

THE BUTTE DAILY POST ANACONDA BUREAU

BAYARD S. MORROW IS HANDED A PROMOTION

Graduate of Idaho University Made Superintendent of Department.

Anaconda, Feb. 3.—Bayard S. Morrow has been promoted to be superintendent of the regrading and flotation departments of the concentrator, according to announcement made yesterday by Manager Fred Laist of the Washoe Reduction works.

D. H. MORGAN PLACES BAN ON PUNCHBOARDS

The Order Goes Into Effect at Once—Slot Machines Also Barred.

Anaconda, Feb. 3.—The ban has been placed on slot machines, punch boards and other popular accessories of the modern saloon today by County Attorney David H. Morgan.

ANACONDA BRIEFS.

Anaconda Bowlers' Tournament dance at O. H. hall Thursday evening, Feb. 8.—At the Baptist church tomorrow Rev. F. J. Saleman will preach in the morning on the subject, "A Neglected Advertising Agency," and in the evening upon "The World's Greatest Man and His Purpose." Sunday school will be held at 12:15 o'clock as usual.

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ICE GORGE IN THE RIVER STREAM ON A RAMPAGE

Impossible to Reach Bridge Near Morell—The Water Overflows Banks.

Anaconda, Feb. 3.—The Deer Lodge river took an early rise yesterday and is reported as threatening flood conditions. The riverbed is said to be filled with anchored ice and the snow has drifted along the banks so that the course of the stream is in many places very narrow and blocked.

FRENCH GRAND LODGE TO MEET HERE TOMORROW

Sessions Will Be Held Afternoon and Evening at the Odd Fellows' Hall.

Anaconda, Feb. 3.—The grand lodge of the order of St. John the Baptist will meet here tomorrow. There will be two business sessions and the convention will conclude with a banquet and social.

MONTHLY SHOOT OF ANACONDA GUN CLUB

Anaconda, Feb. 3.—The monthly shoot of the Anaconda Gun Club will be held tomorrow afternoon at Nell park. There will be practice and sweepstake shooting. Guests are expected from Butte, Warm Springs and Deer Lodge.

NAME COMMITTEE TO SET CONVENTION DATE

Anaconda, Feb. 3.—A committee consisting of F. H. Clinton, J. L. Bechtel and Jack Kenne was named at last night's meeting of the Anaconda Names' association to meet with a similar committee from the Gun club for the purpose of considering the date for a convention of the State Sportsmen's association which will be held in this city.

ENJOYING VACATION.

Anaconda, Feb. 3.—George Nichols, one of the veteran employees of the B. & P. railway, is taking his vacation from duties at the store house and is basking on the sands of the Pacific ocean at Long Beach.

CENTRALS LOSE.

Anaconda, Feb. 3.—The visiting Central high school basketball team of Butte was vanquished by the local school last evening by the score of 53 to 7. The game was rather rough and one-sided.

JUDGE MOVES COURTROOM TO EAST BUTTE

Today was the last day court will be held in the old rooms of the justice of the peace on South Wyoming street. Judge Joseph Mitchell will move his court to the Braund house on Talbot avenue, in East Butte, where it will be opened Monday morning.

ACTION ON TITLE.

The suit of J. G. Bailey against Adolph Greger, which was commenced yesterday before Judge J. J. Lynch, is expected to be concluded late this afternoon. It is an action to settle the title to a piece of ground on East Mercury street.

HOUSE UNCHANGED ON WAGE MEASURE

Refuses to Reconsider Action Taken in Committee of the Whole.

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General is composed of White, Fuller, Searles, Shaw, Blake, Lane, Belden, Higgins, Murray and Kehoe. No announcement of the funeral was made today but it is understood that it will take place at Butte Monday.

City on Record.

A resolution favoring H. B. 135, providing for the management of cities by managers, was received from the Great Falls Chamber of Commerce. It was referred to a committee.

On favorable committee reports the following bills were advanced: H. B. 137, permitting cities to maintain parks; H. B. 149, to combine the grain inspection department with the public service commission; H. B. 141, authorizing the board of commissioners to employ an attorney; H. B. 163, regulating railroads operating in Montana; H. B. 168, amending the banking law; H. B. 197, relating to the investment of funds of trust companies; H. B. 196, relative to savings banks; H. B. 95, providing for the extension of cities; H. B. 197, fixing a penalty for selling cigarettes to minors; H. B. 196, relating to exceptions; H. B. 199, specifying method for nominating school trustees; H. B. 175, amending the anti-gambling law; and S. B. 69, amending the indeterminate sentence law.

New Bills Expected.

Notices of new bills were given as follows: By Kehoe—Relating to the powers of cities.

By Lewis—Appointment of probate commissioners by district judges.

By Baldwin—Creating a child welfare department.

By Guillard—Relating to certificates for teachers.

By Demel—Providing that the tuition of students in a high school shall be paid by the district in which the student resides to the district in which he attends school.

The following bills were introduced: H. B. 203, by Crowley—Abolishing the office of dairy commissioner.

H. B. 204, by Johnson—A Sunday closing law.

H. B. 205, by Grimes—Repealing the law creating the office of grain inspector.

H. B. 206, by Page—Requiring county treasurers to refund money for the unexpired term of saloon licenses that become inoperative when prohibition goes into effect.

H. B. 207, by Weil—Amending the highway commission law.

H. B. 208, by Judiciary Committee—Relating to the serving of notices.

For Two More Judges. H. B. 209, by Judiciary Committee—adding two associate justices to the supreme court bench.

H. B. 210, by Mason—Abolishing the office of sealer of weights and measures.

H. B. 211, by Lewis—providing means for abating nuisances.

H. B. 212, by Working—Providing assistant for the law librarian.

H. B. 213, by Fishbaugh—Amending for uniformity in the names of railroad stations and postoffices.

H. B. 114, by Connolly—Requiring horse drawn vehicles to display lights at night.

H. B. 115, by Higgins—Appropriating money to pay the railroad fares of students attending the state university.

H. B. 216, by Deibel—Requiring a license of milk and cream dealers.

H. B. 217, by Murray—Increasing the salaries of assistant journal clerk, assistant enrolling and assistant engraving clerks.

H. B. 218, by Johnson—Establishing a fish hatchery in Ravalli county.

H. J. M. No. 6—Asking congress to amend the Ferris bill so as to prevent the tying up of the public domain to the injury of settlers.

FEVERISH TRADING IN STOCK MARKET

After First Blow From News of Break, Prices Have Sharp Upturn.

Severance of diplomatic relations with Germany had a paradoxical effect on the stock market today, cornering of a big short interest resulting in recoveries which caused the whole list to close higher than last night by several points and in turning the tide with a sharp upturn that proved startling. Total sales on the New York exchange were well past the half-million mark.

From a strong opening, prices began to slowly seek lower levels after announcement of the serious turn in international affairs. Then after the first hour's trading came recoveries. United States Steel, which opened at 100 1/2, and sold down to 99 1/2 in the first hour recovered to 104 1/2 and closed at 104. Bethlehem Steel made a recovery of 35 points, selling up from the opening of 265 to 400. Junior Steels made notable gains. Republic, which opened at 55 1/2 and sold down to 55, closed at 74 1/2, the high of the day. Industrial Alcohol led the specialty group with a net gain of 10 points during the brief half holiday session.

General Motors gained 8 points. The rails, which seemed to be on the toboggan with announcement of the break with Germany, came back with a rush. Union Pacific, which had sold down to 131 1/2, closing at 134 1/2, and St. Paul, which had sold down to 82 1/2, closing at 85. Reading was high at 92 and low at 88 1/2.

Butte traders were affected by today's fluctuations less than at any time for many months, for in the recent breaks a majority either run to cover or were forced out of the market by market demands.

Anaconda opened today at 72 1/2, was low at 71 and high at the close at 72 1/2. Butte and Superior opened at 11 1/2, was low at 9 1/2, high at 4 1/2 and closed at 4 1/2. North Butte was quoted at 20 1/2; East Butte at from 12 to 12 1/2; Davis Daily at 5 1/2 and Tolumme at 1 1/2.

The Paine Letter received over wires of the Paine, Webber company says: "The market is still waiting for definite action. I expect to see sagging prices today on account of selling by holders afraid to carry stock over Sunday. Prices are getting cheaper and now purchases should certainly be made on a scale down." News and comment received over wires of the Heilbronner company says:

New York—"Business is practically suspended as far as the copper market is concerned. One seller says he has received bids of 34 1/2 cents a pound for February copper, 34 cents for March and 32 1/2 for April, May and June."

Hutton—"The selling yesterday looked to be of a different character than heretofore. It looked more like investment stocks. Blocks of New York Central and bonds and other standard rails came out in volume. The selling is credited to German sources. Whatever is going to occur is being rapidly discounted. We should think if you had war that prices were not entitled to decline very much. It would not be a war similar to war in Europe and there would be no destruction of property here. People became excessively optimistic at the top of the market and they are just as excessively pessimistic now that prices are down."

WOULD MEAN BUT A REST FOR POWERS

Lloyd George Addresses His Constituents on Attitude of Germany.

Carnarvon, Wales, Feb. 3.—Four thousands of Premier Lloyd George's constituents flocked to Carnarvon today to hear his accounting of his stewardship. Owing to the recent plot against the premier's life extraordinary precautions were taken to protect him.

In his address Mr. Lloyd George said the coming imperial conference would consider the question of the disposal of the captured German colonies. "Peace without victory," would not mean peace but a rest for the central powers, with time to recuperate.

The premier said he never had had any doubts as to ultimate victory but "neither have I any doubts that before that is reached there will be many broad, turbulent rivers to cross and the nation must help to bridge those rivers."

"There is much in the military situation which must necessarily cause anxiety. There are the Balkans, where one advantage after another has been thrown away. It is no one's fault in particular. All the four countries undoubtedly have been to blame for the present condition of things. The imprudence, the lack of vision, the imagination, promptitude and decision, the delay—all these combine to produce this Balkan muddle."

"When we come to the sea there is much glory in that after two and one-half years our strength is unbroken."

In regard to Germany's new sea policy the premier said:

"It is after all only a development and advance along the road to complete barbarism, which is pressing out of that country the last shreds of civilization."

"Germany intends to sink ships without warning. No respect will be paid henceforth to any flag except the black flag."

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WHEAT SESSION IN GRAIN TRADE

Wheat Slumps Heavily at Beginning, Then Makes Phenomenal Gains.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Although wheat prices dropped 6 cents on announcement of the break between the United States and Germany, the extreme in the pit did not equal that which followed Germany's notice of unrestricted warfare. Nevertheless May delivery touched \$1.55, as against \$1.60 1/2 at yesterday's finish. In the first 10 minutes, when a rebound of 6 cents took place, but fresh declines immediately ensued.

The wheat trade apparently discounted today's news and opening prices ranged from the same high last night to 15c higher, with May at \$1.61 to \$1.61 1/2, and July at \$1.44 to \$1.44 1/2. Fluctuations in other options were confined to relatively narrow limits, not exceeding 3 cents a bushel.

Later May wheat touched \$1.54 1/2. This was followed by an excited recovery of 13c to 16c, influenced somewhat by a rumor, credited to Pittsburgh, that "Germany was backing down." In the market, however, the buying was credited to profit-taking by shorts.

The close was wild at \$1.67 1/2; \$1.68 1/2, May and \$1.47 1/2 to \$1.48 1/2, July, with the market flash from Washington resulting in moderate declines. These gained headway on account operations, rails dropping 1 to 2 points, with similar losses in industrials and specialties. In the last half hour a crowd and general buying movement under lead of United States Steel soon turned many previous losses to substantial net gains. Steel rose to 104 1/2, a gain of 4 points, with 2 to 6 points in war issues. Union Copper and shippings, and 20 points in Bethlehem Steel. The closing was extremely feverish and strong as to important stocks. Sales exceeded 1,000,000 shares. Bonds were irregular.

Provisions plunged lower with grain. The breaks nevertheless were hardly wider than have often resulted from similar cases. Pork showed the chief weakness, falling nearly 50 cents a barrel. Closing prices: Lard—\$11.25; Corn—May, 95 1/2; July, 97c. Oats—May, 53 1/2; July, 53 1/2. Pork—May, 32 1/2; July, 32.50. Beef—May, 31 1/2; July, 31 1/2. Ribs—May, 31 1/2; July, 31 1/2.

CASH. Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.67 1/2; No. 3 red, \$1.64 1/2; No. 2 and 3 hard, nominal. Hard—No. 1 yellow, 95 1/2; No. 4 yellow, 93 1/2; No. 1 white, nominal. Oats—No. 3 white, 51 1/2; standard, 51 1/2; No. 3, 51c. Rye—No. 2, \$1.40. Buckwheat—\$1.00; No. 1, 95c. Timothy—\$2.50; No. 2, \$2.00. Clover—\$12.00; No. 1, \$11.50.

LOCAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Following were the closing quotations on the stock exchange today: Bannack Gold 1.90, Asked. Barnes-King 1.80, 1.85. Black Friday .08, 1.12. Big Creek .13, .15. Boston & Corbin .55, .56. Butte-Bacon .67 1/2, .68. Butte-Balklava 1.75, 2.00. Butte-Bulwhacker .80, .85. Butte-Copper-Zinc .850, 9.00. Butte-Daily .14 1/2, 1.50. Butte-Ely .45, .51. Butte-Great Falls .40, 40 1/2. Butte-London .22, .24. Butte-Main Range .83, .86. Butte-New York .125, 1.50. Butte-Superior .40, 40 1/2. Butte-Zenith .500, 5.50. Caledonia .51 1/2, .53. Call Switch .09, .10. Colusa Leonard .50, .52. Colorado .17, 17 1/2. Davis-Daily .500, 5.25. East Butte .1250, 12.62 1/2. Furnace Creek Oxide .09, .10. Great Northern .75, .80. Hecla .45, .50. Highland Surprise .14 1/2, .15. Hull Copper .40, .45. Hypotheek .104, .11. Independence .14, .16. Keating Gold .17, 17 1/2. Nancy Leonard .08 1/2, 08 1/2. Marsh .10, .11. Mutua Co-operative .10, .11. Nancy Leonard .17, 17 1/2. National Life Montana 6.75, 7.25. North Butte .2050, 20.75. Original Bannack .41, .42. Butte .1200, 12.50. Rex .30, .35. Slocan Star .19 1/2, .20. Snowstrom Mines Con. .60 1/2, .61. Stewart .25, .30. Tuolumme .36 1/2, .37. Tuolumme .16 1/2, 1.75.

THE BANK STATEMENT.

New York, Feb. 3.—The statement of the actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they held \$165,469,540 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of \$25,914,979 from last week.

BUTTE IN BRIEF

Mamie Harrington, the eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick D. Harrington, 115 West La Platte street in Centerville, is improving after an operation at St. James' hospital. Dr. William Stryker returned today from a business trip to Missoula.

A HOT ANSWER.

A teacher from New York state was a visitor in Boston. A native guide was proudly showing the stranger historical points of interest. Upon seeing the tomb of Samuel Adams, the instructor was moved to unseasonably much to the amusement and indignation of her pupil. Quickly controlling herself, however, she apologized for her laughter and offered the following explanation:

"Last term while teaching a grade of sixth year pupils about the continent of South America. When the day came for writing the names on the blackboard, that name was limited. So abbreviated the name of the continent. One question read, 'In what zones does S. A. lie?'"

CERTAINLY HARD LUCK.

Hewitt—Gruet has made a terrible failure of his life.

Hewitt—He married his cook in order to keep her, and he not only lost her, but he has to pay alimony.

OF COURSE!

"This duck is as tough as leather, wether."

"That's a canvas back duck, sir."

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MARKET STRONG DURING CRISIS Announcement of Break With Germany Fails to Shake Stocks Down. New York, Feb. 3.—Today's short session will go down in history as one of the most memorable in the annals of the stock exchange. Announcement of the break with Germany came at the end of the first half hour, the market then following an uneven course, evidently in anticipation of momentous developments. The first flash from Washington resulted in moderate declines. These gained headway on account operations, rails dropping 1 to 2 points, with similar losses in industrials and specialties. In the last half hour a crowd and general buying movement under lead of United States Steel soon turned many previous losses to substantial net gains. Steel rose to 104 1/2, a gain of 4 points, with 2 to 6 points in war issues. Union Copper and shippings, and 20 points in Bethlehem Steel. The closing was extremely feverish and strong as to important stocks. Sales exceeded 1,000,000 shares. Bonds were irregular.

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BUTTER AND EGGS. Chicago, Feb. 3.—Butter—Unchanged; receipts, 6,210 tubs. Eggs—Lower; receipts, 4,662 cases; firsts, 42¢; ordinary firsts, 40¢; 41¢; at mark, cases included, 40¢. Elgin, Ill., Feb. 3.—Butter—55 tubs sold at 39c. YEGEN BROS. BANKERS BUTTE, MONT. Capital \$100,000.00

LIVESTOCK MARKET. PORTLAND LIVESTOCK. Portland, Ore., Feb. 3.—Hogs—Steady; receipts, 234. Bulk of packing grades, \$11.30@11.35; heavy packing, \$11.35@11.40; light packing, \$11.30@11.35; rough hogs, \$10.15@10.35; pigs and sows, \$10.00@10.50; stock hogs, \$8.50@10.00. Cattle—Steady; receipts, 3. Steers, prime light, \$8.50@8.75; prime heavy, \$8.75@9.00; good, \$8.00@8.40; cows, choice, \$7.50@7.75; medium to good, \$7.00@7.25; ordinary to fair, \$6.00@6.75; heifers, \$4.00@7.50; bulls, \$3.50@5.00; calves, \$6.00@8.00. Sheep—Steady; receipts, 7. Lamb, east of mountains, \$12.00@12.35; lambs, valley, \$11.50@11.75; lambs, good, \$11.00@11.50; choice yearling wethers, \$10.00@11.50; good yearlings, \$9.75@10.00; choice ewes, \$9.00@9.25; heavy ewes, \$8.50@8.75.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK. Chicago, Feb. 3.—Hogs—Receipts, 8,000; strong, 5 to 10 cents above yesterday's average. Bulk, \$11.70@11.90; light, \$11.25@11.85; mixed, \$11.35@12.00; heavy, \$11.40@12.00; rough, \$11.40@11.55; pigs, \$9.25@10.50. Cattle—Receipts, 100; steady. Native beef cattle, \$7.75@12.00; western steers, \$7.75@10.15; stockers and feeders, \$6.00@9.10; cows and heifers, \$5.00@10.25; calves, \$10.00@14.00. Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; strong. Wethers, \$10.00@11.75; lambs, \$12.00@14.65.

MONEY MARKET. New York, Feb. 3.—Mercantile paper, 3 1/2@3 3/4; sterling 60-day bills, 4 1/2; commercial 60-day bills on banks, 4 1/2; commercial 60-day bills, 4 1/2; demand, 4 1/2; cables, 4 1/2. France—Demand, 6 1/2; cables, 6 1/2. Marks—Demand, 10.80; cables, 10.82. Guilders—Demand, 40 1/2; cables, 40. 13-14. Lire—Demand, 7.25; cables, 7.27. Rubles—Demand, 28.50; cables, 28.60. Bar silver—78 1/2c. Mexican dollars—59 1/2c.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY LOST—Friday afternoon, somewhere on Park street, small black purse, containing sum of money. Reward, Phone 1350. BUTTE PUBLIC STOCK EXCHANGE Stocks Bought and Sold on Commission Orders Executed to Buy or Sell on All Exchanges E. C. SACHS—Manager 41 1/2 North Main. Phone 1371.

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