

# CITIZENS SHOWER FACULTY AND FOOTBALL SQUAD WITH PRAISE AND MERIT TOKENS

Enthusiastic Assembly Ever Held at Butte High School Made Occasion for Presentation to Principal Millikin, Physical Director Cook and Coach Bierman of Tokens of Appreciation on Their Stand for Clean Athletics. Last Year's Players Given Sweaters and Letters. Committee of Citizens Conducts the Ceremony.



T. G. COOK  
Physical instructor at the Butte high school, was the recipient of signal honors from a committee of citizens this morning for his work along the line of clean athletics among the students of the local school.



B. E. MILLIKIN  
Whose influence as principal of the Butte high school has been exerted at all times towards promotion of clean athletics in the school and whose efforts have met the commendation of the people of the city.

"Clean athletics in our schools" was the theme of the most enthusiastic assembly ever held by the Butte high school today. The occasion was made possible by the opportunity at the same time by the city of Butte, through Mayor Charles H. Lane, and a representative committee of the business and professional interests of the community, to present a most deserved compliment to Principal B. E. Millikin, Physical Director T. G. Cook and Coach Bierman, as well as to the 1916 football team and the student body in general. The demonstration was carefully planned by a committee of citizens and was a complete surprise to the school faculty and students.

The Presentations.  
Mr. Millikin was presented with a gold pocket knife engraved with his initials and the words "Clean Athletics." Mr. Cook was given a gold watch on which were inscribed the words, "In recognition of your stand for clean athletics. Butte business men, 1917." Mr. Bierman, the football coach, was given a sweater and a number of the team was given a sweater and letter "B." Howard Rockefeller presided. Mayor Lane made the presentation of the sweaters to the boys and Rev. Charles F. Chapman of the St. John's Episcopal church presented Mr. Millikin and Mr. Cook their tokens. The student assembly exhausted all their school yells in the enthusiasm of the moment and the enthusiasm of the favorers were too much for them to resist at length. Following the meeting, with the spell of the moment upon them the boys assembled and elected Lawrence Myers, captain of last year's state and the present captain of the basketball team, as the captain of the football team for next year.

Well-Planned Surprise.  
Not an inkling had been given of the objects of the citizens' committee this morning. A request had been made to Principal Millikin by Rev. R. J. Jensen, assistant to Rev. Chapman, secretary of the citizens' committee. Mr. Millikin had an idea that a presentation would be made to him and he had started among the business men of the city to present the team with sweaters and letters, in recognition of their progress in annexing the state championship last year because of their sportsmanlike conduct in every game. A deficit in the athletic treasury of the school had made this step of the business men a necessity.

The Big Meeting.  
Rev. R. J. Jensen introduced Mr. Rockefeller, who took the chair for the occasion. Mr. Rockefeller then introduced Mayor Lane, who made the presentation to the students. He paid a special compliment to Captain Crowley and his men for their excellent conduct during the football season. Rev. Chapman was then introduced. In speaking to the boys he emphasized the fact that the school was of interest not alone to the boys and girls who attended there, but also to the whole community. He assured them that the citizens in general were deeply interested in the welfare of the school and so it was his pleasure to make a presentation to members of the faculty who had taken a leading part in standing for clean athletics, sometimes in the face of very determined opposition, without a word as within. He then handed Mr. Millikin the beautiful gold handled penknife. Mr. Millikin was really dumfounded with surprise and could only express his conviction that Mr. Cook was the man who deserved the praise in the matter of enforcing the principle of clean athletics.

Cook Gets Football.  
As if taking Mr. Millikin at his word, Rev. Chapman announced that the citizens had watched with the greatest interest the efforts of Mr. Cook during the season and in brief but thoroughly explanatory words presented Mr. Cook with a pretty case in which reposed a gold football, a dainty watch charm and the very latest creation of the jeweler's art. Following the example of the principal, Mr. Cook congratulated the members of the team and explained that it was Mr. Bierman, the coach, to whom the bulk of the credit was due. In fact, the spirit of the meeting was indicative of the good results of the persistent efforts of the school faculty. It was a case of one happy family this morning, with citizens, faculty and students all united in appreciation of the fact that the school had scored the greatest victory of the entire year by their adherence to and insistence upon those principles of clean athletics which make more for the upbuilding of the character of the rising generation than the scalps of opposing teams. It was a sentiment of all present that the Butte high school today was sending a message that would be heard not alone in the great state of Montana but throughout the northwest, and which would have a permanent influence for good on school and college athletics.

Boys Given Ovation.  
As the members of the football team were called one by one to receive their sweaters and letters they were received with enthusiasm. Newton Congdon cleared his throat and resurrected the almost forgotten football yells and by the time the last boy had received his field honors for the 1916 season some of the students were husky in their notes. Following is the list of the sweater winners of the 1916 team: Crowley, three stripes and star; Kerr, two stripes; Richards, one stripe; Sullivan, two stripes; Ladic, one stripe; Fisher, two stripes; Doherty, one stripe; Howell, one stripe; Dixon, one stripe; Driscoll, three stripes; Vogler, three stripes; and Matthews, two stripes. The stripes represent the number of years of service on the team. Manager Auerbach was also presented with a sweater. The popularity of Coach Bierman was attested by the prolonged cheering which greeted his presentation with the school sweater.

Colors Standardized.  
The sweaters were white with purple letters and purple stripes. It is understood that this will be the standard color of the future. In the years gone by the students voted on how the colors should be arranged. Sometimes the body of the sweater was purple with white letters and other times vice versa. It is believed, however, now that the standard for the future will be a white body with purple letters and stripes. At the close of the meeting the members of the team were given an opportunity to try on their sweaters and this was another occasion for renewed enthusiasm and devotion to the service of the committee. The local firms approached for financial assistance were most enthusiastic. Four bids were obtained from four local sporting goods stores and the Engel Sporting Goods company was awarded the contract to provide the sweaters, which were made by the Portland Knitting Mills.

MONTANA'S GREATEST STORE

Another Shipment of the February

## VICTOR RECORDS

Victrola Rooms on the Third Floor—Victrolas in Every Size and Finish.

MONTANA'S GREATEST STORE

## The First of the New Fashions

### For Spring Are Shown at Hennessy's

ALREADY the spring styles are fast filling up the women's fashion salon on our second floor—suits, coats, dresses and waists—in all their newness of styles and beautiful materials and coloring. It is a showing well worth coming up town to see, and every woman is cordially invited to come in and inspect the display.

## In Our Early Showing of Spring Suits

Note that the styles are, first of all, practical, while new in every line, yet there is nothing extreme about them; just the serviceable sort of suits women can put on right now and wear right on through until the summer months. There are many belted models in both tailored and semi-fancy effects, in the staple serges and gaberdines, also smart sport suits of wool and silk jersey in beautiful new shades, including greens, rooky brown, gold, mustard, etc.

## Sale of New Black Silk Skirts \$10.50

Values to \$25.

Again we mention this special purchase of new black silk taffeta and satin skirts, the last word in spring styles, hurried out to us from New York by express, and because they were bought at a price concession, enables us to sell them, regular to \$25 values, AT THE VERY SPECIAL CLEARANCE PRICE OF TEN Dollars and FIFTY Cents

## CROCHET COTTON

### 3 for 25 cts

Twelve-ball box for \$1.00

In white, pongee or ecru; in all sizes, and the following colors in sizes 10, 30, 50 and 70—light pink, light rose, rose, sapphire, delf, king, lilac, orange and light blue. This is very hard twisted, highly mercerized crocheted thread and is guaranteed to wash.

Art Needlework Section  
Hennessy's Third Floor

## New Lingerie Waists

The first of the spring arrivals are ready in the Waist Shop on our Second Floor, showing beautiful hand-embroidered, filet and fine laces for trimmings, many with jabots, frills and large novelty collars; the prices range in easy steps from \$3.95 to \$12.00

New Silk Middies—Tub silks that are so easily laundered; in pink, blue or white; neatly trimmed with narrow braiding; priced at \$5.50

## Down Stairs STORE

### Ready for Women's Suits

Thursday Price \$9.75

The Remaining Garments From Regular to \$20.00 Lines. All at the One Price \$9.75

Suits practical and serviceable for present and early spring wear, including fine serges, gaberdines and novelty mixtures, strictly tailored models and some belted Norfolks suitable for young misses. Suits from regular to \$20.00 lines, all at the one final clearance price \$9.75

New Waists—Smart tailored lawns, dainty voiles with tucks and lace trimming and striped materials with sailor collar waists that would be splendid values at \$2.50. In both regular and extra sizes, on sale Thursday for only \$1.25

Another assortment of new waists in novelty stripes or plain white, made in the sport shirt style, regular \$1.25 values on sale Thursday for only .75c

MONTANA'S GREATEST STORE

## Seasonable Knitwear

For Women and Children, on Sale at Special Prices.

<p>Women's Sleeveless Vests—Of fine cotton and lisle or silk lisle; the odd lots from regular \$1.50 and \$2.00 lines; choice now, the garment . . . . . 65c</p>	<p>Women's Wool Vests and Tights—Fine Australian wool; steam shrunk; regular \$2.00 garments; in the regular sizes; priced now at . . . . . \$1.25</p>	<p>Children's Vests—Cotton and wool mixed; in the wanted styles; sizes 2 to 14 years; regular \$1.00 quality; special, the garment . . . . . 75c</p>
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Proud Civic Spirit.  
The splendid spirit shown by Mr. Rockefeller in initiating the movement to provide sweaters for the boys was echoed throughout the entire city today, when the news leaked out that the Chapman tendered the services of his assistant, Rev. Jensen, as secretary of the committee. The local firms approached for financial assistance were most enthusiastic. Four bids were obtained from four local sporting goods stores and the Engel Sporting Goods company was awarded the contract to provide the sweaters, which were made by the Portland Knitting Mills.

SOUTH SIDE NOTES  
Staple and fancy groceries; prompt delivery. Taylor Grocery, 1639 Harrison avenue. Phone 1931.—Adv.  
Mrs. Otto Simonson of 211 East Platinium street entertained the Elite Card club this afternoon at her home. After devoting the afternoon to what a delicious luncheon was served by the hostess.  
W. J. Merritt and C. J. Dalton, Northern Pacific railroad men located at Missoula, are registered at the Bennett hotel today.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Homer stopped in South Butte last night on their way to Homebake from Spokane. Mr. Homer has the contract with the Northern Pacific Railway company for putting up all of the company's ice between St. Paul and Spokane.  
Charles Marshall, formerly of South Butte, was operated on yesterday at Los Angeles. He is doing nicely, according to reports received by his Butte friends.  
Miss Sallie Rood of Anaconda is visiting this week at the home of Mrs. Con Foley, her aunt, 1348 Iowa avenue.  
The Blue Bird Card club was entertained last night by Mrs. Ed Davis of 1902 Roberts avenue.  
Mrs. Howard Stone and her son Charles will leave Los Angeles tomorrow for Butte with the body of Mr. Stone, who died there recently. The

body will be buried in a local cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Stone left Butte several months ago for California with hopes of improving their health.  
The third game of the series between the basketball teams of the Lowell Avenue Methodist and People's churches will be played Thursday night at the gymnasium of the People's church on Harrison avenue. Each team has won a game and the contest will decide the championship. No admission will be charged and basketball fans will be welcome to see the fray.  
Mrs. Earl Manchester of 35 Walnut street underwent an operation at St. James' hospital this morning. She rallied nicely and an early recovery is expected.

NO CONVOY FOR THE U. S. MERCHANT SHIPS  
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man blockade order had never been issued and that no preparations such as convoying or arming would be adopted. It rests with Germany to commit the overt act that President Wilson has said would lead to war.  
AMERICAN VESSELS ARE MOSTLY HELD IN PORT  
New York, Feb. 7.—American ship owners today showed an increasing disposition to hold their vessels in port until they receive some definite advice from Washington. After hearing that the state department had announced decision on the question of giving protection to the American liner St. Louis, officers of the line said that the steamer would not leave New York today for Liverpool. The sailing prospects of the St. Louis, it was said, are as indefinite now as when the German blockade was first declared. The decision of the Standard Oil company to keep in port all their ships engaged in trans-Atlantic service will affect about 73 vessels.  
Steamers flying the flags of the enterprising nations continue to observe their regular schedules.  
The White Star liner Celtic set out for Mediterranean points yesterday afternoon with 21 passengers in her cabin and 85 in her steerage. The Espagne from Bordeaux and Tuscania from Liverpool are expected to arrive here today and sail again on Saturday.

## SPRING BOOTS

Showing The Latest Lasts and Leathers in Boots

FOR WOMEN

Mr. Hubert, now in the East, is sending in daily express shipments of what is newest. Come in and see the late styles.

**Hubert's**

51 W. Park St.

A Day of Smiles.  
"In my whole school career there is nothing I appreciate so much as this

FOR A BAD COUGH  
Here is a fine old-fashioned recipe for coughs, colds or catarrh trouble that has been used with great success. Get from your druggist 1 oz. of Parmitin (Double Strength) about 75c worth and add to it 1/4 pint of hot water and 4 oz. of granulated sugar. This will make full half a pint when mixed. Take one tablespoonful four times a day.  
No more racking your whole body with a cough. Clogged nostrils should open, air passages of your head clear up so you can breathe freely. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone who has a stubborn cough, or hard cold or catarrh in any form should give this prescription a trial.

CHARLES KRUGER DEAD.  
Charles Kruger, a well-known cue ball of Butte, died this morning, aged 59 years. The remains are at the Daniels & Hilboe undertaking parlors. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.  
Basketball game at Butte with Bozeman high school Friday evening, with an hour's dancing to follow.

F. KAMNIKAR DEAD.  
Frank Kamnikar, 135 1/2 West Daily street, Walkerville, a miner of Butte and a native of Finland, died this morning. He was married and was 44 years old. The arrangements for the funeral have not been completed. He was a resident of Butte for four years.

FOR HOW LONG?  
WHETHER RAISES A PERTINENT QUESTION.  
When a neighbor tells us that he has recovered from a serious illness, the question that naturally arises is, "How long will he keep well?" Temporary relief is one thing, but a lasting cure is altogether different. The work of Doan's Kidney Pills, as the following experience proves beyond a doubt.  
George R. Crowell, 123 North Idaho street, was troubled by weak kidneys and inflammation of the bladder. I had to get up 15 or 20 times at night. I was suffering from one of the worst cases of kidney trouble I ever saw. On a friend's advice I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they soon rid me of the ailment.  
Four years later Mr. Crowell writes: "I have remained free from kidney trouble since Doan's Kidney Pills were used."  
Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Dr. Doan has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Mulburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

## Hair Under Arms

### DeMiracle

The original light hair remover in the safest, quickest and most economical way to remove it.

COSTS SIVALON \$50 FOR HITTING WOMAN WITH BILLIARD CUE  
Because he struck Mrs. Minnie Massa on the arm with a billiard cue John Sivalon, owner of a saloon on West Daily street, was fined \$50 by Judge Dunnavan of the police court in Walkerville. The trouble arose over a dispute about some ashes which had blown out of the garbage can in the rear of the building. Sivalon said that Mrs. Massa had thrown them there. Mrs. Massa runs a small confectionery store on West Daily street which she leases from Sivalon.

## THE POST FOR THE NEWS

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