

THIS DOES SETTLE IT.

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If Nominated, Treasurer Huston, His Spokesman, Says He Can Easily Carry Indiana.

Another Important Decision Regarding Northern Pacific Indemnity Leads—Washington.

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This announcement is taken to be very significant and official in all respects.

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MAJOR AND ALDERMEN ELECTION.

Full Returns From All the Wards—The Tribune "Extra."

It did not take long to count the votes Monday evening. In about ten minutes after the count at the Third ward, which was the slowest, because of the four aldermanic candidates, the TRIBUNE issued an extra, which gave the full vote for mayor and aldermen. The "extra" were eagerly read in stores, hotels and saloons. They were studied by the local politicians and were the subject of much comment.

As no party fight was made on the majority, a small vote was cast. The vote is much smaller than at previous elections.

The count in the Second ward was exciting. Alderman Bridges received heavy congratulations when his success by one vote was decided.

There was no trial of strength on the part of either democrats or republicans, neither polled their full vote. Some people who registered did not vote. Most people were, in fact, too busy to give any time to politics.

The new board which will begin work about May 1, will be composed as follows: Aldermen Webster, Gerin, Albrecht, Bridges, Brown, Nathan, Fletcher and Rowen. The three first named hold over. The board stands five republicans and three democrats namely Aldermen Gerin, Albrecht and Bridges.

Six ballots were imperfect in the first ward. The republican vote cast for aldermen was only 85 more than the democratic vote. The figures were, republican, 320, democratic, 137.

THE MAYORALTY.

For Dickerman..... 300
Scattering..... 8

The Vote by Wards.

FIRST WARD.
For Dickerman..... 138
Scattering..... 3

SECOND WARD.
For Dickerman..... 59
Scattering..... 2

THIRD WARD.
For Dickerman..... 81
Scattering..... 3

FOURTH WARD.
For Dickerman..... 31
Scattering..... 1

The Vote For Aldermen.

FIRST WARD.
Andrew Jones (Dem.)..... 65
A. Nathan (Rep.)..... 84

SECOND WARD.
John Bridges (Dem.)..... 34
H. R. Wilbur (Rep.)..... 33

THIRD WARD.
(Long Term)
H. W. Hildekopf (Dem.)..... 14
A. W. Fletcher (Rep.)..... 62

(Short Term)
James K. Clark (Dem.)..... 31
C. W. Rowen (Rep.)..... 51

FOURTH WARD.
Brown (Rep.)..... 32
Trigg (Dem.)..... 13

BUSINESS AFFAIRS DISCUSSED.

A Committee Appointed to Meet President Hill When He Comes.

In the Board of Trade, last evening, Mr. Paris Gibson presiding, the resignation of Secretary Smith was accepted. The appointment of a secretary was deferred.

After some reference to postoffice matters, the president spoke of the importance of encouraging the establishment of factories to use the water-power that will be rendered available by the dam which will be finished by December.

There are many sites for factories at this side of the river. He had received an important letter which he would give to Dr. Crutcher, the chairman of the committee on manufactures. Mr. Gibson also referred to the increased utility of water-power. It can be used to develop electricity which can be readily stored and applied as motive power to machinery. Some of the electric fields in use in batteries, but the magnitude of the water power here is such that the loss would not avail.

Dr. Crutcher spoke of the methods adopted in young cities to attract people and promote business. He pointed to the great advantages which Great Falls offers.

Messrs. Koch, Freeman and Greene were admitted as members of the board.

Foreigner's Franks—Scattered Everywhere.

Does history repeat itself in vain? Let no man doubt that the Louisiana State Lottery did, on Tuesday, March 11th, decide by the 30884 Grand Month by Drawing, which got \$1,043,000 out of \$2,000,000 drawn. All information can be had from Mr. A. Dauphin, New Orleans, La. Ticket No. 133 drew the first capital prize of \$300,000; the second prize of \$100,000; the third prize of \$50,000; the fourth prize of \$25,000; the fifth prize of \$12,500; the sixth prize of \$6,250; the seventh prize of \$3,125; the eighth prize of \$1,562.50; the ninth prize of \$781.25; the tenth prize of \$390.625; the eleventh prize of \$195.3125; the twelfth prize of \$97.65625; the thirteenth prize of \$48.828125; the fourteenth prize of \$24.4140625; the fifteenth prize of \$12.20703125; the sixteenth prize of \$6.103515625; the seventeenth prize of \$3.0517578125; the eighteenth prize of \$1.52587890625; the nineteenth prize of \$0.762939453125; the twentieth prize of \$0.3814697265625.

Washington Telegram: There is a fear among some of the moderate silver men that Representative Carter may endanger the silver interests by his advocacy of what would mean practically free coinage. Carter represents the Montana silver idea in all that it implies, and is pushing it before the caucus committee with a great deal of vigor. More conservative men claim that the modified Windom bill will give them all they want in the way of silver legislation. There are a number of members known as silver men who are willing to accept a compromise, but others insist upon free coinage. The action of the committee is looked forward to with a great deal of interest, as it will have a great deal to do with the fate of the silver men who are so concerned, will be settled.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS made miserable by the most terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is ready for you. For sale by Laporte Bros.

LAPPED BY LABOR.

New York Bosses Agree to Employ None But Union Men and Pay Union Prices.

Half the Men Have Returned to Work—Contractors Lose Heavily by the Strike.

Forty-five Chicago Builders Will Concede the Demands of the Carpenters for Shorter Hours.

New York, April 15.—Nearly half of the men who struck on the buildings in which Paulsen & Eger, of Green Point, have been putting iron work, have resumed work on understanding with the contractors. No worker, however, in iron returned. The new World building, in which 800 men were employed, is the only exception. Work would have been resumed here except among the iron workers if the contractors had agreed that only union men would be employed. The contractors of the union trust, Lancashire, Brown, Brod, Mechanics bank and Orient buildings agreed to employ none but union hands at union rates, and all but the iron work were busy in these places to-day. None of the iron workers employed by either Paulsen & Eger or J. B. and M. Cornell were allowed to work, although these are the contractors of the union trust. The loss of Paulsen & Eger on the Union Trust and Lancashire buildings will not be much, as they are nearly fifty of men being to work on other buildings will be quite large.

SYMPATHIZE WITH CARPENTERS.

Forty-five Boss Carpenters Will Probably Give the Men What They Demand.

Chicago, April 15.—Forty-five boss carpenters and builders, who are not members of the Carpenters' and Builders' association, have formed an organization to be known as the "Boss Carpenters' and Builders' association," and adopted resolutions of the journeymen carpenters and inviting a conference on the subject of wages and hours. The settlement of the meeting was in favor of conceding with the strikers ask, namely: A recognition of the union, eight hours to constitute a working day, and the wages to be 40 cents an hour. The members of the organization say that work will probably start up next Monday and affirm a perfect confidence that they will have plenty of men willing to work to carry on all the business demanded.

A FLY OLD MILLIONAIRE.

Evidence in the Blythe Will Case Shows the Old Man to Have Been a Gay Life.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 15.—Yesterday evidence was closed in the celebrated Blythe case. The contest was begun for a \$4,000,000 estate on the 15th of last July, and yesterday was the 178th day of actual trial. The contest was begun by Mrs. Blythe, a 15-year-old girl, whose mother was seduced by old Blythe on one of his visits to England. He acknowledged the girl as his daughter and corresponded with her, but did not adopt her according to California law. The other chief claimant is Alice Edith Dickson who claims to be Blythe's daughter, but who was married to Betty Salvaige, who married Blythe's father. As counsel for each of the claimants will be given a chance for argument, they will continue fully a month or more.

San Block From the Track.

TACOMA, Wash., April 14.—The brakes of a Spokane electric car refused to work and the car dashed down the Eleventh street hill, leaping the track, and, after darting across Pacific avenue, stopped in a block away from its track. The car was full of passengers. Among the injured are an unknown man whose leg is broken, Mrs. Dr. Everett, bruised and lacerated, and a woman whose leg is broken. The conductor and motor man stood by their posts.

Big Wagon Factory Burned.

Tiffin, Ohio, April 15.—The O'Brien wagon works, a large three-story brick structure, was destroyed by fire at an early hour in the morning, leaving a loss of \$80,000, insured for \$32,000. Nothing was saved except a few unfinished wagons. Seventy-five men are thrown out of employment and the possibilities are the factory will not be rebuilt.

Forest Fire in Orchards.

ACRISON, Kan., April 15.—A diamond forest fire occurred on the banks of Whiskey creek, two miles south of the city, and destroyed a large tract of land, and fanned by a heavy wind, spread along the creek for two or three miles before it could be controlled. The fire spread to several farms, burning both the crops and the trees. At midnight the fire was under control.

Fatal Pleasure Drive.

MANSFIELD, Ohio, April 15.—Mrs. C. Levering and her guest, Miss Elinore Hill, of Newmora, Pa., were driving at Fredericktown, south of the city, when the horse ran the wrong way, and both were killed and the car overturned. Mrs. Hill was instantly killed and Mrs. Levering fatally injured.

War Among Quadrupeds.

COLUMBUS, Ind., April 15.—Near this city a lot of dogs set upon a heifer and a young calf and devoured them. In an adjoining pasture a drove of cattle, being driven by a man, were attacked by the dogs, killing ten of them and wounding many more.

Faculty Misrepresented a Statesman.

ELBERTON, Ga., April 15.—State Representative Davis was publicly humiliated by a faculty of the University of Georgia, the reason being that Davis had said something to a lady which Harper reported. Davis offered no resistance, but a duel will probably follow.

Notice has been given that the Welland canal will open on Tuesday.

The Crossin Memorial.

CHICAGO, April 15.—The friends of the late Dr. Crossin will hold a mass meeting on May 3, the first anniversary of his murder. On the following day the body will be transferred, under escort, to the Crossin memorial, to be held at the Crossin memorial association. A monument will mark the spot.

Night Accident.

HELENA, April 15.—An accident happened to a freight train on the Montana Central railway at 2 o'clock Sunday morning near Alhambra Springs. But little damage was done and no one hurt.

Chicago Live Stock.

Hogs—Packing and mixed 4.10@4.30, light 4.05@4.20, heavy 4.25@4.45, skips 4.20@4.40.

Cattle—Beef 3.40@3.60, steers 3.45@3.65, stockers and feeders 3.20@3.40, cows, bulls and mixed 3.10@3.30, Texas 3.20@3.40.

Sheep—Mutton 4.50@5.00, lambs 5.00@5.50, corn fed Western 3.50@3.75, Texas 3.50@3.75.

Don't forget that we are headquarters for fine groceries, Strain Bros., Second street.

AN IMPORTANT MINING DEAL.

Sale of the Old Higbee & Pierson Property on Wolf Creek.

Steve Pierson of Nelhart said Tuesday to E. H. Chigam, D. L. Tracy, William Elm, Dunc Macdonald, P. H. Higgins and Churchill, Webster and Bush the Gold Dust, Dry Wolf and Any lots on Wolf Creek for \$7,500 cash. These are the old Higbee & Pierson properties and are justly ranked among the best silver-lead mines in the Belt mountains. They have been developed extensively and show a large body of fine ore which runs high in both silver and lead. The present owners will at once apply for a patent and will put on a force of men to push development work as rapidly as possible. They have a splendid property and beyond question will make a good thing out of it, whether they work the mine themselves or sell it to others after it has been put in a better shape. Six and seven years ago the Higbee & Pierson was considered one of the best prospects in the Belt mountains.

SAND DOLLER CULLINGS.

About Seven Hundred Tons of Coal Taken Out Daily.

J. Freeman, who went back to Sweden on a visit last fall, returned to Sand Coulee a few days ago. On his way back he stopped in Minnesota and was accompanied by his wife and daughter, Miss Johnson, who will spend the summer in the camp.

The coal company is taking out about 700 tons of coal per day. The mine has been good for the past few days on account of the liberal pay roll.

The Betsy Bros. are at work on the new building for the Wolf Creek mine, which are finished. The buildings are putting in the interior wood work ready for the plasterers.

Mr. Horn has re-opened the restaurant formerly managed by Wm. Reavely.

The Scandinavian Literary society is in a flourishing condition. The members meet every Sunday night and debate some new question or listen to papers read by members. The library has been increased in value by the addition of a number of new books lately, and it is gratifying to see the society making good use of this means of advancement.

Mr. Johnson has just opened a bakery and confectionery and is doing a good business.

Knutte Hilgen has sold his saloon to Talgo & Anderson, who will continue at the same place.

A disastrous prairie fire swept over a large portion of the country south of here yesterday afternoon. No definite information in regard to the damage has yet come in.

GOLD IN THE SASKATCHEWAN.

What a Canadian Journal Says on the Subject.

Owing to the heavier fall of snow this winter it is not likely that the opportunities for mining on the river in the spring will be favorable as last season, as the water will probably be higher. There will, however, be a considerable number of miners at work in any case, and no doubt if high water covers some of the bars so as to prevent their being worked it will permit the working of others which could not be worked in low water.

It is estimated that the last season between \$15,000 and \$20,000 worth of gold dust was taken from the Saskatchewan of the entire country.

Several hundred dollars also were taken from the Mackinac river, tributary of the Athabasca, about 125 miles west of Edmonton, on the trail to Jasper House. The gold of the Mackinac is of a yellow color and is of a higher quality than the gold of the Saskatchewan. The skinning of its bars are fairly rich, but it does not promise as permanent or extensive diggings as the Mackinac.

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Washington Souvenir Spots.

Washington Star: Of late the fact of collecting old silver spoons has taken a strong hold on people who have plenty of money to spend. Lots of people who have recently returned from Europe are showing their friends the collections they have made while abroad. No two spoons should ever come from the same town, and each should have as much of a possible connection with the place where it was bought and the manner of getting it. It should be marked with the name of the place and the date. It is rather a good one and is a much prettier setting for a spoon than one would at first suppose. There are others that are exact replicas of teaspoons that are especially popular with collectors. These are rather large and heavy and have a medallion head of the first president set in the bowl. The bowl is a good one and is a much prettier setting for a spoon than one would at first suppose. There are others that are exact replicas of teaspoons that are especially popular with collectors. These are rather large and heavy and have a medallion head of the first president set in the bowl. The bowl is a good one and is a much prettier setting for a spoon than one would at first suppose.

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SHOEING, 84.

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Geo. D. Gray, Shop opposite Park Theater.

VICTORY IN BUTTE.

The People Rejected the Montana State Sealers.

Democratic Victory in Butte, Montana and Anacoda—Great Rejoicing in the Silver Bow Metropolis.

BUTTE, April 15.—The city is rejoicing over the great decisive victory won yesterday. The democrats have made a clean sweep. They have elected Valiton mayor by 287 majority, and have chosen six out of the seven aldermen. The one republican alderman managed to squeeze through with the miserable majority of three votes. In the Fourth ward Lynch defeated the strongest republican by 45 majority.

The precinct 34 outrage was the main issue, the people have administered a telling rebuff to all who took part in it.

The loyal and patriotic democrats were out in force and did noble work. There were many surprises, among them being the glorious victory of James H. Lynch in the Fourth ward, the overwhelming majority of Alderman McDermott in the Third; the unexpected and flattering success of J. M. Seward in the Seventh, which has been conceded to be a republican ward, and best of all the complete and sweeping victory of the entire democratic ticket in every ward save one.

The Miner says editorially today: No where are the facts of the republican steal of precinct 34 so well known as here, for the scene of the conspiracy was here. The story of the fraud now what the people of Butte think of the merits of the precinct 34 controversy. They spoke at the polls yesterday in language that can only be described as magnificent.

Their party nominated its most popular men, hoping that their popular popularity would obscure and defeat the real leaders, but that they were only intended to oppose the popular indignation which the steal of Precinct 34 evoked were of no avail.

A DEMOCRATIC SWEEP.

Alderman McDermott sent the following jubilant greeting to Hon. W. A. Clark, Washington, D. C.:

Hurray for honest citizens who vindicate the right!

Hurray for law and liberty—the people won the fight.

Republican corruptionists went weeping to the fate!

We whipped them in the north of town, we whipped them in the south.

We whipped the man who worked the state and him who worked his mouth!

We whipped them in the west of town, we whipped them in the east.

And we placed a little tombstone over the grave of the deceased.

The mourners speak in whispers—there's a ghost in the night!

The G. O. P. was killed by stealing Precinct Thirty-four. BILLY McDermott, Alderman Third ward by 111 majority. The ticket elected with the exception of one alderman. He lost by three votes.

JOHN FRENCH, Surveyor and Civil Engineer, Office—Opposite the Park Hotel, Great Falls, Mont.

J. H. P. GORDON, Physician and Surgeon, Late of Edinburgh, Scotland. Office No. 2, Dan Block.

A. G. LADD, M. D., Physician and Surgeon, Office hours: 9 to 11 a. m., and 2 to 4 p. m. Office at Laporte Brothers' drug store.

J. H. FAIRFIELD, M. D., Physician and Surgeon, Great Falls, Montana.

THOS. E. BRADY, Attorney and Counselor at Law, Office room No. 14 in the McKnight building, Great Falls, Montana.

J. C. PAULSEN, N. J. McCORMELL, LAULSEN & McCORMELL, ARCHITECTS AND SUPERINTENDENTS, Experts at office of Phil Gibson's, 77 address from S. Helena.

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PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

DR. J. H. NEWMAN, Surgeon and Physician, Late surgeon in U. S. Army, Office—Room 22, Park Hotel, Great Falls, Mont.

DR. J. H. BAUM, Attorney-at-Law, Office in the new Granger building, Central avenue, Great Falls, Montana.

DR. E. G. CUMMINGS, Physician, Surgeon and Accoucheur, Graduate of Bellevue Hospital Medical College, New York City, Office—Over City Meat Market, Central Ave., Great Falls.

DR. W. TAYLOR, TAYLOR & MCCORD, Attorneys-at-Law, Office in Granger building, opposite Park Hotel, Great Falls, Mont.

C. F. DOYNE, Attorney-at-Law, Office in Granger building, Great Falls, Mont.

GEORGE H. STANTON, Surveyor, Surveying of all classes. Keeps plans and books of all western lands in Cascade county, complete to date. Special attention given to location of sections and public lands. Correspondence solicited. Office No. 8, Dan Block, Great Falls.