

ANA CONDA
QUIET CELEBRATION
IN ANA CONDA TODAY

Reading of Declaration of Independence—Many Take to the Open.

Anaconda, July 4.—Anaconda is today experiencing the quietest Fourth of July in its history, and the first in twelve years that has not been attended by a celebration.

At 10 o'clock this morning the Declaration of Independence was read on the city common by Jerome E. Johnston preliminary to the ball game between the Black Rocks of Butte and the Anodes.

About 400 Anaconda people are spending the day at Silver Lake and Georgetown and 22 have gone to Missoula to attend the Stampede.

BLUE-EYED NELLIE
CLAIMS ARE SOLD

Anaconda, July 4.—Patrick and Michael Hartigan have acquired the mining claims in the Blue-Eyed Nellie district from William Carlson.

DARKNESS STOPS GAME
AFTER HIT TIES SCORE

Anaconda, July 4.—Pitcher Keltus of the Knights of Columbus team saved the day for himself and his association when he knocked a homer in the ninth frame of the game with the Goodfriend team last evening, tying the score at 5 to 5.

MATHISON-GILBERT
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Anaconda, July 4.—Miss Frances Lillian Gilbert and Stanley John Mathison, both of Deer Lodge, were quietly married at St. Mark's rectory here yesterday by Rev. J. L. Craig.

BUTTE BOYS ARRESTED

Anaconda, July 4.—Two prominent young Butte boys were arrested here last night for using abusive language to an officer.

ATTENTION, EAGLES

All members are requested to meet at the hall Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock to attend the funeral of our late brother, William Barry.

ANA CONDA BRIEFS

Mrs. George E. Hutchins, daughter of Mrs. R. E. Tuttle, returned last night from St. Paul, where she has been visiting friends and relatives for some time.

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ELM ORLU COMPANY HAS
DOUBLED NET PROCEEDS

Company Will Pay Taxes This Year on More Than \$800,000. Work of County Assessor is Nearing Completion. Returns of the Net Proceeds of the Mining Companies Will Conclude Work of Finding Assessed Valuation of Property in County.

Although Pete Kelly, county assessor, has practically completed the task of assessing the value of property in Silver Bow county, the time for the completion of the work does not expire according to law until next Monday.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Ore extracted, Total cost per ton, Total gross proceeds, etc.

'CARRY YOUR OWN'
SHOPPERS' SLOGAN

Butte Stores Urged by Council of Defense to Reduce Deliveries.

Butte grocery, retail dry goods and department stores are urged to eliminate unnecessary service as a war measure in letters received by them from the National Council of Defense.

CONSPIRACY TO
ROB ALLEGED

Wakes Up This Morning With His Roll Gone and Baby in Bed.

Louis Anderson was invited to spend last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kingsbury on Utah avenue. When he awakened this morning he was minus \$52 and found a baby boy as his bed companion.

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NEGOTIATIONS TO
BE CONTINUED

Electrical Workers Reject Proposal of Company—Mines Down for the Fourth.

With the rejection last night of the Montana Power company's proposal by the electrical workers' union No. 65, local labor leaders are today anxiously awaiting the arrival of E. J. McNulty, president of the electrical workers' international.

The local labor leaders, as well as the international representatives who are in Butte, believe that President McNulty, backed by the National Defense Council and special orders from the American Federation of Labor, will soon be able to adjust the electrical workers' trouble.

What the local labor leaders feared was that the electricians might take some action that would complicate the situation. This they did not do. They elected to stand by their original demands and added two others. Neither of these are demands, it is believed, that cannot be adjusted.

As the Montana Power company's proposal grants a higher wage on a six-day basis than the demand of the electricians on a five and a half-day basis, the impression is general that President McNulty will eventually succeed in showing the men that it is to their interests to accept the proposal.

After President McNulty reaches here it is believed that the conference between the striking electricians and the Montana Power company will be resumed.

Efforts are being made by some members of the electricians' union to arrange for a mass meeting to be held tomorrow or Friday at either the City Auditorium or Carpenters' hall. A committee is endeavoring to enlist the support of other unions in the movement.

If such a meeting takes place the union men can attend solely as individuals. The meeting will have no official standing and no action taken could be regarded as official. Official action can only be taken at meetings of the unions.

DUNNE PREVAILS

Chairman R. F. Dunne of the electricians strike committee was in complete control of the meeting of the electrical workers which was held last evening in K. of P. hall instead of Carpenters' hall.

Not only did the electrical workers decide to stand by their original demands, but they added two more as follows: "Sub-station employees must become members of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers."

All men who have been taking the places of the striking electricians must be discharged. The first demand is one of jurisdiction and will bring the electricians into conflict with the engineers. When the Power company changes its Butte station from steam to electricity there were two steam substations. The men employed at these stations were members of the engineers' union and have continued their membership in this union.

The second demand calls, it would appear, for the discharge of superintendents, foremen and others who are not union men but who have stood by the Montana Power company and made it possible for the company to operate by keeping the lines open, in addition to members of the union who declined to go on strike.

About 150 of the 225 members of the union attended the meeting. The proposition of the Montana Power company was read. Under this proposal the men would get more wages on a six-day basis than on the five and a half-day basis demanded by the union.

CONSERVATIVES HEARD

A number of conservative members urged the approval of the proposition, thereby giving the electricians a chance to return to work, but Chairman Dunne and a number of other radicals prevailed. They insisted on standing by the original demands and adding the two others. The question was put to a vote and Dunne and his lieutenants upheld.

The engineers' union held a meeting last night but no action in connection with the strike was taken. A committee from the outlaw Metal Mine Workers' union urged the engineers to recognize the new union, but the engineers could not see it that way.

The outlaw Metal Mine Workers' union is holding no meeting today, the members deciding to celebrate the Fourth. At yesterday's meeting resolutions introduced by Dan Shovlin were adopted. These resolutions call for the government to take over the mines of Butte. Copies of the resolutions are to be forwarded to President Wilson and department heads in Washington.

Tom Campbell, the personal representative of W. D. Haywood, was again in the chair. He named a strike committee as follows: O. J. Jackson, Charles McCarthy, Peter Kelly, John McNamara, Tim Harrington, John McCarthy, John O'Brien, Tom O'Neill, Charles McLeod and Eli Reihonem.

A REVOLT BREAKS OUT

A revolt has broken out in the new Metal Mine Workers' union. George I. Eckman, one of the leaders of the organization, has thrown down the gauntlet to Tom Campbell and the other L. W. W. leaders who control the organization.

Eckman has announced his intention of leading a movement to take in all the conservative members of the union and affiliate with the American Federation of

THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME



I. W. W. WOULD
FLOOD MINES

Prevent Pumpmen Working at Old Dominion Property in Arizona.

RUSSIAN ARMY WORTHY
OF HER HIGHEST IDEAL

Losses Are Heavy.

Will Last Weeks.

BERLIN SAYS RUSSIAN
ADVANCE CHECKED

AIR RAIDERS HURL
BOMBS ON HARWICH

BRITISH ATTACK THE
DOCKS AT BRUGES

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