

Closed all Day Monday-Labor Day  
Extra Butchers Wanted  
for Friday and Saturday

Force cannot wait on our trade since we started to give such... people paying cash. Now is the time when you must think... are spending your money. As we said before, do not give any... with your purchase. We just throw off 10 to 20 per cent... make your purchase. Then you know where you are at. Here... is why we are always crowded:

- Laundry soap for... 25c
- Bars tar soap for... 25c
- Size tomatoes; why pay 20c to 25c? Our price... 15c
- Large crate tomatoes for... 75c
- Small tomatoes for... 75c
- Market blue plums for... 50c
- Large blue plums for... \$1.50
- Body knows that there has been an advance on tea and coffee... are going to drop our prices on both during the shutdown, as we... are stocked before the advance.
- Ceylon tea that we have up till this date sold for 55c, now our... 50c
- White House or M. J. B., per pound... 35c
- 45c Monarch brand, per pound... 35c
- Fee, per pound... 25c
- per dozen... 35c
- 1 creamery butter, per pound... 45c
- ordered lard at compound prices—No. 3 for 70c, No. 5 for \$1.15, No. 7 for \$1.30, No. 9 for \$1.45, No. 11 for \$1.60, No. 13 for \$1.75, No. 15 for \$1.90, No. 17 for \$2.05, No. 19 for \$2.20, No. 21 for \$2.35, No. 23 for \$2.50, No. 25 for \$2.65, No. 27 for \$2.80, No. 29 for \$2.95, No. 31 for \$3.10, No. 33 for \$3.25, No. 35 for \$3.40, No. 37 for \$3.55, No. 39 for \$3.70, No. 41 for \$3.85, No. 43 for \$4.00, No. 45 for \$4.15, No. 47 for \$4.30, No. 49 for \$4.45, No. 51 for \$4.60, No. 53 for \$4.75, No. 55 for \$4.90, No. 57 for \$5.05, No. 59 for \$5.20, No. 61 for \$5.35, No. 63 for \$5.50, No. 65 for \$5.65, No. 67 for \$5.80, No. 69 for \$5.95, No. 71 for \$6.10, No. 73 for \$6.25, No. 75 for \$6.40, No. 77 for \$6.55, No. 79 for \$6.70, No. 81 for \$6.85, No. 83 for \$7.00, No. 85 for \$7.15, No. 87 for \$7.30, No. 89 for \$7.45, No. 91 for \$7.60, No. 93 for \$7.75, No. 95 for \$7.90, No. 97 for \$8.05, No. 99 for \$8.20.

FOLLOWING BY THE SACK:  
Cabbage, per 100 pounds... \$2.65  
Green cabbage, per 100 pounds... 25c  
Premium ham, per pound... 27 1/2c  
Canned ham, per pound... 27 1/2c  
Canned bacon; try it and save 10c on each pound; per pound... 32 1/2c

A LITTLE HOUSEHOLD ADVICE.  
At pork, as pork chops at 35c per pound is extravagance to people... means. Buy the following meats and it will help you during... times:

- 1/2 lb sugar-cured beef for... \$1.00
- 1/2 lb roast beef, 8 pounds for... \$1.00
- 1/2 lb boiling beef, 11 pounds for... \$1.00
- 1/2 lb corned beef, 11 pounds for... \$1.00
- 1/2 lb lamb stew, per pound... 17 1/2c
- 1/2 lb round steak for... 25c
- 1/2 lb family steak for... 20c

DISHES FOR SUNDAY DINNERS—GENUINE SPRING LAMB AT OLD-TIME PRICES.  
Lamb quarter, per pound... 22 1/2c  
Lamb chop, per pound... 24 1/2c  
Lamb stew, per pound... 24 1/2c  
Lamb for frying or roasting, per pound... 28 1/2c

FLOUR HEADQUARTERS  
Head flour, per 98 pounds... \$5.95  
Head flour, none better in the state of Dakota; then why pay more? per 98 pounds... \$7.75

ALWAYS CROWDED—AND YOU KNOW WHY

Carthy's National Market  
307 NORTH MAIN—PHONES 174 AND 175.

TRADES UNIONS  
ARE TAKING A VOTE

Declare Mine Suspension  
Shutdown—and Two  
Say Lockout.

The electricians' union and the... view the closing... as a shutdown, while... and Great Falls machinists... taken the position that it... of the Metal Trades... the state are taking a vote... question. The Butte Metal... will meet in special... night to get returns... of the Butte unions... of International... it is absurd to charac... local situation as a lockout... union, at a meeting... decided that henceforth no... will be made to dual or... This means that the car... recognize only the Inter... Mill and Smelterman's... the federal mediator... pending the last two days in... looking over the situation... Secretary of Labor Wil... daily of the state of a... Butte, Anaconda and Great

STRINGENT ORDINANCE  
PROPOSED IN SPOKANE

Preaching of Sabotage and I.  
W. W. Propaganda Would  
Be Punishable.

Spokane, Aug. 31.—A hearing on the proposed ordinance which the labor committee of the state council of defense characterizes would effectively curb the legitimate expression of the aims and objects of organized labor has been set for late today by the city commissioners. The ordinance was proposed by a committee of business men. The proposed ordinance would make the preaching of sabotage, interference with men at work, derogatory references to national, state or city officials and the inciting of men to commit acts that may interfere with the prosecution of war an offense punishable by fine and imprisonment. Resolutions which were sent with the proposed ordinance attacked the Industrial Workers of the World as a "philistine anarchistic traitorous and generally dangerous association."

LABOR COMMITTEE  
MAKES LONG REPORT

Seattle, Aug. 31.—The labor committee of the state council of defense, of which Ernest P. Marsh, president of the State Federation of Labor, is chairman, has made public a long report on the federal arrest of members of the Industrial Workers of the World in Spokane Aug. 19. The report begins with a recital of the events which led up to the arrest, and condemns Spokane's attitude toward the labor movement. The report speaks in criticism of the manner in which all organized labor has been treated by a part of the press of Spokane, and it declares that the proper way to rid the state of the I. W. W. element is to give cordial support to regular organizations of labor.

AT POST TO DENY  
PART OF HER WEDDING

Sullivan, a telephone operator... station, called at the office... afternoon to deny the pub... that she and James Wells, an... the Milwaukee railroad, had been... Anaconda Tuesday evening. "The... she," said, "I was working... and was not in Anaconda. Mr... have not been married. Some... in the report to the papers, a... very false idea of what com... or otherwise, and I would ap... sorry much if you would deny it."

CROWDS

ended our waist sale today, but we... have plenty left for Saturday shoppers  
handsome Wash Waists  
One-Half Price  
orgette and Silk Waists \$3.95  
\$5 and \$6 values for  
The Florence Co.  
W. PARK A. MUSSER, MGR.

WINTER SKIRMISH  
CHILLS THE CITY

Mercury Drops in Weather  
Change to Lowest Point  
in Months.

The local thermometer showed 48 above at noon today, the lowest point in three months. A sudden chill brought out winter clothes, set furnaces running again and recalled former winters. For weeks the average maximum temperature was around 80 above. There was a brief rainstorm between 4 and 5 o'clock this morning. The precipitation was in the form of snow on the highlands and for the first time in weeks the mountain tops wore a white cap. The chill is only temporary, however, although it will be cool tonight, but a rising temperature is predicted for tomorrow.

HARDING SOUNDS NOTE OF  
CAUTION TO SENATORS

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hinder our industrial development," he continued. "There is no cause for penalizing. Were it not for munition plants and for big and highly organized American industries, Germany would today be dominating the world. To inscript incomes and profits and we shall have no one to buy our bonds. We are raising larger taxes in the first year of the war than we shall in the third. The war is likely to end and I believe will end before the burdens of taxes we are now levying are turned into the treasury. We may well cooperate to strike a staggering blow at the enemy but need not strike ourselves at the same time."

An amendment to the war profits section to make 8 per cent munitions exemption instead of 6 was introduced by Senator Bankhead. "The bill as reported by the committee was characterized as 'an imperfect measure' by Senator Gronna, who declared that rates it provided were unskillfully adjusted. He declared that the burden of the war has already fallen most heavily upon the poor and those with small incomes was shown by a decrease in the number of persons paying taxes on incomes ranging from \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000. More than 22,000 persons, he said, had been impoverished so that they did not make a report on their incomes in 1916. Reports showing that the number of persons receiving incomes of \$15,000 or more increased in 1916 compared with the preceding year were read by Senator Gronna. Senator Gronna said he favored a higher tax on incomes and war profits than the bill provides, declaring he believed it a duty to take as large a portion of profits as possible in order to conduct the war. It cannot be said, he added, that wealth was being taxed when only about \$52,000,000 is to be taken out of eight or ten billion dollars estimated war profits.

FIRES FANNED BY STIFF  
WIND GROW MENACING

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uncontrolled, but is not gaining headway as fast as it did earlier in the week. An almost entire absence of wind for the past three days has given the fire fighters their chance to get lines on the fires. E. D. Gardner, in charge of the local forestry office, expects to be able to leave Butte within a short time, it being thought improbable that any more men will need to be shipped out of here as fire fighters. Two men will leave the local office tonight to go back to their other duties in the forestry service. Rain and snow last night lessened the possibility of small outbreaks of fire near Butte, a half inch of snow was on the top of the higher ranges crests near Butte until almost noon today. A light rain fell in Butte last night, with a flurry of snow here this morning.

LINGERING ILLNESS IS  
FATAL TO WILLIAM ORR

William H. Orr, a resident of Butte and Montana for the past 30 years and prominent for many years as a real estate dealer, passed away last evening at a local hospital after an illness of many months' duration. He had been in poor health for many years but his death was a shock to his many friends. He was 59 years of age and a native of Canada. He was street commissioner in Helena at one time and came to Butte and located in the real estate business, which he was forced to abandon some years ago because of his health. His only known relatives are a brother and sister in Quebec. The remains are at the Daniels & Bilboa funeral parlors, where they will be held pending arrangements for the burial.

GERMAN CRAFT OPERATE  
IN THE GULF OF RIGA

Petrograd, Aug. 31.—German torpedo boats, submarines and trawlers have been observed in the vicinity of the Gulf of Riga, says today's official announcement. Forty airplanes have raided islands in the gulf.

COURT OF HONOR.

All members are invited to be present Saturday night at Carpenters' Union hall to meet Charles W. Dempster.—Adv.

Main springs 41, guaranteed. Diamond Palace, late; Mayer, lowest priced jeweler in Montana. 21 West Park.—Adv.

BUTTE IN BRIEF

Rev. John Hoskins, one of the pioneer preachers of Montana, is in the city visiting his son, William Hoskins, superintendent of transportation for the Butte Electric Railway company. Rev. Mr. Hoskins is at present located in Richmond county.

Mrs. M. A. McMillan and daughter Sadie have returned from Vancouver, Wash., where they visited their son and brother, Duncan, who is a member of Company A, Fourth engineers. L. Grasser, one of the head officials in the Electrical Workers, is in the city on official business. He is stopping at a local hotel. He declined to be interviewed for the present.

The supper served by the ladies of the Episcopal Presbyterian church at the Gardens Thursday was a success. The assistance rendered is much appreciated. Dr. Donald Campbell returned yesterday from a visit to Bonner, where he was the guest of Kenneth Ross, manager of the Big Blackfoot Lumber company.

Luther Ballou, a member of the local news staff of the Butte Miner, left last night for Boston on receipt of the news of the alarming illness of his mother. James H. Lynch, one of the old-time residents of Butte and at present residing in Spokane, is back in the city for a short visit.

The Misses Thress McNulty and Pearl Powers will leave in the morning for a few days' vacation at Potosi Springs, near Pony, Mont. Clyde Allen of the linotype department of the Butte Miner left today on a motorcycle trip to points in Kansas. Rev. R. G. Williams will again occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church next Sunday morning.

A daughter was born yesterday morning to Mr. and Mrs. William H. Dowden at Murray's hospital. Miss Carrie Auerbach has returned from the east, where she has been studying music for some time. Miss Rose Gordon and Miss Emma Madigan will be passengers Sunday evening for Salt Lake. Mrs. R. Nauger and son of White Sulphur Springs are here for the week-end.

Mrs. James Shipton and family of Livingston are registered at the Butte hotel. Mrs. G. Davis leaves this evening on the Short Line for San Francisco. Dowden elevator potato diggers for sale at J. T. Carroll Lumber Co.—Adv. Mrs. Charles D. Horton of Wickes is spending a few days in the city. P. J. Polak will be a passenger on the Short Line tonight for Denver. W. W. McKenna of Great Falls is spending a few days in the city. W. T. Dinneen of Wolf Creek is spending a few days in the city. W. E. Thistlewaite of Helena is registered at the Thornton hotel. N. M. Kvalnes of Three Forks is registered at the Leggat hotel. George A. Main of Dillon is registered at the Spalen hotel. Benjamin S. Stephens of Billings is in the city for a few days. L. L. Futtler of Anaconda is registered at the Grand hotel. A. L. Holter and wife of Silver Star are here for a short stay. T. F. Shea of Deer Lodge is spending the day in the city. William F. Jacobs of Harlowton is among the day's visitors. Wilmer Jeannette of Great Falls is here for the week-end. H. La Chapelle of Helena is in the city on a business trip. T. A. Vibber of Big Timber is in the city today on business. H. P. Bright of Phillipsburg is in the city on business today. E. E. Ellis and wife of Missoula are in the city today. M. L. Innis of Dillon is registered at the Acoma hotel. Addie E. Bettes of Dillon is spending the day in Butte. Mrs. F. L. Ryon of Great Falls is in the city for a visit. Osteopathic Physicians, Drs. Hoff and Osborn, 524 Daily Bank.—Adv. Wynman Ellis of Helena is among the day's arrivals. A. D. Nelson of Deer Lodge is here on business today. J. J. Sexton of Billings is one of the day's arrivals. D. H. Patterson of Bozeman is one of the day's arrivals. J. P. O'Hanlon of Lewistown is here for the week-end. Edith Phonographs, 126 W. Broadway.—Adv. W. L. Plowden of Helena is here for a short stay. P. Uphur of Basin is spending a few days in Butte. J. B. Somers of Dillon is here on a short sojourn. Mrs. J. Bennett leaves tomorrow for Salt Lake. The New Edison, 126 W. Broadway. Adv. Ray Willey of Wisdom is here for a short stay. Orto McKee of Wisdom is in the city today.

USES A BIG KNIFE  
TO CHASE HUSBAND

Union of May and December  
Proves Stormy Matrimonial Venture.

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FOR MONTANA FARMERS

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YOU MAY NOT KNOW

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RIALTO  
BUTTE'S BEST PHOTOPLAY HOUSE  
11 A. M. to 11 P. M.

FOR THE CHILDREN—Every Saturday afternoon, commencing tomorrow, a child will be admitted free when accompanied by the holder of an adult admission—Bring the kiddies!

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If you are about to have your teeth attended to we will be glad to furnish, free of charge, all particulars and the cost. We can and will save you money.

Our Dental Work Is the Very Best  
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Gold crowns and perfect sets of teeth. Teeth extracted or filled without pain. All work receives my personal attention.

DR. F. A. IRONSIDE  
(DENTIST)  
16 NORTH MAIN STREET, BUTTE.

fair estimate for the price per barrel of flour. At any rate it looks as if flour will average around \$12 or \$13 a barrel and perhaps as high as \$14. A very important question in settling the price of flour will be, Who gets the offal? If the manufacturer is allowed to get the offal in addition to the cost of milling, with a percentage of profit for each barrel, the cost of flour will be greater than if the offal is substituted to the miller for the cost of production. Four manufactured in Montana will be about 90 cents a barrel less, the difference in the freight rates.

OTTAWA TO FOLLOW  
LEAD OF WASHINGTON

Ottawa, Aug. 31.—It was intimated today that Canada will fix wheat prices corresponding with the \$2.20 figure fixed in the United States. Official announcement is expected next week.

GIVES SPOUSE NOTE TO  
POLICE FOR HIS ARREST

San Francisco, Aug. 25.—J. R. Walker, a construction foreman, walked into the Alameda police station last night. He fumbled in his pocket and produced a letter. The letter read as follows: "Chief of Police: Please lock my husband up until he is sober. MRS. J. R. WALKER. "P. S.—Any expenses I will stand for." Walker was locked up.

How Long Must I Suffer  
From the Pangs of Rheumatism?

Is there no real relief in sight? Doubtless like other sufferers, you have often asked yourself this question, which continues to remain unanswered. Science has proven that your Rheumatism is caused by a germ in your blood, and the only way to reach it is by a remedy which eliminates and removes these little pain demons from your blood. This explains why lim-

ments and lotions can do no permanent good, for they cannot possibly reach these germs which infect your blood by the millions. S. S. S. has been successfully used for Rheumatism for more than fifty years. Try it today, and you will find yourself at last on the right track to get rid of your Rheumatism. You can get valuable advice about the treatment of your individual case by writing to the Chief Medical Adviser, Swift Specific Co., Dept. N-145, Atlanta, Ga.