

The Butte Daily Post.



Published every evening except Sunday by the Butte Daily Post company, 26 West Granite street, Butte, Montana.

Entered as second-class matter Jan. 29, 1913, at the post-office at Butte, Montana, under the act of March 3, 1879.

Subscription Rates Daily, one month, \$.50 Daily, one year, in advance 5.00 Semi-weekly, 12 months, 2.00

Branch Offices Anaconda, 203 Main Street Dillon, 13 So. Idaho Street Deer Lodge, Deer Lodge Hotel J. P. McKinney, Special Agency Sole Eastern Advt. Agent, 334 Fifth Avenue, New York 122 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago

Telephones Business Office, 428 Editorial Rooms, 1015 Anaconda Business Office, 65

Change of Address In ordering paper changed to new address, mention old address also to insure more prompt delivery.

Official Paper of the City of Butte The Post is a Member of the Audit Bureau of Circulations.

TUESDAY, APRIL 17, 1917.

FARM AND GARDEN

The Post would not venture the prediction that there will be profit, measured by money, for those of its townsmen who conclude to convert their back yards into vegetable gardens.

At the same time, it is to be hoped that many owners of homes in Butte will be disposed to enter into the garden proposition in the right spirit.

In this year when the demand for grain and vegetables is heavy and the supply scant, it is a pity that the weather conditions are so adverse.

NOW THE PACKERS

In line with the patriotic offer of leading American copper producers to furnish the government with 45,000,000 pounds of copper at about half the market price is the suggestion from the meat packers of the country to distribute their production at a minimum of profit to themselves.

That is real patriotism. It is as important to conserve our food resources as it is to mobilize and equip an army.

The meat packers and the copper producers have set an example that men of lesser station could well follow.

In the delegation of Chicago packers who waited on the secretary of agriculture today was one man who recently advocated the confiscation during the war of private incomes of more than \$100,000.



fund. In his opinion the government should pay its war costs in the present day, as far as possible, instead of saddling an immense debt upon future generations, and he was willing to contribute generously of his private income to that end.

As the war progresses it will probably be found that all the great interests of the country, like the copper producers and the packers, are doing their share to carry on the struggle.

FOR SOLDIERS

It may be nothing better than a guess, but the Post's opinion is that, were the question submitted, Montana's vote would be in favor of conscription for service in the war.

That is the plan advocated by the high-ranking officers in our own army and navy. During at least two years the question of preparedness has been much discussed the country over and a policy would have been adopted long ago, beyond a doubt, but for the unstable views of the Wilson administration concerning it.

It is true that in our wars there has been prompt response to the government's call for troops. At the same time, Lincoln was obliged to resort, in the civil war, to the draft in order to meet the demand for men and other things well remember that the comparison that resulted became invidious, the volunteer who had been two or three years in service did not disguise his feeling, akin to contempt, respecting the conscript who was serving because the draft caught him.

Congress is presently to deal in a definite way with the method that shall be applied in raising an army. It is reported that a good many members insist that the volunteer plan be tried. Of course, there will be a generous response, but the opinion of the country apparently is that it would be better to start with compulsory service, to which in all probability, these most ultimately be resort.

As for Butte, we may take it that the Chamber of Commerce reflected the sentiment of the community when it went on record last night in a statement of its position telegraphed to our senators and representatives in congress. Referring to an inquiry from Representative Evans, the Butte chamber said it was the unanimous sense of that body that he should support the president in all war measures, including, in any event, universal military service.

IN ACCORD

Late dispatches from Amsterdam say that at a recent conference at Vienna an agreement was reached whereby Austria would contribute to the food supplies of Germany.

Months ago word came from Vienna that Austria was experiencing difficulty in securing grain supplies from Hungary. In ordinary times Austria is fed in large part from food grown in Hungary, which is essentially an agricultural country.

The Kaiser invariably gets from Vienna what he wants or all that it is capable of giving, be it men, money or supplies.

or supplies. Even before the death of Franz Joseph, Berlin had the upper hand at Vienna and it is not probable that its influence will be any less as the war progresses to its inevitable end. Germany and its chief ally will triumph or fall together. Spite of the stress of the Austrian people it is not probable, as the dispatches seem to indicate, that the latter will sue for a separate peace. The report that Austria would make terms with Russia does not signify more than that the former is growing weary of the war.

HERE AND THERE.

The spring weather impels the suggestion that if you, gentle reader, are annoyed by the high cost of living, there is plenty of land around you on which to raise your own groceries.

"Do you believe that time is money?" "Yes," "I thought so. It's about the only thing you ever spend."—Detroit Press.

The main trouble with some men is that they expect the Lord to provide the raw materials and their wives to cook them.—Galveston News.

Judging by the destruction which marks their retreat, the German armies are not giving up any portion of France through kindness.—Dallas News.

Herr Zimmermann says that if the war comes it will be President Wilson's fault. Blaming the other fellow seems to be a German habit.—Detroit Press.

Rioting in Berlin cannot fail to remind Cousin Wilhelm that it began that way against Cousin Nicholas in Petrograd.—Salt Lake Herald-Republican.

It has just about gotten so in this country that when you advise a young man to lay up something for a rainy day he thinks you've got water on the brain.—Dallas News.

We gather from the Berlin dispatches that General Hindenburg is going backward in order to get a good start forward. It is secret strategy, ruthlessly advertised.—Dallas News.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

- 1816—Henry Hudson, discoverer of the Hudson river, sailed on his last voyage. 1765—Lord Byron, famous poet, convicted of manslaughter before the house of lords for slaying Chaworth in a duel, and freed for the offense. 1784—Universal religious equality created its law in New York. 1790—Benjamin Franklin, printer, statesman and philosopher, died, aged 84 years. 1794—The Poles expelled the Russians from Warsaw. 1806—William Gilmore Simms, noted author, born; died June 11, 1870. 1830—The navigation of the Black sea opened to American vessels. 1837—J. Pierpont Morgan, famous financier, born at Hartford, Conn.; died March 31, 1913. 1895—Peace signed between China and Japan. 1901—Great fire at Toronto caused property loss of \$10,000,000. 1911—France rushed troops to Morocco to quell a rebellion among the tribesmen. 1914—Attempt on the life of John Furroy Mitchell, mayor of New York, by Michael P. Mahoney. 1916—United States house of representatives passed bill doubling West Point cadet corps. 1916—Five passengers killed and 40 wounded in wreck on New Haven railroad at Bradford, R. I.

THE ANNIVERSARY IN THE EUROPEAN WAR

- 1915—Russian drive in Carpathians is checked; Germans assemble great forces on Russian front. 1916—Capt. Franz Von Papen, former military attaché of the German embassy; Capt. Boy-Ed, former naval attaché; Capt. Hans Tauscher and other Germans indicted by United States federal grand jury for conspiracy to destroy the Welland canal.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS AT BUTTE THEATERS

- AMERICAN Moving pictures: Today and tomorrow, Irene Hawley in "Her Father's Keeper." ORPHEUM Moving pictures: Today, "Protect Your Daughters"; tomorrow, Dorothy Bernard in "The Rainbow." PEOPLES Vaudeville and moving pictures: Today and tomorrow, Sessie Hayakawa and Lulu Waipahu in "The Bottle Imp." LIBERTY Moving Pictures: Today, "Flower of Doom"; tomorrow, a Pathe photoplay. BROADWAY Pantages vaudeville: Today and tomorrow, Capt. Louis Sorcho, and five other acts. EMPRESS Hippodrome vaudeville: Today day, Nick Copeland's Four Sickers, and five other acts; tomorrow, change of bill. ANSONIA Vaudeville and moving pictures: Today and tomorrow, Genevieve Hamper in "Tangled Lives."

See Anniversary Bargains in the Windows. Every Article in the Lander Store Is Reduced in Price

21st Anniversary Sale The Genuine Pullman Revolving Seat Davenport Is a Bed Davenport That Is Better Than a Bed—It Is as Comfortable to Sleep on as the Finest Bed and Serves as an Artistic Davenport During the Day The Lander Furniture company has sold over 4,500 GENUINE Pullman Revolving Seat Bed Davenports in Butte. There are more GENUINE Pullman Revolving Seat Bed Davenports in this city than the combined number of all other makes, and the GENUINE Pullman Revolving Seat Bed Davenport is sold at Landers, and nowhere else in Butte, and is made by the PULLMAN COUCH COMPANY OF CHICAGO, ILL., and comes direct to the Lander store in solid car lots.

in this city than the combined number of all other makes, and the GENUINE Pullman Revolving Seat Bed Davenport is sold at Landers, and nowhere else in Butte, and is made by the PULLMAN COUCH COMPANY OF CHICAGO, ILL., and comes direct to the Lander store in solid car lots.



Pullman Revolving Seat Bed Davenport Upholstered in Genuine Leather \$69.85 Special Sale at \$69.85 Frame of quartered oak and upholstering in genuine leather, with smooth seat and back. Anniversary sale price is only \$69.85 Four gifts to be given away at this great sale. A beautiful bedroom four-piece suite; a handsome Pullman davenport; a period design dining table and an electric lamp with shade. See the gifts displayed in the window.

WE BUY AND SELL FOR LESS \$12.85 for a Full Size French Satin Finish Bed Like Picture to Left Fitted with 2-inch posts and 12 fillers; a full size French satin finish \$16.50 bed for special sale price \$12.85 of \$15.85 for a Full Size French Satin Finish Bed Like Illustration to Right Two-inch continuous posts and 10 heavy one-inch fillers; hucks on posts are three inches deep. Anniversary sale price is only \$15.85

\$21.45 For a Large Size Genuine Leather or Figured Tapestry Rocker Like Illustration Full spring back and cushion seat, splendidly upholstered in genuine leather or fancy figured, best grade tapestry. High back, full roll wide arms. Anniversary sale price is only \$21.45

200 Pounds of Pure Ice Free to You With Every Refrigerator Bought at Landers First showing of the new 1917 Spring designs of the famous White Mountain Refrigerators. Known the world over as the chest with the chill in it. The White Mountain Refrigerator is in use in over a million homes in America. \$3.00 down delivers a \$25.00 White Mountain Refrigerator to your home. \$3.00 a month pays for it and 200 Pounds of Pure ICE FREE with every Refrigerator purchased at Landers.

\$3.00 down, \$3.00 per month, buys \$25 worth of goods. \$7.50 down, \$7.50 per month, buys \$75 worth of goods. \$5.00 down, \$5.00 per month, buys \$50 worth of goods. \$10.00 down, \$10 month, buys \$100 worth of goods.

Mail Orders ... Filled ... LANDER And We Pay The Freight

LUKE M'LUKE SAYS Copyright, 1916, Cincinnati Enquirer

If you know anything worth while, keep it to yourself. The fellow who doesn't is always telling it. Any man can tell you that women do not know the value of money. But she can go downtown with a dollar and have department store wagons delivering packages at her house for a whole day. Orange is the fashionable shade for women this Spring. And a whole lot of lemons will wear it. We want to congratulate the movement for the City Beautiful and the movement against Unnecessary Noises. The women are wearing fewer barber pole stockings than formerly. A girl will feel sorry for a man long enough to marry him. Then she will spend the rest of her time feeling sorry for herself. Anyway, the girl who marries for money isn't going to be a bit more disappointed than the girl who marries for love. Instead of cursing when you have to walk upstairs to find a match, you should be thankful that you do not have to use flint and steel like your ancestors. If a man has a corkscrew and a beer opener on his knife he feels equipped for any emergency. It must be tough to be a girl and be passionately in love with spring onions and a man at the same time. It is none of our business. But every

now and then you will see a married couple who remind you of a mule hitched up with a thoroughbred filly. Abusing the umpire won't get you much in baseball nor in anything else in life. As a man grows older he discovers that he gets better food at home and begins losing his interest in restaurants. Adam was one of the few men in history who had no friends to come around and tell him how to raise his boys. Why is it that married men are broke because they have families and single men are broke because they haven't? Our Daily Special. Most Men Pay More For Experience Than It Is Worth. Names is Names. Wee Ford lives in Middlesboro, Ky. Cut This Out—It Is Worth Money DONT MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c and mail it to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's colds and croup; Foley Kidney Pills, for pain in sides and back, rheumatism, backache, kidney and bladder ailments; and Foley Cathartic Tablets, a wholesome and thoroughly cleansing cathartic, for constipation, biliousness, headache and sluggish bowels. Newbro Drug Co.—Adv.

Lyon's Best Flour Uniform Flour Quality Gives Uniformly Good Baking Results. Ask Your Grocer Butte Wholesale Grocery Company Wholesale Distributors Butte - - - - - Montana

PARENTS AND TEACHERS TO MEET WEDNESDAY The Butte high school Parent-Teacher circle will meet this week on Wednesday instead of Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium. An interesting program all interested in high school work will be arranged. Miss E. M. ... will sing and Superintendent ... will give a brief address.