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WOULD TAKE OVER LOST RIVER LAND

Eastern Bondholders in Boise in Connection with Sale

REPORT THAT THEY WILL BID IN PROPERTY AT SALE.

Would Pay Corey Brothers Part of Their \$150,000 Lien and Give Them New Mortgage for Balance.

George S. Spear of Chicago, representing the Priest committee of bondholders of the Lost River Land & Power company, has arrived in Boise for the purpose of taking up matters in connection with the power company. While in this state Mr. Spear, who also represents the bondholders in the Lost River project, may act at the receiver's sale of the property to satisfy the judgment held by the Corey Bros., construction company. In this connection Mr. Spear's attorney, O. O. Hagan, said: "We will probably take up other matters while in the city."

Mr. Spear arrived early Tuesday and spent most of the day in consultation with Mr. Hagan. When he returned to his hotel and was asked for an interview he said that he did not care to make any statement regarding the purpose of his visit, but referred the reporter to Mr. Hagan.

While no statement was forthcoming on the Big Lost river project from Mr. Spear, who swung the deal for the bonds in the first place, yet it is said that his visit has much to do with the coming receiver's sale of the property at Haley by James E. Clinton, the receiver, some time the latter part of this month. The report is to the effect that the bondholders will bid the property in and pay Corey brothers part of their \$150,000 lien and then give them new mortgage bonds for the remainder of the amount. If this arrangement is carried through the bondholders would go ahead and complete the project. It is said that the bondholders do not get the property and the Corey brothers do, it is the intention of the Ogden contractors to immediately take the property and organize a company to complete the project.

It is needless to say that, regardless of who gets the property and the receiver's sale, it will be necessary for the project to be completed in order that any money can be taken from the project. Whatever the result is, it is going to see the completion of a project that will mean much to her future.—Statesman.

BILLY (SINGLE) CLIFFORD CO.

At the Cotton Hall in Keweenaw Comedy, Monday, Dec. 15.

As in the instance of Billy (Single) Clifford—the comedian who is constantly recruiting from the vaudeville stage. Mr. Clifford is one of the best known and most popular actors on the variety platform and he has been a headliner for many years. But the demand for good actors on the dramatic and comic stage has been so great that the supply has not kept up with the demand. The result is that variety has had to relinquish some of her brightest players. This season Mr. Clifford is starring in a new musical satire in two acts, called "Believe Me." It is a farce with a plot with many complications, but it is a comedy to recommend it, for it is packed with good songs, and they are sung as only Billy Clifford can sing them.

The story of the place in brief concerns an eccentric man who has great wealth, and who wants his daughter to marry into one of the nobility. She has advertised for a Butler and that time a friend has sent him a prospective son-in-law. The Butler arrives first. The father thinks he is the rich intended son-in-law and treats him to the best in the house and then the prospective son-in-law arrives and he is taken for the new butler; in fact, it is one long laugh from start to finish.

The young star is surrounded by a competent company of metropolitan players. The production is elegant and tasteful. The new offering will be "Believe Me" seen at the Cotton Hall on Monday, December 15.

CHANGE IN 'LAUNDRY FIRM'

Wm. E. Peairs Now Sole Owner of
Troy Laundry and Dry Cleaning Co.

On the first of the week R. Williams sold his interest in the Troy Laundry and Dry Cleaning company to his partner, William M. Peairs, who is now sole proprietor of the laundry.

Dr. Evans, the Optician, will be at the Perrine hotel next Sunday afternoon and Monday, and after December 15. Those desiring his services, let them call on him.

TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB

Last General Meeting of Club Held
Last Week Until After Holidays.

The approaching Christmas and New Year's festivities are claiming the attention of club women. The last general club meeting of the year was held last week, and the departments are holding their closing meetings this week. It is predicted that the club will open with increasing interest at the beginning of the new year.

The Household Economics department met with Mrs. J. O. Gates last Tuesday. The subject for the afternoon was Christmas Menus. Mrs. Hart gave a talk on "How to Cook a Turkey," giving interesting points on dressing, washing and preparing the fowl for the oven. Excellent recipes for stuffing were given, and accompanying vegetables were suggested.

Miss Lillier, the teacher of domestic science at the high school, gave an interesting talk on appropriate gifts and fruit drinks. These talks were followed by questions and discussion. Coffee and cake were served by the hostess.

Current Events department met Wednesday afternoon at the Masonic hall dining room. A Christmas picnic party had been planned by the officers of the department. The members responded to roll call by giving current events and Christmas quotations. Mrs. Kenneth responded by singing a solo entitled "A Christmas Carol." The subject for the next meeting of this department, which will be Jan. 14, promises to be very interesting.—"Immigration."

The Current Events department has charge of the program at the next general club meeting which occurs on January 6. A picnic lunch was served and members and guests spent an enjoyable hour together.

Announcements.
The History and Literature department will meet at the home of Mrs. Bradley on Eighth street East, Friday, December 13th, at 2:30.

The Parliamentary and Civics department will meet at the home of Mrs. Davidson, Seventh avenue North, Monday, December 16, at 2:30.

The general club will meet at the Masonic hall, Tuesday, January 6, 1914, at 2:30.

Found—A pair of gold rimmed spectacles at the Masonic hall on Apple Day. Apply to Mrs. A. K. Saville.

CHAIRMAN PRESS CO.

ODD FELLOWS ELECT OFFICERS

New Officers Elected to Guide
Bundles of Order for Ensuing Year.

The Independent Order of Odd Fellows of this city have elected the following officers for the ensuing term. The installation will take place the first Thursday in January.

Noble Grand—W. H. Weaver.
Vice Grand—Orville Miller.
Recording Secretary—G. McAnulty.

Financial Secretary—J. G. Crosby.
Treasurer—John Peters.
Trustees—S. C. Crismon, G. H. Schweigler, S. G. McAnulty.

REMOVE OLD SIDEWALKS

Street Commissioner Anxious That
Old Walks Be Removed.

Street Commissioner Fred Spencer is very anxious that the owners of old sidewalks, where the new cement walks have been laid, would remove the same from the side of the streets. Mr. Spencer informed the Times that he would sell the old walks, but he says that he will only let him know about the price. Dirt and snow are collecting around the old timber and they are very unsightly at the best.

HAVE MOVED GARAGE

Seal & Sharp Now Occupy Old Western
Auto Building on Shoshone.

Seal & Sharp, who some time ago purchased the Tarr garage, have moved to the building formerly occupied by the Western Auto company on Shoshone street. The company will now be prepared to accommodate cars of all kind and will have a first class mechanic in the shop at all times.

A TWO-HEADED CALF

Judge Smith Has a Strange Freak of
Nature at His Shop.

Police Judge W. J. Smith has just completed mounting a strange freak of nature, which is a two-headed calf. The animal is perfectly formed and has two well shaped heads. The freak is the property of a Hurley man, who sent it to the judge to be mounted.

XMAS SUGGESTION.
Buy HIM a typewriter for Xmas. We have the latest model of the Monarch Light Touch typewriter. Mr. Bob Wigdahl, agent, Remington Typewriter Co., Roseboro Hotel, Dec. 12.

HOLD LODGE OF SORROW

Impressive Services Held By B. P. O. E. Sunday Afternoon

Splendid Tribute Payed to Absent Brothers by Jess Hawley of Boise

On last Sunday afternoon, Twin Falls Lodge No. 1153, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, held their memorial services in honor of their departed brothers. The services were held in the high school auditorium, and was attended by the members of the order and a large number of visitors.

The program was one of the best ever held in the city and was rendered in magnificent style. The memorial address was delivered by Jess B. Hawley of Boise, and was a splendid tribute to the Order of Elks. The "Absent Brothers" of the lodge are Alexander D. McKinlay, Edwin Jones, P. J. Connelley and J. C. McCreary. The address of Mr. Hawley is given in full as follows:

Memorial address delivered by Jess Hawley at Twin Falls, Idaho, December 7th, 1913, before the Twin Falls lodge, B. P. O. E., at their invitation. Exalted Ruler, Brother Elks and Friends.

No man may enter the portals of a lodge of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks unless he believes and professes that there is a God. No man who does believe in God is ever further questioned as to faith or creed. The Order of Elks believes in the existence of a Supreme Being is unfit to sit in its councils. It does, however, say that he to whom the light of Divinity is invisible—the light that comes from the wonderful miracles of growth, bloom and decay in the realm of Nature; from the immutable unchanging course of the stars and planets in the heaven; from the harmony of action and powerful, systematized control of all natural forces—that such a man, to whom this light is as darkness, cannot be trusted to continue in sympathy with an organization which believes that the virtues lie

one who believes or acts upon these principles is entitled to an eternal reward. It claims no right to interpret how or in what manner God has rewarded his wishes and commands to men. It stands mute, reverent and silent in the presence of those who claim such holy powers and rights. It respects them all and only wishes that the loyal sons live true to the faith or creed that they embrace.

To me this attitude of humbleness and respect is the most attractive and powerful claim that our order has to true greatness. Ignorance and malice, have sinned their cunning, hidden ways among many good men, and with lies and slander have deceived them, but as to our principles and our practices. You who sit here as brothers in our Lodge of Sorrow today, know the nobility of our aims and the secret charities of lodges. Before you, our order needs neither excuse, explanation or defense. But to you, who come as travelers to strange places, I dedicate this presentation of our principles.

When a man is about to member, certain virtues are recommended to him for adoption as rules for his daily life. First is: "Brotherly love." A quality of feeling which inspires man to happiness when joy attends his fellows; to sympathy when calamity overtakes him or pain racks his sickened body; to pity when sombre death has enveloped his loved ones in the cold, dark shadow of its awful veil. Of brotherly love, Mahomet spoke when he said: "A man's true wealth hereafter is the good which he does in this world to his fellowmen." When he dies, people will say: "What property has he left behind him?" but the angels will ask: "What good deeds has he sent before him?" Justice: That quality of mind stand-

ing between hate and love, forbidding the excesses of the one and denying the unbecoming indulgence of the other. Justice teaches us to regard the rights of others. It is essentially selfish in that it directs us to give to our brother what belongs to him. Its practice leads to the safety of property, the security of life and its enjoyment, the preservation of the integrity, and inviolability of home and its sacred relationships. "Justice is the idea of God, the ideal of men, the rule of conduct writ in the nature of mankind."

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OFFICERS ELECTED FOR TERM

Ladies of G. A. R. and Royal Neighbors Hold Election of Officers.

The Ladies of the G. A. R. and the Royal Neighbors of America elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

Ladies of G. A. R.
President—Mrs. L. A. Barber.
Senior Vice President—Mrs. King.
Junior Vice President—Mrs. McKinlay.

Royal Neighbors of America.
President—Mrs. W. W. Humphrey.
Treasurer—Mrs. H. H. Johnson.
Secretary—Mrs. W. W. Humphrey.
Conductor—Mrs. Herbert Wirth.
Guard—Mrs. H. R. Barnes.
Delegates to State Convention—Mrs. Herbert Wirth and Mrs. J. M. Barnes.

Alternates—Mrs. W. W. Humphrey and Mrs. Conover.

Members of Twin Falls Circle entitled to vote in state convention—Mrs. Shields, Mrs. R. H. Barnes, Mrs. J. L. Danhe, Mrs. W. W. Humphrey, Mrs. McKinlay, Mrs. H. H. Johnson, Mrs. A. Barber, Mrs. Herbert Wirth.

Royal Neighbors of America.
"Oracle"—Mrs. Eva Henley.
Vice Oracle—Mrs. Lydia Stanbury.
Chancellor—Mrs. Mary Waters.
Past Oracle—Mrs. Mary Husted.
Recorder—Mrs. Lolo Mills.
Receiver—Mrs. Hattie Beare.
Marshal—Mrs. Bertha Hornstra.
Inner Sentinel—Mrs. Mary Husted.
Outer Sentinel—Mrs. Anna Peters.
Manager—Mrs. Sadio Humphrey.
Physicians—Dr. Pike and Dr. Alexander.

Musical—Miss Conover.
Delegates to State Convention—Mrs. W. W. Humphrey and Mrs. J. A. Waters.
Alternates—Mrs. J. A. Waters.

MAN SHOT TO DEATH

Henry Williams Lost River Rancher,
Met Death in Quarrel.

On Tuesday afternoon, at the ranch of Henry Adams, on the head of Little Lost river, Henry Williams, an old respected resident of that valley, met death at the hands of P. I. McConnell.

The death dealing deed was committed by McConnell, following a dispute that had arisen between the two men, which resulted in Williams being injured. Williams had been in the employ for the past nine months. After the dispute had been settled, Williams and McConnell had a quarrel. Williams, who immediately after the quarrel, was in the employ of Henry Adams, was shot by McConnell when they again became engaged in a quarrel.

McConnell, who immediately after the killing of Williams, rode to Mackay in great haste to give himself up to the authorities, states that he was attacked by Williams with a stick, and that Williams, who he claims was in high temper, kept after him and that he grabbed a rifle that leaned against a cabin and shot Williams. Without waiting to see whether the shot would have proven fatal, McConnell mounted a horse and rode to Mackay.

The two men were alone, so McConnell says, at the time of the fatal ending of the quarrel.

Death resulted almost instantly. McConnell has engaged counsel and will undoubtedly build his case on self-defense.

McConnell had worked on Little Lost river for five or six years and bore a good reputation. The man he killed was one of the early settlers of Little Lost river and was one of the most esteemed men of the section.

According to late reports, McConnell has been taken to Haley by Deputy Sheriff Blair, and his preliminary trial has been set for December 18—Mackay Mirror.

DEMOCRATS TO HOLD SMOKER

Meeting Will be Held in Odd Fellows'
Hall Saturday Evening.

The Democrats of Twin Falls county will hold a smoker and talkfest at the Odd Fellows' hall in this city on Friday evening of this week. The meeting will be held under the auspices of Twin Falls Jefferson club. Besides local speakers there will be present Hon. M. Alexander and Hon. John F. Nugent of Boise. It is expected that R. H. Elder of Coeur d'Alene, Democratic national committee member for the state of Idaho, will also be present and address the meeting. Every Democrat in the county is expected to be present.

MASONS ELECT OFFICERS

Installation Was Held in the Temple
on Wednesday Evening.

On Wednesday evening of last week Twin Falls Lodge No. 15, F. & A. M., elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

W. M.—S. H. Kaylor.
S. W.—W. E. Wilson.
J. W.—Willard Wyatt.
Secretary—J. M. Maxwell.
Treasurer—J. M. Maxwell.

On Wednesday evening of this week the new officers were duly installed.

Eight pounds ground bone was sold every day. Robertson-Johns Packing Co.—Advt.

CRUSADE AGAINST CIGARETTE IS ON

Public Mass Meeting Develops Amazing Facts

CLOSE QUESTIONING OF PROBABLE JUDGE A REVELATION.

Officers Start Out to Tighten up on Laws as Result of Insistence of Citizens.

The mass meeting called last Tuesday evening for the purpose of protesting against the use of tobacco by minors evidently started things toward at least an attempt at reform. The meeting was attended by about seventy-five citizens, a great many women being present. J. C. Deane, chairman was called upon to preside and the discussion waxed merrily for some time, participated in by city officials, probation officers and the principal of the high school. The superintendent did not appear on the scene until the meeting was nearly over. C. D. Thomas, one of the citizens calling the meeting, met the issue for the citizens, while Judge Shank, Professor Jones, Mayor Melges and City Attorney Ashton brought out the conditions which confront the officers in enforcing the law.

During the course of the debate by the questioning of Mr. Thomas, the statement was made by Judge Shank that public opinion did not demand enforcement of the cigarette law, was challenged.

Upon being asked who vouches for the statement, the responsibility passed onto the Superintendent of schools whom Judge Shank had advised Probation officers to arrest. Judge Shank ground that it would be intolerant unpopularity.

The superintendent, when the subject was brought up by Judge Shank, but it is too late to say anything having made the statement. The city authorities operate and Mayor Melges agreeing as to the enforcement of the law, was trying to stop the attorney Ashton from their attraction to the superintendent.

As a result of the meeting, the city authorities were called upon and blame upon the superintendent was laid. It was very unusual users of tobacco grades attained high results.

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MAY

Mayor

Boise, Jan. 10. Hodge of Boise, entering becoming natural candidate for the city of Boise. The city authorities are to ascertain the status of the declaration of the state would put taxes.

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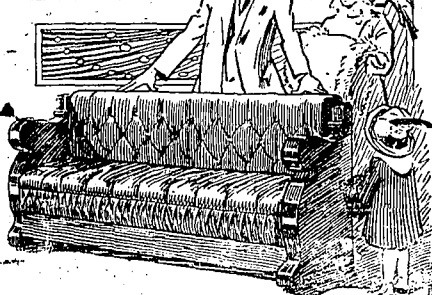
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A handy Wardrobe
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LAVERING

HARD TO PLEASE

"The prohibitionist with me
Which pain his breakfast view;
"I cannot stay here, sir," said he,
"For all these crimes are stewed."

"At luncheon I was very sure
The police would be tickled;
"I cannot stay here, sir," said he,
"For all these crimes are stewed."

"At dinner, I was very strong
To lay all boozers back;
"I cannot stay here, sir," said he,
"For all these crimes are stewed."

"I offered him a Guestra-Rex;
"I had this rage provoked;
"I cannot stay here, sir," said he,
"For all these crimes are stewed."

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Cigars That Please

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The situation now being carried on against the use of tobacco by minors should bring to the minds of the parents and the business men of this city the responsibility of every citizen for the welfare of the children. Of course the parental responsibility must come first, but it should be supplemented by every safeguard and every aid that the citizen can place around the boys. Too much attention is paid to boosting everything under the sun in the way of material things while the most precious heritage of the whole city is neglected. The young people of this city have mighty little in the way of natural amusements provided by climatic conditions such as skating, skiing and canoeing in the winter. Absence of lakes and quiet running rivers places boating, swimming and other aquatic sports out of the reach of the young. There is hardly a place within twenty-five miles suitable for picnics. When the matter is carefully considered on all angles, the citizens have not much to give the boys in the way of natural boyish sports and it is small wonder that the boys depart easily from the straight and narrow. Twin Falls needs to wake up to the fact that it owes a community duty to the growing boys that will not falter when it comes to the expenditure of money to provide pleasant and safe quarters for the boys and at least provide playgrounds in summer for the children. It ought not to be said that Twin Falls can raise fifty thousand dollars for a place to exhibit, bat bats and cattle and refuse to heed the demands of the humanity.

The anti-tobacco crusade started by citizens of this town should have the support of every person having the good of the young boys at heart. The TIMES will, for the sake of argument, admit that methods of curtailing the growing evil may differ. It will agree that many people are sincere in the belief that moral suasion is the key to the cure. There is no question that in many cases the enforcement of law drives the youth to concealment in order to practice the smoking habit. To a large extent it is up to the parents to stop the practice by careful watching and education against the harm of cigarettes. But there is a question or two of the question that should not be lost sight of for a minute. The superintendent of the schools has it in his power to stop all smoking in the school grounds at all times. He can not authorize him from the school laws and from the state anti-tobacco law. There is no excuse for allowing it on the school grounds, no matter what the attitude of the parents may be on the question. There is no excuse for his interpretation of the attitude of the public regarding the law enforcement. His attitude should be that any law should be enforced, good or bad. Nor are the probation officers less culpable because of the lack of sympathy given toward enforcement. Their sworn duty points only one direction and they should not hesitate because any objection or obstacle presented by any independent or any other private citizen. Public opinion does not constitute the idea of any one man or set of men. It is too broad in its scope to be dictated by any class. The state is plain and broad no interpretation from the superintendent of the public school as to the extent of enforcement. If boys are arrested it is their duty to the parents to see that the law is not repeated. When such action is the policy of the probation officer and he lives up to the law, there can be no criticism of his conduct. In such action the parental responsibility is thrust home and cannot be overlooked by any true parent.

STARVING THE RAILROADS.
Financial starvation, our railroads say, is the fate confronting them unless they are permitted to increase their freight rates. So true, in fact, is the condition of our great transportation system, according to the testimony of railroad men, that it is only alternative to increased rates is government ownership. "The margin between what we are taking in and what we are paying out is steadily getting narrower, and we are suffering from slow starvation," declares W. C. Maxwell, traffic manager of the Washburn, and this statement virtually summarizes the evidence laid before the Interstate Commerce Commission last week, when it listened to the plea of the eastern railroads—those in the territory east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio and Potomac rivers—for a 5 per cent. rate increase. The shipping side of the case is to be heard later. The advances asked for, according to a railroad official quoted in the New York Journal of Commerce, "would add between \$35,000,000 and \$40,000,000 to the revenues of the railroads involved," and of this total "about 50 per cent. would accrue to the three main systems, the Pennsylvania, the New York Central, and the Baltimore & Ohio."

As explained to the commission by Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio, the railroads of the country have felt the burden of the increased cost of living like all other enterprises or individuals, "but, unlike all others, have not been permitted so far to raise their prices or adjust their charges in recognition of that burden." Mr. Willard submitted figures to show that since 1910 the petitioning railroads have spent more than \$200,000,000 in additions and improvements, while their net income in the same period has decreased more than \$15,000,000, because operating expenses have increased faster than operating revenues. "These companies," he said, "apparently not only failed to earn any return whatever on the new capital invested, but saved even less from gross earnings, as returned upon the original property investment, than they were able to show before this large additional expenditure was made." Wage payments, he pointed out, "have gone up by leaps and bounds, largely as a result of mediation arbitration proceedings," and he cited the recent award of \$6,000,000 annually in increased wages to conductors and trainmen as an instance. Moreover, "the effect of the so-called 'full cost' laws has been to increase the expenses of these carriers more than \$1,000,000 per annum." The commission's decision in this case, argued Mr. Willard, "will mark an epoch in the history of the industry, deciding whether the industry shall continue as in the past to look to private capital and private enterprise for its transportation requirements, or be compelled finally to accept the only alternative feasible—government ownership and control."

Wages and the cost of living have advanced throughout Europe in much the same way that they have in the United States, remarks the New York Globe, and, as European conditions, like ours, "are feeling the burden severely." "While many shippers and a large part of the public are opposing advances in freight rates in the United States, European countries have authorized them in many important cases, and the road owned by the government have not hesitated to put additional burdens on every one who travels or ships goods."

"The work of starving the railroads to death is difficult of demonstration," remarks the Brooklyn Eagle and the New Sun thinks that "the case for the railroads, in the main, is clear as crystal." Among other matters which concede the justice of the railroads' petition are the New York Tribune, Herald, Press, Times, and Journal of Commerce, and the Baltimore Sun and News. The Boston Transcript, however, thinks that if the railroads with the desired increase "will hardly be without challenge," for while the larger shippers are disposed to accept the higher rates "the small ones are more numerous and have already filed a formidable batch of petitions against any change." And in the Chicago Tribune we read:

"Railroads are not only suffering from the sins of the past; they are suffering from the minor faults of the present management. A wiser adoption of 'the public be pleased' policy would result in creating a public opinion more favorable to the railroads and their needs than yet exists—and that would be not merely for their benefit, but for that of the public. For it is a fact that the unjust and excessive hostility against the common carriers react finally against the shipper and consumer—upon the whole system, whose economic health and prosperous growth depend upon an adequate system of transportation."

literary Digest.

for is it not hard to conceive of a business without day book or ledger? Every household should keep a regular account of all earnings and expenditures. Only in this way can you be able to make up a domestic budget intelligently and know just where your money is going and how much you can afford to spend in any given direction. Thus an orderly person will know beforehand what is required and will be provided with the necessary means of obtaining it.

But it must be on a more detailed plan than that of the wife whose accounting consisted of these two entries: "On one side—'Received from John, \$50.00,' and on the other side—'Spent it all.'"

The work of the home consists of several distinct occupations. The housewife, in conducting the affairs of the home, performs the duties of a hotel keeper in providing bed and shelter, the work of a caterer in providing food, the work of the laundry in the various cleansing processes, the work of the nursery in caring for the children, and many other duties that are considered separate occupations outside the home, but which in householding are classed as one occupation.

For one person, and one supposed to be conducted with economy. Great as this task is in itself, it is usually made more difficult through the absence of any regular method of handling the various items of income and expense.

The very best way to reduce expenses is to itemize everything and set it down in black and white, and then cut out each item. This means faulting one's output in a practical way. It may be unpleasant but, after all, one can be economical and yet respectable and comfortable if it is done with a cheerful spirit and in a dignified way.

There are specially prepared books for household accounts which may be procured cheaply, or you can make one to suit your own requirements from a blank book such as can be obtained at any stationery store. Here is a plan which you will find entirely feasible:

Get a book with pages about twelve inches. Then rule each two facing pages vertically so that there are, say, eighteen columns. The first space on the left is for the names of the various items of receipt and expenditure from day to day. The second column is for the amounts of the items of income received, the third column is for the figures of expenditure, and the fifteen remaining columns group the two pages are for the classification of the various items carried out from Column 2. For example, assume such division of the book on this: Column 1, receipts; 2, expenditures; 3, food; 4, clothing; 5, help; 6, savings bank or real estate; 7, insurance; 8, carfare; 9, recreation; 10, gifts; 11, fuel and light; 12, water and sewer; 13, furniture; 14, fees; 15, doctors and medicine; 16, lawn and garden; 17, miscellaneous expenses.

Foot up each column at the bottom of each page and carry it forward to the top of the next, checking the correctness of your bookkeeping by seeing that on the grand total of the totals of the last fifteen columns, equals the total of column 2. Start anew each month and then you can easily compare the figures of one month with those of another in the same year, or you can make a comparison of corresponding months in different years. At the end of the year you can add up the monthly totals to get the totals for year.

The experience of one thrifty woman along this line was described in a woman's magazine, as follows:

At the beginning of the year we make our apartment for groceries, meat, clothes, house furnishings, etc., on the basis of past experience and anticipated needs. This is one of the most important features of our system. It is where the finances of many a family are wrecked. Suppose our income is \$100 a month, we must not spend as much as that, nor nearly as much, for we must provide for the inevitable "rainy day."

TALKS ON THRIFT

No. 25.—HOUSEHOLD ACCOUNTING.

"Experience teaches that it is the men and women who pay attention to small savings that become wealthy. By saving nickels and dimes, a thrifty person lays the foundation of a fortune,"—Jas. A. Garfield.

It pays to run the financial end of a home on business principles, and accurate accounting is one of the fundamentals of good business.

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Every household should keep a regular account of all earnings and expenditures. Only in this way can you be able to make up a domestic budget intelligently and know just where your money is going and how much you can afford to spend in any given direction. Thus an orderly person will know beforehand what is required and will be provided with the necessary means of obtaining it.

But it must be on a more detailed plan than that of the wife whose accounting consisted of these two entries: "On one side—'Received from John, \$50.00,' and on the other side—'Spent it all.'"

The work of the home consists of several distinct occupations. The housewife, in conducting the affairs of the home, performs the duties of a hotel keeper in providing bed and shelter, the work of a caterer in providing food, the work of the laundry in the various cleansing processes, the work of the nursery in caring for the children, and many other duties that are considered separate occupations outside the home, but which in householding are classed as one occupation.

For one person, and one supposed to be conducted with economy. Great as this task is in itself, it is usually made more difficult through the absence of any regular method of handling the various items of income and expense.

The very best way to reduce expenses is to itemize everything and set it down in black and white, and then cut out each item. This means faulting one's output in a practical way. It may be unpleasant but, after all, one can be economical and yet respectable and comfortable if it is done with a cheerful spirit and in a dignified way.

There are specially prepared books for household accounts which may be procured cheaply, or you can make one to suit your own requirements from a blank book such as can be obtained at any stationery store. Here is a plan which you will find entirely feasible:

Get a book with pages about twelve inches. Then rule each two facing pages vertically so that there are, say, eighteen columns. The first space on the left is for the names of the various items of receipt and expenditure from day to day. The second column is for the amounts of the items of income received, the third column is for the figures of expenditure, and the fifteen remaining columns group the two pages are for the classification of the various items carried out from Column 2. For example, assume such division of the book on this: Column 1, receipts; 2, expenditures; 3, food; 4, clothing; 5, help; 6, savings bank or real estate; 7, insurance; 8, carfare; 9, recreation; 10, gifts; 11, fuel and light; 12, water and sewer; 13, furniture; 14, fees; 15, doctors and medicine; 16, lawn and garden; 17, miscellaneous expenses.

Foot up each column at the bottom of each page and carry it forward to the top of the next, checking the correctness of your bookkeeping by seeing that on the grand total of the totals of the last fifteen columns, equals the total of column 2. Start anew each month and then you can easily compare the figures of one month with those of another in the same year, or you can make a comparison of corresponding months in different years. At the end of the year you can add up the monthly totals to get the totals for year.

The experience of one thrifty woman along this line was described in a woman's magazine, as follows:

At the beginning of the year we make our apartment for groceries, meat, clothes, house furnishings, etc., on the basis of past experience and anticipated needs. This is one of the most important features of our system. It is where the finances of many a family are wrecked. Suppose our income is \$100 a month, we must not spend as much as that, nor nearly as much, for we must provide for the inevitable "rainy day."

TALKS ON THRIFT

No. 25.—HOUSEHOLD ACCOUNTING.

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If every family would set its face like flint on this point, many a disaster would be avoided. After our estimates are made, we add up our figures. Alas, we find that we have planned to spend over a hundred dollars more than our income, counting the little margin allowed for the savings bank. What shall we do? Cut down on the savings account? No, never, but we need about to cut off a little here and there until the total comes within our income. Do we live up to our estimate in all we exceed our allowance in one department we cut down in another and always come through the twelve months with a little to spare over our total estimate. This plan requires surprisingly little time and there is the satisfaction of knowing that you are to have something to show for it all in the future.

It is a wise rule to net aside a certain per cent of your income regularly, considering that this per cent is insurance against the future. Look upon it as a debt which must be paid. As your income increases, your savings will increase.

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BERGER BULLETINS.

Berger, Ida, Dec. 8, 1912.

A cold wave has struck the Salmon river country, and the people of old man Horens is certainly felt.

Mother Horens has dressed her appearance and is now dressed in white robe.

L. O. Evans left for Nibranika, his home state, Monday. He will be absent some two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Vanuvelde paid a visit to the city of the week.

Herman Griff has departed for his former home, Leadville, Colo. He will return in the spring.

Prof. Lawell and family were Twin Falls visitors the latter end of last week.

John, Johnson was visiting friends in Twin Falls the first of the week.

A Hayes, who has been clearing and improving his 80-acre ranch, has returned home at Leadville, Colo. He expects to return in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McMillan were passengers for Twin Falls Saturday. They returned Sunday.

Levi Hunsard departed for Iowa Saturday to visit his father, who is seriously ill. He will also go to Sioux Falls, S. D., to visit a brother there.

At the invitation of L. O. Evans a number of friends ate Thanksgiving dinner at the elegant home of Mr. and Mrs. Evans. Among those who were present were: W. W. Powell, J. Griffith, Fred Haskard, H. P. Gibson, C. I. E. and Benjamin Erickson. You see and the other guests had justice to the good things that were spread before us, and all wished that Thanksgiving would come often.

R. N. Reed and family moved to their fruit ranch near Buhl, Friday. Mr. Reed had rented his farm near Beger to Mr. Sumner for a term of three years. We regret to see the Reeds leave our midst, but what is our loss is Buhl's gain. We hope, however, to see them return in the near future.

A. G. Jordan and family of California are visiting here. They are highly pleased with this section of country and will perhaps, decide to locate here.

T. A. Satterton, the real estate dealer, departed for Minneapolis, Minn., Monday. He will be absent a week or ten days.

H. Lammer, who is confined to his bed with typhoid pneumonia, is on the way to recovery, we are pleased to note.

Mr. Finny of Illinois, in company with his son, L. E., were Salmon river tract visitors Thursday. Mr. Finny was highly pleased with our section of country.

Mrs. Pierce was over to Buhl Friday, taking over a load of household goods for R. N. Reed.

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- 80 acres 3 miles west of Twin Falls, all good land, on main road, 60 acres has been in clover and alfalfa. For sale at \$100 per acre. \$2000 cash, bal. 5 years at 6 per cent, or will rent for \$7.50 per acre. This is the best buy on the market today near Twin Falls.
- 5-roomed plastered home, well located, 50-foot lot, near high school and Lincoln school buildings. Will sell for \$1100 for clear title, \$250 cash. Bal. \$22.50 per month. Think of it, a 5-roomed bungalow for \$1100.

Trades of All Kinds

- Good 8-room house, 7th Ave. N., to trade for farm. Will consider land on Miller negotiation.
- 4-roomed house to trade for acreage near Twin Falls.
- 20 acres 3 miles of Twin Falls, to trade for Oklahoma land.

Local and Personal

Ed Brown of Ithul, was a business visitor in the city for a day the first of the week.

J. Z. Barnes of Boise, was a business visitor in the city for a day the middle of the week.

C. J. Syverson transacted business in the county seat Tuesday from his home in Ithul.

F. Patterson transacted business in the county seat Tuesday from his home in Ithul.

J. H. Harvey was in the city for several days of this week from Dolé transacting business.

Attorney P. W. Monahan transacted business in the county seat for a day the first of the week.

C. E. Johnson was a business visitor in the Magic City for a day or two of this week from Dolé.

Ben. H. Marshall transacted business in the county seat for a day the middle of the week from Milner.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. House and daughter have returned to Twin Falls from an extended trip in the east.

H. E. Secor was looking after business affairs in Twin Falls Tuesday from his home in the Hagerman valley.

County Commissioner O. G. Zuck has been in the city for several days of this week attending to county business.

W. H. Turner, cashier of the Kimberly State bank, transacted business in the county seat for a day the first of the week.

P. E. Duanali, one of the prominent business men of the growing little city of Hagerman, was in the city Tuesday on business.

C. W. Case, one of the prominent business men of Milner, transacted business in the county seat for a day the middle of the week.

J. H. Ward arrived in Twin Falls Tuesday from Evanston, Wyoming, and will be here for some time looking after business matters.

H. Williams, who lately sold his interest in the Twin Falls Laundry, will leave in a short time for California, where he expects to locate.

H. L. Austin, local manager of the Gem State Lumber company, at Milner, was a business visitor in Twin Falls Wednesday of this week.

Thomas Higgins, the Three Creek merchant and postmaster, was in the city for several days of this week being called here on business.

B. H. Hall, at one time a resident of this city, but now located in Hurley, was a business visitor in Twin Falls for a day the first of the week.

James McCoy, the well-known mining man of the Jarbidge district, arrived in the city the first of the week and will remain for several days.

Attorney J. C. Rogers and wife were in the city for a day the middle of the week. Mr. Rogers was looking after local business in the district court.

On Monday, December 8, Justice W. J. Smith was called to the court house where he united in marriage Howard Fletcher and Miss Hattie Witt, both of Hansen.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Darlington and children passed through the city on their way to their home in Hollister after visiting for several days with relatives in Dolé.

On Friday, December 5, Justice W. J. Smith joined in marriage Alfred D. Lee and Miss Alta V. Tolman, both of Murkuth. The ceremony was performed at the court house in the presence of the necessary witnesses. The young people will make their home in the Murkuth neighborhood.

Ernest K. Miller, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

E. A. Wolfe boarded the afternoon train for Twin Falls-Wood River Times.

W. S. Hearene was in the city for a day the middle of the week from Dolé.

H. M. Miller was in the city Wednesday from his home in Ithul, transacting business.

Mrs. Corilla J. Robbins of Dolé, is visiting in the city at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walters.

L. A. Shepherd was in the county seat Wednesday from Milner looking after business.

L. R. Francis, who arrived in Ithul yesterday, returned to his home in Twin Falls this afternoon.

Mrs. J. F. Guffelt left Sunday evening for Oronago where she will spend the winter with relatives.

H. T. Whitcomb was a business visitor in the Magic City for a day the middle of the week from his home in Dolé.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Walters of the Three Creek neighborhood, in this city, Tuesday, December 9, a daughter.

J. C. Gates, one of the prominent farmers of the Ithul neighborhood, transacted business in the county seat yesterday.

Mrs. F. M. Buckley passed through the city last week from Jarbidge on her way to California, where she will spend the winter.

C. J. Shanel, fruit inspector for the Oregon Short Line, was in the city for a day or two this week on business for the company.

R. E. Brown, who is engaged in the stock business in the Ithul neighborhood, transacted business in the county seat yesterday.

Charles Hushaw of the Great Shoshone and Twin Falls Light and Power company, transacted business on the west end of the tract yesterday.

Mrs. Oliver Harstad entertained the Monday Five Hundred club this week.

Mrs. J. H. Wase had high school, and Mrs. H. C. Hanzel qualified for the consolation.

T. G. Wilson, the well-known farmer and stockman of the Eden Heights neighborhood on the North side, spent several days in the city this week looking after business affairs.

B. T. Montgomery, assistant general manager of the Idaho State Life Insurance company, was a business visitor in the city for several days of this week from his headquarters in Dolé.

J. C. Vandever, one of the pioneers of the Snake river valley, who owns a ranch and stock business near the Twin Falls, transacted business in the city for several days of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. McCallister will leave the first of the week for Los Angeles, California, where they will spend the winter. They will locate some where in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Harrell were in the city Tuesday from Rock Creek. Mr. Harrell is wintering his cattle in that neighborhood and ranges them in the winter months of the Salmon during the summer.

Ed Landon was arrested the last of the week on the charge of selling liquor contrary to the local option law. On Tuesday he had his hearing before Probate Judge Shank and was held to the district court, the bond being placed at \$500.

On Tuesday evening of this week a party of visitors from Dolé went to Curry to attend the opening exercises of the new school house, which was erected to replace the one recently destroyed by fire. They report as having had a very pleasant time.

Sheriff H. C. Vannusdelt left Tuesday evening for Dolé where he will secure registration papers from Governor Haines, which will be presented to Governor West of Oregon for the return of a party to this county. The man is wanted for making way with portmanteau property and has been located in Oregon.

Rev. W. E. Henry, pastor of the First Baptist church, returned to the first of the week from Shoshone, Gooding, Wendell, Rupert and Ithul, where he has been engaged in a series of meetings, which was conducted by the Baptist church. The convention was held under the auspices of the Idaho Baptist convention.

Glenn O. Street, the genial pastor of the MacMillan School Supply company, came in this morning on his return trip and states that everything is in the Twin Falls section of the state is hitting the high prosperity gait, and that the people have great plans for the next season. School conditions throughout the entire state are progressing at a rate that should be gratifying to everybody. Prospects for the future are bright.

Upwards of 300 people will participate in the exercises at the Christian church next Sunday evening. The local auxiliary to Christian Woman's Board of Missions of that church will present a musical program in which every field, foreign and home, in which that society is doing work will be represented. An far

as possible the representatives will be chosen according to the custom of the country represented.

Such countries include India, Africa, South America, Porto Rico, Jamaica, Mexico, Canada, and the United States.

Special arrangements have been made for extra chairs for the accommodation of the anticipated throng that will be present.

The services at the Methodist church Sunday next will be as follows: Sunday school at 10:00. Prayer class at 12:15. Barren class at 1:00. Epworth League at 6:30. Junior League at 11:00. Morning sermon at 12:00. Subject, "A Significant Determination." Evening sermon at 7:30. Subject, "The Snake of the Sea." The choir will sing the offertory and orchestra in the evening.

First Christian church, corner of Second street and Fourth avenue east. Elder Walter E. Harmon, minister. Morning worship and sermon at 11:00. Subject, "The Operation of the Holy Spirit in Conversion." The live wire C. E. will meet at the minister's office at 6:30. This is a new service for ladies and girls only. Their ages range from 12 to 16. Parents should arrange to have their boys and girls come to this society. Senior C. E. in the church basement at 6:30. Topic, "Lesson from the Men and Women of the Bible." Nov. 11-19. Evening services at 7:30 in charge of the C. W. M. Union. The whole gospel and a glad hand at the Christmas church.

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Wants Western Delegations to Congress.

In discussing legislation desired by the recently, Congressman Smith expressed a sentiment which will find a hearty response in the hearts of all true Idahoans. He said: "Recent developments convince me that it may be necessary for western delegations to ask union on certain measures, as a matter of self-protection."

"If we do not we will be denied many things which are entitled, and some of which we have long enjoyed will be taken away from us. The eastern section of the country is particularly favored because of the fact that they are all divided regarding the legislative needs of the central and eastern part of the country, but they are not ready to inform themselves in regard to the great Rocky Mountain and Pacific coast states and, as a consequence, they are handicapped by lack of information when questions peculiarly applicable to that section are under consideration. What actual knowledge can the new members have of the legislative needs of that country who has never been west of the Mississippi river? What can he know about the necessity of proposed changes in the homestead laws, the desert land laws, the dry farming act, the reclamation law, the mining law, and numerous other laws affecting the country? And yet we all know in instances, many of them, where members refuse to follow the opinion of those who know by actual experience and observation the hardship imposed on the pioneer farmer because of the unjust provisions of our public land laws."

"It seems to me that every member of the committee on public lands, mines and mining, irrigation and agricultural lands should be expected to make a trip through the west at government expense if necessary in order that he may have first hand information before he is called upon to consider in a responsible way legislation affecting the interests of that section of the country."

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Prices Blown to Atoms!

THE MOST GIGANTIC SALE OF MEN'S WEAR OF THE YEAR

Low Prices That Demand Your Attention

MEN, you cannot afford to let this opportunity go by, because it means that these prices are at the very lowest point. Profit has been disregarded. Our one and only aim is to reduce our tremendous stocks as quickly as possible. Supply your future needs at these reductions. You'll surely profit by it, for nowhere can you find more attractive values than are offered in this sale. Everything that man or boy wears can be bought at a wonderful saving during this event, so it is up to you to profit by these offerings, and remember those that attend first are sure to get the cream, notwithstanding the unusual large stocks to select from. So our advice is to come early. Even though you feel that you are not in any immediate need of winter apparel, come if only to satisfy curiosity. We feel sure that these low-priced offerings will appeal to you and convince you that it is to your benefit to buy now.



Lot No. 1 Men's Suits
that are
priced from \$10 to \$13.50
on sale now at

\$8.95 **\$8.95**

Men's Suits Divided Into Five Price Lots

We have divided our entire stock of Men's Suits in five different price lots, and these prices are so low that rapid selling will be the result. We do not carry the ordinary kind of clothes, but clothes of the very highest character, such as Adler, Michael Sterns, etc., garments that are made by the most skilled tailors in the land—clothing that we are proud to guarantee, because we know how well they are made, and are bound to give the utmost satisfaction in wear and style. Every garment embodies the newest style effects and the materials are guaranteed woolsens. What more can you ask?

Lot No. 3 Men's Suits
that are
priced from \$18.50 to \$20
on sale at

\$13.95 **\$13.95**

Lot No. 2 Men's Suits
that are
priced from \$15 to \$16.50
on sale now at

\$11.45 **\$11.45**

Lot No. 5
Suits from 27.50 to \$30
at

\$22.45 **\$22.45**

Lot No. 4 Men's Suits
that are
priced from \$22.50 to \$25
on sale now at

\$17.95 **\$17.95**

Shirts

Men's regular 75c value
Golf shirts in all sizes
and patterns, on
sale at only each 49c

Neckwear

Men's regular 50c value
silk four-in-hand ties on
special sale at each 39c

Neckwear

Men's regular \$1.50 to
\$2.00 value silk four-in-
hand ties on special
sale at each \$1.19

Neckwear

Men's regular 10c value
silk four-in-hand ties
on special sale
only, each 19c

Men's Hats

One lot of Men's Stet-
son hats, all shapes and
sizes, on sale at
only, each \$2.95

Suits

One lot of young men's
suits, in values up to
\$15. Your choice
of the lot, \$4.95

Underwear

Men's silk and wool
two-piece garments
worth \$3.50 each, on
sale at only \$2.45

Overcoats

One lot of young men's
overcoats ranging in
price from \$4.50 to
\$12.50, choice, \$4.95

Men's Coats at the Following Reductions

\$12.50 value Men's Overcoats reduced to, and are now on sale at \$9.95
\$15.00 value Men's Overcoats reduced to, and are now on sale at \$11.45
\$16.50 value Men's Overcoats reduced to, and are now on sale at \$12.45
\$18.50 value Men's Overcoats reduced to, and are now on sale at \$13.95
\$20.00 value Men's Overcoats reduced to, and are now on sale at \$14.95
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\$27.50 value Men's Overcoats reduced to, and are now on sale at \$19.95
\$30.00 value Men's Overcoats reduced to, and are now on sale at \$22.45

Boys' Suits at Un-usual Reductions

Boys' Knee Pant Suits in Knickerbocker style, in Gray, Tan, Browns and Fancy Mixtures and range in sizes from 6 to 16 years, at following reductions:
\$2.50 value Boys' Suits now on sale at \$1.69
\$3.00 value Boys' Suits now on sale at \$1.95
\$3.50 value Boys' Suits now on sale at \$2.45
\$4.00 value Boys' Suits now on sale at \$2.95
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\$5.00 value Boys' Suits now on sale at \$3.95
\$5.50 value Boys' Suits now on sale at \$4.25
\$6.00 value Boys' Suits now on sale at \$4.75
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\$7.00 value Boys' Suits now on sale at \$5.19
\$7.50 value Boys' Suits now on sale at \$5.49
\$8.00 value Boys' Suits now on sale at \$5.95
\$8.50 value Boys' Suits now on sale at \$6.95
\$9.00 value Boys' Suits now on sale at \$7.19
\$9.50 value Boys' Suits now on sale at \$7.95
\$10.00 value Boys' Suits now on sale at \$8.39

SALE STARTS
Saturday, 13

Boys' Hats

75c Hats now at 49c
\$1.00 Hats now at 73c
\$1.25 Hats now at 98
\$1.50 Hats now at \$1.19
\$1.75 Hats now at \$1.39

Men's Sweaters at Following Reductions

\$2.75 regular value Men's Sweaters now reduced to, and on sale at \$1.95
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\$5.00 regular value Men's Sweaters now reduced to, and on sale at \$4.49

Sizes range from 36 to 46 in
Gray, Brown, Tan or Red

Women's \$4.00 Shoes \$3.45

One lot Russia Calf Shoes in Tan, Button style, all on the new high last, all sizes and widths, marked \$4.50 and \$5.00, on sale at \$3.45

\$3.50 Gunmetal Shoes \$2.45

One lot Women's Gun Metal and Patent Calf Button and Blucher styles, worth \$2.75 and \$3.00, now at preholiday sale prices, \$2.45

\$2.35 One lot of Ladies' Patent Calf and Tan Calf Button and Blucher Shoes, made with low heels, suitable for dress and school wear, all sizes from 2 1/2 to 6, marked \$2.75 to \$3.00, on sale at \$2.35

Every pair Misses' and Children's Patent Calf and Russia Calf Shoes in Tan, all sizes, on sale at following prices:
11 1/2 to 2, were \$2.25, at \$1.95
8 1/2 to 11, were \$2.00, at \$1.69
5 to 8, were \$1.75, at \$1.39

Boy's Shoes

One lot Boys' Black Calf Button Shoes, a dependable school shoe, sold regular at sizes—
2 1/2 to 5 1/2, \$2.34, at \$2.15
5 1/2 to 7, \$2.15, at \$1.95
7 to 9, \$1.95, at \$1.70

Women's \$5.00 Shoes \$3.95

One lot Ladies' Patent Calf and Gun Metal 16-Button extra high tops, marked \$5.00, on sale at pre-holiday prices \$3.95

\$5 to \$6.50 Shoes at \$3.95

60 pairs Women's 14- and 16-inch Tan Calf and Gray Elk Lace Boots, suitable for fancy or sporting wear, worth \$5.00 to \$6.50, \$3.95

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\$3 Men's Shoes \$3.39

Women's Felt Slippers, \$1.00 pairs, broken lines, at following reductions:
\$1.75 values at \$1.29
\$2.00 values at \$1.69

\$5 Shoes at \$2.95

One lot of Tilt and Nettleton's Tan Calf, Gun Metal and Vici Kid Shoes, formerly priced at \$5.00 to \$6.00, on sale at \$2.95

\$2.39

Every pair Men's Patent Calf Shoes in the house, Nettleton and Tilt makes, in Button and Blucher styles, worth \$5.00 to \$6.50, on sale at \$2.95

\$2.95

Suit Cases

Your choice of any suit case, bag or trunk in stock a reduction of 20 per cent

Underwear

Men's heavy cotton ribbed underwear in separate garments, on sale at each 39c

Work Shirts

Men's work shirts, come in full sizes and well made, on sale at each 39c

Wool Hose

Men's extra heavy wool hose, extra warm hose of very good quality, at pair 49c

Boys Underwear

Boys' wool underwear, extra well made and very serviceable, on special sale at only, each 39c

Men's Hose

Men's black and tan hose, well made and serviceable, an extra special, at pair 8c

Underwear

Men's regular \$1.25 cotton ribbed underwear in separate garments, on sale at each 98c

Union Suits

Regular \$5.00 values men's union suits, super fine garment, on sale at each \$2.95

Men's Hose

Men's Rockford hose, an excellent sock for hard wear, on special sale, at per pair 8c



IDAHO DEPARTMENT STORE

A SALE THAT WILL ATTRACT ALL CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS

SALE STARTS SATURDAY

There's A Strong Appeal to The Thrifty Buyers In These Popular Low Priced Christmas Offerings

Startling Reductions in our Stock of Cloaking Materials

These Cloakings include Astrakhans, Chinchillas, Zobelins, Fancy Plaids, Eponge, Fancy Mixtures and Plain Materials in every desirable color, at the following reductions:

- \$2.00 Cloaking Materials are now on sale at per yard for \$1.29
- \$2.50 Cloaking Materials are now on sale at per yard for \$1.49
- \$2.75 Cloaking Materials are now on sale at per yard for \$1.69
- \$3.00 Cloaking Materials are now on sale at per yard for \$1.98
- \$4.00 Cloaking Materials are now on sale at per yard for \$2.49
- \$4.50 Cloaking Materials are now on sale at per yard for \$2.99
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- \$6.00 Cloaking Materials are now on sale at per yard for \$3.95

Here's a Bargain for Those Desiring Outing Flannels

Regular 10c Values, all Colors

Your Choice at 8 1-3c Yard

Outing Flannel Gowns

\$1.00 Outing Flannel Gowns, Xmas Offerings, now on sale at 89c
 \$1.25 Outing Flannel Gowns, Xmas Offerings, now on sale at 89c
 \$1.50 Outing Flannel Gowns, Xmas Offerings, now on sale at \$1.19

THIS sale with its many low priced bargains will be as a magnet to Xmas buyers. The prices are wonderfully low, and will mean a great saving on many holiday purchases. The prices now are the very lowest of the season, with Xmas just 12 days from the opening day of this sale. Don't you think you had better hurry and buy while the selections are still good, and at the very lowest prices in town. Just glance over the various offerings from the different departments. You'll find many desirable suggestions wherein you can save quite a sum. Don't wait a minute, but be among the first to share in an event that is unusual in every respect. Low prices at a most seasonable time.

Hand Bags

Xmas offerings at reduced prices

This lot includes bags that sold regular from \$2.50 to \$4.50, in fancy leathers and color leathers. We desire to close out the entire lot during next week at **98c**

- \$ 6.00 value Hand Bags, Xmas Offerings, are now on sale at \$4.89
- \$ 7.50 value Hand Bags, Xmas Offerings, are now on sale at \$4.95
- \$ 8.50 value Hand Bags, Xmas Offerings, are now on sale at \$5.95
- \$10.00 value Hand Bags, Xmas Offerings, are now on sale at \$7.95

Holiday Dress Goods Specials

\$1.25 Black Dress Goods at 69c
 A special lot of black Dress Goods in Mohair and Voiles. They come in 48-inch width, and sold regular for \$1.25, now on sale at **69c**

65c Dress Goods on Sale at 39c

Regular 65c value Dress Goods in colors Grey and Tan in stripe effects. This is an exceptionally low price value, now on sale at **39c**

Something New, Woolen Plaids on Sale at Reduced Prices

New arrivals in Fancy Woolen Plaids in red, blue and brown, comes in 56-inch width and sells regular for \$2.50 a yard, now on sale at **\$1.95**

\$4 Brocade Poplins at \$2.95

Beautiful brocade Irish Silk Poplins in colors new blue and mahogany in 40-inch widths that sold regular for \$4.00 a yard, now on sale at **\$2.95**

\$2.75 Brocade Charmeuse \$1.95

Pretty brocade Charmeuse in light blue and yellow, in 40-inch widths that sold regular for \$2.75 a yard, now on sale at **\$1.95**

Our Entire Stock of Women's Tailored Suits on Sale at One-Half Price

Extra Special--One Lot of Children's Coats on Sale at \$2.95

You'll find exceptional good bargains in this lot, as coats here are worth over twice the amount they are on sale for. Every garment well made and range in size from 6 to 14 years, at **2.95**

Here's a Great Opportunity --Children's Coats at Startling Reductions

Children's Coats that are reduced to the extreme limit, all new styles, some in Balkan effects, others in various models, new and desirable materials, and they range in size from 6 to 14 years, at the following reductions:

- \$ 3.50 value Children's Coats are now reduced to \$2.69
- \$ 4.00 value Children's Coats are now reduced to \$2.95
- \$ 4.50 value Children's Coats are now reduced to \$3.45
- \$ 5.50 value Children's Coats are now reduced to \$3.95
- \$ 6.50 value Children's Coats are now reduced to \$4.95
- \$ 7.00 value Children's Coats are now reduced to \$5.45
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- \$ 8.50 value Children's Coats are now reduced to \$6.45
- \$ 9.00 value Children's Coats are now reduced to \$6.95
- \$11.50 value Children's Coats are now reduced to \$8.95
- \$12.50 value Children's Coats are now reduced to \$9.95

Women's Silk Petticoats at Radical Reductions

Some one will appreciate a Silk Petticoat as a Gift

When we say Suits at Half Price we mean it--every suit in stock included in this Half Price Sale, and they are the cream of this season's newest style effects, every garment as finely tailored as can be. This is an opportunity that should be taken advantage of by everyone contemplating buying a suit or an extra suit for that matter, when you can buy it at half their regular value. Other garments throughout the Suit Department are greatly reduced, too. Just glance over the reductions given and judge for yourself if this is not the best Reduction Sale of Wearing Apparel of the season.

Tailored Suits at Following Reductions

\$12.50 Women's Tailored Suits at \$ 6.25	\$30.00 Women's Tailored Suits at \$15.00
\$13.50 Women's Tailored Suits at \$ 6.75	\$32.50 Women's Tailored Suits at \$16.25
\$15.00 Women's Tailored Suits at \$ 7.50	\$35.00 Women's Tailored Suits at \$17.50
\$16.50 Women's Tailored Suits at \$ 8.25	\$37.50 Women's Tailored Suits at \$18.75
\$18.50 Women's Tailored Suits at \$ 9.25	\$40.00 Women's Tailored Suits at \$20.00
\$20.00 Women's Tailored Suits at \$10.00	\$42.50 Women's Tailored Suits at \$21.25
\$22.50 Women's Tailored Suits at \$11.25	\$45.00 Women's Tailored Suits at \$22.50
\$25.00 Women's Tailored Suits at \$12.50	\$47.50 Women's Tailored Suits at \$23.75
\$27.50 Women's Tailored Suits at \$13.75	\$50.00 Women's Tailored Suits at \$25.00

Our entire stock of Dress Skirts at reductions that will appeal.

Every wanted size and material included in this sale--come.

Women's Dresses on Sale at the Following Reductions

- \$10.00 Women's Dresses are now on sale at \$7.95
- \$12.00 Women's Dresses are now on sale at \$9.45
- \$12.50 Women's Dresses are now on sale at \$9.95
- \$13.00 Women's Dresses are now on sale at \$10.45
- \$15.00 Women's Dresses are now on sale at \$11.95
- \$16.50 Women's Dresses are now on sale at \$12.95
- \$17.00 Women's Dresses are now on sale at \$13.95
- \$18.50 Women's Dresses are now on sale at \$14.75
- \$20.00 Women's Dresses are now on sale at \$15.95
- \$22.50 Women's Dresses are now on sale at \$17.95

Women's Coats Reduced at an Opportune Time

\$ 7.00 Coats now \$ 4.95	\$13.50 Coats now \$10.45
\$ 7.50 Coats now \$ 5.95	\$15.00 Coats now \$12.45
\$ 8.00 Coats now \$ 6.45	\$16.50 Coats now \$13.45
\$ 8.50 Coats now \$ 6.95	\$18.50 Coats now \$14.45
\$ 9.00 Coats now \$ 7.25	\$20.00 Coats now \$16.45
\$ 9.50 Coats now \$ 7.45	\$22.50 Coats now \$18.45
\$10.00 Coats now \$ 7.95	\$25.00 Coats now \$19.45
\$10.50 Coats now \$ 8.45	\$27.50 Coats now \$20.45
\$11.50 Coats now \$ 9.25	\$30.00 Coats now \$22.45
\$12.00 Coats now \$ 9.45	\$32.50 Coats now \$24.45
\$12.50 Coats now \$ 9.95	\$35.00 Coats now \$27.45

Women's Waists are Included in this Sale

An almost endless variety to select from

A HOLIDAY SALE OF RUGS—Makes a 20% OFF Very Generous Gift Too. Our Entire Stock Included 20% OFF

Rugs 20 Per Cent Off

- \$ 5.00 value Ingrain Rug, size 3x2½ yards, now on sale at only \$ 4.00
- \$ 6.00 value Ingrain Rug, size 3x3 yards, now on sale at only \$ 4.80
- \$ 7.50 value Ingrain Rug, size 3x4 yards, now on sale at only \$ 6.00
- \$10.50 value Brussels Fibre Rug, size 6x9, now on sale at only \$ 8.40
- \$12.50 value Ingrain Rug, size 8-3x10-6 ft. now on sale at only \$10.00
- \$15.00 value Fibre Rug, size 8-3x10-6 ft., on sale at only \$12.00
- \$16.50 value Brussels Rug, size 9x12 ft. now on sale at only \$13.20
- \$18.50 value Axminster Rug, size 9x12 ft. now on sale at only \$13.20
- \$18.50 value Brussels Rug, size 9x12 ft. now on sale at only \$14.80
- \$22.50 value Axminster Rug, size 8-3x10-6 ft. now on sale at only \$18.00
- \$22.50 value Velvet Brussels Rug, size 9x12 ft. now on sale at only \$18.00
- \$25.00 value Axminster Rug, size 9x12 ft. now on sale at only \$20.00
- \$25.00 value Axminster Rug, size 11-3x12 ft. now on sale at only \$20.00
- \$35.00 value Velvet Brussels Rug, size 9x12 ft. now on sale at only \$28.00
- \$40.00 value Welton Velvet Rug, size 9x12 ft. now on sale at only \$32.00
- \$50.00 value Welton Velvet Rug, size 9x12 ft. now on sale at only \$40.00

All small floor rugs included in this 20 per cent. reduction sale. All sizes and designs

COLD WEATHER SPECIALS—Blankets and Comforts at the Following Reduced Prices:

- 85c Blankets, Cold Weather Specials, on sale 79c
- \$1.00 Blankets, Cold Weather Specials, on sale 89c
- \$1.25 Blankets, Cold Weather Specials, at \$1.19
- \$1.50 Blankets and Comforts now on sale at \$1.39
- \$3.50 Comforts, Cold Weather Specials, at \$2.95
- \$4.00 Comforts, Cold Weather Specials, at \$3.50
- \$4.50 Comforts, Cold Weather Specials, at \$3.95
- \$5.00 Comforts, Cold Weather Specials, at \$4.45
- \$5.00 Blankets, Cold Weather Specials, at \$4.45

Underwear Specials

Children's Australian Wool Garment worth 75c to 90c at **49c**

Children's pure Australian Wool Underwear in sizes 28 to 34, priced from 75c to 90c a garment, now on sale at **49c**

WOMEN'S SILK AND WOOL UNDERWEAR
 \$2.50 values on sale at \$1.79
 \$3.00 values on sale at \$1.95

COUCH COVERS

\$2.50 Couch Cover on sale at \$1.95

\$3.00 Couch Cover on sale at \$2.45

Reductions in all Sweater Coats for Misses and Women

These Sweaters come in Red, Brown, Tan and Grey, some with heavy shawl collars, all well knit and good heavy garments, some of the sizes are broken, and we want to close them out in a hurry. Your Choice at the following reductions:

- \$2.50 Ladies' Sweater Coats now on sale at \$1.95
- \$3.50 Ladies' Sweater Coats now on sale at \$2.95
- \$4.50 Ladies' Sweater Coats now on sale at \$3.95
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- \$7.00 Ladies' Sweater Coats now on sale at \$4.95

Bed Spreads Reduced

- \$1.25 value Bed Spreads are now reduced to \$1.19
- \$1.50 value Bed Spreads are now reduced to \$1.39
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The approach of cold weather makes the season when many people tightly close all windows in the house and keep them closed all night. This habit is the cause of much illness. We need air and we need fresh air. A great many people think only of warming their houses, and in any way the way in which it is done. During the day time when we are in our living rooms without wraps and not prepared for the cold, it is reasonable to expect the windows will be kept closed or nearly so most of the time, but there is no reason why the rooms can not be flushed with fresh air at intervals. Every house should be thoroughly aired out several times a day, and yet we know people of considerable intelligence in whose houses the windows are never raised during the entire cold season. The custom of opening windows in our bedrooms at night is gradually gaining foothold. There was, and not very long ago either, that people were afraid of "taking cold" if they allowed their windows to remain open, because of the fact that night air would enter the bedrooms.

It has been positively established that night air does not differ from air, except that it is free from dust and smoke; otherwise it is exactly the same thing, and as some maintain it is pure, it is the only night air that is dangerous is last night's—open the window and let it out. There is no danger for any one who is afraid of a draft. If they are warmly covered up, as they beds at night, the fact that the air blows into the room does not hurt them. It is the result of making people ill, but, on the contrary, keeps them in the best of health by removing them a little while in the fresh air. This is not an idle theory; it has been tried out by a large number of people, and they all agree and feel much better if they sleep in rooms in which the windows are wide open than in tightly closed rooms. Try it now. The weather is just what you need to make you accustomed to it, and so strongly in favor of it. Count your own health. If you refuse to shut your windows even in zero weather.

Wastefulness and want are another child—Betsy.
Bye, baby Bunting.
Health man's gone a hunting
To get the dirty milkman's skin.
Now save the baby's life for him.
Give the cure, kill the child.
Cuddle yourself and you invite pneumonia.

Fresh air is the best life insurance agency.
Colds are easily "caught" but hard to lose.

"Dope" for colds is "dough" for the doctor.
Why be afraid of a little fresh air in winter?

Alcohol is a preservative, but not the best.
Good health is priceless, yet it has a price.

To neglect defense against disease is the simple life.
To neglect one's throat is to give the doctor a headache.

Coddling: preparing for consumption.
Colds are not caught from fresh air.
From stuffy air.

Sixteen to one. An ounce of prevention is equal to a pound of cure.

The more sunlight, and fresh air, your house, the less need of a doctor.

Kansas Health Bulletin.

THE DAIRY INDUSTRY

DEVELOPING RAPIDLY

By Henry J. Young.

In our great country, growth seems to be the order of the day; growth in the development of every industry that represents a spoke in the wheel of progress toward the future, which we must surely command among the states of the union.

Our varied and almost boundless agricultural resources, which with the exception of a few counties in the northern part of the state, lay upon a fertile, containing no hint of their possibilities in answer to the angle word, water, responded to the hand of the farmer, and are bringing forth an abundant yield, fruits, grains, and vegetables, in fact, and all the products of the temperate zone.

Yet we have proceeded in the reclamation and development of the soil and the raising of crops. We have been brought face to face with the fact that in view of our increasing population and transportation facilities, great crops alone cannot make our country prosperous. Neither can we build solidly upon them a permanent natural industry.

Within the past two or three years there has been growing in the mind of the Idaho farmer, except probably, in the great grain fields of north Idaho, and in those particular sections given over to fruit growing, the conviction that animal husbandry was the future of his native State was to be the basis of his prosperity, and that through that system was agricultural Idaho to attain its destiny.

Acting on this conviction, our farmers have been reaching out to the dairies and are eager purchasers of their improved grades of dairy stock.

The writer estimates that there have been approximately 2,000 head of dairy stock brought into this state in the past 18 months and other districts have been in a measure working along the same lines. Yet the farmers are scarcely touching with the tip of their fingers the dairy possibilities here.

Our great fields of alfalfa with their thousands of tons yielded annually form a food basis for the dairy cow as cheap and probably as nearly balanced as any other product except blue grass pasture.

A trip along the railroad lines will acquaint the observer with a representative of the abundance of cream and milk expressed

trains, and when coupled with the fact that these cans represent an average value of from \$5 to \$10 each, he is given a little insight into what we have here is destined to be our predominant industry. In the larger towns he will find well built and moderately equipped creameries, and occasionally a cheese factory turning out a product that compares favorably with that of the coast and eastern states. In that old Greek fable of Cadmus and the dragon's teeth we read that Cadmus consulted the oracle at Delphi before plunging in a trench of the lost sister, Europa. The oracle told him to follow a cow wherever she went, and where she found a place to graze and rest, to there found a city. He obeyed the oracle, so the legend says, and founded the city of Thebes. In like manner the farmers of Idaho have begun to follow the cow.

We are beginning to grasp an idea of our possibilities as producers of high priced product. We are beginning to realize what it will mean to us as a state to ship out the product of a half million dairy cows each year and have for sale a surplus of 100,000 high grade loaves.

These things are possible. They are at our threshold.

While our farmer with his puttees in the pit or in the collar is listening for some buyer to make him an offer and even the choler denizens and Rome floaters are in some cases awaiting a market, old Jersey or Holstein cows her milk, the cream can makes its regular trips to the creamery and the check comes back in some cases to fill a long felt want, and in any case an acceptable and profitable return for the investment and labor involved. In addition the dairy call and the pig drink the warm skin milk and add their growth and value to swell the total that we have to add to the dairy.

This is our day of small things, but we are building upon them for the future of our commonwealth, and the happiness and prosperity of our people, and the farms, home and surroundings are being made more adequate and attractive by his attention to our foster-mother—the dairy cow.

Caldwell News.

HOLLISTER NOTES.

Hollister Herald.
C. L. Tubb spent Sunday and Monday in Twin Falls.

E. L. Hazard was called to Twin Falls on Wednesday.

A. H. Hooten, of Glasgow, Ill., registered at Hotel Craven this week.

John Heck was a passenger on the train to Twin Falls Tuesday afternoon.

W. F. A. Kinsinger was in Twin Falls on business Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Dudley and daughter, Florence, were in Twin Falls Wednesday and Thursday.

Prof. and Ted Holderness drove to the Antelope ranch last Friday, where they visited until Sunday.

Pauline E. Hunk of Denison, Texas, was in Hollister several days, and represents the New Practical Insurance Agency.

Dr. John J. Whyte and wife of Kimberly, were visitors in Hollister the early part of the week. They drove to their ranch west of the city.

M. E. Brooks of Three-Creek, was in Hollister Tuesday.

E. N. Barlow, representing the Cash Buyers' Union, was a Hollister visitor this week.

Mr. Fisher returned Monday from Twin Falls, where he spent several days last week.

Henderson Turner went to Twin Falls on Monday's train, returning to Hollister Tuesday.

J. C. Noel, who represents a traction engine company, was in Hollister Tuesday and Wednesday.

Carl Washburn has left for the east with a carload of potatoes which he raised on his farm near Hazzard.

Thos. P. Owens and C. J. Horton, both of China Creek, were Hollister visitors the early part of the week.

The new school is about ready for occupancy. The painters took up their work the first of the week.

Chief Hickey, proprietor of the City Livery, went to Twin Falls last Saturday, spending several days at the hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Darlington, Virgilia Ester and Hope, left Wednesday afternoon for a short visit in Boise, their old home. They are expected back the first part of the week.

Mrs. L. H. Benton of Twin Falls, has been visiting Mrs. L. E. Edmundson at the Edmundson country home west of Hazzard.

Leo Huggard left Tuesday afternoon for Hamilton, Iowa, where he is called on account of the severe illness of his father.

The County Club of Paradise Valley, met last Tuesday afternoon at the home of L. E. Edmundson. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent by those present.

Mr. Webster, who has been visiting with the Hollisters for several days left for Twin Falls on Wednesday's train. Miss Webster was formerly a teacher at Twin Falls and is a friend of long standing of Mrs. J. W. Benton.

Thos. Marshall of China Creek, was at the Hollister Hotel Tuesday evening. He is a friend of the late Mr. L. E. Loke, where his family is located and where he will spend the winter.

In the spring he intends to return to the hills.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lawrence are making their home temporarily with A. A. Huff. When Mr. Lawrence gets established in his new quarters at S. P. Hahn's pool hall, he will remodel his present location as to make it for living quarters.

E. E. Lawrence and wife returned to Hollister last Saturday after several weeks' visit at Boise, with Ralph Calkins and family, who for a few months was one of the proprietors of the Hollister Mercantile Company.

Through the courtesy of Edna Smith the school at Hollister received this week a handsome new map of the United States and its insular possessions. The name of the school was called to Mr. Smith's attention by Maurice Gibson, the best representative of the State Land Board.

Orval Lutz, who has a ranch near

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You who are weak and run-down, from whatever cause—

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12:40 p.m. Lv. Wendell. Ar. 5:20 p.m.
12:05 p.m. Lv. Appleton. Ar. 5:10 p.m.
1:10 p.m. Ar. Jerome. Lv. 4:50 p.m.

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Twin Falls, Idaho

Serial No. 08330.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Hatley, Idaho, November 7, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that Chester H. Warrington, of Twin Falls, Idaho, who, on June 21, 1910, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 08330, for E½ SE¼, SW¼, SE¼, Lot 6, Section 7, East of Section 2, Township 10 South, Range 18 East, Boise Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. O. Shigley, U. S. Commissioner, at Twin Falls, Idaho, on the 25th day of January, 1913.

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100 Warrington, of Twin Falls, Idaho;
Edward Williams, of Kimberly,
Idaho; Claud Williams, of Kimberly,
Idaho; John F. McGraw, of Kimberly,
Idaho. P. F. HOHNE.
Nov 11-18-25 Dec 2-9-16 Register.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

Under authority of an order of sale granted by the probate court of Twin Falls county, Idaho, dated November 29, 1912, I will sell at private sale the following described real estate, belonging to the estate of Mary C. Woods, deceased, to-wit:

Lot 5, Section 30, Twp. 10 South, Range 19 E. B. M.
Lot 15, Block 13, City of Twin Falls, Idaho.

Lot 4, Block 27, City of Twin Falls, Idaho.

An undivided one-half interest in Lot 10, Block 86, City of Twin Falls, Idaho.

Said property to be sold in four (4) separate parcels, to-wit:

The sale will be made on or after December 22, 1912, and bids, in writing, will be received by the undersigned at Twin Falls, Idaho, or by Warner Bros., attorneys for such administrator, at their office in Twin Falls, Idaho. Terms of sale, cash; ten per cent of offer to accompany bid. Deed and abstract at expense of purchaser.

Dated November 29th, 1912.

NICK SMITH,

Administrator of the Estate of Said Deceased. Dec 2-9-16

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE.

John C. Shilcup and Wayne W. Keys, defendants, being judgment creditors of the firm name and style of Shilcup & Keys, Plaintiffs, vs. Frank H. Eastman and Elsie C. Eastman, Defendants, do hereby certify that under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the district court of the Fourth Judicial District of the State of Idaho, in and for the county of Twin Falls, in the suit of John C. Shilcup and Wayne W. Keys, co-plaintiffs under the firm name and style of Shilcup & Keys, Plaintiffs, vs. Frank H. Eastman and Elsie C. Eastman, Defendants, dated the 13th day of November, 1912, I have levied upon all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Frank H. Eastman and Elsie C. Eastman, in and to the following described real estate situated in the county of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows: Lot 4, Section 5, Lot 1, Section 6, Twp. 11, South of Range 17 East of the Boise Meridian, Twin Falls County, State of Idaho.

Notice is hereby given, that on Monday the 16th day of December, A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M. of the said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of Twin Falls, Twin Falls county, State of Idaho, I will sell all the right, title, claim and interest of the said Frank H. Eastman and Elsie C. Eastman, in and to the above described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the said execution, together with all costs of public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, lawful money of the United States.

H. C. VAN DERBELN, Sheriff.

H. WISE, Attorney for Plaintiffs.

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LOST

LOST OR STOLEN—From depot, on evening of Nov. 27, rattan suitcase containing woman's wearing apparel \$10.00 reward for return of same. Address Box 35, Rupert, Idaho. Dec 2-9-12

STRAYED—From Ben Ward's place, five miles southeast of Twin Falls, one brown mare, four years old, weight about 1275, black, but little white; fore top been reached, but grown out some, and sticks straight up. Liberal reward will be paid for her return or information leading to her return. R. Buck, Twin Falls. Dec 9 ft

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FOR RENT—At \$15 per month, my 1½-acre tract with house and barn by the year. Lot 23 and part of 22, in Yeatman addition to Twin Falls. Inquire at Dehn's Variety store. Dec-12

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SUGGESTIVE QUESTIONS

On the Sunday School Lesson by Rev. Dr. Lincoln for the International Press Bible Question Club

Dec-14-1912.

Copyright, 1912, by Rev. T. S. Lincoln, D. D.

The Sin of Achan, Josh. vii. Golden Text—Be sure your sin will find you out. Num. xxxiii:23.

(1) Verse 1—What proof is there that the evil effects of the sin of one man often makes the entire community suffer?

(2) What can you say for the justice or wisdom of the undoubted fact that the innocent suffer for the sins of the guilty as well as the ones?

(3) Verse 2—Suppose Joshua had sent up six thousand men against Ai instead of three thousand, what would have been the result?

(4) What was the chief cause of these three thousand men fleeing from the men of Ai?

(5) What essential quality did they lack at this time, which they manifested in other engagements, and which was a prime necessity to success, and what was the cause of the lack?

(6) Given a man of great ability, but lacking courage, what are the chances for his success in any undertaking which entails hardships?

(7) Would you say that God punishes communities or countries for their sin the same as he does individuals?

(8) Verses 6-8—In what respects was Joshua's grief commendable and his fears ungrounded?

(9) Would you say or not, and why, that all individual, or national disaster, is a result of sin? (This is one of the questions which may be answered in writing by members of the club.)

(10) What benefit is it, when confronted with disaster, to wring our hands with grief and to bewail our lot?

(11) What does it advantage us to lay our troubles before God?

(12) Verses 10-12—What is the thing to do when our efforts fail and circumstances are unkind?

(13) Was this defeat of Israel a natural or supernatural result of the sin of Achan?

(14) To what extent today does material success depend on our being true to God's commandments?

(15) Verse 14—What is God's way today for detecting sinners?

(16) What is the ground for the certainty of the truth of the Golden Text, "He sure your sin will find you out?"

(17) Verses 16-17—Was this discovery by "lot" a natural or supernatural process, and would such a method be wise today?

(18) Verses 19-23—Was Joshua's affectionate interest in Achan's fate or for the purpose only of getting him to confess?

(19) Was Achan sorry for his sin or only sorry for having been found out, and what is the difference between the two attitudes?

(20) Verses 24-25—The penalty to Achan's sin, after the crime, according to the standard of that day, but what about burning Achan's family as well?

(21) A man commits a crime today and is sent to the penitentiary for life, leaving his wife and family in destitution. Can such a man be truly faithful to the state in permitting the family to suffer?

Lesson for Sunday, Dec. 21, 1912. Chapter XXII—The Word Made Flesh, John 1:1-18.

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All taxes on which at least the first installment has not been paid by January 5, will be sold immediately on following day, 10 per cent penalty will be added and they will draw 15 per cent interest from January 1, 1913.

Remember we are working under a new law this year and if you are not familiar with the details, you should inform yourself at once.


W. J. Young
Tax Collector.
Dec 12-16

Serial No. 011783.
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Hatley, Idaho, December 3, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that John P. Hentley, of Rock Creek, Twin Falls Co., Idaho, who, on Aug. 7, 1912, made Homestead Entry Serial No. 011783, for E½ SE¼, Section 28, Township 11 South, Range 19 East, Boise Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before John F. Hansen, U. S. Commissioner at Rock Creek, Twin Falls County, Idaho, on the 28th day of January, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses: Edward Tilley, Edward W. Tilley, and George W. Osborne, of Rock Creek, Twin Falls County, Idaho; Jake Carlson, of Rock Creek, Twin Falls County, Idaho.



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6:00 P.M.	6:30 P.M.
9:00 P.M.	9:15 P.M.

For the convenience of the general public, for Holiday trading, the above schedule will be carried out Saturday, December 13th, and if possible, the same schedule will be in effect on Saturday December 20th.

H. R. SPAFFORD,
Secretary.

HOLD LODGE OF SORROW.

(Continued from Page 1.)

through, the alights and insults which
to our lot. It takes us to Christ
upon the Cross of Calvary, and bids us
in the presence of the sorrow
to humbly cast away resentment, an-
ger and bitterness. It dissolves the
hardness of our hearts with the melt-
ing words that fall from His divine
lips: "Father, forgive them for they
know not what they do."
Charity tells us not to judge another's
motives. As the Ploughman said
has written it:

"Then gently seen your brother man,
Sits pondering, slayer woman;
Though they may gang a kennel
wrong,
To step aside is human."

Then at the balance let's be mute,
We never can adjust it;
What's done we partly can compute,
"We know not what's resisted."

Charity is the virtue most cherished
by Gods. Around it cluster our noblest
acts: alms, aid, support and sympathy
for the distressed, the poor, the sick,
the needy; not only for our own men-
kind but for those who have no other
claim upon us than that they suffer.
Charity without show; charity with-
out hope of reward or reciprocation;
charity that calls for suffering, sacri-
fice; charity that seeks to
erase the name of giver and receiver
from the memory; charity that brings a
peace from heaven and a true
gratitude from sorrow-induc-
ed hearts; charity of which St. Paul
wrote: "I have the gift of
compassion, and understand all myster-
ies, and all knowledge, and though I
have all faith so that I could remove
mountains, and have not charity, I am
nothing."

Finally: Last of the four great vir-
tues presented by our order to its
members as the way of their highest
efforts to practice and acquire. By
this it is meant as an aid
to the other virtues it stands for con-
fidence in the practice. By it we are
assured that not only are charity,
brotherly love and justice noble ob-
jects for others to admire, but they
are virtues which day and night, in
want and plenty, in ease or poverty,
we are to constantly cultivate and
strive to make an indissoluble part
of our characters and daily lives.

A cloud of smoke by day and a pil-
lar of fire by night to guide us safely
to the Promised Land. Fidelity says:
"An obedient and northern star
whose true, fixed and resting qual-
ity, there is no fellow in the firmam-
ent."

When a man has taken to heart
these lessons which he has heard of
repeated in the lodge room—lessons

which must impress him, if mere
words can ever impress one, with the
beauty and power of these four virtues
of life, when he has made them part
of his nature so that he acts upon
them as from impulse, then he cannot be
far from the Path of Life which,
followed to its end, leads to the peace-
ful green pastures of Eternity.

No man need be afraid to die who
in life has been unfaithful to live right.
No man who is fit to live need fear to
die.

When a man dies, does his intelli-
gence and his soul perish, or is there
a future existence where man in an-
other form resumes his life? The hu-
man mind is not content to believe
that death brings annihilation. It
clings tenaciously to the opposite
view. Hell is a future existence, in
a future life of some kind, is inherent
in the human mind. The history of
no people records a wide-spread be-
lief in death as the end. There are
here and there men who believe, or who
profess to believe in neither God nor
hereafter, but those men are conspi-
cuous by their isolation in this belief.

We can seriously question whether
any man, sincerely and with a sense
of positive conviction, truly believes
that doctrine.

Ingevoll in his lifetime was the
leader of atheistic thought and con-
tention, yet we cannot be certain that
his profanous words were less theatri-
cal than real. That he doubted his own
doctrine when he was brought to a
personal test, we may feel assured,
for, standing by the tomb of his brother,
he said:

"Life is a narrow vale between the
cold and stern peaks of two eternal-
ities. We strive in vain to look beyond
the heights. We cry aloud and the
only answer is the echo of our walling
from the cold, desolate lips of the
unrelenting dead there comes no word,
but in the night of death, Hope sees a
star and Hatching Love can hear the
rings of an angel's voice."

How feeble and little do the best
reasoned objections of the most bril-
liant agnostic minds appear when com-
pared with the assurance of God's Word!
I have stood on the sands of the
ocean's shore and gazed at the sea
surging forward with force irresisti-
ble, and when the tide had reached its
height, I have watched the foaming
waters recede just as surely as they
advanced. Did I after any such
experience wonder, some glimmer of
the immensity of the intellect that
governs the ebb and flow of the
ocean's life has come to me, and I
have bowed in humble awe. My finite
mind cannot grasp nor comprehend
the infinite, but in the face of such
marvelous power it knows that there
is a God.

I have climbed the mountain heights
and resting gazed upon the hills be-
hind and the mountains beyond, range
shading into range until the farthest
fades into the sky. Forests of pine
and fir stretch away in beautiful,
unending greenery and the mountain
stream fall sparkling into the valleys
below. I have contemplated this sub-
lime panorama until my soul has
been lifted to a peaceful, exalting surer-
ty.

My brothers and my Friends, our
order has done most wisely to lay its
foundations upon a belief in the Su-
preme Being for thus it has built upon
the very rock of man's soul. There
can be no deeper nor more solid basis
for human undertaking. On it rests
a noble structure, with its four walls
of brotherly Love, Justice, Charity
and Fidelity rising beautiful and shining
as ivory and gold, strong as steel, en-
during as the granite mountains. As
the sunlight the rising day strikes
its burnished roofs and towers with
shades of quivering light, the Traveler,
distant on the Plain of Life, lifts up
his eyes and soul from the all its
beauty and splendor the Temple of
Edkdom. Hastening on he reaches its
lofty portals, and, pausing at the en-
trance, reads above him, carved in
shining letters: "The faults of our
brothers we write upon the sand; their
virtues upon the tablets of heaven and
memory."

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bids his Day of Life.

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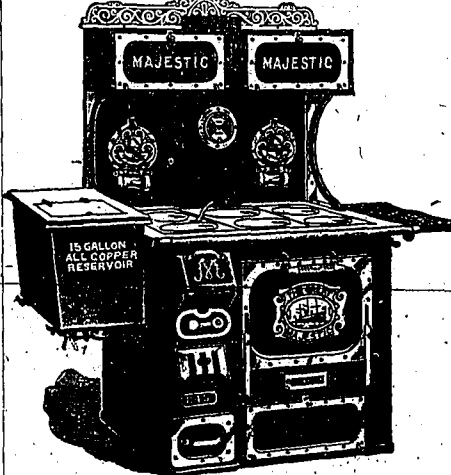
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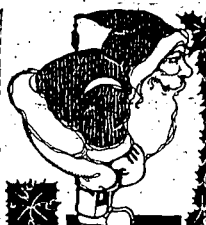
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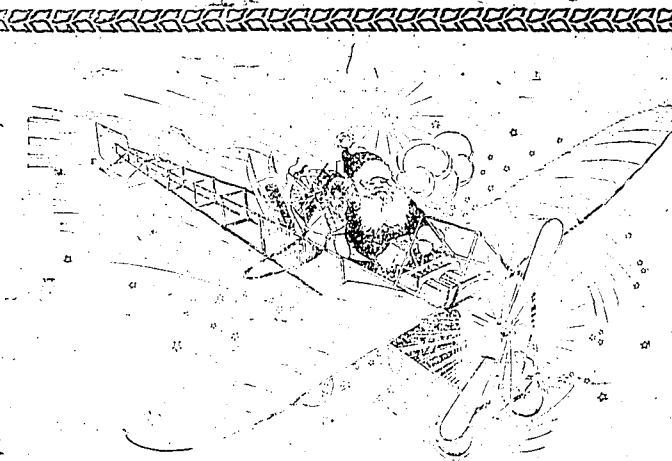


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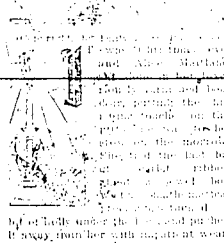
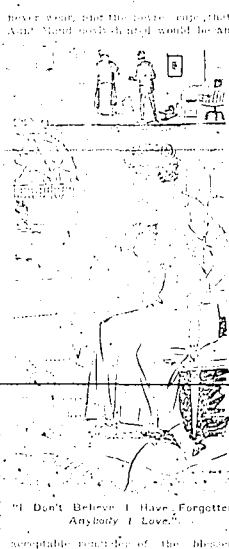
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"I've learned to know what to get for a man," she thoughtfully mused.

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A CHRISTMAS STORY

I SPENT a happy Christmas eve At blitheome. Enneda, And sitting by the cozy hearth, I listened to this tale.

Old Thomas told it—he had seen Some seventy years or so, And over many lands had been a roamer to and fro.

"When I was but a boy," he said, "The sweetest girl I ever knew A woman young, in widowhood— Her name was Helen Vere.

"One child she had—a little boy— I scarcely need to say He was her only earthly joy, Her comfort night and day.

"Off would she strike his golden hair And sigh, and say, 'Ah, me, Oh, weary, weary was the day Thy father went to sea!'

"One day he to his mother said— 'I long so much to be A sailing on my father's sea, And sail the wide, wide sea.'

"She gave consent, although her heart Was bound up in her son— He may be better for us both— O, Lord, Thy will be done.

"You won't forget me, my dear boy When far away I roam, So with my blessing and my prayers, Go, my own Willie, go."

"Ten long, long years then rolled away, And earnest Helen pined; No letter from her son had come, No news of any kind."

Here, Thomas paused the fire, and made The flames leap high and clear— "Now I must shift the scene," he said, "And tell of Willie Vere."

"When Willie left his mother's home He shipped on board the 'Tyne,' And all went happily and well, Until they crossed the line.

"Then on them burst a furious storm That fierce grew each day, Until upon a lonely isle The ship was cast away.

"And when the raging storm drew off, Its work of havoc done, Of all the crew but one survived, And Willie was that one.

"For two long years he strained his gaze Across the wide, wide wave, But never came a friendly ship To succor or to save.

"For two long years his only food Was shell-fish from the shore, And sea-birds' eggs and leaves, and fruit The feathery palm-trees bore.

"The long, third year drew near its close, And it was Christmas Day, Poor Willie sat upon the shore— His thoughts were far away—

"A hand is on his shoulder laid, A loud voice greets his ear— 'What, mate! who would have thought to find A human being here?'

"Don't cry, my man, but come on board, Hail your thanks and praise, We're sailing for a land of gold, So come along with us."

Here Thomas poked the fire, and said: "And so it was that on the Christmas Eve at Enneda, The wind blows wild and keen.

"Poor Helen crouches o'er the fire And shudders at the storm; The latch is lifted, at the door There stands a manly form.

"'I've been a wanderer,' spoke the man, 'On many a far-off shore; I've traveled twenty thousand miles To look on home once more.

"She rose up slowly from her chair, Her lips no words expressed; She flung her arms around his neck And swooned upon his breast."

Here Thomas poked the fire, and turned His face to hide the tears That filled his eyes, whenever he told The story of the Tereg.

"And then he said with trembling voice— 'No words can tell the joy Of Helen when she looked again Upon her long-lost boy.

"They left the hearth and fireplace, And dwelt together in one home Down by old Hazeldean.

"Old William Vere, whom I know well, Has often said to me— 'Whenever I read my mother's gift I took with me to sea.

"I feel I never can forget, That plume mother's love, Or ever cease to render thanks To God the Lord above."

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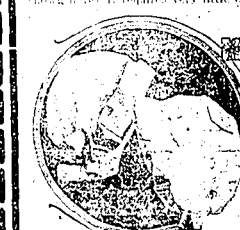
By JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

What would you give a dainty woman more than the little dressing sack made of silk or satin or lace, the thing that she will treasure and wear with delight? These little gifts are not only useful but they are also very dainty. When a lady is out of her room and it is not long before she will be ready and her little sack will be a most useful and dainty gift.



and lace makes a dainty and useful gift for them. A dress sack of silk lawn is shown here, cut from a piece covered with halcyon birds. It has the popular kamias bow with plain heading in the neck and an inch-wide ribbon at the top. The body is set in to a half-inch waist. The little blouse, set on the left, is also set finished with a narrow band of silk. An elegant of Val lace is clipped to the bow and the neck and shows these of narrow ribbon decorate the blouse and are placed over the button fastenings at the neck and waist. The material is of such a fine quality that it is not only a dainty gift but it is also a very useful one. A short kamias jacket of silk or printed cloth, next to nothing in the way of material. Two yards of Val lace is made in a simple sleeveless jacket.

The woman who can sew easily finds it possible to take the simplest material—short lengths and remnants and make a gift to nothing—and convert the same into just what a dainty and dainty gift as are shown here. It requires very little ex-



penditure of money, but some time and ability to make them up—but they are worth it.

Something pretty and useful as well makes the best of all Christmas gifts to women friends. Here is a group of dainty feminine belongings all easy to make and costing anywhere from 50 cents to \$2 or \$3 depending upon the sort of lace used in them.

The bunnet-shaped cap is made of a half-yard of all-over lace and three-quarters of a yard of lace plaiting which is bought ready made. A crown having a diameter of 18 inches makes the crown. This is gathered into the bound edge of the ready-made plaiting. Two yards of ribbon 8 1/2 inch and 3/4 inch wide forms a band about the face and neck finished with a little bow at each side. The plaiting is turned back about the face and tacked to place.

The crown of the other cap is made of two strips of ribbon and three of



lace, each six inches wide. They are stitched together. A yard of plaited net makes the ruffle. The crown is sewed to the plaiting and an elastic 27 inches long is sewed at the joining. Satin ribbon one inch wide is gathered to form little flowers of four petals each. Four of these are set across the front of the cap with a 2 1/2 inch bow and end making a finish at each side.

The corset cover made of strips of point d'esprit takes some time to make but very little expense to buy the materials. The point d'esprit strip (or narrow edging of this pattern) is joined by an inexpensive cluny pattern of insertion. A banding of Swiss embroidery about the top and the waist carries a satin ribbon less than an inch wide. A very narrow Val lace finishes the top and the shoulder straps are made of those narrow ribbons stitched together.

These airy bits of fluff are to wear under this dress, and are so pretty that they are so precious that the recipient is sure to treasure them and enjoy the luxury of wearing them.

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CHRISTMAS SURPRISE

By THOMAS L. MASSON.



"I WANT you to promise me that you won't give me any Christmas present this year," Mrs. Whittier looked at her husband emphatically. "I mean it," she asserted. "Absolutely."

"And you won't give me any?" replied Whittier experimentally.

"Positively. Now is it understood?" Whittier, who was just going out, shut the door, came back, and sat down in front of his wife.

"My dear girl," he said, "I am glad that you have brought this up, because we may as well settle it now as at any other time. You know that for years we have been doing this sort of thing every Christmas. About this time we both declare that we won't give each other anything, then just before Christmas, we sneak out, and each of us buys the other a present. This year it will be the same. We will promise faithfully not to do it; but just as sure as fate, we shall break our word."

"In view of this alarming fact, that we are apparently the slaves of a yearly habit, what have you to suggest?"

"Simply this—that we each of us agree now to let the other a present."

"I know that you will get me something I don't want!"

"And I know that you will do the same; but isn't that what we have been doing all along?"

"Then I don't see that we have gained anything."

"Haven't we? Why not? Aren't we doing it openly? Think of the moral uplift!"

Never! The only thing to do is to be natural. I therefore announce to you that I am going to surprise you with a present; and you must promise to do the same with me."

Mrs. Whittier considered.

"Well," she said at last, "I suppose that is really the best thing for us to do, and I hereby agree to do it."

When Christmas eve came, therefore, the time when the Whittiers were accustomed to "spring" their annual surprise—each of them bore that perfectly content and identically joyful air which usually preceded the presentation of something we think the other person has been longing for.

Whittier advanced with a smile. "My dear," he said, "I have the surprise."

"Oh, do tell me!" said Mrs. Whittier, with a hypocritical air of gaily and anticipation, although inwardly she shrank from the ordeal. "I know it is something that I want!"

"What do you suppose it is?" her husband cheerfully inquired.

"Haven't the least idea."

"Well—it is—guess!"

"Oh, I couldn't! Tell me, quick!"

"Well, it's absolutely nothing. Now, isn't that a surprise?"

Mrs. Whittier burst into tears.

"You horrid thing!" she exclaimed. "I shall never forgive you!"

"But—"

"Don't you know that it isn't the value of the thing. I might not have liked it; but the thought that you had tried to please me would have been everything. I didn't do that to you!"

Whittier, beside himself with sudden remorse, sprang to her side.

SOME ODD THINGS ABOUT CHRISTMAS

IN Greece the kalkanizari are generally represented as more tricky spirits who live in a hole underground, appearing to men only on the night of the year between December 25 and January 6. They pass the days during this period in dark caverns, where they subsist on serpents and lizards, and come forth to dance in the moonlight, either alone or in company with the mermaids, and also with mortal women. If they can lure any to join them.


ISRAELIS say the best time to catch a deer is on Christmas night at twelve o'clock, when they believe the deer kneels.

IN many countries where they go by the old calendar Christmas is celebrated January 6, the celebration beginning twelve days before.

CAKES weighing from one to twelve pounds are made in Frederickstadt. They place them in excited position and play to them, representing, as they say they do, St. Nicholas. Of rye bread they make a bear or hog, six or seven inches high, which is snout and tail, with red rings around its knees. The business men put goods they have exhibited for sale on a revolving disk and rattle them off.

KLINGERST (Kling) Jesus or Child Jesus presides over all Christmas celebrations in Schleswig-Holstein. He is supposed to bring presents to the children; and sometimes punishes naughty ones.

ON Christmas day in Denmark the cattle get an extra allowance of fodder. The cats and dogs, too, get better meals. At times the cattle are admitted to the higher joys to the extent that a candle is placed above the trough from which they feed, just as each member of the family has his own candle, made by himself. These candles must be heavy and big, for the one that goes out first will die first.



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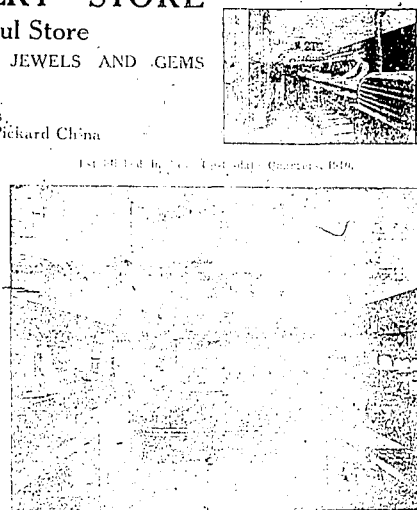
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LITTLE CHOIR SISTER

HEY called her the Choir Sister, because she was the daughter of the Choir Mother. Children have mothers to mend their clothes and see that their faces and hands are clean before they march into church. The Choir Mother was the wife of the janitor of the church where the choir sang, and so kind was she that all the boys loved her.

It was easy to like the Choir Sister, too, because she played ball with the boys before rehearsals. And those

times when the Choir Master let them invite their friends in for games she was the girl most of them wanted for a partner.

So anyone can see why the boys were blue when Ricky Jackson, her brother, came into the choir room Christmas eve and said:

"Mm" (short for Mildred, her real name) "Isn't going to have any Christmas!"

The boys stopped right there, some with their choir clothes only half on. If they didn't find out right away what was the matter with the Choir Sister, the Christmas eve service would have to go without their singing.

So Ricky told how she had come down that morning with a funny tired feeling, and sniffling and hot cheeks, and had to stay in bed, and how she cried when she thought of the tree she was going to miss.

You can see why that Christmas eve service was not as happy as it should have been for these boys. Afterward, when the tree was lighted with the starlike candles and the Sun-

day school room was lit up with boys and girls opening their presents, each choir boy was thinking of the Choir Sister, lying there at home, wishing she could be with them.

Next day people in church thought the boys sang the Christmas hymns better than ever. But the people did not know that just before the boys marched in the Choir Master had told them a plan by which the Choir Sister would have a Christmas she would never forget.

At evening the janitor's doorbell rang. The Choir Mother opened it, and in came the Choir Master and a lot of boys with red cheeks and smiling faces. Back of the others four of the biggest boys dragged through the door a small Christmas tree.

They set the tree up in the parlor. Everyone was still for they didn't want the Choir Sister to know anything about it till it was all ready. Soon the candles were in place, and the trimmings, and they lit the candles, and each boy placed a package under the tree, and then a wonderful

thing happened!

The door opened and the Choir Mother and the Choir Master walked in, carrying between them a little wretcher, and upon that lay the Choir Sister.

You should have seen her face! You could almost see the light of the candles sparkling in it, so happy was she! The boys held their breath, wondering what she would say. Her little cheeks glowed as she sat up straight and held her arms out toward the tree. And her eyes sparkled as she cried:

"Oh! my Christmas tree!"

Then she turned to the boys, and said:

"Oh! My Dear Choir Brothers!"

Then she cried a little, just because she was happy, and some of the boys sniffled a bit, just because she was

crying. Then there was all the jolly fun that goes with a tree.

But soon they took her away. She was so tired that she fell asleep right after they put her back in bed. She dreamed that she saw a flock of sheep with their shepherds on a great plain. Suddenly there was a great light from above and she seemed to hear angels singing.

She awoke. The singing did not stop. She arose and opened the window.

There, in the moonlight under her window stood her Choir Brothers with lighted candles, like the Christmas carol singers of Old England. They were singing this hymn:

"Hark! the Herald Angels sing."

When the verse was finished the Choir Sister leaned out and called down to them:

"Brothers, you have made me love God a whole lot more. A 'merry Christmas to you all!'"

"And to you!" they echoed.

As the Choir Sister crept back to bed she heard the voices of the boys

go away in the distance. There a chime of bells somewhere out in the great snow-white world rang out the very hymn the boys had been singing, and the Choir Sister fell asleep.

A Christmas Motto.

The more we know, the better we forgive;
Whoever feels deeply, feels for all we live.

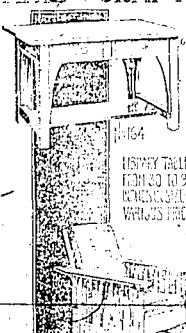


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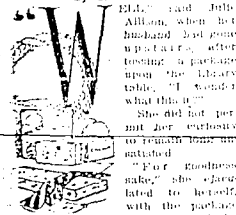
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HER TOKEN OF LOVE

By S. E. KISER.



"The token of love," said Julie, "is a thing that I have been wanting for a long time." Julie's enthusiasm over it was much increased when her husband made such a gift to her. After they had dropped the subject, he happened to glance at his watch and a new joy sprang up within her. She could not find a watch for Christmas, for his old one was rather out of style and never had been an expensive one, she knew.

"By the way, dear," said Allison the next evening, "I bought something to give you that I'd like to have you look at." Of course, it was a watch, Julie knew it, though she hesitated to mention the subject. He held out a very pretty watch, she pretended with a brave heart, to think it was very pretty, but she figured that he could have made a better selection if he had only permitted her to have the choice.

At the office Allison had told the boys of the splendid plan he had hit upon for the purpose of helping his wife from being disappointed in things in the shape of Christmas presents for long, and it was with great satisfaction that he reported the matter after day how he was proceeding.

Christmas was only a week away and Julie was a long time in that night trying to think what he could get for her husband. There were the new books, but he had bought her that he didn't want it. She had all the standard works at the library, and he never read any of the modern novels. Ah, a happy thought came to her. Some where she had seen a metal box in which jewels could be kept. She would get a box of that kind for Christmas, dear old Allison. It happened, however, that Fredrick came home the next evening with a metal cigar box, and enough candy, as he cheerfully informed her, to last him all winter. Then it was that the iron entered Julie Allison's soul. She decided to give up the idea of making her husband a Christmas present that would be in any wise distinctive. She would give him a pair of gloves and perhaps a few handkerchiefs. Hardly had she adopted this resolution, how- ever, before she turned to her saying: "I happened to be in Withers;

this afternoon to get some shirts, and I thought I might as well lay in a supply of gloves, handkerchiefs and suspenders. They'll probably be sent out tomorrow."

"I'm so glad," replied Julie, "of course, I don't know so much about your suspenders, and I suppose bought all the half-hose you'll need. I forgot to mention that a dozen pairs."

"And you have all the cuff links and studs and such things that you need, haven't you?"

"Enough to last me a lifetime," she went back to her chair again for a brief time going at the same which fluttered around the eye log.

The day passed as usual, and at her elbow, and her glance at the wall told upon some large clock, a letter which presently resolved them into words. Then she read this advertisement:

ANNUAL COST OF ILLNESSES

Physician Asserts That It Is \$750,000,000 a Year in the United States.

New York.—Some surprising statements were made at the meeting of the American Public Health association, held at Colorado Springs, by Dr. J. B. Andrews, of this city. Doctor Andrews, who is secretary of the American Association for Labor Legislation, said that the annual loss in business through illness amounted to \$750,000,000, and that fully one-fourth of this loss could be prevented.

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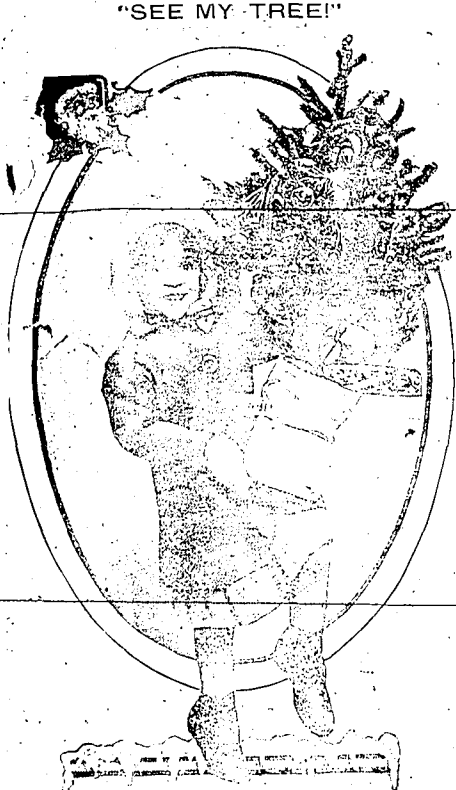
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Locket Chains	Champagne Glasses	Salt Bowls
Lavallieres	Goblets	Coffee Trays
Pendants	Water Jugs	Spoon Trays
Brooches	Finger Rings	Dresser Sets
Watch Pins	Cream & Sugars	Bon Bon
Ball Pins	Cups	Plates
Beauty Pins	Baskets	Batches
Baby Pins	Plates	Salt & Pepper
Short Waist Pins	Cologne Bottles	Sugar Shakers
Cuff Pins	Paint Boxes	Lacquer Cups
Cuff Links	Hair Pins	Cups & Saucers
Scarf Pins	Combs	Knives & Forks
Watch Chains	Vases	Tea Spoons
Coat Chains	Candle Sticks	Large Spoon
Waldemar Chains	Mustard Jars	Tea Spoons
Dickens Chains	Bottle Caps	Coffee Spoons
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STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF The First National Bank of Twin Falls, Idaho AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS OCTOBER 21ST, 1915.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 394,177.25
Overdrafts	21.22
U.S. Bonds	5,000.00
Bonds for Postal Savings	1,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	100,000.00
Other Real Estate	12,745.16
Warrants and Other Securities	127,802.12
CASH	
Due from Banks	\$195,411.78
Cash	10,123.92
Due from U.S. Office	200,000.00
	\$1,000,111.25
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	25,000.00
Profits	15,745.62
Circulation	25,000.00
Warrants Redeemable	62,100.00
Bills Payable	25,000.00
Deposits	749,265.73
	\$1,000,111.25

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Ladies' Gloves

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