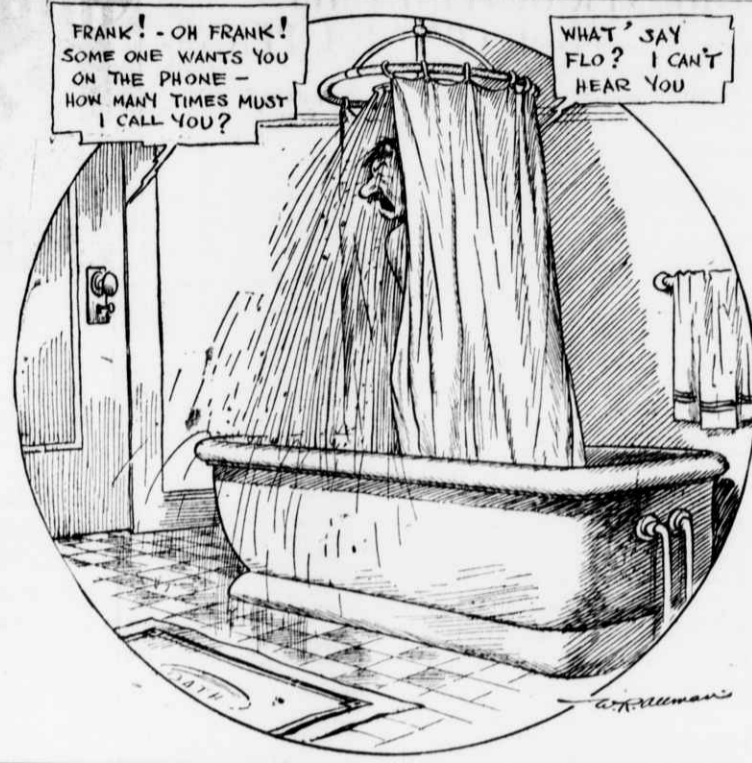


THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME



WM. B. THOMPSON, FORMER BUTTE MAN, IN A HIGH POST

Son of One-Time Mayor of This City Has Been Appointed to Very Important Post in Russia to Represent the American Red Cross. Mr. Thompson is Remembered by Many Old-Timers of Butte. His Remarkable Career the Subject of an Extended Article in Leslie's Weekly of August 9, From the Pen of Howard Hamlin.

With John D. Ryan at the head of the American Red Cross, the greatest philanthropic movement that the world has ever known, there is another Montanan who is making a national reputation for himself by his efforts for the country. Under the caption: "Men Who Are Winning the War—William B. Thompson, a Montana lad who fought his way from Alder Gulch to a commanding place in the country's financial circles, aided Hoover in securing Belgium and is now in Russia as a member of the Red Cross mission," Howard Hamlin, in the issue of Aug. 9 of Leslie's Weekly, tell the story of the son of a former mayor of Butte and the man who gave Thompson park to this city. Many here will remember Mr. Thompson and his father. It is a matter of extreme gratification that Montana men are forging to the front in national affairs at a time when the country needs the best men for the biggest jobs.

Educated in Butte.

"From the top of his head to the tips of his toes Mr. Thompson is a patriot," writes Mr. Hamlin, who then goes on to tell of his education and his start in life in the following words: "The rudiments of Mr. Thompson's education were obtained in the public schools of Butte, that wonder city of the golden west which lies amid those rugged mountains for which one of the noblest of our states is named, Montana. Butte, whose story can match in romance anything that may be told of the courage and daring by which the stoutest hearts of our early pioneers carried always westward the frontiers of the republic—Butte has mothered many Titans whose achievements in every phase of industry that marks the country's progress are known to all. From Butte the boy was sent east, that he might discipline the expanse of a mental perspective acquired in the west by the influences of eastern philosophies and cultural amenities, in which, happily, no doubt, the mighty west was still young. His childish fancy had endowed Phillips Exeter academy with an irresistible charm as the place where Danforth Webster laid that foundation on which he was later to rise to honor and distinction in the affairs of our nation."

In New York.

"At Exeter, Mr. Thompson was equipped with a sound general education, and from there he went for technical instruction to the Columbia School of Mines. Remembering his alma mater he recently presented to the city a magnificent gymnasium. His first acquaintance with New York created a profound impression, and the desire to come back to go back at a later time and make himself a factor in the financial and commercial life of this big metropolis. From Columbia he returned to his native mountains, but he still thought of the Empire City, and he still wished to make for himself a name there which would rank self a name there which would rank among the foremost in the world. Are we surprised if we find him then that in a brief space we find him again in New York? There in 18 years he has won for himself a commanding position in the financial world, and he has won it so quietly, so unostentatiously, that the general public knows little of the details of his romantic career. He is now a director in the Federal Reserve bank of New York and in half-a-dozen of the stockholders in banks and trust companies in the city. He is a director of the Metropolitan Life insurance company, and he is the directing genius in

INSPECTION TOMORROW OF RIALTO CAFETERIA

New Catering Establishment Opens for Business Monday Morning.

The Rialto cafeteria, the newest addition to Butte's restaurant life, will be open for public inspection tomorrow afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. The cafeteria is located in the new restaurant building, and the entrance to the new restaurant is on South Main street. The cafeteria will be open for business on Monday and the establishment will cater to the trade from 5:30 o'clock in the morning till 9 o'clock at night. The new cafeteria is under the direct management of W. H. Davey, who has established a reputation for himself in the catering line in the north-west. The rapid growth of the city in the recent couple of years justifies the opening of another large catering establishment and none better could be relied upon to give satisfaction than "Old Bill" Davey, as his friends like to call him.

CATHOLIC CHURCHES

- AUG. 12—Feast of the Day.
- AUG. 13—St. Hippolytus.
- AUG. 14—Vigil of the Feast of the Assumption.
- AUG. 15—Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
- AUG. 16—St. Joachim, the father of the Blessed Virgin.
- AUG. 17—St. Hyacinth.
- AUG. 18—Under the Octave.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC PICNIC IS BEING ARRANGED FOR

Announcement will be made at the various Catholic churches of the city tomorrow at all the masses about the approaching annual Catholic picnic. Committees of ladies from each parish will be asked to meet on Monday evening at St. Patrick's parochial school. At that time the date and probable location will be selected and committees will be named to attend to the various details of an outing which has come to be one of the set events in the life of the Catholic churches of the city.

Since the establishment of the field day for Catholic churches some years ago the event has become one which is honored by the citizens in general. The proceeds of the day are devoted to the ends of the Central Catholic high school, whose aim is to give an opportunity for higher education to the young Catholic boys and girls of the city, with Catholic religious education on the side. A program of sports is always held and it is quite possible that a change day will be made at the mines in order to afford everyone an opportunity of attending the outing and participating in the games and sports. All ladies who are invited to act on the committees will be requested tomorrow to be punctual in attendance at the meeting on Monday evening.

ST. PATRICK'S.

The sisters who are in charge of St. Patrick's parochial school are expected to return a week from tomorrow from Leavenworth, where they have been attending the annual retreat and summer school in preparation for the work of the coming year in the local school. The following high masses were said during the week: Monday, anniversary for William J. McAuliffe, and at 8:30 o'clock mass for Mrs. McGinn, formerly daughter of Patrick Largey, who died in Denver; Tuesday, Mrs. Fleming and relatives, at 7 o'clock, and at 8 o'clock for Mrs. Anna Sokolich; Wednesday, a month's mind for Mrs. Brule and a mass for Martin Nygaard; Saturday, at 7 o'clock, W. H. Phelan, first anniversary; an anniversary mass for Barney McLoughlin, and

perhaps a score of large and widely-varied manufacturing enterprises. "Mr. Thompson is vice president of the Rocky Mountain club. Through his influence the club abandoned its contemplated project to build a new club house, and all of its energies were enlisted in the cause of the suffering little ones across the sea. For weeks almost all other business was laid aside by Mr. Thompson and his time was wholly devoted to this work. In western and southwestern states, a score of state chairmen of the club put their shoulders to the wheel. Even far-off Alaska heard of the Hoover fund, and thousand of dollars a week were coming in from the mining districts of the far west when, on June 1, the United States government took over the Belgian relief, and the announcement was made that solicitation of contributions need not be continued. "Up to the time of his leaving for Russia, Mr. Thompson was chairman of the Westchester Commission of General Safety, which in itself is a great business organization run by a multitude of committees and subcommittees, with ramifications extending into every school district in the county, and attending to all the intricate details of home defense, state census, war relief, enlistment, increased food supply and mobilization of resources in time of war. He laid the foundation of his fortune well by possessing that which so many who entered the field lacked—knowledge of the particular things which he had selected his specialties. He was of eastern blood born in the west. His father was one of the earliest pioneers in the territory of Montana, and his mother was the daughter of Maj. James R. Boyce, a descendant of the colonial Smith and Marshall families of Virginia. The Marshall family has as its most eminent member, John Marshall, the greatest chief justice of the supreme court of the United States, who played so large a part in building up the republic by interpreting the constitution during the first part of the last century. "Mr. Thompson had both banking and metallurgy in his blood. The call of the buried treasure of the mountains took him into the deserts of the Rockies. His natural instincts he applied to mining and his technical training to the requirement of specific knowledge regarding the mineral wealth of the country. He possessed imagination, the faculty of silence and the ability to 'stay.' These are the qualities which placed him in his present position as a man of affairs."

BIG WHEAT HARVEST THROUGHOUT ITALY

Rome, Aug. 11.—The ministry of agriculture's statistical bureau announces that the wheat harvest just ending has been excellent in all parts of Italy, especially in the south. It was 50 per cent better than the harvests of recent years. Potatoes, which were cultivated intensively, are satisfactory. The harvest of olives, grapes and rice is very good.

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War whoop of the American Indians will soon be heard with the avenging spirits of the Red Indians fighting in the ranks of the French lancers. Word received from the marine headquarters that full-blooded American Indians are at Paris Island training service with the "Billy Bluen." The war whoop of the American Indians will soon be heard with the avenging spirits of the Red Indians fighting in the ranks of the French lancers. Word received from the marine headquarters that full-blooded American Indians are at Paris Island training service with the "Billy Bluen." The war whoop of the American Indians will soon be heard with the avenging spirits of the Red Indians fighting in the ranks of the French lancers.

NEW RECORDS FOR THE TALKING MACHINE

"Yankee Doodle" has never been accorded a more stirring rendition than that given it by the famed tenor, Charles Harrison, assisted by the Broadway quartette. The strength of a valorous fighting race is reflected in a mighty, reverberating harmony of many voices, while challenging life and drum selections lend a warlike touch to the familiar melody.

Few suspect that this famed old Yankee air had its origin in the land of our allies. History claims it is an old vintage-song of the south of France, as well as a song of England in the days of Cromwell.

Another of Sybil Sanderson Fagan's sweetly thrilling whistling recordings is announced by the Columbia Graphophone company. Its title is "Simplicity," and it might be described as a pastoral descriptive of the rapturous morning chord of a meadowlark, under which is heard an orchestral accompaniment as brilliantly gay as a perfect morning's sunshine.

Miss Sanderson's rendition of "Simplicity" is a revelation in the rare art of whistling.

SLACK.

"I deal in time," said Danforth Bly. "And then the poor man sighed. "And how is business, Dan?" said I. "It's slack, sir," he replied."

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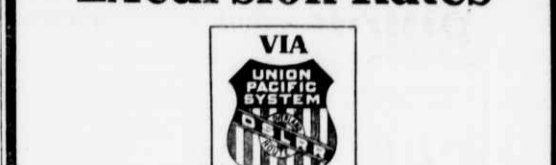
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a mass in honor of Our Lady of Lourdes for all the people of the parish.

ST. JOSEPH'S.

The following high masses were said during the week: Monday, for a special intention; Tuesday, Daniel J. McCarthy, third anniversary; Thursday, Frank G. Curran, died two months ago. The social which was to have been held last Wednesday and was postponed out of respect for the memory of Mrs. Anthony McBride will be held next Monday evening at the young ladies of the parish.

ST. ANN'S.

The following high masses were said during the week: Monday, for a special intention; Tuesday, for Mrs. Johanna McMahon; Thursday, Mrs. Jose Maloney. The funeral of Charles B. Gingras was held from this church on Wednesday morning.

FRESH AIR FARM FOR CHILDREN IN FRANCE

Paris, Aug. 11.—The American Red Cross has instituted a "fresh air farm" on a beautiful hillside as a refugee center for 400 children who have been driven from their homes by gas bombs dropped by enemy airplanes. Each child is kept on the "fresh air farm" for 19 days at a time. The American tuberculosis commission was received yesterday by President Poincare at Elizee palace.

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