

THOMPSON PARK SOON TO BE MADE PREMIER SHOW GROUND OF CITY

Playgrounds Committee Sending Garbage Wagons to Camping Centers This Week. Few Days More Will See Chairs and Tables in Many Spots Where Motor Parties Stop for Lunches. Cement Outbuildings and Bridges to Come Next Year.

Unwilling to allow its most beautiful piece of ground to become a dumping ground for the scraps of campers' meals or a medley of unsightly groups of stones used for impromptu fire places, the Butte city administration has started a campaign that will in time make Thompson park a real show place for the city and an outing ground of first importance to the Butte people.

Within the week, the city council members who are on the playgrounds committee promise, the city garbage wagons will go through the park cleaning up all tin cans, blowing bits of paper and collections of camp refuse. Tin garbage cans will be placed in convenient places by the garbage men when the wagons go over the grounds this week and the men will report on places where camp equipment of a primary nature should be situated. Within two weeks this camping equipment, consisting of benches, chairs, tables and gaspne cranes over fire places, will be put into place by the council committee, money from the playground fund to be used for that purpose.

What is Proposed.

Within the year, it is proposed that the park be provided with a few small cement buildings for the purpose of better sanitation. An effort will be made next spring to have cement bridges built over the stream in places where motor cars would wish to turn aside from the main road to explore some of the wooded canyons and open brook valleys. By fall a landscape gardener will be at work in the park with two assistants, so that the advent of spring may see the park made over in places into a dreamland of horticulture. Fallen and dead timber will be removed, underbrush in some of the canyons will be cleared away and Thompson park, a nominal outing center for the past year, will assume its great importance as a recreation point for Butte people.

In line with the suggestion in the Post on Monday, the city officials are united in declaring that the park be kept free from the odious features of many premier camping grounds.

A Real Asset.

"Thompson park is a real asset to the city," said Mayor Maloney this morning. "There is no reason why the

park cannot be kept in good condition at a small expense, and the city already has taken steps to see that such care be provided. The scenery in Thompson park is not equaled by many of the natural parks in the country. It is going to be Butte's real show place before long."

"We have been handicapped because there was no definite fund provided for the park," said Alderman Fletcher of the playgrounds committee of the city council this morning. "Two thousand dollars a year, a small sum for the city to furnish, would keep the park in first class condition and allow many improvements. For the immediate work in the park we will use the playgrounds fund, but I would like to see one-eighth or one-fourth of a mill in tax devoted to this purpose."

City Has Power.

A law passed at the last legislature empowers any city or town in the state of Montana to own any real property which it receives by gift, bequest or grant. This law makes it possible for the city to govern the park by ordinance and provide funds in the usual way.

The tin-can camper who visits Thompson park must begin to look to the rules of sanitation, say the city officials, and the observance of these rules must start at once. There is no promising or prophesying in the city's determination to improve the park. The wagons actually go out this week to clean up the littered camp sites, and police officers will see to it that the grounds are not again made a dumping ground for careless visitors.

A Natural Park.

Thompson park is a natural park stretching from a point above the Nine Mile house up the Eighteen Mile canyon. It is a canyon that broadens in many places into ideal camping grounds, is intersected in not a few points by small brook canyons that are unsurpassed in the beauty of their wooded depths. Through the park canyon runs a mountain stream. About it tower the first of the majestic Highlands and throughout the park is a wealth of natural scenic spots.

Thompson park is a gift to the city from W. B. Thompson, son of Butte's first mayor, William Thompson. The gift was made in 1915. W. B. Thompson is a prominent financier now in New York.

WHEAT YIELD WILL BE LIGHT IN PROVINCES

Regina, Sask., July 31.—Reports received by the provincial department of agriculture from the crop correspondents throughout the province, made public today, indicate that the wheat yield of the province will average between 10 and 15 bushels to the acre. Rain is needed but in some sections the crops are so badly burned that rain would do no good now. Wheat in the south country district will average about 12 bushels, with some a failure in some sections. All grains are maturing too fast and it is feared that the conditions of 1914 will be repeated.

PRETENDED STRIKE ENDS IN FAILURE

Majority of Electricians Refuse to Walk Out of Mines.

A "pretended" strike called by the radical wing of the Electrical Workers' union has ended in complete failure. Soon after the request of an electricians' union committee for a flat \$5.50 per day was refused by the Anaconda Copper company officials yesterday afternoon, the committee ordered the electricians on the hill to walk out.

The order was obeyed by a few electrical workers employed by the Anaconda Copper Mining company. The majority of electricians remained on duty and are at work today. None of the electricians in other mines walked out. Those who walked out did so as individuals, for the electricians' union has not called a strike.

As the work of electricians in the mines requires little technical knowledge and as the strike is unauthorized and thereby places those on strike in the same position as the members of the outlaw miners' union, the Anaconda company experienced no delay or trouble.

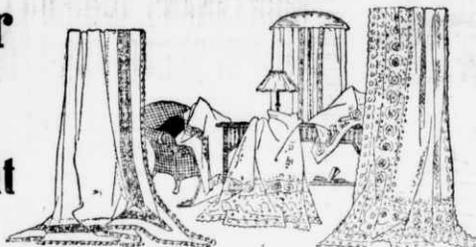
That no one is in sympathy with the few straggling electricians who walked out, is demonstrated by the fact that there was another decided increase in the number of miners returning to work this morning.

In a signed statement issued by Tom Robbins, general organizer and local representative of the Electrical Workers' International union, it declared that the strike is not sanctioned by the international union and that the walkout therefore is illegal. The statement recites that no member of the union is obliged to leave any position in the employ of the company and that the Electrical Workers' union is still a member of the Metal Trades council and must therefore abide by the majority vote of the unions in the council which ratified the new wage schedule. The statement declares that the Electrical Workers' union committee has no right to declare a strike and that any electrician who quits can do so as an individual only.

The radical members of the electricians' union hope to induce the members of other Butte Metal Trades unions which voted against the new wage schedule to follow suit and walk out. Officials of the State Metal Trades council today declare that this will be a vain effort.

The new wage schedule was ratified by a decided majority, declared an officer of the State Metal Trades council. "Not only did a majority of the 27 unions that voted ratify the agreement, but the Anaconda and Great Falls Metal Trades councils as a body voted for the agreement. So did the State Metal Trades council. The only central organization that did not vote

Lander Quits Sells Out



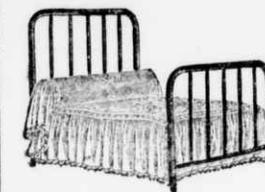
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LACE CURTAINS are prime factors in Lander's Close-Out Sale. We had an enormous stock, and slashed prices to a point very inviting to prudent shoppers. Note these:—

Nottingham Nets (Ecu or White)	Voiles, Marquissettes (Ecu, Ivory or White)	St. Gaul Nets (Ivory, Ecu or White)
\$1.00 pair 65¢	\$1.75 pair \$1.15	—Imported—
\$1.50 pair 85¢	\$2.50 pair \$1.65	\$9.00 pair \$5.85
\$2.00 pair \$1.45	\$4.50 pair \$2.95	\$7.50 pair \$5.85
\$4.00 pair \$2.95	\$6.00 pair \$3.65	\$12.00 pair \$7.95

CRETONNES—New patterns, bright colors. Regular 50c to \$1.50 goods. Prices are now cut to 35¢ to \$1.20

MADRAS—Imported, sunfast blue, old rose, brown and mixed; 50-inch goods. Per yard, cut to \$1.35



BED—Heavy iron, finished Vernis Martin, full size; now cut to \$6.45

BED—French metal, heavy pattern, full size, with continuous posts; cut to \$14.95



BUFFET—Polished golden oak and large French plate mirror; cut to \$17.50

BUFFET—Of fumed oak, with French plate beveled mirror; cut to \$27.50



Polished quarter-sawn golden oak, 54-inch round tops; heavy construction; massive design; values up to \$95.00, in this sale at \$66.50, \$54.50 and \$52.50

A Butte Range for Little Money

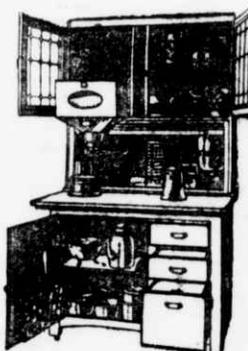
This Sale—with its hundreds of dandy values—presents few more timely than these deep reductions among Butte Ranges. One of the best constructed, it is deservedly popular and will continue to be. Ranges with:—

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The fairy tales may come and go And cobwebs will remain, And the greatest harm from cobwebs Is to have them on the brain.

We have no use for cobwebs, But we know you will save more On each Fall SUIT, COAT, DRESS and HAT At the FLORENCE GARMENT STORE, 115 West Park Street.

60-YEAR-OLD WIDOW WANTS A BUTTE MAN

Mayor Asked to Locate Husband for a Seattle Woman.

Mary E. Forster, 60 years old, of 213 Hibbourn street, Seattle, is a seeker for a husband, as she confided through this morning's mail to Mayor W. H. Maloney. The letter reads as follows: "Reading an ad in one of your city

papers of a gentleman wishing a wife or someone to look after his home. I take this liberty of writing you. "I am a widow, past 60, and I would like very much to find a home. I know I could fill the place. I have no incumbrances at the present time. "Should you hear of anyone who would like to become acquainted with me, kindly give them my address."

ATTENTION, ELECTRICAL WORKERS!

Special meeting No. 65, Carpenters' hall, 7 p. m., July 31.—Adv.

MEN WALK OUT AND WORK ON HYDROPLANES HALTED

Oakland, Cal., July 31.—Work relating to the manufacture of hydroplanes for the government was halted this morning when the 300 employes of the Hall-Scott Motor company of Berkeley walked out because of a technical dispute over union rules. Company officials said their refusal to discharge a Portuguese helper, who receives \$2.50 a day, led to the trouble. Telegrams interchanging today between the company heads and Washington indicate that the government may take a hand in the affair.

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WOULDN'T BETRAY PARENT GIRLS RUTHLESSLY SHOT

Entire Family Executed by German Authorities at City of Liege.

London, July 31.—A dispatch received today by the wireless press from Amsterdam says: "The German authorities at Liege, Belgium, arrested, tried and sentenced to death within three days an influential Liege merchant named Croneret, his wife and their two daughters, aged 29 and 14 years, on the unproved charge of espionage. The father and mother were both shot to death in the presence of their daughters. The latter were offered their freedom if they revealed the names of their parents' accomplices. The girls refused, the eldest stating: 'If we speak we might cause 50 people to be killed. We would rather die alone.' She was immediately shot. The youngest girl then was tortured, outraged and also shot."

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