk Park to ascertain, if possible, what disposition had been made by the checks by the parties in whose favor they were drawn.

HEATED FREIGHT CARS.

The Northern Pacific Has a Plan That Is Sure to Be Popular.

BUTTE, Jan. 15.—Commencing tomorrow the Northern Pacific railroad will inaugurate a heated freight car service between St. Paul and the west for the transportation of perishable freight during the cold weather. The cars are heated with oil stoves, and an extended test has proved entirely satisfactory, and has shown that they will keep the cars at an even temperature. The heated cars are intended for fruits, vegetables, eggs, cheese, liquors and similar commodities which will be carried in carload lots. No extra charge is made for this service, and in view of the long winter haul through the temperature that is usually below zero, it should prove immensely popular with shippers of perishable freight. The heated cars will leave St. Paul and Minneapolis every Wednesday.

ALBERT AGED RAPIDLY.

He Was 19 a Year Ago and Now He Is Plump 21.

BUTTE, Jan. 15.—Albert Smith took out a license this evening to marry Mrs. Lillie R. Arnold, a widow of 31. Smith also gave his age as 21. Last summer he applied for a license and gave his age as 19, and the clerk told him he would have to have the written consent of his parents, which he promised to secure, but neglected it. He has aged rapidly since then, and does not require his parents' consent to his marriage.

For Centerville Boys and Girls.

BUTTE, Jan. 15.—The following is the programme of exercises of the eighth grade, West Centerville school, on Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock:

PART I. Song—Class. "Independence Bell".....Lizzie O'Leary. "Whistling in Heaven".....Fannie Broderson. "Wounded to Death".....John H. Heiman. Song—School. "The Sleeping Sentinel".....Lena Hennessy. Vocal duet, Stella Berryman and Lillie Thomas. "Man Was Made to Mourn".....Jessie Toward. "To My Mother".....Ida M. Wilton. "The Soldier's Farewell".....Harry E. Irvine. "Kentucky Belle".....Stella Berryman.

PART II. Song—School. "A Stray Sunbeam".....May Williams. Essay.....Rose N. McDermott. Instructional.....Stella Berryman and Rose N. McDermott. "The Ride of Paul Venare".....James J. O'Brien. "The Engineer's Story".....Lillie Thomas. "An Incident of the War".....Laura Cunningham. "A Tale of Friendship".....Mamie A. Treigerson. Song—Class. Presentation of diplomas.

Motion to Close.

To the Editor of the Standard: Will you kindly inform me whether or not the motion, *in case of non-unanimous*, in electing officers in a society is a "legislative" and not recognized by the best parliamentary practice? A courteous "Yes" or "No" is all that is required.

Butte, January 15. SUBSCRIBER.

The motion to close nominations is not a law, but is a means adopted to facilitate the transaction of business in parliamentary bodies. It is recognized by excellent parliamentarians.

Columbia Gold Mining Company.

BUTTE, Jan. 15.—A certificate of incorporation of the Columbia Gold Mining company was filed to-day with the county

recorder by L. F. Schmidt, Henry Mueller, L. P. Beat and J. P. Steiger, the trustees. The object for which the company is formed is to carry on a general mining and smelting business. The capital stock is \$400,000, divided into 400,000 shares of \$1 each. The principal office of the company will be in Butte and its operations shall be carried on throughout the state of Montana.

BREEN IS SAFE.

Pete Turned Up In Butte Yesterday Safe and Sound.

BUTTE, Jan. 15.—Peter Breen landed in town today from his trip to the convention at New Orleans. After leaving New Orleans he was taken sick with typhoid fever and was laid up in the Alexandria hospital for a long time. His old friends kept him busy shaking hands to-day, all being pleased to see one back whom they had almost given up for lost.

GUNN'S GOES OUT.

Governor Budd Removed Him West Enough.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 15.—Governor Budd to-day removed Police Commissioner Gunn, recently appointed by Governor Markham, and filled the vacancy by appointing Stewart Menzies. The announcement created a sensation. Gunn will not relinquish the office without a stubborn fight. Menzies was a leader of the non-partisan party.

May Day the Only Outsider.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 15.—The horses ran out of form to-day and May Day was the only outsider to win. Seven furlongs—Braw Scot won, Quirt second, Howard third; time, 1:15. Five and one-half furlongs—Miss Ruth won, White Cloud second, Little Tough third; time, 1:20. Five and one-half furlongs—May Day won, Chomuck second, Idaho Chief third; time, 1:20. Five and one-half furlongs—Mole Gwin won, Olivia second, Guadalupe third; time, 1:22. Five and one-half furlongs—Major Cobb won, Morvel second, Don Fulano third; time, 1:20 1/4.

Nellie McHenry To-Night.

BUTTE, Jan. 15.—The appearance of jolly Nellie McHenry is a guarantee of a bright, clean, clever and thoroughly enjoyable comedy entertainment, consequently everybody will receive with delight the announcement that she will present her successful farce comedy entertainment, "A Night at the Circus," at the opera house Wednesday evening, and remain the balance of the week, with a Saturday matinee.

For Sale.

Well seasoned foundation granite and coping stones, suitable for heavy machinery; also Ingersoll drills with fittings and mountings; one Sullivan diamond core drill, 1 1/2 inch bore; wine engines, for air or steam power; Knowles' compound pumps, 10-inch plungers, 24-inch stroke. For further information apply to the Lexington Mining Co., P. O. box 152, Butte, Mont.

Storms and Floods.

Our eastern people have suffered greatly of late from storms and floods. The Ohio river has been on the rampage, sweeping down everything in its path. How fortunate are we in comparison. No floods, no destructive storms, a climate that beats the world and Centennial beer to boot, the best malt beverage on the market. Always ask for Centennial.

Important to Insurers.

Policies numbered 23,158, 23,159 and 23,161 of the United Firemen's Insurance company, have never been reported to the company by agents, and holders thereof must report same to A. W. Thornton at Hotel Butte this week. T. C. S. Smith is in charge of the work.

An Exceptional Chance.

PARTNER WANTED—In a machine whose utility has amply proved itself thus far by numerous sales, and has a large future before it. Small capital required aside of the investment in its path. How fortunate are we in comparison. No floods, no destructive storms, a climate that beats the world and Centennial beer to boot, the best malt beverage on the market. Always ask for Centennial.

Piano Tuning.

W. A. Smith is in Butte now permanently. Orders for piano tuning left at the Smith Piano company, Park street, will receive prompt attention.

Military.

Will sell all military at less than cost for the next thirty days. Miss Gilbert, 80 West Park.

Bermuda farms bear three successive crops in one year.

For window glass and plain glass go to the Butte art stained glass works, 326 South Main street.

Five dollars a month buys an organ at Orton Bros.

Notice.

To members of Miriam Lodge, No. 2, D. of R., refreshment to be served after the regular meeting Friday evening, Jan. 18. Members are requested to donate. By order of N. G. Mrs. FLEMING, Secretary.

The Kimball Piano.

High grade up to date. Thoroughly constructed, attractive in appearance, brilliant in tone, fully warranted at wholesale prices. Orton Bros., 305 North Main street.

J. H. LEYSON



THE ORB OF DAY smiles on blue planets, but still finds glasses an aid to distant vision. The eye has a vast amount of work to do. So much work to do on even the slightest vision. There's only one way to relieve the strain. Spectacles supply the needed help, strengthening eyes that are weak and correcting defects that are troublesome. Don't delay regarding spectacles until spectacles are useless. The longer you wait the more you will have to pay for them. Get your eyes examined by the regular practice and thoroughly scientific.

J. H. LEYSON JEWELER... Graduate Optician. 221 Upper Main St., Butte, Mont.

FERRETING OUT THE FRAUDS.

Nebraska Bank Wreckers Finding It Hot Enough For Them.

OMAHA, Jan. 15.—As a consequence of the wrecking of the Capital National bank at Lincoln last year, through which over a million dollars was stolen and President Mosher sent to the penitentiary for 15 years, the federal grand jury to-day returned an indictment against R. G. Outcall, a prominent Lincoln citizen, for aiding Mosher's wrecking plan. Outcall was cashier of the Capital National bank. The indictment was found after taking the testimony of Receiver Hayden, Bank Examiner Lyons and the directors and depositors and employees of the bank. For being mixed up in the failure of the Ponca National bank, ex-Congressman Dorsey and his brother were indicted.

The grand jury has also voted indictments against Mosher anew. It is said several persons of prominence in Nebraska, connected with the recent bank failures, have also been indicted.

DISTRICT COURT NEWS.

Award of Commissioners.

Clinton C. Clark, W. V. Lawler and Henry Morier, commissioners appointed by the court to appraise damages for a right of way sought by the B. A. & P. over lots on the Volunteer lode claim owned by Lamira Tipple, C. V. Blumgren and the Volunteer Mining company, filed their report to-day. The value of the property sought to be appropriated, and belonging to Mrs. Tipple and the Volunteer company, is placed at \$150, the improvements thereon at \$700, and for damages to the premises \$400. Blumgren was awarded \$350 for his share.

Wants to Be Mad of the Stuff.

The defendant in the case of Cyrus E. Page against David E. Page, in a suit to recover money claimed both by the plaintiff and his divorced wife, filed a motion in court to-day for an order of court directing him to pay over the money sued for to some person designated by the court, and that upon the payment of the money Mrs. Mary Page be substituted as defendant and that he be released.

Award Attached.

Ellingwood & Reznor, grocers, to-day commenced a suit in the district court against Mrs. Lamira Tipple for \$274.53, claimed to be due for merchandise sold and delivered prior to June 2, 1890. An attachment was issued and levied upon the money in the hands of the clerk of the district court paid in the condemnation case of the B. A. & P. against Mrs. Tipple.

A Small Case.

Judge McHatten and a jury this morning tried a small debt case in which D. McGregor was plaintiff and D. McRae was defendant. The jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$157.85. Court then adjourned until to-morrow morning.

Interstate Commerce.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The interstate commerce commission again to-day failed to reach a conclusion on the pooling bill and it went over until next Tuesday. W. R. Morrison, chairman of the interstate commerce commission, substituted an amendment giving the commission supervision of the pooling contracts prior to the time when they take effect.

Tennessee Will Investigate.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 15.—The house of representatives to-day, by a vote of 54 to 41, adopted the democratic resolution providing for the postponement of the opening and publishing the vote for governor until an investigation can be made of the charges of fraud in the election. The resolution was adopted by the senate several days ago.

Assignee's Sale.

Of the Pacific Tea and Coffee company's stock, consisting of teas, chocolate, spices, baking powder and cigars. Sale commences Wednesday morning at 12 West Quartz street. O. N. PERRY, assignee.



Caught On.

That dog has been detailed to stop every buyer, should he feel compelled to stop and look over the grand display of BARGAINS we are offering this month. Such values are sure to create a sensation. We can carpet the town with figures that simply cannot be duplicated elsewhere.

Our Exhibit Includes

Axminster, Moquette Velvets, Body Brussels Tapestry, Brussels, All Wool and Mixed Ingrain Carpets, Oil Cloths, Linoleums, Rugs, etc., Lace, Silk, Chenille and Tapestry Curtains; Comforts, Blankets, Pillows and Mattresses; Trunks, valises and Handbags. Prices floored on all goods this month.

Brownfield-Canty Carpet Co.,

No. 24 West Park, Butte.



McDERMOTT HOTEL.

Under new management. Strictly first-class. Best view and red hot throughout. Steam heat and electric light in all rooms. Large sample room for summer and winter. Rates \$2.50 and up. McDERMOTT HOTEL Co., W. A. MATIX, Manager.

O. K. LEWIS & Co.

WOMEN'S COATS.

Best Offering Yet.

Best We Are Likely to Offer.

Not Many of Them, But What There Is

are choice, desirable styles, one of a kind representing all sizes. Value up to \$27.50 and nothing under \$17.50. We make the price

TEN DOLLARS.

Mrs. Howard representing the Princess of Wales Co. in the interest of the Her Majesty Corset will be here but a day or two longer; 28 sold Monday, 21 yesterday. Remember, ladies, there is no cost attached to the fitting of the corset, and you are not expected to purchase unless you so desire. Come in the mornings, if you can, or in the afternoon, if you do not mind waiting your turn.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

On Special Sale.

REMNANTS OF EMBROIDERIES

Selling rapidly, half price.

16 yards Bleached Muslin for \$1.

20 yards Flannelette for \$1.00.

20 yards Apron Check Gingham for \$1.

18 yards Unbleached Muslin for \$1.

Blankets at 65c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.75 and upwards.

O. K. LEWIS & CO.

IN PHARMACY and CHEMISTS' SUPPLIES.

Entail upon us two stocks and running successfully. The secret of it, we sell lower than our neighbors, that's all. Your friends buy of us, why don't you? Can we convince you that we can save you \$5 or \$10 per month on a 20 per cent margin on nearly everything?

The Fair Drug and Assay Co.,

115 E PARK ST. BUTTE

Butte Mattress and Upholstering Co.

Wholesale Manufacturers of Mattresses, Upholstering, Feather Renovating, Mattress Renovating, Furniture Repairing.

Well! Well!

You can't blame this man for falling asleep in the largest of the drug stores. They are the largest, best made and softest spring hair upholstered there is in the market. The price is only \$1.00. Our selection of easy, comfortable, durable and low priced easy chairs, rockers and couches. Buy, come and see them, and you will enjoy life if you take one of our old friend show a cheap. Our furniture stock is complete and complete. Give us a call.

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102 W Broadway, Butte

DR. LOUIS BERNHEIT,

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From the University of Vienna, Austria. Graduated in 1878. Practiced 25 years in Europe. 123, Butte, Montana.

Highest Grade Domestic Cigars



Louis S. Cohn, Sole Agent, BUTTE, MONT.

JUST RECEIVED

A car of Bellflower Apples, also a car of California Oranges, which we are going to dispose of at very low prices. Notice carefully the prices on our Groceries. The quality always guaranteed.

Table listing various goods and their prices, including granulated sugar, flour, and other household items.

DON'T FORGET OUR LIQUOR DEPARTMENT.

Table listing liquor products and prices, such as 7 year-old T. B. Ripley Whiskey and 5 year-old Port, Sherry or Angelica wine.

Remember the address.

Butte Cash Grocery Co., Cor. Park and Wyoming Streets, Butte; Hibernia Building, Centerville. A. F. BRAY, Mgr.

HAVE YOU

Ever thought how much your personal appearance has to do with your chances for success? First impressions are lasting and correct attire goes a great way toward helping you make a good impression. One of the most important considerations of every man who would dress well is his

NECKWEAR

In this line we carry the largest and most complete stock in the city. Our assortment of neckwear embraces all of the latest shapes at prices to suit the times. When you wish anything in Men's Furnishings give us a call.

Simon Jacobs & Co.

Cor. Main & Park Sts., Butte



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