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Are you on the water wagon?

Hello! We want a telephone system.

Resolve to trade at home in 1908.

Order your fruit trees for spring planting.

Strawberries thrive in this locality, and money is to be made in raising them.

With the lake brought to town, the launch owners will be in their glory next summer.

The year 1908 will see continued prosperity throughout the country. The late panic was a fake.

We know of no reason why an electric lighting plant would not be a profitable investment in Whitefish.

The launch owners should organize a club and thus promote the delightful pastime of boating on our magnificent lake.

Most of the butter used in Whitefish is shipped in, although there are plenty of suitable locations for dairying ranches hereabouts.

With thousands of acres of land lying idle around this town, we ship in all of our apples and most of the vegetables consumed.

This office is receiving printed pamphlets anent the Knox presidential boom, which show that the boom for Senator Knox is working.

Most of the poultry and eggs consumed in this town come from outside points. There is room for millions of chickens hereabouts, however.

The Helena Record claims that Montana alfalfa makes excellent breakfast food. We look to see the state dotted with breakfast food factories soon.

The Pilot offers a prize of a year's subscription to the man who hangs on to his New Year's resolutions the longest, and a consolation prize of half a dozen lemons to the one that falls off first.

Whitefish merchants have enjoyed an unusually good holiday trade this season, and as a rule are well satisfied with the business done. Especially is this true of those who went after trade by advertising the goods they had for sale.

Whitefish people were surprised to read in a county seat newspaper of a heavy wind at Kalispell on Monday night of last week. A big storm raged on the opposite side of the Rockies the same day. Here at Whitefish the residents went about as usual, in blissful ignorance of the storms that raged round about. No wind here.

Of the work accomplished in Whitefish during 1907, the securing of an adequate water system stands in the lead. Probably next in importance is the practical completion of the project to "bring the lake to town." This latter proposition has been completed with the exception of providing means for getting over the riffle at the outlet of the lake, which work presents no very serious difficulties.

Whitefish is admirably situated to make a telephone system pay a good profit to the investor. For the past two years there has been much talk of establishing such a system, but for some reason or other every proposition

HOW MANY BEANS IN THE BOTTLE?

A \$10.00 Mirror will be given to the nearest guesser. One guess will be given with every 25c purchase. Contest closes Feb. 10, '08

For further particulars call at **SNYDER'S DRUG STORE**

PROGRAM FOR 1908

WHITEFISH has done well during the past year in the work of municipal improvement, and in work tending to advance the interests of the town, but there is yet much to be accomplished, and those who have the interests of the town at heart need not be idle during the coming year. Here are a few hints for the boosters:

Advertise Whitefish lake as a resort.

Complete the project to "bring the lake to town."

Get people on to the stump land who will clear it up and make farms where the lodgepole timber now stands.

Aid the county commissioners in improving the roads in this vicinity.

Have a rousing celebration on the Fourth of July.

Advertise our undeveloped resources.

Have the best baseball club in the county.

Secure new industries and lines of business not represented here at present.

Get an electric light plant, a telephone system, a steam laundry and everything else that there is an opening for.

Secure a site for a cemetery.

Organize a library association and get a reading room.

Get up a live boosters' club.

Make good on the name already earned of being a live and progressive town.

A PROSPEROUS YEAR.

THE year which has just closed has been a prosperous one for Whitefish merchants, and for the citizens of the town generally. The great amount of freight traffic which the railroad has handled the past year has furnished employment for a large number of men, which sent the pay roll of this division soaring sky high. The result has been unprecedented prosperity for this town, and the year ends with everybody prosperous and in good spirits. True, there has recently been a slump in the railroad work, but the opinion of all who are posted on conditions seems to be that it will be of short duration.

For the year which lies before us there is every promise of continued prosperity, especially for this immediate section of the country. There seems to be no doubt that the coming spring will witness the beginning of much work by the railroad company in the way of double-tracking, providing more commodious terminal facilities, etc.

Lumbering operations in this vicinity will be carried on upon fully as large a scale as formerly, according to the present outlook, and there will be more work of development on the idle land that surrounds us than in any previous year.

which has come up has fallen through. The opportunity is still here, and any body wanting such an investment will look a long time before finding a better one.

Why not organize a cemetery association to provide a cemetery in the vicinity of Whitefish? The need for a proper burial ground has been felt here since the town was established, and it would seem to be about time for something to be done along this line. If clubs which have been organized were given proper support, they could handle the matter nicely, but in the lack of this other means will have to be adopted to accomplish the object desired.

Boost for every worthy public enterprise. Lend a helping hand to every organization or individual who is endeavoring to do work calculated to be of benefit to the town, even though you may not be in favor of some minor point in their program. The fact that an organization is formed with the intention of working for civic improvement is enough to cause every good citizen to encourage those who are thus working. At any rate, don't knock. If you don't like the town, all well and good; move out. But don't knock every time somebody tries to do something for the betterment of conditions.

With the beginning of the new year The Pilot has discarded the ready print feature of the paper and will hereafter be issued strictly in home print form. Heretofore three pages have been printed at home and three pages were ready print. Under the new plan but four pages will be printed, but the work will all be done in this office. The publishers of this newspaper are convinced that it is the home news that the subscribers want, and that the foreign news is of little interest to them when presented in weekly installments, and the endeavor henceforth will be to supply what we believe to be the wants of our subscribers in as complete a manner as possible, leaving the foreign news to the dailies, except the more important events, which will be given in as brief a form as possible, in order to cover the field. While the paper will be smaller in size, it means much more work for the publishers, and is intended to be an improvement.

A wealthy business man of St. Louis says that he has often been asked the question, "To what cause do you attribute the fact during the twenty-five years of your business experience you make more money during the dull periods than at any other time?" To which he says, "It is during hard times that people are looking for bargains, and it is the best buyer

and the best advertiser who gets their money. There is no doubt that the closer the times are, the more carefully do people scrutinize advertisements, and hunt for bargains. The wise business man takes advantage of this fact and as money becomes scarcer increases his advertising, catches the bargain hunter, and prospers, while the other quits advertising to save the expense; the man who is looking for up to date goods at reasonable prices, passes him up, as his light is under the bushel, and—he goes out of business.—Billings Journal.

POSTAL SAVINGS BANKS.

A Bill Introduced in Congress by Senator Carter of Montana.

(REVIEWED BY G. W. AVERY.)

First—Provides that every money order postoffice shall be a postal savings bank office, to receive deposits and invest for or repay the same to the depositor.

Second—Any person, including minors, may make deposits. Deposits made by married women are their own separate property and not liable for husband's debts.

Third—First deposit shall be not less than \$1, after which deposits of 10 cents or more will be accepted, with a limit of \$200 in any calendar month.

Fourth—A postal savings bank pass book shall be furnished by the postmaster to each depositor.

Fifth—Interest at 2 per cent per annum on the amount of deposit on hand on the first of each month will be added to the principal once each year. Limited to \$500 deposits in one year and a total of \$1000, to bear interest at any one time.

Sixth—All or part of deposits may be withdrawn at any time upon application to the postmaster general.

Seventh—All deposits shall be exempt from attachment or other legal service.

Eighth—Name of depositor or amount of deposit shall be kept secret by postmaster.

Ninth—All funds above an amount necessary for redemption reserve shall be invested in United States bonds or turned into the United States treasury.

Tenth—Government bonds bearing interest at 2.4 per cent in denominations of \$10 or more, payable on demand, will be issued to depositors desiring them instead of pass books, not more than \$1,000 of such bonds to be issued to one depositor in one calendar year. Such bonds to be known as postal savings bonds.

Eleventh—Postmaster general and secretary of treasury shall make all regulations regarding deposits and withdrawals.

Twelfth—Office of fifth assistant postmaster general is created to take charge of the savings bank department.

Thirteenth—\$100,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated to put the system in operation.

FARRAGUT'S PIG.

David G. Farragut was but thirteen years old when he served as midshipman under Porter in the battle of the Essex against the Phoebe and Cherub. He was taken to the Phoebe as a prisoner of war, says his biographer, and came aboard crying from mortification. At the same moment, however, a British midship also came alongside with a young pig in his arms.

"A prize! A prize!" he was shouting. "Ho, boys, a fine grunter!"

It was a pig that had been a pet in the steerage of the Essex, where it was called Murphy. Farragut at once claimed it as private property.

"You are a prisoner, and your pig, too," replied the British midship. "We always respect private property," said Farragut, grabbing the pig and determined to hold on till forced to surrender.

"Go it, little Yankee!" cried the oldsters present. "If you can thrash Shorty you shall have your pig."

A ring was formed, and Shorty came at Farragut hammer and tongs, but the American was handy with his fists. He quickly laid his opponent low. The British bluejackets cheered him heartily, and the pig was declared to be his.

Ring's Little Liver Pills wake up lazy livers, clean the system and clear the skin. Try them for biliousness and sick headache. Price 25c. Sold by Percy F. Dodds

A Suggestion

Nearly everybody in Whitefish has a friend or relative some where to whom they would like to send the home paper. It helps to advertise the town. It may result in bringing in new people and new industries. It saves writing letters. It reminds them of you every week. They will appreciate it. Three months, 50c; six months, \$1; one year, \$2



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