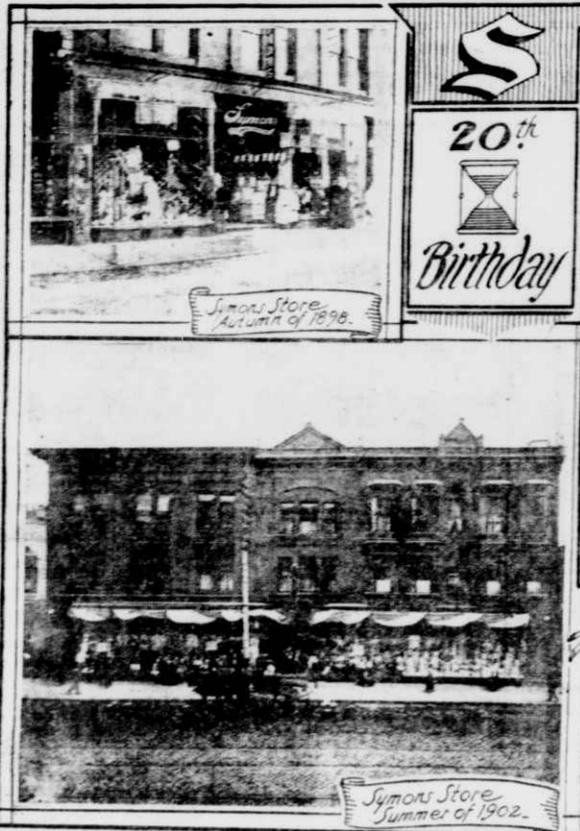


SYMONS DRY GOODS COMPANY CELEBRATES ITS TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY; MARVELOUS GROWTH OF A BUTTE CONCERN



20th Birthday



Symons Store Present Time

Tomorrow is the twentieth anniversary of the Symons Dry Goods company of Butte, which has grown to be the most progressive store in the west and is the backbone of the city.

The Symons Dry Goods company began business in Butte on Oct. 13, 1897. Since that time the growth of the business and the establishment of the store have kept pace.

It will be remembered by old timers that the original Symons Dry Goods company occupied the quarters comprising the main floor and basement of the Rhoads block on West Park street.

With the store's growth a tremendous fire of approximately 20,000 square feet of approximately 20,000 square feet of the store was destroyed.

Rapid Expansion. Immediately after the destruction of the store, the Symons company began the reconstruction of the store on the same site.

The present building was erected in 1902 and has since that time been the headquarters of the Symons Dry Goods company.

While the present building was being constructed the business of the company was carried on in the old store.

In the new store, the Symons Dry Goods company has maintained its policy of human interest and service.

One of the policies of the Symons Dry Goods company has been to treat everyone alike, rich and poor.

The Symons Dry Goods company has been successful because of its policy of human interest and service.

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In the New Store. On Dec. 5, 1906, the Symons Dry Goods company occupied the new store.

It's Business Methods. The Symons Dry Goods company has always been conservative in its business methods.

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REVENUE OFFICIAL WEEDS IN MISSOULA

W. C. Whaley Takes a Bride and Increases His Income Exemption.

William C. Whaley of Helena, internal revenue collector for Montana, Utah and Idaho, has increased his income exemption from \$1,000 to \$2,000 by taking unto himself a bride.

WHITE HOUSE IS 125 YEARS OLD

Executive Mansion Far Different Edifice Today Than a Hundred Years Ago.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 13.—The white house, the official residence of the president, today rounds out the first quarter of the second century of its existence.

Burned in 1814.

The building, which is 176 feet in length and 86 feet deep, was partly destroyed by fire by the marauding British troops in 1814.

Lighted With Candles.

The first occupants of the white house got along at night with candles and the lighting apparatus of the early in 1800.

BE KEERFUL!

M. E. Ketchum is a West Virginia prohibition officer and he is living up to his name by bringing in the bootleggers.

COOK WITH FORESIGHT.

There is a certain Brooklyn woman who takes a great deal of interest in her household.

UNDERTAKERS

CARRARA—In the city of Helena, the infant son of Joseph Carrara, was buried.

LE BEAU—In the city of Helena, the infant son of Le Beau, was buried.

SHERMAN & REED Undertakers and Embalmers

PEIRLINCK—In the city of Helena, the infant son of Peirlinck, was buried.

ANDERSON—In the city of Helena, the infant son of Anderson, was buried.

JOSEPH RICHARDS, Jr. Funeral Directors and Embalmers

DANIELS & BILBO Undertakers and Embalmers

SAM R. WHITE Funeral Director and Embalmer

M. J. WALSH CO. Funeral Directors and Embalmers

LARRY DUGGAN Reliable Undertaker and Embalmer

SOUTH SIDE NOTES

Staple and fancy grocery market delivery. Taylor Grocery, 306 Madison avenue.

Rev. C. L. McLaughlin, pastor of the Methodist church, will be in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nickelson of Sulphur Springs are spending a few days in the city with friends.

Tomorrow will be "Girls' day" for the members of the Epworth League of the Lowell Avenue Methodist church.

October 21 will be "Rally day" for the members of the Lowell Avenue Methodist Sunday school.

Wear. Mrs. C. A. Plumley of South Park street has returned to Butte for the winter.

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BIG BILL HART COMING TO THE RIALTO THEATER WEDNESDAY

Celebrated film actor will be seen in his latest offering, "The Cold Deck"—Guns are in evidence.

"Big Bill" Hart opens at the Rialto Theater Wednesday for four days only in his latest release, "The Cold Deck".

BIG BRIST FOR DIVORCE MILL

Eleven Divorces Granted Today, Besides Orders in Alimony Matters.

Two divorces were granted by Judge McClellan today during his morning session of court.

Theresa Ritar informed the court that her husband, W. C. Ritar, deserted her just one year after the marriage ceremony was performed.

John A. Flint secured a divorce from Louise Jane Flint on the ground of cruelty.

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Albert J. Exworthy was granted a divorce from Gladys Exworthy on the ground of cruelty.

Ethel Farmer was given a divorce from Albert T. Farmer on the ground of desertion.

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1,650 OF THE 6,300 MEN SUMMONED ARE SLACKERS

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percentage of slackers is expected to be smaller than yesterday.

The city board this morning received word from the war department.

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TO ARMY OR JAIL; HE GOES TO ARMY

Benno Haak, Local Pharmacist, Pleads Guilty in United States Court.

Pleading guilty today to a charge of having failed to register for military service, Benno Haak, pharmacist, employed by a local drug company, today was sentenced to 30 days in jail or the alternative of enlistment in the armed forces of the United States.

Haak was taken to the city exemption board's office, where it was decided that the man could be registered and given a number that would allow him at once to enter the army service.

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