

ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING.

About the same number as greeted William Lindsay assembled at the opera house Tuesday evening to listen to Hon. John M. Evans and Jessie Root, who spoke from the democratic standpoint.

Mayor L. Newman introduced the speakers in words that showed the sincerity of purpose with which the Democratic cause was viewed by the people. The meeting was enthusiastic and the Havre city band was complimented on the musical numbers furnished. Mr. Evans was the first speaker and showed how the president had allowed citizens of Colorado to be deported and outraged without protest on the part of the administration. He exploded the argument of the Republicans that the president was without authority to protect a citizen whether within or without the confines of his native country. He showed how the lumber lands of the Featherhead reservation were to be sold to the highest bidder, and objected to the bill for opening said reservation in that manner; maintaining that the timber land should have been subject to entry under appropriate laws, instead of being sold to the big sawmill interests of the country. He read from Mr. Dixon's the Missoulian an article which advocated the driving out of citizens who did not agree with it, and that the doctrine advocated was put into practice in Colorado within 60 days after such doctrine was promulgated by Mr. Dixon's paper.

Mr. Roote discussed national issues and made a most convincing argument, showing how the national expenses had increased under the present administration. He said the present administration had violated the constitution and Declaration of Independence, and all written and unwritten international law in recognizing the republic of Panama within 24 hours after a baker's dozen of adventurers had issued a proclamation of revolution, and that such action was taken in the interest of a few financial schemers in Wall street.

LOCAL MENTION

Get a key at "The Hub."

"Remember Lucke sells nothing but the best."

Mrs. Thos. French joined her husband here last week, who is working at the shops as boilermaker.

O. S. Goff, the Havre photographer, won many complimentary remarks on his work in the photographic line done at Assiniboine this week.

F. J. Corey returned Thursday night from a month's vacation to Pennsylvania and New York state. Mr. Corey is our popular ticket agent at the Great Northern depot.

Mrs. A. M. Webber is closing out her large stock of fall and winter millinery at Cost. The millinery is new, stylish and of the best material. Come early and select your choice at your own figures. Call at residence.

The regular services will be held at the M. E. church Sunday. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Epworth League service at 6:30 p. m., Dr. A. E. Williams leader. Sunday school in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

NOTICE OF ELECTION, CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

Substitute for House Bill 1, 4 & 6.

"An Act Entitled, 'An Act Providing for the submitting to the qualified electors of the State of Montana, for their approval or rejection, Amendments to Article 18 of the Constitution of the State of Montana, by adding thereto three new Sections as follows:

Section 3. Prohibiting the employment of Children under sixteen years of age in underground mines.

Section 4. Making a period of eight hours a day's labor on public works, and in mills, smelters and under-ground mines.

Section 5. Providing for legislation to enforce the provisions of this Article. Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana:

Section 1. There shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State of Montana, at the next general election to be held within this State, the following amendments to Article XVIII of the Constitution of the State of Montana, relating to Labor:

Section 3. It shall be unlawful to employ children under the age of sixteen (16) years of age in under-ground mines.

Section 4. A period of Eight Hours shall constitute a day's work on all works or undertakings carried on or a day by any Municipal, County or State Government, and on all contracts let by them, and in Mills and Smelters for the treatment of ores, and in under-ground mines.

Section 5. The Legislature by appropriate legislation shall provide for the enforcement of the provisions of this Article.

Section 2. The vote upon this Amendment shall be counted and canvassed by such persons, and in such manner as provided by law for the counting and canvassing of the vote for Member of Congress, and if a majority of all the votes cast at said election, for and against said amendment shall be in favor of the amendment, the Governor of the State shall immediately so declare by public proclamation, and said amendment shall be in full force and effect as part of the Constitution from and after the date of said proclamation.

Section 3. The official ballots to be used at the general election to be held in November, 1904, shall have printed thereon the following words: "For the Amendment to the Constitution Relating to the Rights of Labor," and the words: "Against the Amendment to the Constitution, Relating to the Rights of Labor."

Section 4. All Acts and parts of Acts in conflict with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed.

Section 5. This Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved December 10, 1903.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

State of Montana, ss.: I, Geo. M. Hays, Secretary of State of the State of Montana, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of

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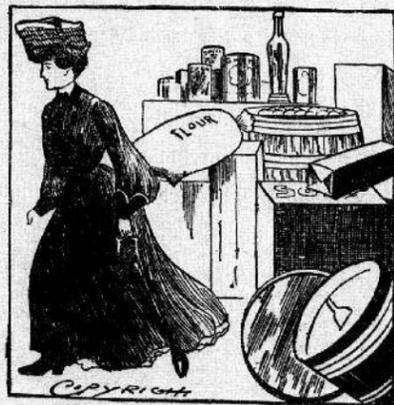
Section 5. Providing for legislation to enforce the provisions of this Article.

Enacted by the Second Extraordinary Session of the Eighth Legislative Assembly of the State of Montana and approved on the tenth day of December, A. D. 1903.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my Hand and affix the Great Seal of said State.

(Seal.) Done at the City of Helena, the Capital of said State, this twenty-fifth day of July, A. D. 1904.

GEO. M. HAYS,
Secretary of State.



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