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HAVRE COOKS AND WAITERS—Meets the first and third Saturday of each month at Labor Hall.

DENOUNCES STANDARD OIL TRUST.

Ida M. Tarbell, whose magazine articles on the history of Standard Oil have attracted wide attention, has given out for publication the conclusions to which for years' study of the Standard Oil company have led her. Briefly put, they are as follows:

"1. I believe that the Standard Oil company is today, and that it has been for 30 years, a conspiracy in restraint of trade.

"2. I believe that the Standard Oil company today levies, and that it has for 30 years levied an unjust tax on the people of this country.

"3. I believe that the Standard Oil company is today, and has been for 30 years, a menace to the free development of American commerce.

"4. I believe that it is restraint of free trade because for 30 years it has tried stealthily, deliberately and persistently either to ruin or force into combination with itself every independent refiner who attempted to make oil."

Oil is running away in Kansas, is being sold at minimum prices there, but eastern refiners cannot get it because the Standard controls transportation, both by pipes and railroads and sustains too high prices for the eastern independents to bear. It can sell below cost longer than its competitor can, and when it has won out it raises prices and forces the consumer to pay for its fight.

The irrigation project in the Milk river valley is a question upon which all the political parties can fuse. They have united on this question in Chouteau county for the benefit of the whole valley, and will keep right on pulling together until the whole valley is made a garden spot from the waters of the Marias and Milk rivers.

The Fair is the place to save money.

HAVRE HOTEL AGAIN TO OPEN

Next week the Hotel Havre will throw its doors open to the public for business and once again Havre will have a hotel to be proud of.

The management has been working night and day for the past week getting the furniture set in place, and within a few days the balance of the goods will arrive, and then the last few touches will be made before the opening. Invitations are out for the opening and being sent to out-of-town people, but a general invitation is extended to all Havre people to attend the opening, which will consist of a supper in one of the store rooms and a dance with music in several rooms and parlors. The band has been engaged and if the weather permits it will give a concert in front of the hotel in the early evening, later giving selections in the lobby. The City Orchestra has also been engaged and will furnish the music for the dancers.

The hotel is considered by traveling men who have seen it as one of the most up-to-date and finest finished of any along the line of the Great Northern between Minot and Spokane, and with ample rooms it will be able to take care of the trade for many years to come.

Mr. Garrett, the manager, has his force of employes already on hand and will be able to look after the business from this time on.

The fixtures for the buffet are all in and in place, and the room presents a beautiful appearance and is finely furnished. The office furniture has not arrived yet, but is expected in by Saturday and will be placed at once, so as not to interfere with the date of opening. The date has not been set as yet, but our people are watching the progress of the workmen and will all know the date set when it is known that all the furniture and goods will surely get here in time.

The management has decided to make the opening price of the supper and dance \$1 per plate, and a general invitation is extended to all in the city, and special invitations will be sent to outside people to attend.

LEE-FREDERICKS FIGHT.

Kid Lee won the decision over Kid Fredericks at the close of a 20-round fight at Great Falls last evening. It was an even fight up to the eighteenth round, when Lee floored Fredericks with a hard right to the jaw. The gong saved Fredericks from a knockout. Lee tried hard to put Fredericks out in the nineteenth and twentieth rounds, landing rights and lefts at will. Fredericks was repeatedly knocked down and took the count, but managed to stay through the twentieth round by hanging onto the ropes. Only in the sixth round did Fredericks get the better of Lee, when, with a straight left to the jaw, he knocked Lee through the ropes. Fredericks did not follow up his advantage.

The Fair Store is the place to save money.

SHOP NOTES.

Last Saturday while forging a main rod pin Nels Rasmussen, a blacksmith, dropped the pin off the anvil on his foot, crushing it badly. A short time after one of the Italian helpers nearly cut off two fingers on rod brass.

Bert Cain and Roger Wryn, two apprentices who are out of their time, will leave the 20th of this month, and A. Johnson on the 6th to locate in other places.

Ward Oglesby and Charles Dockstatter will go on as apprentices the 1st of the month.

J. G. Skinner is beginning to be seen in society again. His retirement seems to have been only a temporary one. How about it, Jack? Here's ho!

That absent look on B. Spengler's face is caused by worry over the available material for a ball team for 1905.

Wm. Krou, manager of last season's ball team, writes from Titusville, Pa., that he will be with us again about the 1st of May.

CRANK PIN.

J. W. Sansome, brother-in-law of Mrs. J. J. Potts, is here from Livingston and will take charge of J. J. Potts' store during his illness.

Fred Maschke was up from Chinook yesterday arranging to buy a large consignment of Havre beer for his saloon, the beverage having become quite popular in Chinook.

The record-breaker days in the weather as recorded by Observer Ling for the past twenty-five years occurred on February 28 and March 1st. The government thermometer registered 63.4 degrees above zero on the former day, and on the 1st the balmy summer weather of 66 above was recorded.

Frank Lemmer of the Gross undertaking establishment was called to Harlem Tuesday evening to prepare the body of W. R. Lloyd for shipment to Washington for burial. Lloyd committed suicide at Hays last week by cutting his throat with a pocket-knife. Two brothers of deceased from Waitsburg, Wash., accompanied Mr. Lemmer to Harlem and took the body home with them for burial.

The confette and serpentine ball given by Miss Velton at the opera house last evening was a marked success and was one of the unique events that was enjoyed by the spectators as well as the dancers. The hall decorations were especially fine and showed that Miss Velton had devoted a great deal of attention to the entertainment of the participants.

PETITION GOES TO WASHINGTON

Mayor Newman forwarded Tuesday to Secretary of State Hay, at Washington, the monster protest against the diversion of the Milk river waters by the Canadian government. The protest was signed by nearly every farmer, merchant and property owner in the Milk River Valley from Havre to Glasgow and contained about 1000 names. These protests, circulated in all the Milk River towns have awakened a special interest in the national irrigation project in the valley and also a realization of the necessity of a united action on the part of all the people in the valley, in order to secure early results in this part of the state. The press and the people at Great Falls and vicinity are working hard for the Sun River project; the people at Helena are boosting their locality, while the Milk River Valley, which was to have had the first consideration at Washington, seems to be entirely neglected for the want of united action. The mayor is in receipt of communications from the various towns in the valley, which indicates that an organization for this purpose will be launched within two weeks.

COMMUNICATED

Zortman, Mont., Feb. 28, 1905.

I arrived in Zortman on the 23d inst. and found a genuine mining camp. Have been in and about mining camps for the past 20 years and think that Zortman will be one of the leading mineral districts of Montana. There are two mills here, both running full capacity, and a third one will be completed in April.

Met Frank Wilson, an old timer of Havre, who is in business here. With a party from here we took a trip across the mountains to Landusky to look over the mining camps there. We predict a very bright future for Landusky.

Also met David Kline, formerly of Havre, who in the general store business. James Blevins and Frank Woodring will open up a meat market in Zortman within a week or two. While here I have located two of the richest claims in the vicinity of Zortman.

This is one of the most beautiful places I have seen in the west. There is good trout fishing, chicken hunting, etc. in season.

M. G. CASSIDY.

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