

QUONG LEE GIVEN TROUBLE IN LOVE

HIS EVENING CALL ON A NEGRO WOMAN IS FORCIBLY RESENTED BY AN IRISHMAN.

MAURICE MAHONEY LETS ANGRY PASSIONS RISE

Police Judge Boyle Is Told by the Trio of the Cause of Trouble and the Mongolian Wonders Why the Course of True Love Run So Rough—Another Pleasant Alley Romance.

When police court convened at 10 o'clock this morning Judge Boyle was confronted with a brawny Irishman, a badly bruised Chinaman and a negress, whose lips would have done justice to two thick layers of a raw porterhouse steak. All three involved in an altercation last night in one of the resorts in Pleasant Alley and from the appearance of things the celestial had borne the brunt of the quarrel.

"Quong Lee, I will get you to give your version of the affair first," said Judge Boyle, "as you seem to have been made the



QUONG

Who Told His Troubles in Police Court This Morning.

recipient of a good many caresses from somebody. Can you tell the court who caressed you?"

Quong was evidently a good-natured Mongolian as he wore a broad smile in spite of the fact that his physiognomy was cut and badly bruised.

"Me well 'quainted wid Millie Benson," explained he, pointing to the dusky amazon who sat glaring at Maurice Mahoney, the Irishman. "Me went to her place in Pleasant Alley las' night. Me sat talkin' to her an' dis Melican man (pointing to Mahoney) come in.

"He tell Quong get out. Me no get out cause me get there first. Melican man hit Quong and kick him out house. All me know."

Miss Benson.

During Quong's recital of his troubles everybody in the court room was laughing, but there was a half-suppressed roar of merriment when Millie Benson took the stand to tell her story of the fracas.

"Judge Bile," said Millie, speaking with a broad accent which smacked of 'Ole Virginia,' "dat Irishman settin' over thar come to my house in Pleasant Alley las' night and raised a whole peck of trouble. Me an' Quong was jes a-settin' thar in my room a talkin' and not a harmin' no-

body when 'long comes de Irishman a lookin' fer trouble. When he comes in he says, 'whar's de white gal what used to stay round dis jint?' an' I ups and tells him dat de white gal what used to stay dar hed done lef'. Den he axed me what 'dat yaller-faced heathen Chinese' wuz a doin' dar.

"Now, Judge Bile, me an' Quong hes done hin frens fo' a long time and it jes nat-rally riled me when dat Irishman come a nosin' round like de quessum of who is my frens is any ob his business. So I ups an' tells 'im to go on an' den he grabs Quong and gibs 'im a beatin'. I tries to help Quong out but hit want no use, cause dat Irishman is too big. Dat's de God's truf, Judge Bile, and I hopes to drap dead dis minit of it ain't."

After Judge Boyle had recovered his composure he turned to Mahoney and requested his story.

All this time Mahoney had sat apart from Millie and Quong as though he did not wish to become contaminated. Occasionally he would scowl at Quong, and at such times the little Chinaman's knees fairly knocked together.

Not so with the irrepressible Millie. She returned the contemptuous glances of her Celtic neighbor with interest, and now and then she would turn up her short nose at him and put her thin lips.

"Well, yer honor," said Maurice in reply to Judge Boyle's query, "O'll tell yez the truth loike a believer in St. Patrick knows how to tell the same, and not loike a hawthen Chinese or a lyn' nagur.

"Last night Oi happened into the house phere a frind of moine used to live. Oi found this nagur wench and this gimlet-eyed Chinese a-settin' there holdin' hands an' talkin' love, and Oi admit to yer honor that the sight of them did me heart no good.

"Whin Oi asked the nagur about me white girrl frind, she gits huffy, she did. About that time me good Irish blood gits up an' Oi takes that knock-kneed Chinese by the ear an' gives him a piece of 'me moind'."

White Wings.

"Is that all you gave him, Maurice?" asked Judge Boyle, with a merry twinkle in his eye and a glance at the battered features of the Celestial.

"To tell ye the truth, yer honor," replied the son of Erin, "Oi might have used him a little wid me fist, but Oi was so mad of the toime thot I disremember."

"Well, Maurice, as you don't deny that you struck Quong, and as all the evidence goes to show that you did, I will have to fine you in the sum of \$10 and costs."

Maurice paid the fine in good humor, Quong's smile grew broader, and Millie left the courtroom humming "I'd rather be a nigger dan a po' white man."

OFFICER GOES TO GUAM



DR. PERCY R. CRANDALL,

Making His Last Examination on a Husky Butte Subject Before Leaving For Guam.

(Picture by Ward, Inter Mountain Staff Photographer.)

There was a striking exemplification of the delightful uncertainty of military service in the recruiting office this morning when Lieutenant W. L. Littlefield received a telegram from Secretary of the Navy Moody detaching Surgeon P. R. Crandall from the recruiting service and ordering him, on the arrival of his relief, to proceed to San Francisco and take the United States transport which leaves June 2 for the island of Guam.

"As far as I know this is absolutely unexpected," said Lieutenant Littlefield, "We are extremely sorry to lose Surgeon Crandall, who has been with us from the beginning.

November we have included the most of the principal cities of the Southern and Middle states in our itinerary and have become a sort of family gathering from continued association, but we are accustomed to the mutability of navy life and have realized long before this that friendships are liable to be torn apart quite rudely at times.

"Surgeon Crandall will take the place of Surgeon Frederick A. Hessler, who has been ordered back to the United States.

"Commander Seaton Schroeder is in charge of the naval detachment and marines now in Guam, and as I understand, it is not at all an unpleasant station. It will be a change for the surgeon, at any rate, and this is a life of change."

IGNORE TEAMSTERS' STRIKE

Business Men's Association Is Not to Interfere in the Present Difficulty.

At a meeting of the Business Men's association last night J. E. Rickards, president of the association, called the attention of the members to the various phases of the teamsters' strike and related the gist of a talk a contractor had made to him a day or two ago. He said the contractor had suggested that the Business Men's association interest itself in the strike and endeavor to bring about a settlement of the trouble. Mr. Rickards said he could not see how the Business Men's association could do anything.

The association desires to build up its membership and increase interest in it. The matter was discussed. Each member thought that more interest should be shown, but no one ventured a suggestion as to how it could be worked up.

J. E. Rickards, chairman of the executive committee that has charge of the work in connection with the coming mining congress, announced the appointment of J. T. O'Brien as secretary of the committee. He reported that progress was being made and that mining men throughout the country were interested in the congress. He predicted that the meeting would be largely attended by men from all parts of the country, especially the mining districts.

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STREET RAILWAY MEN TO DANCE, RAIN OR SHINE

Annual Ball to Be Given Tonight in Columbia Gardens No Matter What the Weather.

"We dance tonight, rain or shine," was the bulletin sent out by the Butte Street Car Men's union this afternoon.

The employees of the street railway company have made great preparations for their annual outing to be held at Columbia Gardens tonight and a little thing like a snowstorm did not dampen their ardor.

Manager Wharton of the street railway company extended to his men the free use of the gardens for their annual entertainment, but he declares he is not responsible, even as weather forecaster, for the snowstorm that goes with the entertainment.

This is the second annual ball of the street car railway employees, the proceeds of which go into the treasury of the union, which is federated with the Western Labor Union.

The employees will wear their uniforms tonight and dancing will begin promptly at 8:30, and continue until the "wee small hours."

WOODMEN TO ROLL LOGS

Butte Camp to Occupy Two Big Buildings With Meetings.

Butte camp No. 153, Woodmen of the World, will wind up its canvass for new members tonight with a grand banquet, which will be held in the Auditorium of the public library building.

Before beginning the festivities, however, there will be a wholesale obligation of new members in Sutton's new theater. Two will take the full work, but the others will be merely obligated.

Among the toasts for which responses will be called at the banquet are the following:

John N. Kirk, "Fraternalism;" A. B. Keith, editor of the Pacific Woodman, "Leaves From the Forest of Woodcraft;" Charles B. Leonard, "The Goat;" W. C. Krum, "The Montana Campaign;" Charles Lannin, "The Ladies;" George N. Bourquin, "The New Member;" C. P. Connolly, "Woodcraft Enthusiasm;" J. W. Jaquette, "Butte Camp No. 153;" Hon. H. S. Hepler of Helena, "Helena Woodcraft;" R. W. McLeod of Livingston, "Visiting W. O. W.'s;" G. J. Langford, "Fallen Timber." The invocation will be delivered by Rev. F. Tonge.

WILL TURN IN THEIR REPORTS

Councilman Committees to Act at Meeting to Be Held Next Week.

Reports from all of the sixteen committees of the city council will probably be turned in at the meeting of that body this week. At Monday's meeting several of the committees met, but as it was impossible for all of them to attend the reports, all were carried over until the next session of the council.

At last night's meeting of the council the Butte Electric Railway company filed with the clerk its acceptance of ordinance 648, which gives it a right to haul ore over certain streets of the city. An indemnifying bond of \$10,000 accom-

<p>25c Percaline Lining 12 1/2c</p> <p>An extra good grade of percaline, in black and all colors; beautiful moire finish; width 36 inches; our regular 20c goods. Selling at 12 1/2c</p>	<p>25c Embroideries 15c</p> <p>An exceptionally strong line of good quality Hamburg embroidery edgings, as wide as 7 inches; the patterns pretty and well covered; values not less than 25c a yard. Price 15c</p>	<p>50c Rich, Elegant Laces 25c</p> <p>Point de Venice, Applique and Chantilly laces and insertions in white, ecru, Arabian and black designs; value 50c a yard. Price 25c</p>	<p>25c Women's Fancy Hose 12 1/2c</p> <p>Forty or fifty styles of high colored and black hose, in lace effects, open work stripes and plain weaves; a great variety of prettiest styles shown; value 25c a pair. Price 12 1/2c</p>	<p>25c Children's Hose 15c</p> <p>"Faultless" brand black cotton hose, in ribbed weave; spliced heels and toes; the instep prettily embroidered in high-colored silks; all sizes; value 25c a pair. Price 15c</p>
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Montana's Great Tribute to Symons

Excursionists from every part of the state arrived by hundreds and paid their respects to the Northwest's representative business concern. Every visitor marveled at the immensity of the establishment; satisfaction was general throughout; the store's receipts passed the best previous records, and altogether the first day of Symons' excursion was a grand success. ALL BUTTE CAME ALSO, and the Greater Symons store, with its immense floor space, its broad aisles and its multitude of employes seemed, for a while during the afternoon, to be almost too small to accommodate the vast crowds of residents and strangers that poured through the doors. It was a glorious day for the house of Symons; a fitting reward of four and a half years of persistent efforts for the betterment of Montana's merchandise market; the greatest triumph in Symons' history of remarkable achievements.

The Silk and Dress Goods Stores and Their Splendid Offerings

<p>\$1.25 Silk Grenadines 89c</p> <p>44-inch all silk black grenadines, in pretty satin stripes and rich brocaded designs; material quite in accord with the dictates of fashion; half a dozen patterns shown; value \$1.25 a yard. Price 89c</p>	<p>\$1.25 Black Peau de Soie \$1.00</p> <p>The highest quality of black peau de soie, quite heavy in weight; one of the best, most popular black materials of the year; value \$1.25 a yard. Price \$1.00</p>
<p>75c Moire Velour Silks 49c</p> <p>Velvet finished moire silks of fair quality, in all colors; quite rich in appearance; sold regularly at 75c a yard. Selling at 49c</p>	<p>\$1.75 Black Moire Velour \$1.25</p> <p>Full 27-inch black moire velour, extremely handsome in effect; used exclusively this season for waists, skirts, cloaks and trimmings; \$1.75 value at \$1.25</p>
<p>75c Etamines 49c</p> <p>The popular, graceful etamines, woven from all wool threads; in white, tan, new blue, gray and reseda shades; strictly a 75c fabric. At 49c</p>	<p>50c Fancy Stuffs 35c</p> <p>Novelty weaves in half wool fabrics; shown in small dots and in plain colorings; 36 inches wide; quite a large variety for selection; value 50c a yard. Price 35c</p>
<p>75c Cheviot Serge 49c</p> <p>All colors and black of this splendid material; 42 inches wide; all wool; particularly adapted to the making of garments requiring hard service; value 75c. Price 49c</p>	

Ladies' Underwear Is Always Cheapest Here

<p>\$1.00 Ladies' Drawers 49c</p> <p>Splendid umbrella drawers, made from extra fine lawns and muslins; finished with deep cambrie flounce and beautiful laces, insertions, tuckings and embroideries; five distinct styles and not one worth less than a dollar. Price 49c</p>	<p>50c Ladies' Corset Covers 25c</p> <p>At least a dozen styles of very pretty corset covers, made from fair grade lawns and muslins, and trimmed with Valenciennes laces, torchon laces and embroideries. The necks are cut in square, round and V-shapes, and the values range from 35c to 50c. Price 25c</p>
<p>20c Ladies' Summer Vests 10c</p> <p>Fine Swiss ribbed cotton vests, pink, blue and cream, trimmed with lace; low neck and sleeveless; value 35c. Price 10c</p>	<p>35c Ladies' Summer Vests 18c</p> <p>Extra fine lisle thread vests in lace stripes and fancy ribbed weaves; colors, pink, blue and white; lace trimmings, low neck and sleeveless; value 35c each. Price 18c</p>
<p>\$1.25 Ladies' Silk Vests 75c</p> <p>Pure all silk vests in pink, blue, black and white; fine Swiss ribbed weave, lace and silk tape trimmings; low neck and sleeveless; \$1.25 value. At 75c</p>	<p>75c Ladies' Union Suits 50c</p> <p>Pure white Egyptian cotton suits, derby ribbed weave, vest low neck and sleeveless; drawers, umbrella style and knee length, trimmings of very wide laces; value 75c. Price 50c</p>

<p>\$1.25 Lace Curtains 85c</p> <p>Half a dozen lines of double thread white Nottingham curtains, in new and pretty patterns; taped edges; length 3 yards; value \$1.25 a pair. Price 85c</p>	<p>75c Table Linen 49c</p> <p>Bleached and unbleached table damask of German manufacture, ranging in width from 62 to 72 inches; patterns all select; grade very good; 75c value at 49c</p>	<p>15c Fancy Dimities 8c</p> <p>Fresh, daintily patterned dimities in cord effects; shades of every hue; large line of styles; regulation width; value 15c a yard. Price 8c</p>
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panied the acceptance. Alex. J. Johnson and J. K. Hesel are named as the survivors.

CARELESSNESS HIS DEATH

Railroad Company Not Responsible for Accident to Frank Stovick.

Frank Stovick, the boy who was killed Saturday afternoon by an ore train on the hill line of the Butte, Anaconda & Pacific railroad, near the Main street tunnel, came to his death through his own carelessness.

At least so the coroner's jury decided at the inquest held at Duggan's undertaking rooms last night to determine the cause of the boy's death. Henry Shields and James Driscoll, two boys who witnessed the accident, testified that young Stovick had hopped one of the cars and was trying to reach the upper hand-rail when he slipped and fell between the cars. His wheels passed over his body, killing him almost instantly.

The entire train crew testified to the effect that they knew nothing about the accident. The jury also exonerated the crew from all blame in the matter.

Wheeler Going to Europe.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Scottsdale, Ala., May 20.—General Joe Wheeler has written to a friend that a published report that he is going to England to attend the coronation is not correct. General Wheeler says he is go-

ing to Europe with his family and that he will attend the army maneuvers in Germany and France.

MINING APPLICATION NO. 494.

United States Land Office, Helena, Montana, March 5, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that Carl J. Capell, whose postoffice address is Butte, Montana, has this day filed an application for a patent for 1,500 linear feet, the same being for 1,250 feet in southeasterly and 250 feet in north-westerly direction from the point of discovery on the Johanna C. Lode Mining Claim, situated in unorganized mining district, Jefferson county, Montana, the location, course and extent of the said mining claim, designated by an official survey thereof, as Survey No. 626, Township No. 3 north, Range No. 7 west, 1500 feet southwest corner No. 41 thence north 1 degree east 613 feet to corner No. 1, the place of beginning, containing an area of 1500 acres, as claimed by the above named applicant for patent.

The location of this mine is recorded in the office of the Recorder of Jefferson county, on Page 46 in Book of notes.

Bounded on the north by Survey No. 435, the Baltimore Lode, John Cameron, applicant, and on the west Survey No. 639, the Davenport Lode, Robert McBride, applicant.

GEORGE D. GREENE, Register.

JOSEPH H. HARPER, United States Claim Agent. (First Publication March 6, 1902.)