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 The Club brand, special, three bottles 50c

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 rich, thick enough for 5 gallons, special, three bottles, 50c
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 rich, rich and creamy; 40c quality, special, per pound 30c

SALMON SALE
 They red, rich, flaky salmon, lb. can, special, dozen, \$2.85
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 Special, 25c

PURE OATMEAL
 Best rolled oats, economical 9-lb. special, 60c

Does your stomach digest your food properly?
 Have you rheumatism or any neuralgic pains of any nature?
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MEN FINED \$5 FOR ATTACKING OFFICERS
 Able Sullivan and Kate they were fined \$5 each in the court today for creating a disturbance by resisting the efforts of plainclothes Officers Morrison and to investigate alleged theft of a trunk at the St. James hotel, run by Sullivan, on June 16 last. The men testified that when they made inquiries concerning the trunk in question, Mrs. Sullivan and Miss they, who are sisters, clapped and jeered them. The two women testified that the officers sought to remove a trunk, which they had been directed to hold until the owner had for it and that the plainclothes attacked them first.

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STRIKE SITUATION WITHOUT CHANGE

All Sides Marking Time Pending the Events of Tomorrow.

TWO UNIONS TO VOTE ON IMPORTANT ISSUES

Electricians to Consider Compromise—The Miners Will Vote.

The strike situation in Butte today was without important developments. Pending the referendum tomorrow in the Butte Metal Mine Workers' union on the question of affiliation with the Moyer organization and the meeting of the Electrical Workers' union tomorrow night, when the compromise agreement reached with the Montana Power company will be voted on, it is expected that there can be no change in local conditions. More men reported for work in the mines today than yesterday and more worked yesterday than at any time since the strike was ordered.

From Washington, D. C., the Post today received from its special correspondent a brief dispatch saying that Secretary of Labor Wilson felt that the situation was progressing to a satisfactory conclusion in Butte. The secretary of labor, referring to conditions here, said: "We think that the Butte labor troubles will be settled satisfactorily in a few days." Secretary Wilson has been greatly concerned about conditions in Butte owing to the fact that the government depends on this district in large part for its supplies of zinc and copper for munitions to be used in the war against Germany.

From Arizona.

The news from Arizona was watched with interest today by all factions interested in the local troubles. In that state the miners not affiliated with the Moyer organization have pledged their support to the Butte union. The report that the I. W. W. were about to call out its harvest hands and that they would remain out until the metal miners secured their demands may have some bearing on the situation. A Globe dispatch also said that James Chapman, local leader of the Industrial Workers of the World, announced that he had received a telegram stating that all the marine transport workers on the Pacific coast were ready to go out in support of the metal miners. Chapman was prominent in the Butte labor troubles of three years ago. He was one of the men who opposed the old Moyer organization and helped to break up the old union.

The international representatives on the scene are unanimously of the opinion that the proposed compromise is

UNDERTAKERS.

SULLIVAN—Patrick O. Sullivan, aged 27 years, died this morning. The funeral will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Emmet Murphy, 119 East Woolman street, proceeding to St. Mary's church, where mass will be celebrated at 9:30.

BROSI—The remains of the late John Brosi, aged 23 years, are at Duggan's undertaking parlors. The funeral announcement later.

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JONES—The remains of Alfred Jones were forwarded this afternoon to Malad, Idaho, for interment and were accompanied by his brothers.

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eminently fair to the striking electrical workers and they are urging the strikers to ratify it. They believe that no fairer adjustment of the electricians' troubles could be reached. So far is the agreement that, if rejected by the electricians, there is a strong indication that the machinists, blacksmiths and boiler-makers will refuse to stand behind the electrical workers any longer and return to their jobs in the mines.

Fight is Expected.

A bitter fight is expected on the floor of the electricals' union meeting tomorrow night. The conservatives, led by International President McNulty, will insist upon a ratification of the agreement. Led by Chairman R. F. Dunne of the strike committee, the radicals will oppose the agreement and will urge its rejection.

Chairman Dunne is determined to continue the strike, believing thereby he can help the miners win their fight. He is in constant touch with Tom Campbell, the personal representative of W. D. Hayward, and the leading factor in the Metal Mine Workers' union, and he will insist that electricians stand by the miners and not settle their strike until the miners' issue has been adjusted.

George I. Eckman, who has taken a prominent part in leading the way for affiliation on the part of the metal workers with the American Federation of Labor, repeated today that he thought his cause would win.

"Miners who vote tomorrow," he said, "should be careful in putting in their ballots. There may be an attempt to juggle the returns and every miner ought to know exactly how and for what he is voting."

A Spirited Session.

Amid the wildest kind of excitement, at which fistic encounters threatened a number of times, the metal workers at their meeting late yesterday decided to hold their referendum on the question of affiliation tomorrow. The referendum will take place at Finn hall and the polls will be open from 9 a. m. until 9 p. m. The question to be voted on is as follows: "I shall affiliate with the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelters of the American Federation of Labor?"

Denny Harrington, a former policeman, under the socialist administration and one of the leaders of the present movement, was named as chairman of the board of judges of the election. Others on the board will be James Ferriter, Aleck McDonald and representatives of the Finlanders and Italians.

For clerks James Trainor, Mike Clifford, James Finnegan, Ole Erickson and two of the Finlander representatives were named. Under the constitution of the union a two-thirds vote will be required to carry affiliation in any other body.

Yesterday's session was the wildest since the new union was founded, charges and counter charges being made throughout the session. Originally there were three propositions suggested for a vote. They were: First, whether they should affiliate with the American Federation of Labor; second, whether they should affiliate with the Industrial Workers of the World; and third, whether they should remain independent.

Only One Question.

Dan Shovin on behalf of the committee which had the referendum question reported that the committee decided but one question should be put before the union, that being the question of affiliation with the American Federation of Labor.

Ed Bassett, an I. W. W., and several of his supporters offered strenuous objections, insisting that the three questions be put to a referendum. Tom Campbell, who was in the chair, settled the argument by declaring he thought the question best stated as decided upon by the committee. Campbell added that if the miners voted not to affiliate with the Moyer organization it will leave them where they are now. The question of affiliation with the I. W. W. can be taken up later, declared Campbell.

The report of the referendum committee was adopted and tomorrow fixed for the vote.

Bedlam broke loose and a riot threatened when the question of election officials came up. A proposition to have Campbell name the committees met with violent opposition. One member, Jack Mooney, declared he did not trust the chairman and that it was the officers of other unions that had sold them out. He demanded the constitution be observed and the judges and clerks elected from the floor.

Campbell's friends at once came to his rescue by calling Mooney a stool pigeon and a gun man. This angered Mooney to such extent that he wanted to fight the entire crowd of accusers. He took off his coat and defiantly said he could "lick" them all. The trouble finally quieted down and judges decided upon by the referendum committee were named.

O'BRIEN AGAIN HEADS STATE METAL COUNCIL

Great Falls, July 10.—James F. O'Brien, president of the Metal Trades council of Butte, was re-elected president of the Montana Metal Trades council at the state convention of the council last night. C. O. Edwards of Great Falls was re-elected secretary and the state presidents are yet to be elected.

An effort will be made to conclude the session tonight. The convention is meeting for the purpose of deciding upon wage increases to be demanded of the mining companies.

KERMIT ROOSEVELT TO JOIN BRITISH ARMY

Plattsburg, N. Y., July 10.—Kermit Roosevelt, a son of the former president, has accepted an offer of a staff commission with the British army operating against the Turks in Asia Minor. He was granted his discharge from the officers' training camp and will sail Saturday for Spain, accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt. Two of Kermit Roosevelt's brothers, Theodore, Jr., and Archibald, are with the American expeditionary forces in France.

BULLS START BIG MOVE IN STEELS

German Attitude Toward Continuance of War Factor in the Trading.

Bulls took hold of steel stocks in the market today and forced prices of them up to from 2 to 2 1/2 points on the strength of the reported statement of the German chancellor indicating continuance of the war for some time. Coal stocks were also strong and substantially higher. Shorts in Industrial Alcohol apparently were squeezed, for the stocks rebounded 5 points. Rails were strong, but did not make material gains. Coppers were dull and heavy as a result of labor troubles. Total sales exceeded a half million shares.

Anacosta opened at 7 1/2, was high at 7 3/4, low at 7 1/4, and closed at 7 3/4. Butte and Superior was quoted at from 2 1/2 to 4 1/2; North Butte at 1 1/2; East Butte at 1 1/2; Davis-Daly at 5 1/2 and Tuolumne at 1.

Stock opinions received over wires of the Helbronner company today say in part:

"G. M. Pynchon—Market is acting as if bottom had nearly been touched. I think scale buying will pay a handsome profit in a few weeks. Money conditions excellent."

Hutton—"It is estimated that the earnings of the Steel company for the quarter will be around \$130,000,000; that the government tax paid by the company for 1917 will be about \$140,000,000, or \$29 per share."

Stock news received over wires of the Lauzier-Wolcott company says in part:

Lozan & Bryan—"The revenue problem is the big factor. The technical position seems rather strained. The news on the German situation is absorbing considerable attention and must be reckoned with."

Keane says—"Fair profits and wide distribution of them measured for a long period have a bullish outlook and should insure maintenance of security values at a normal level."

WANT RECRUITS FOR REGIMENT

Foresters Will Be Among the First Volunteers Who Will Reach France.

During the next two weeks the forest service, through its local officers, will attempt to complete the recruiting of the forest regiment (Tenth engineers, national army), which is expected to see early service in France. Teams of military loggers and lumberjacks are wanted for this organization. First-hand, practical experience is a necessary qualification. Men desiring to enlist in this regiment should apply immediately to the nearest forest supervisor.

The city of the regiment will be to convert available timber behind the battle lines in France into railroad ties, trench timbers, mine props, bridge timbers, lumber and cordwood needed in the military operations of the British army. The work may, it is stated, fall within the danger zone and will be done largely in sprout forests of oak, birch, hornbeam and other hard woods, with some stands of pine.

The regiment will be made up of six companies of 160 men each, aside from battalion and regimental staffs, drivers and commissioned officers. It will be sent overseas as soon as organized, trained and equipped. It will first be assembled at two training camps, the regimental headquarters and one battalion at the American university, Washington, D. C., and one battalion at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

Enlistment is for the period of the war. Recruits must be between the ages of 18 and 40 and must be citizens of the United States or have declared their intention to become such. They are subject to the same physical examination as that required for other military service.

While designed to serve primarily as a mobile logging and milling crew, the regiment will be organized on military lines and its members will be uniformed and armed like other units in the United States army. The first duty of its officers and men will be to learn military discipline and teamwork through thoroughgoing drill at training camps.

For the logging crews skilled axmen, sawyers, the hewers, skidders, teamsters and blacksmiths are being enlisted. Mills, sawmills and engine engineers are full part of the equipment, while suitable helpers for the various activities connected with woods operations and the maintenance of large camps will be picked up.

The prompt recruiting of this regiment will, it is expected, enable it to be among the first to carry the flag of the United States abroad.

ENTIRE CREW OF A U-BOAT FOUND DEAD

Vessel Floating Idly at Sea. Crew Suffocated by Deadly Gas.

Galveston, Tex., July 10.—A German submarine of the most modern type floating idly a short distance off the Irish coast, every member of the crew having been suffocated, was recently picked up by a British boat and towed to port, according to the captain of a steamer that has just arrived at a Gulf port. The captain said the crew was supposed to have been killed by the formation of a deadly gas while the boat was in process of being submerged.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT'S LAST INDIAN LAND OPENING IN SOUTHEASTERN OKLAHOMA

A few years ago land in your section of Montana was obtained from the government for practically nothing. Today that same land is selling for \$100 per acre, or more. The increase in value is due to the demand for food and the increase in population. Today you may obtain land in one of the richest agricultural sections of the country in the same manner, which, with the present demand for food and high prices being paid for farm products, will sell in a very short time above the prices now paid in this valley. NEVER HAS THE GOVERNMENT OFFERED ITS PEOPLE A BETTER INVESTMENT.

AFTER THE GREAT WORLD WAR

You Do Not Have to Live on or Improve This Land

This land is located in the prospective Oil Territory in the United States, entirely surrounded by developed oil fields. No oil or mineral reservations. Ideal climatic conditions. Seldom below freezing in winter. No excessive heat in summer. Come in and get full information on the LAST BIG GOVERNMENT SALE. THIS DOES NOT INTERFERE WITH YOUR HOMESTEAD RIGHT.

Car No. 10, under the supervision of the McAlester Exchange of McAlester, Oklahoma, is in your city for a few days to tell you how you may procure your portion of this land. Land classified as agricultural, grazing and timbered—no irrigation—above 40 inches of rainfall.

You don't have to go to Oklahoma to file on this land. THE LAND OWNER OF THE FUTURE WILL BE THE INDEPENDENT CLASS OF THE UNITED STATES.

THE GOVERNMENT INDIAN LAND DEMONSTRATION CAR NO. 10

Pullman car equipped with maps, plats, agricultural and geological reports and displays of products in charge of skilled demonstrators, located in Butte on B., A. & P. tracks at depot. Hours 9 a. m. to 12 m., 1 p. m. to 5:30 p. m., 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. Open at 1 p. m. to 9 p. m. for inspection.

OUR TIME IS LIMITED—YOU MUST ACT NOW

BELIEVE SPIES CAUSED MAGAZINE EXPLOSION

An Investigation of the Mare Island Disaster is Being Carried on.

San Francisco, July 10.—Agents of the department of justice are co-operating with the naval authorities today in a thorough investigation of the explosion of the black powder magazine at the Mare Island navy yard yesterday, which resulted in the death of six people and the wounding of 33 others. The investigation is proceeding on the theory that the explosion was the result of activity of spies.

Local experts assert that the detonation of the black powder could not have been due to natural causes. Fragments of metal have been found, which also tend to support the theory of a plot.

BUTTE IN BRIEF

Arthur Lavelle, a former Butte boy now engaged in the wholesale grocery business at Wenatchee, Wash., is visiting with his mother, Mrs. C. E. Hewitt, 210 South Washington street, and his uncle, City Jailer Barney Lavelle, for a few days before returning home to join the first squadron of the cavalry regiment of the Washington national guard, in which he is a second lieutenant. Mr. Lavelle will be mustered into federal service with the guard on July 25 and will report at Palo Alto, Cal., on Aug. 5.

The following births were reported today: To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kneebone, 649 1/2 South Idaho, July 8, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kneebone, 608 South Idaho street, July 8, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Robinson, 825 North Wyoming street, July 8, a son; and to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nichols, 1608 North Main street, July 9, a son.

W. H. Shoup, a prominent business man of Salmon, Ida., leaves this evening for his home, after spending several days in the city. He was accompanied by Mrs. Shoup and his young son. The parents having brought the lad to Butte for a minor operation.

The Ladies' Aid society of St. Mark's Lutheran church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. William Busch, 865 South Main street.

Miss Mabel French of 799 Colorado street has returned home after attending the Winscott-Jones wedding in Anacosta last week.

W. W. Williams, general agent for the Rock Island lines, with headquarters in Spokane, is in the city today on a business trip.

J. C. Rankine, superintendent of telegraph for the Great Northern at St. Paul, is in town today on a business visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Connolly of 1913 Massachusetts avenue are the parents of a daughter born this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Legdan of Deer Lodge are spending the day in the city.

Mrs. A. J. Nicholson of White Sulphur Springs is visiting in Butte.

C. C. Johnson and son of Glasgow are spending the day in the city.

C. M. McCutcheon of Great Falls is greeting old time friends today.

H. C. Thompson of Lewistown is making a short stay in the city.

H. H. Harkworth of Helena is in the city for a short stay.

H. E. Lundwall of Roseman is registered at the Thornton hotel.

Mrs. Margaret Roe of Dillon is spending the day in the city.

Mrs. George Bergman of Red Rock is among the day's arrivals.

All deposits made in our savings department on or before July 15 will bear interest from July 1. Miners Savings Bank and Trust Co.—Adv.

Charles E. F. Edwards of Great Falls is in the city for a few days.

G. W. Coval and wife of Ronan are in the city for a short stay.

Thomas Coates of Deer Lodge is registered at the Acoma hotel.

T. G. Connelly of Billings is registered at the Leggett hotel.

John E. Shipman of Dillon is registered at the Flinn hotel.

Neil Flaherty of Billings is spending a few days in the city.

C. A. Dioletta of Anacosta is spending the day in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kramer of West

WOMEN EDUCATORS HOLD CENTER OF THE STAGE

Not a Man Speaks at National Educational Convention at Portland.

Portland, July 10.—Women held the center of stage today at the National Educational association. Not a man spoke at the convention's general session.

"The test of our citizenship has come," said Josephine Corlies Preston, state superintendent of public instruction of Washington, one of the speakers. "We represent the great army of women educators who are next to the home in the training of the youth of the land. A great world of humanity needs us."

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TWO SOLDIERS DROWNED IN THE RIO GRANDE

El Paso, Tex., July 10.—Privates Clyde S. Gardiner of Lynn, Mass., and Private Martin L. Dietz of Staton Island, N. Y., were drowned and eight or ten other soldiers had a battle for life in the waters of the Rio Grande river today as a result of the efforts of the military guard at a foot bridge near here to keep it from being destroyed by an obstruction of logs borne down by the current.

MISSION TO RUSSIA SOON WILL RETURN

Washington, July 10.—America's mission to Russia, headed by Elihu Root, virtually has finished its work and soon will start for home.

Administration officials expressed the greatest satisfaction today over what had been accomplished by the mission.

MAY MAIL TRAINING CAMP APPLICATIONS

Provision is Made for Aspirants Who Do Not Live in the City.