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Fire Bugs at Mobridge

In a series of incendiary fires at Mobridge, the Missouri river town, during the last three days one human life was lost, eight head of horses were burned to death and five business houses destroyed, entailing a property loss of close to \$50,000. The officers have arrested a man who, it is charged, declared he would burn down the town.

The first fire was Wednesday afternoon, this being a tailor shop on Third street, the property loss being small. That night at midnight the Peter Frazier livery barn was burned to the ground and it was in this fire that a man, name unknown, lost his life. Eight head of horses were also burned in this fire. Yesterday (Thursday) noon the Nicewonger and the Nichols & Cottrell saloon buildings and the Steele restaurant were burned, the Mendenhall saloon building and the Bulletin printing office being badly scorched.

In the last fire the fire department from Selby, twenty-six miles east, was brought to the burning town on a special train in twenty-five minutes and aided the local department in saving the east side of the main street, which for a time seemed doomed to destruction.

Mobridge has for a year or more been in the throes of a saloon fight, but the acts of the incendiary cannot be charged to this, it is said, because the two saloon buildings that were burned belonged to opposing factions.

Marion Harland and Dame Curtsey

For more than half a century Marion Harland has been writing on housewifely themes and answering the questions of women in a clear and kindly way that has made her name beloved from one end of the land to the other. Many who read her cheery and helpful page every week in The Sunday Chicago Record-Herald have no idea that she is 78 years old, for she still writes with all the vigor and discernment of a woman of half her years. Huge as the task may seem, she gives her personal attention to the vast correspondence that her position of expert advisor on household topics involves, and every question is answered directly by her. No other department of The Sunday Record-Herald is more universally popular than hers.

Another department that pushes it closely, however is Dame Curtsey's "Novelties in Entertainment," which has been hailed with joy by thousands of hostesses who feel the need of new ideas. Dame Curtsey, whose real name is Ellye Howell Glover, seems to have a genius for inventing new schemes for decorations, menus, games and all the details that lend zest to dinners and entertainments. She also answers questions pertaining to etiquette and good taste, and otherwise furnishes just the information so often sought vainly by women.

When it is added that the Sunday Magazine of The Record-Herald is full of good stories and articles as interesting to women as to men, it is easy to see why that paper is the favorite among women.

Is It Fair?

Did you ever send away for an advertised special value in lumber on cash and doors and find on receipt of the goods that the mail order house had "forgot" some of the essentials? Did you send away for the balance or did you go to the local lumber dealer to get what was missing? Did you ever solicit a contribution for charity from some land promotion company a thousand miles away or from a mail order house in Chicago, New York or San Francisco? If you have tried it you know it won't work. But you don't hesitate to go after the real estate man, the grocer, the hardware dealer or the lumberman here at home when you have some little money raising scheme to put through. And generally they "come across" without a murmur. In other words do you play fair with your friend, the local business man? Or do you use him as a convenience and send your money and your real trade elsewhere?

Every dollar you spend at home adds to the wealth of the community. Every dollar you send away detracts from it. If you are imbued with local as well as national patriotism you will keep your money at home in every case where you can get as great value here as elsewhere. Give our business men a chance.

Midland Mail: Another meeting of the business men was held Saturday evening to talk over matters pertaining to the coming celebration. The Philip Cornet band has been engaged for the occasion, there will be a parade, Hon. Alvin Waggoner will deliver the oration, there will be two ball games—Cape vs. Midland and Philip vs. Belvidere. In addition there will be various other sports and amusements, the festivities to close with a grand dance in the opera house at night. The prospects are good for a most enjoyable occasion. Everybody is invited to come and celebrate with us.

Warrant Call

Stanley County Gen. Fund Warrants are called for payment up to and including Register Number 8800 and will be paid upon presentation, except such as may have been erroneously issued.

Enoch McKay,

Treasurer, Stanley County.

During the recent annual convention in Sioux Falls of South Dakota Bankers' association attention was called to the fact that during the past year there had not been a single bank failure in South Dakota—a record of which every resident of the state will be proud. During the year there had been only four attempted bank robberies in the state and each of the culprits were captured. South Dakota now has a total of 636 banks—102 national banks and 534 state banks.

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No. 504* 12:02 p. m. 12:22 p. m.
No. 428 12:25 p. m. 1:10 p. m.
Mondays Wednesdays and Fridays

GOING WEST
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No. 503-T 4:30 a. m. 4:30 a. m.
No. 501* 3:46 p. m. 3:46 p. m.
No. 418 11:00 a. m. 12:25 p. m.
T Daily

* Daily except Sunday.
Monday, Wednesday and Friday.
No. 503 & 514 Chicago-Deadwood
No. 504 & 501 Mpls-Deadwood.

HANDLING LONDON'S LETTERS

Some Idea of the Big Force Required in the Great Post Office.

Mr. Henry Tanner, principal architect in his majesty's office of works, gave an address before the Royal Institute of British Architects in London recently, describing in detail the new general post office to be known as King Edward's building.

As giving some idea of the magnitude of the work there, he mentioned that the removal of provincial mails and of the parcels of Mount Pleasant railroad to the main building required 700 of the force of 2,650 men, leaving only 2,150 in the old building, but there were at the date of removal to King Edward's building 2,750 of all ranks, including 1,400 postmen. Meanwhile the force at Mount Pleasant had increased from 2,850 to 4,550. These numbers were exclusive of the temporary force employed at Christmas.

The work dealt with per week was as follows. Five and a half millions of letters, etc., delivered in M. C. district, and 2,500,000 to other districts of London and by certain provincial mails, and 5,500,000 dispatched to foreign countries and the colonies; in all, 12,550,000, weighing about 365 tons.

With regard to the cost of the new building he found that if built in the ordinary way with steel construction the approximate cost, exclusive of fittings, etc., would be £355,000, but if in reinforced concrete £295,000 would probably suffice. The latter figure had proved to be correct, so that there had been an approximate saving of £60,000, and apart from this, considerable space had been gained by the great reduction in wall thicknesses.

The general post office has furnished statistics of the Yuletide traffic, showing that all records were exceeded in the huge 1910 Christmas "post bag." The great office is equipped with the very latest appliances, and all were working up to their fullest capacity during Christmas week. To suit the great length of the building electric "conveyors" have been installed. A new and ingenious system for sorting newspapers was also successfully tried.

MUST WEAR DARK CLOTHES!

An Absolute Requirement in Factories Where Work is Done With Gold.

Light suits of clothes are not favored in factories where work is done on gold. In fact, in many such factories a dark suit of clothes is absolutely required and even a light waistcoat may lose a man a job. The reason for this is that any stray grains of gold that may get on the clothing can easily be caught on a dark suit, while they might get away from the establishment if light clothes were worn.

That such a rule was enforced among gold workers one man learned recently when a Bohemian gold beater applied to him for a helping hand. The Bohemian said that he had only recently come to this country, that he had had a chance to obtain a good job at his trade, but that the place had been refused him because he turned up with a light coat and waistcoat on, and they were the only clothes he had.

The man whom he approached was struck by the story and offered to help him out if it proved true. He went to a down town factory with him and found out that the man could have the job if he presented himself within an hour with the proper clothes on. Two dollars enabled the man to rig himself out in the dark coat and waistcoat to go with his dark trousers, and sure enough he got the job.

"You may think this strange," said the man at the factory, "but it means quite a little to us. Every man's clothing is carefully examined when he leaves here at night, and the gold brushed off whenever we see any on his clothing."

"It is impossible to hide even tiny grains on a dark background, but take a mixed or a light suit, and we might easily lose quite an amount of gold, and gold isn't anything you want to lose, even in small quantities."

Chicken Bones for Children.
Monday morning marketers learned through a sign in the delicatessen store window that the proprietor had choice chicken bones for sale.

"For soup?" some one asked.
"No, babies," he said. "It is not easy to find a nutritious bone for the baby to gnaw. What he wants is a drumstick of a young, juicy fowl. It must be fresh and free from tang. Even the family that prides itself on setting a good table may buy a chicken whose drumstick is too old for the child. Every Saturday I cook wholesome celery-fed roasters. Their bones, when stripped, make excellent tooth sharpeners for the babies, and my mother of a frosty brood can have them for next to nothing."

Our Doctors.
"The late Count Tolstol loathed physicians," said, at a dinner in Washington, a Russian diplomat.
"You remember how Tolstol ridiculed physicians in 'War and Peace'?" Well, I heard him ridicule three of them to their faces over a vegetarian dinner at Yarmaya Polyana.
"Physicians," he said, bitterly, looking up from a plate of lentils, "may be divided into two classes—the radicals, who kill you, and the conservatives, who let you die."

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