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Opening tonight, the Edison has another all star bill of goodly length. Every act is different, and every act alone is worth the admission charged. Pat & Fannie Kelley, the Irish fun-makers, are masters of Hibernian comedy, and have received many favorable notices from the eastern press. Albert Ziegler is king of ventriloquists, his cabinet scene being very good. Madam Hoffman comes with an elegant repertoire of mysterious magic, and is considered the queen of that art. Miss Nellie Emerson is the most graceful contortion dancer yet seen in Salem. Miss Cosette has in keeping the illustrated song portion of the program, which will feature the Edisonoscope as usual. It will be hard to find a better program than the one at the Edison this week, both as to its novelty and selection.

Christian Science Lecture

—BY—

Mr. Edward Kimball, C. S. D. of Chicago

Member of the Christian Science Board of Lectureship of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston, Mass., at the

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Admission free.

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Week commencing Monday, April 3, '05. Stimulating Vaudeville.

The masters of the Hibernian comedy, Pat and Fannie Kelley.

The unseen talker, Albert Ziegler.

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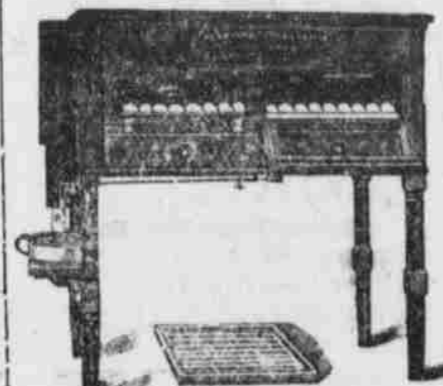


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GREAT CATTLE COUNTRY

Editor Suggests Exhibit for Lewis and Clark Fair

Mandan, N. D., March 30.—Here we set our watches ahead another hour, having passed another 15 degrees of longitude, and illustrating another old rule of arithmetic that 15 degrees of longitude were equal to one hour of time. It seems funny to wake up in the morning, and find you have slept an hour longer, according to your watch, than you really have. But life is full of illusions. In sailing around the world you would come to a point where the day changes and you lose or gain a day by the calendar, according to which way you are going, east or west. There may be a place in eternity where we lose all account of time.

It is four nights' and three days' ride from Salem to St. Paul over the Northern Pacific, 2104 miles. About 36 hours of this is required to cross Montana, and 36 hours more across North Dakota and Minnesota. The endless folding brown hills at this season are without a spear of vegetation, and still the herds of cattle graze in contentment. Here is the raw material for the beef trust millions.

Garrison, Mont., is the center of a great cattle country. There are some sheep, but more goats. The country is free of mines and smelters. The air is cool, crisp, clear, bracing. There are no diseases and no deaths. All consumptives recover who go out and rustle with the stock. There are no cemeteries, and in fact you travel from one end of Montana to the other without seeing one.

The best proof that the Northern Pacific has a good track is found in the fact that, if for any reason, a train gets behind time an hour or two, it soon makes it up. The road has reserve power. Its trains are not worked up to the limit, as on many roads. We took an extra car to Spokane, and were two hours late at Helena, where they were cut out. At Miles City we were on time.

At the Livingston, N. D., depot, some miserable fellow had defaced an oil painting of Robert Burns with chalk marks, and it cost me a good clean handkerchief to wash the Scotch poet's face. It is bad enough in our degenerate, commercial age to use the portrait of Burns for a cigar advertisement, but to scratch it over with chalk at the hands of an unappreciative vandal ought to be made a crime.

If the Lewis and Clark commissioners want to do something to really please their Eastern visitors they will fit up a room to be filled with Tracy and Merrill relics. It is said to be a fact that some of the murderous paraphernalia employed by the James boys and Cole Younger attracted more attention at the St. Louis fair than the wonderful educational exhibit. Such is unconstructed human nature. The grisly relics of Tracy's career, including his skull, would be a drawing card.

Met an Indian Belle.

Traveling across the continent one meets some richly dressed women, but an Indian woman of the Flathead tribe, who got on at a little station in the Yellowstone valley, was the owner of an Indian buckskin dress, trimmed with elk teeth, which I was told is considered to be the most valuable garment of this sort now in existence. Over 1500 elk tusks covered this squaw's dress, and most of them were good specimens. They represent, of course, the death of not less than 750 bull elk. It is not known where all the elk were obtained. The garment was finished in 1874, and was used as a state robe for the wife of Little Boy, a chief of the Kiowa tribe. It became one of the state robes of that people, and after the death of the chief's wife, was worn by Kiowa Anna, reigning belle of the tribe. It was lost by the Kiowas in a skirmish with another tribe. Chief Lone Wolf, its next owner, gave it to his niece, Ida Lone Wolf. There is perhaps no ball dress of America which has a longer or more authentic history, nor is there any ball dress of a white woman which has more value than this savage woman's robe, come down from another day. There were enough teeth on that squaw's petticoat to decorate every member of the Salem lodge, and give five extra to Hal Patton, Harry Albert and Frank Feller.

Inter-Mountain Prices.

Living is not so high at Butte, Mont., as one might think. "Everybody's Meat Market" advertised March 29th as follows:

- Shoulder mutton chops, special 5 lb 25c
- Shoulder steak, 3 lb25c
- Round steak, 5 lb10c
- Small porterhouse steak, lb12 1/2c
- Hamburg steak, 3 lbs25c
- Mutton stew, special, 10 lbs25c



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- Roast pork or chops, lb.....12 1/2c
- Shoulder roast veal, lb.....9 1/2c
- All veal stew, special, lb.....7c
- Rib corned beef, 6 lbs.....25c
- Prime rib roast, 10c and.....8c
- Best pot roasts, 6c and.....5c
- Rib boiling beef, 5 lbs.....25c
- Mutton by the side lb.....7c
- Ranch eggs, per dozen.....25c
- Good butter lb.....30c

Lutey's market advertised same date in the Butte Miner:

- Prime rib roast beef, lb.....10c
- Eastern pork roast, special, lb.....11c
- Shoulder veal roast, lb.....10c
- Lion or leg veal roast, lb.....15c
- All veal stew or brisket veal lb.....8c
- Prime pot roast beef, lb.....16c
- Rib or brisket boil, 6 lbs for.....25c
- All corned beef, special, lb.....5c
- Sweet pickled hams, special, lb.....11 1/2c
- Shoulder steaks, 4 lbs for.....25c
- Round steaks, 3 lbs for.....25c

I try to keep my eyes open when traveling, and find out a great deal by asking questions. I listen to people as long as they are interesting, and when they cease to interest me, like some church members, I go to sleep. The whole North Dakota country seems to be prosperous. Land is worth \$10 to \$15 an acre near the towns, within 5 to 10 miles. Further back it is cheaper. They some day will be worth \$25 to \$30 an acre.

The small towns are all building up, even that desolate region known as the bad lands is prosperous, and the town of Medora, named after the French nobleman's bride, has many new buildings, and some substantial business blocks. This town was the scene of some of President Roosevelt's cow-punching days, and his cattle ranch was located here. We saw steam plowing going on, a traction engine was drawing three pair of double gang plows, cutting furrows a mile long. Alleged rivers of muddy water are dammed up to make reservoirs. Big stock barns, straw and hay stacks, and cattle corrals tell of thrift and industry. Friday morning we shall be in St. Paul, and in the afternoon in the old Iowa town on the Mississippi, where I first drew the ire of grafters. If Uncle Ben Windsor were there the man who gave me the first dollar to start in business with, as he did in Oregon, and they might compare notes, and conclude they might better have spent it for beer. But such is life. We are ever fully appreciated until we are gone. B. HOFER.

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Don't forget the farewell concert at the M. E. church Friday night, April 7th, for Mrs. Hallie Parrish-Hinges. Tickets 50 cents.

CHILDREN OBEY FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA.

MERCHANTS ORGANIZE LEAGUE

The merchants of Salem yesterday afternoon circulated a petition which was liberally signed, asking that a meeting be held at the store of Buren & Hamilton on last night for the purpose of forming a Business Men's League.

At 7:30 o'clock the meeting was called to order, and the following officers were elected: President Geo. F. Rodgers; vice-president, D. A. Denmore; treasurer, B. E. Douglas. Hal D. Patton was appointed temporary secretary.

The board of directors are H. W. Meyers, E. T. Barnes, F. Steusloff, D. H. James and Clarence Hamilton. A committee, consisting of D. A. Denmore, Robert C. Bishop and Geo. F. Rodgers, was appointed to prepare and draft a constitution and by-laws.

The objects of the organization is to protect the merchants against many forms of schemes, and to bring about a better feeling among the business men. The trading stamp evil will be one of the first matters taken in hand by the new organization. The league stands ready and willing to co-operate with commercial bodies and other organizations looking to the improvement of the city. Those signing the petition for the league are as follows:

Harritt & Lawrence, Buren & Hamilton, Steusloff Bros., Hauser Bros., E. C. Cross, Herman W. Barr, Roth & Graber, Fuller & Douglas, F. P. Farrington, Zadoc J. Riggs, F. W. Spencer, F. A. Wiggins, Geo. F. Rodgers & Co., J. L. Stoekton & Co., Hofer Bros., M. Bredemeier, M. J. Petzel, Rostein & Greenbaum, G. W. Hobson, Geo. Melson, L. U. Josse, E. T. Barnes, Damon & Foster, L. Ostrander, Emil Koppe, E. S. Lamport Saddlery Co., R. D. Gilbert & Co., C. Atwood, James McEvoy, Steelhammer & Yantis, O. M. Johnson, C. P. Bishop, W. S. Pitts, Weller Bros., Patton Bros., E. L. Irvin & Co., Herman Barr, Jos. Meyers & Sons, Yokohama Tea Co., Mrs. C. H. Walker.

The meeting adjourned to meet next Monday night.

Tickets for the farewell concert for Mrs. Hinges are now on sale at Patton Bros' book store. Price 50 cents.

X-RAYS

It's all right girls; "rubber" all you want to. An authority on good form says: "Rubber to get a beautiful, rounded neck."

The Colorado legislature was so busy trying to find out who was governor of the state, that it failed to pass the appropriation bill of \$800,000 to pay Peabody's soldiers for deporting and shooting down strikes.

A Common-Sense View.

All interested in hearing a common-sense discussion of the subject of Christian Science by one who knows what he is talking about should turn out at the Grand opera house next Tuesday evening and hear the lecture of Edward A. Kimball, of Chicago. Seats free.



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