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NEW INDUSTRY FOR TWIN FALLS

Cigar Factory to Be Established Here Before Next Spring

WM. WALLACE MAKES ARRANGEMENTS TO MOVE HERE

New Industry Will Add to Pay Roll of City. Sends 100 Sample Cigars to Secretary McMillan for Seed Men.

Twin Falls is assured of a new industry, which will add to the growing pay roll of the Magic City. Through the efforts of Secretary James McMillan, of the Commercial club, a cigar factory will be established here between now and spring by W. W. Wallace of Heller, a man who has been engaged in the manufacture of cigars for a number of years. The following letter to Secretary McMillan states that he will surely be here before spring. He also sent a box of one hundred cigars to be presented to the members of the Seed Growers' association, which is holding its meeting in this city, commencing today:

Twin Falls, Idaho, Nov. 28, 1914.

Secretary Commercial Club, Twin Falls, Idaho.

Dear Sir: Enclosed find express receipt covering shipment of 100 cigars, which please distribute among the members of the Seed Growers' association, which is holding its meeting in this city, commencing today.

Yours truly,

W. W. WALLACE.

P. S. Will be there before spring.

NOTICE TO GERMANS

Contributions Wanted for Austrian Red Cross Society

The committee of the German and the Austrian Red Cross and War Relief Fund Bazaar, which will be held in the Seat Driver Twin Hall, Denver, Colorado, Dec. 3, 4, 5, 6, 1914, asks that contributions for the same be sent to Max Binhaimer, editor of the Colorado Herald, chairman of the committee, 1859 Lawrence street, Denver. All German and Austrian ladies' societies lodges and churches have united to make this affair a great success.

There will be several interesting features at the bazaar among which will be a Kaiserkorb, a booth containing booths representative of different countries and serving food dishes to set which are considered national dishes. There will be a booth devoted to dolls of all kinds to be sold at moderate prices. The entertainment will be opened by a chorus made up of all local singing societies from the different churches.

COUNTY SCHOOL PAPER

Cassia County Man Editing New Monthly Journal.

A new publication appeared this week in the issue of the Cassia County School Journal. The editor and publisher is J. T. Burgess, county superintendent of schools. It is a twenty page magazine with cover, nicely printed and bound and contains much interesting school news of Cassia county districts. It is also well filled with advertising, which is a good indication that it will not in the future be lacking of deserving support.

The editor announces that the aim of the Journal will be to keep the teachers and school boards posted at all times on the need and progress of the county schools and to suggest methods of improving the educational branches. This publication has taken up a grand work and will no doubt succeed in every way. Mr. Burgess is a good writer and ably informed on the needs of the schools of the county. His suggestions from time to time will carry much weight.—Albion Nugget.

THE CURSE OF GREED

Great Play in Five Parts at the Isis Wednesday and Thursday

The management of the Isis theatre are pleased to announce that they have secured for Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week, the Sonic play masterpiece, "The Curse of Greed," in five sculptured reels. This is one of the great dramas of the age and Friday and Saturday evening the management will present, "Who Killed Julius Graves," a great mystery melodrama in two parts, and a George Ade comedy, guaranteed to make you laugh, "A Man Who Got Paralysis of the Spending Hand." "Hearst-Sells News Pictorial," the latest world news, is shown here.

CARLOAD OF MAXWELLS

E. S. Johnson Auto Company Receive Latest Model Cars.

Monday the E. S. Johnson Auto company was busily engaged in unloading a carload of the 1915 model Maxwell automobiles. Mr. Johnson who is the agent for this celebrated car in the Twin Falls trade has placed them on exhibition in the auto room on the rotunda row on Second avenue, north, where he will be pleased to show them to all those who are interested.

FOR THE RED CROSS SOCIETY

Social Tea at the Fogt Home on Blue Lakes Boulevard.

At the home of Mrs. Fogt on Blue Lakes boulevard, on Thursday afternoon of next week, the members of the Presbyterian ladies' aid, with their many friends, will be the guests of Mrs. Fogt and her daughter, Mrs. Leiter, at a social tea. The silver offering received at this function will be donated to the Red Cross Society.

Many, who are interested in this practical means of relief of the relief of the Belgians, will welcome an opportunity to place small offerings in such a way that the sum total shall render material aid to the sufferers.

Mrs. Fogt will be at the Presbyterian church at 2:15 o'clock to provide conveyance for all desiring to ride; automobiles will also be in attendance.

Because of the general sympathy with the Red Cross movement, it is expected that the usual number of fifty or sixty ladies who attend these social teas will be doubled, for every member will doubtless bring one or two friends. The hospitality of the Ladies' Aid is an established fact, and a general invitation is cordially extended to all ladies interested in the work.

CLOSING CHAPTER OF MYSTERY

Solution of Million Dollar Film Story Comes Later.

With this issue of the Times, the final episode or chapter of the Million Dollar Mystery is given to the readers. Public therewith all of the conspirators are shown in the closing chapter, there are many things left unraveled for the best solution in competition for the $10,000 prize offered by the Chicago Tribune. Some time later the night and the solution of the Mysterious Million Dollars will be run in the Times. The final pictures will be shown at the Orpheum next Monday night. Later the films showing the solution will be given after the awarding of the prize. In this paper next week will be started the opening chapter of Zudora, in which each chapter is a complete episode, while running the same characters throughout the entire series. Don't miss the opening number in next Tuesday's Times.

PRINGLE COMPANY PLEASES

Stock Company at the Lavering Drawing Crowds.

Jolly Dells Pringle, with one of the strongest supporting companies ever seen in stock in this city, is nightly drawing capacity houses at the Lavering theatre and is delighting the playgoers of the city. Miss Pringle, the leading lady, is no stranger in this city and to those who have heard her in the past engagements, her present clever acting, shows the advantage of the constant stage training. The supporting actors are, too, far stronger than in the first engagement played here, when the old-time was the theatrical center of the city. The plays given are all modern, and of the class which hold the audience. Jolly Della Pringle bids fair to last in the favor of the Twin Falls people for many weeks beyond her anticipated engagement.

HOLIDAY STOCKS OPEN

Booth Mercantile Company Makes Big Showing.

Booth's have opened their holiday stocks. Mr. Booth was in New York at the outbreak of the war and says he immediately covered his wants with a larger stock than ever before and at more reasonable prices. These goods are now on display in the Booth Basement. Lines of bric-a-brac and china are also shown and particular attention is given to useful gifts and gifts that can be mailed. Art goods and embroidery materials are specialized. Booth's are well equipped for the holiday business.—Adv.

GUILTY OF BOOTLEGGING

A. Johnson Sentenced to Four Months in County Jail by Judge Walters.

Friday the time of the district court was taken up in hearing the case of Arthur Johnson, colored porter, charged with bootlegging. Johnson was found guilty by a jury and was sentenced by Judge Walters to four months in the county jail.

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MASSEY RECEIVES TWO YEARS

Young Man Must Serve Term in Prison for Forgery.

On Saturday morning Claude Massey, who was convicted of forgery in the district court, was sentenced by Judge Walters to two years in the penitentiary. Judge Walters gave the young man from two to four years in the state prison at Boise.

TIMES WAR BULLETIN

Reports of German Defeat Exaggerated

CRUCIAL BATTLE STILL BEING WAGED

Villa Enters Mexico City for the First Time Since the Revolution at Head of Army.

(Special to the Times.)

Salt Lake City, Dec. 1st, 1914.

London dispatch says that the accounts of the great Russian victories seem to have been premature. A German army corps in Russian Poland narrowly escaped annihilation and the Germans met other reverses but not so widespread or serious as at first reported.

Amsterdam correspondent says the German force before Dixmude has begun a general retirement. In Galicia scrambling to the latest reports of the Russians, Muscovite forces have had numerous successes.

Berlin's latest official report announced victories in Western Galicia and progress in the Carpathian mountains for Teutons. Period of inactivity obtains in Belgium and France. Heavy fighting in progress in Northwestern Servia but show is hampering operations. At home or Canadian, Winston Churchill announced that Great Britain could lose dreadnought every month and still maintain superiority over Germany.

British chancellor of exchequer announced that British war loan of $1,750,000,000 had been largely oversubscribed. Former German cruiser Goeben, now of the Turkish navy, lost eleven in recent fight with Russians in Black sea.

Villa entered Mexico City today.

CHRISTMAS SOCIAL

Twentieth Century Club to Give Social in Jewel Hall, Dec. 8.

Tuesday, December 8th, will be in the nature of a Christmas social at the Twentieth Century club meeting to be held in Jewel hall at 2:30 p. m. It is most earnestly desired and requested that every member of the club be present at this time and each one is requested to bring a Christmas gift nicely wrapped and sealed, with the Christmas seals making it look nice and Christmassy, and labeled as to contents of the package, for the people who may not be fortunate enough to get much in the way of Christmas gifts. Anything in the way of wearing apparel, toys, or a can of fruit will make an acceptable present. Mrs. Epler has the management of this Christmas social and she hopes to make it a success and worthy of the members of the club. The club will confer with the Associated Charities as to the disposition of each gift so that they will be bestowed where they are the most needed, and will do the greatest good. There will be a short program. The ladies are asked to bring their work and enjoy a social afternoon. It is hoped that every member of the club will be present.

HOUSE ROBBED BY THIEVES

Residence of Mrs. E. M. Walker Entered Thursday Evening.

While the family was attending the theatre last Thursday evening, the home of Mrs. E. M. Walker was entered by burglars and ransacked from cellar to garret. Burnt matches were found in every room of the house showing that the thieves had done their work well in the quest of money and valuables. The family is now mining a gold locket and a ladies' gold watch. No clew has been found to the thieves.

Kinney Clothing Co.

CHRISTMAS TREE OF MAMMOTH SIZE

Community Event Developing Scope

PATIENTS AT HOSPITALS WILL BE ENTERTAINED

Every Citizen and Every Child Expected to Participate in Happy Celebration in Park.

The various committees for the Community Christmas tree, which is to be held in the city park Christmas night, are hard at work to make the event the greatest of its kind ever attempted in the state of Idaho. The telephone people have volunteered their services to erect the tree and furnish the pole. The Jovian order will illuminate the tree under the direction of the committee, which is composed of Mesdames W. L. Wallace, C. C. Siggins and L. L. Breckenridge.

The general committee will ask all of the automobile owners to come out in their machines and park them around the square so that they can throw their lights on the park, which will make the place as light as day and present a very beautiful appearance.

The program will commence promptly at five o'clock and it is estimated that it will not last more than two hours. The committee in charge wishes all to understand that this is a community Christmas tree in every sense of the word, and every man, woman and child on the Twin Falls tract is invited to be present on Christmas night.

The following program has been arranged for the occasion:

The Choral society will sing "Holy Night," and "When the Sun has Sunk to Rest." The Apollo club will put on two numbers. The pupils of the Lincoln school will sing "Silent Night," and the pupils of the Bickel school will sing "The Little Town of Bethlehem." The concluding number will be "Joy to the World," by the audience, lead by the Twin Falls band. After the program the choral union and the Apollo club will be taken in automobiles to the hospitals where they will entertain the patients of these institutions. It is the intention that every child will be remembered on this auspicious occasion, which brings joy to the hearts of the little ones at least once a year.

NEW RAILROAD ARTICLES FILED

Line Projected From American Falls to Roy, Thirty-Five Miles South.

Articles of incorporation of the American Falls & Rockland Valley Railroad company have been filed. The incorporators are: Hiram I. Sliffer, Chicago; J. T. Fisher, Henry Rock, R. D. Houts, Rockland; O. W. Pollard, Frank Berkstresser, O. W. Dowell, Roy; George W. Stanger, Nooley; L. L. Evans, D. W. Davis, and J. P. McHaffey, of American Falls. The incorporators have subscribed for $3,500 of the capital stock, making a total of $38,500 subscribed. The officers are H. I. Sliffer, president; L. L. Evans, vice president; J. T. Fisher, secretary and treasurer.

A stock subscription campaign under the direction of Mr. Sliffer is being waged. It is the plan to secure subscriptions of $100 each from 200 men, a total of $20,000 to be used in making a survey and for necessary preliminary expenses. Donations of a right-of-way will be asked and doubtless easily secured, with little or no expense. This work is to be completed this fall if the necessary financial assistance is forthcoming, so that active construction can be begun in the spring. Mr. Sliffer is said to be meeting with encouragement in the matter of securing money for this preliminary work and prospects for the building of the road are better than they ever before have been. A meeting of the directors is to be held in American Falls tomorrow at which a report will be made and plans considered for conducting the work.—American Falls Press.

BOOTLEGGERS SENTENCED

Two Men Must Do Time for Violating Liquor Law.

[illegible] Monday morning Sheriff Pratt brought from Kimberly two men charged with bootlegging and received sentences for the county jail. Frank Bell received $100 and costs or 60 days in jail, and Mike Sandoval received $100 and costs or 60 days in jail. Bell went up yesterday and Sandoval today. The entire program was carried out to the letter, the sheriff being the only officer in the county who could not be present. Judge Walters was in Rupert and Prosecuting Attorney Smith was in Boise. The sheriff's office was left in charge of a deputy, who was instructed to carry out the sentences if the men could not pay the fine. The men were taken to Rupert and Boise respectively and placed in the county jails. Bell was unable to raise the money with which to pay the fine, but Sandoval was able to do so and was released from custody. Bell will serve his time in the county jail here.

APPOINTMENT OF JUDGE UPHELD

Decision Handed Down Sustaining Action of Governor.

Judge Alfred Budge can hold office as justice of the supreme court for four years.

The supreme court ordered a peremptory writ to issue late yesterday directed against Secretary of State W. L. Gifford requiring him to issue a commission to Judge Budge, as prayed for in his application for the full term of the vacancy caused by the death of Justice George H. Stewart, the commission to expire the first Monday of January, 1919.

Judge Budge was appointed by Governor Haines to fill the unexpired term of Justice George H. Stewart, deceased, on Nov. 17, of the present year. Secretary of State Gifford, in order that a friendly suit might be instituted to determine whether the appointment was for two or four years refused to issue the commission for four years as called for in the appointment, holding that the appointment could only continue until the next general election to be held in the year 1916, and until a successor to the appointee was elected and qualified. He further contended that he also refused to issue the commission because, at the general election Nov. 3, ballots were cast upon which were written or attached with stickers, names of persons for the office of justice of the supreme court to succeed Justice Stewart and for the reason that he was advised that the person receiving the highest number of votes to cast is entitled to a certificate of election and for these reasons there is no vacancy to be filled by the appointment.

An election to fill a vacancy in the office of justice of the supreme court is not authorized under the constitution of this state, and no attempt at a special election to fill such vacancy by writing in the name of the office to be filled and the person to be voted for would not be legal and valid.

Under the provisions of section 6, article 4 of the state constitution, when a vacancy occurs in the office of the justice of the supreme court, it becomes the duty of the governor to fill the same by appointment, and such appointee shall hold office until the end of the term for which the original incumbent was elected.

Certain provisions of the constitution cited and commented upon. All provisions of the state constitution relating to a given object must be construed together and where certain provisions are definite and explicit they must be given precedence over expressions which are merely of a general character. Held, under the facts of this case the peremptory writ must issue.

The court's decision sets forth the above facts and also reviews a history of the case.—Capital News.

BACA SAYS NOT GUILTY

Hampton's Murderer Caught in Salt Lake Claims Not to Have Shot.

Sheriff Lowry has a Mexican in the county jail on a charge of bootlegging, who claims to have talked with the three individuals who were implicated in the killing of Joe Shelley marshal a few nights ago, though he does not give very much accurate information. He claims to know the three, and the sheriff will investigate the matter.

Coincident with this a Mexican, who gave his name as Tom Baca, was arrested yesterday in Salt Lake and the police of that city believe he is one of the murderers of Lafayette Hampton, marshal of Shelley. The murder occurred there on the night of November 6th. Baca admits that he was in the gang which fought with the night marshal, but stoutly maintains that he was not the one who fired the fatal shots.

Baca is 22 years old, and his description tallies to a dot with that furnished by the Shelley officers. Baca was apprehended in a rooming house in Grooktown, where he had been in hiding for several hours before being taken into custody. Another Mexican, giving his name as Marcelo Lavardo, who was carrying a meat cleaver, was also locked up. He declares that he met Baca in McCammon. Lavardo's appearance does not tally with the description of either of the three men concerned in the killing of the night marshal. The charge of murder was entered on the police blotter against both men.—Pocatello Tribune.

CHURCH GUILD MEETING

Excellent Program Planned for Entertainment of Members.

The Ladies' Guild of Ascention Episcopal church meet Thursday, December 3, at three p. m., with Mrs. Thos. Dovery, 850 Eighth avenue, east. A pleasing program of music and dancing including a number by the pupils of the Clement school will be given. These social gatherings have been greatly enjoyed in the past and a general cordial invitation is extended to all. One or two new numbers have been added to the program since the entire program was given in Twin Falls. Hazel Bigger and Miss Madeline Reynolds, [illegible] to Germany.

HOME TALENT IN LYCEUM COURSE

Entertainment Promised for Winter Months

CITIZENS WILL VISIT SURROUNDING SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Free Lectures, Fine Music and Clever Readings a Part of the Community Plan.

A number of the talented people of this city have combined their efforts through the agency of the Commercial club and the Twentieth Century club with the purpose of giving pleasure to some of the people in the outlying districts of this county during the long winter evenings. The entertainments will be carried on, on the same plan as the larger lyceum courses save that the expense will be borne by the citizens in each community. The number of people who have agreed to give their time and talent is large enough so that from three to four first class entertainments can be given in each community during the winter. The following people have been secured for the proposed entertainments and others will no doubt be added as the movement gains in popularity:

Lecturers.

C. L. Longley, Rev. J. F. Shepherd, M. J. Sweeley, Hal G. Blue, Mac Hoke, and Dr. Sullivan.

Readers.

Mrs. W. E. Aaron, Miss Carmen Cox, Miss Gladys Dwight, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Fuller, Mr. Ralph Morse, Mr. Wilton Peck.

Vocalists.

Mrs. H. R. Grant, Mrs. C. O. Longley, Mrs. G. C. Wiley, Miss Edna Graham, Mrs. W. H. Dwight, Mrs. A. M. Bowen, Mrs. T. J. Woods, Mrs. W. A. Tucker, Mrs. F. A. Bell, Prof. Ivan Skougard, Mr. Ralph Morse, Dr. Geo. T. Higgins.

Pianists

Mrs. A. Guthart, Mrs. D. E. Hagan, Mrs. Hal G. Blue, Miss Vesta Thomas, Mrs. C. H. Stinson, Miss Edith Ramsay, Miss Barbara McShea, Miss Zita Heine, Miss Frances Wadd, Miss Grace Bell.

Violinists.

Miss Pauline Affonte, Miss Viola Affonte.

Regan-Mandolin orchestra (10 people).

The placing of the attractions will be placed by the Commercial club and all applications must come from one of the school trustees as a guaranty of financial responsibility. As far as possible the entertainments will be limited to the school houses with the hope of advancing the schools as civic centers.

NAVAL BATTLE IN PROSPECT

German and British Squadrons Believed to be in Close Proximity.

Montevideo, Nov. 30.—The recent reports that the German fleet is now in the south Atlantic appear to have been confirmed here today. It is also rumored that a powerful British fleet is nearby.

Interruption of British shipping and the outfitting of German merchant ships with supplies were accepted here as confirmatory of reports of the approach of the German fleet, which is now believed to be off the mouth of the river Plata.

The German steamer Patagonia is being loaded here with provisions, the Sierra Cordoba with coal and the Mera with coal and water.

Sailings of British steamers from Montevideo and the Brazilian port of Santos have been suspended.

Marine records show that the Sierra Cordoba was at Montevideo on Nov. 13. The Mera reported that port on Sept. 3, since which time there has been no report from her. The last record of the Patagonia is her arrival Oct. 22 at Tenerife, Canary Islands.

BELGIUM MUST PAY BIG SUM

Indemnity Levied Amounts to [illegible]

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The proposed free entertainments by local talent with the idea of giving various school districts and other communities pleasure during the winter months is one of the finest things which the good people of Twin Falls have ever planned. It should be given every encouragement by the citizens here as it will no doubt be appreciated by the people in the outlying districts. Twin Falls is extremely fortunate in having among its citizens a large number of splendid musicians and entertainers, who are always willing to aid in every home talent affair. Their offer to make their talent cover a little wider area is in keeping with the spirit which they have always shown.

The people of Twin Falls, while purchasing for Christmas for their own kin and the more fortunate people, should set aside a small sum toward making Christmas a happy occasion for some of the less fortunate. A very small sum spent in toys will cause much happiness with the children, while bringing a greater pleasure to the giver. Don't wait until the day before Christmas when your pocket book is getting depleted. Do it when the sum will more nearly represent your usual generous disposition. If you don't know where to place the money to advantage, call up some of the members of the Associated Charities. They can always find a home where your gift will meet with appreciation.

The coming session of Congress should prove interesting in many ways to the people of the nation. With the Democratic majorities in each branch cut down and the independent attitude shown at times by some of the individual Democrats, there should be a mighty strong minority fight put up against some of the administration policies and thus make a real test of the strength of President Wilson with the people and with his party. The war tax too, will come into effect December first with its constant irritation upon those who will have to pay tribute upon the luxuries of life. It is certain that the war tax is the weak link in the strong hold which President Wilson has upon the people today. Will it prove weak enough to lose him all the prestige gained through two years of able statesmanship? The American people are patriotic beyond a doubt, but it is deeply concealed patriotism often played upon by the dollar anxiety caused by the great commercial struggles which confront every branch of industry. The great question is whether such anxiety will undermine the patriotic pride in President Wilson's American doctrines.

NARROW MINDED

We do not like to see political warfare kept up now that the election is over, and we are certainly opposed to some of our contemporaries who try to belittle and slur Mr. Alexander, simply because as a Democrat, he has been elected to the office of chief executive of the state of Idaho, and who feel sorry for his lonesomeness. We also stand with the independent press in frowning upon such warfare.

It has been claimed that because he has signified a desire to meet with the people before he took office, in order to find out their wants, that he was making a "grand stand" play.

Well, for that matter, we are reminded of several other prominent men, such as Governor Folk, Governor Johnson of California, the Governor of Washington, Governor Hughes, and others who tried to do something equally as "grand standish" and we are certainly in favor of such men. Men who in order to get close to the people, will set party ties aside. This class of men are in demand. Not the men who use their office for private gain. Therefore we look upon Mr. Alexander's movement not so much with a desire to be conspicuously active but only in the interest of good government.

At least it would be better to give him credit for trying to get in touch with the people instead of wanting to be a mere figurehead. —Franklin County News.

WHY ALL THE HUBBUB?

In a recent issue the Richfield Recorder announced that it would hereafter be independent in politics, and about every sheet in this part of the state has had something to say about it, some of the comments being of a rather sarcastic trend. In the opinion of the Pioneer-Record Mr. Lisle of the Recorder has made one of the wisest moves possible. There is altogether too much partisanship evidenced by the press of Idaho, and not enough of fairness. The partizan papers can see no good in the other fellow and the spectacle of a paper howling itself hoarse for some party and running a display advertisement for the other candidates along side its gush reminds one of the smell coming from the dump grounds.

For some time the Pioneer-Record has passed up partizan politics entirely. It says what it pleases in its editorial columns and if there is anyone who don't like its utterances they are at liberty to lump them. The only way partizan stuff gets into this paper is as paid advertising, unless the party sees fit to make use of the free space granted to each one, and then it must be stuff concerning the party's principles, if it has any, and not a lot of gush for one candidate and against the integrity of another.

People have reached a point in this country where they are doing a lot of thinking for themselves—as evidenced by the returns from the late election—and the paper which does its own thinking without any party strings attached to it, is the one which gains and holds the respect of the thinking people.—Rupert Pioneer-Record.

OMINOUS POSSIBILITIES OF THE SMYRNA INCIDENT

That even this remote and neutral country is not beyond the danger zone of the spreading European conflagration was startlingly emphasized by the three shots fired by a Turkish fort at the launch of the United States cruise Tennessee in the harbor of Smyrna. While our state department is confident that fuller light on the incident will rob it of much of its sinister aspect, correspondents point out that, even if the action of the Turkish fort is satisfactorily explained, there will remain disquieting possibilities in connection with the hundreds of foreign Christians, including a number of American missionaries, now under the protection of our consulate in Smyrna. Nor is the gravity of the situation lessened by the fact that Sheik-ul Islam has proclaimed a "Holy War" for the whole Islam world. There is a large Mohammedan population under the United States government in the Philippines, and there are American missionaries in virtually all Mohammedan countries. According to a Washington correspondent of the New York World the state department has received "information to the effect that the least overt action might bring this government into the war."

The American public had its first official information about the Smyrna incident in the following statement issued by the Navy department on November 18:

"Capt. H. C. Decker, in command of the Tennessee, wired Secretary Daniels this morning that while proceeding from Vourlah to Smyrna to make official calls the boat was fired at. Consul anxious for safety of consulate. Tennessee proceeded to and left Vourlah at request of Ambassador, and is now anchored in the harbor of Scio (Chios), from which Captain Decker's telegram was sent."

Secretary Daniels cabled for fuller information, at the same time sending instructions to the Tennessee and the North Carolina, which are in the Mediterranean looking out for American interests, to take no action which could involve this government without specific instructions from the navy department. While hopeful that the incident would prove to be of minor importance, say the Washington correspondents, officials of the department confessed themselves worried over the statement that the American consul at Smyrna was anxious for the fate of the consulate. According to a correspondent of the New York Evening Sun, "there have been reports that the governor of Smyrna had declared that, if war broke out, he would massacre all the Christians in the city." But the same correspondent goes on to say:

"It is certain that German influence dominates in Turkey, and there is no doubt in diplomatic quarters here that this influence is exceedingly friendly to the United States. The administration officials are counting on the Turkish government manifesting a much less belligerent attitude than that of the military governor of Smyrna, who is believed to be responsible for the firing on the Tennessee's boat."

There are said to be, "about fifty Americans, mostly missionaries," at Smyrna. The English residents, according to the New York World, are estimated at about eight hundred. A London dispatch cites the rumor that the Tennessee approached Smyrna in response to appeals from the Christian residents generally, who were threatened with death in reprisal for attacks by the Allies on Turkey.

The Washington government, says a correspondent of the New York Herald, is "determined that a second Tampico incident shall not be made out of the action of the Turkish forts at Smyrna." President Wilson, declares the same correspondent, "has let it be known that in no circumstances will he permit this country to be dragged into war." And Vice President Marshall is quoted as saying:

"There is no fear of the United States entering the war because her ship was fired on. Europe can't get us into the war. We don't want to get in, and we are going to keep out. That is all there is to it. We will not go into the war with Europe."—Literary Digest.

RAILROADS APPEAL TO PRESIDENT

The Common Carriers Ask for Relief—President Wilson Directs Attention of Public to Their Needs.

The committee of railroad executives, headed by Mr. Frank Trumbull, representing thirty-five of the leading railroad systems of the nation, recently presented to President Wilson a memorandum briefly reviewing the difficulties now confronting the railroads of the country and asking for the co-operation of the governmental authorities and the public in supporting railroad credits and recognizing an emergency which requires that the railroads be given additional revenues.

The memorandum recites that the European war has resulted in general depression of business on the American continent and in the dislocation of credits at home and abroad. With revenues decreasing and interest rates increasing, the transportation systems of the country face a most serious crisis and the memorandum is a strong presentation of the candle burning at both ends and the perils that must ultimately attend such a conflagration when the flames meet. It is apparent to all, in their general discussion, the railroad representatives say in part: "By reason of legislation and regulation by the federal government and the forty-eight states acting independently of each other, as well as through the action of a strong public opinion, railroad expenses, in recent years have vastly increased. No criticism is here made of the general theory of governmental regulation, but on the other hand, no ingenuity can relieve the carriers of expenses created thereby."

President Wilson, in transmitting the memorandum of the railroad presidents to the public, characterizes it as "a lucid statement of plain truth." The president recognizing the emergency as extraordinary, continuing, said in part:

"You ask me to call the attention of the country to the imperative need that railway credits be sustained and the railroads helped in every possible way, whether by private co-operative effort or by the action, wherever feasible of governmental agencies, and I am glad to do so because I think the need very real."

The conference was certainly a fortunate one for the nation and the president is to be congratulated for opening the gate to a new world of effort in which everyone may co-operate.

There are many important problems in our complex civilization that will yield to co-operation which will not lend themselves to arbitrary rulings of commissions and financing railroads is one of them. The man with the money is a factor that cannot be eliminated from any business transaction and the public is an interested party that should always be consulted and happily the president has invited all to participate in the solution of our railroad problems.

KING ALBERT THEIR HERO

Belgian People Now Realize How Brave and Firm a Man is Their Monarch.

Paris.—Roland De Mares, editor of the Independence Belge, voices the Belgian sentiment toward King Albert by a splendid panegyric in the Temps. The writer contrasts the supposed personality of the young monarch, who was popularly believed to be lacking in firmness and military spirit, with the magnificent aspect of the heroic figure whose name henceforth will be inscribed for all time on the pages of history. M. De Mares says:

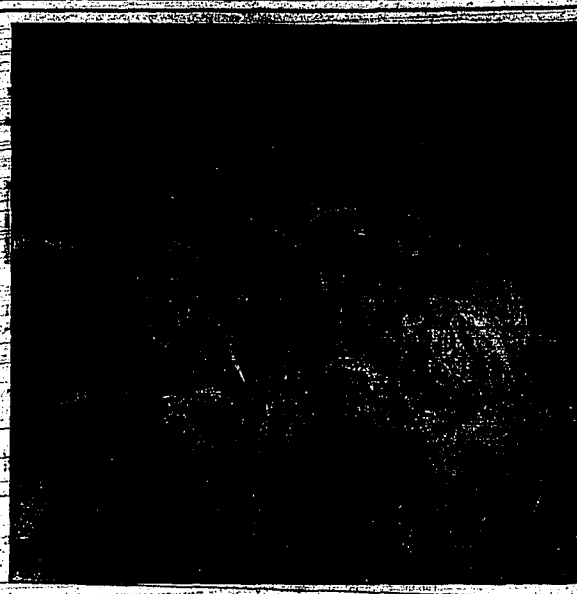
"It requires a tragic hour like the present to reveal to the world the full measure of the nobility of his nature. This monarch is duty incarnate. The world and his people know him not, it was he who, in perfect accord with his ministers, decided that Belgian neutrality was inviolable, and had the least manifestation of opposition made itself apparent, he would have used his prerogative and dissolved the government to enforce his will.

"This is why he will be entered as a living figure on the pages of history. This is why, in Belgium, where the people are impregnated with the spirit of revolution and liberal government, he never has fawned to the great nor been a slave to opinion.

"Let us salute the king, first among our heroes; and should tomorrow bring us either victory or defeat, we shall equally acclaim him in our history as 'Albert the victorious.'"

British Smoked During Battle.

A refugee who witnessed some of the fighting in Belgium remarked that the British soldiers were extraordinary beings, for they went into battle smoking their pipes.



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PORTLAND MARKET REPORT.

North Portland, Ore., Nov. 27, 1914.

Gentlemen: Receipts for the week have been: Cattle, 1253; calves, 31; hogs, 7,394; sheep, 2,153.

Cattle.

Cattle market continues steady in all lines with light receipts. Steers have not shown quite the quality that was shown the previous week, though some very good steers went at $7.45.—Good quality cows going at $6. A specially good bunch of feeder steers sprung the market and sold at $6.75.

Hogs.

This week was a banner one in point of receipts, 8,000 coming forward despite the fact that there was no market Thursday. The market closed today steady to strong at $7.30.

Sheep.

Another light week in the sheep sheds, barely enough good killing sheep coming to supply the demand of killers. Market is strong.

The following sales are representative:

80	Steers	1092	$7.45
102	"	1171	7.25
25	"	1182	7.20
40	"	1111	7.00
40	Cows	1225	6.00
20	"	1116	5.85
41	"	1171	5.75
3	"	1233	5.60
1	Bull	1351	5.00
1	"	1651	4.75
1	Stag	1361	6.75
1	Heifer	961	6.15
476	Hogs	213	7.50
805	"	203	7.45
1626	"	179	7.40
1055	"	176	7.35
336	Lambs	70	6.75
147	Ewes	104	5.00
7	Year'g.	131	5.50
12	"	113	5.25

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NOTICE

Of Time and Place for Proving Will.

In the Probate Court, County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho.

In the matter of the estate of William Goolden, deceased.

Pursuant to an order of said court, made on the 20th day of November, 1914, notice is hereby given that Monday, the 14th day of December, 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the court room of the said court, in the city of Twin Fals, Idaho, has been appointed as the time and place of proving the will of William Goolden, deceased, and for hearing the application of J. I. Mullins for the issuance to him of letters of testamentary, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated November 20th, 1914.

J. W. SHANK,
Probate Judge.

Taylor Cumming, attorney for petitioner, residing at Twin Falls, Idaho.
—Dec. 1-4-8-1.

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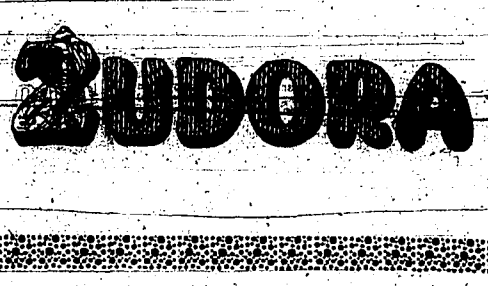

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NEW AUTO FUEL MAKING GOOD

McKeesport Man Has Substitute for Gasoline at Two Cents a Gallon

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 19. — John Andrus, of McKeesport, Pa., chemist has invented a new fuel for automobiles. The fuel which is called Zoline is expected to revolutionize the production of automobile power. Mr. Andrus is here witnessing a test of the fuel at the Indianapolis Speedway under direction of its management, where a 1,000-mile run is in progress.

A stock car began the grind today and made an average of about 50 miles an hour, completing the first lap of the run. The remainder will be run tomorrow.

The test is not for speed, but to learn the lasting qualities of the fuel and whether the chemicals will be harmful to engines.

The test is being made with a view of manufacturing the fuel at once if it is proved satisfactory.

Tomorrow after the second day's run the engine of the car will be taken apart to learn if there are any injurious effects from the chemicals. The test today was highly satisfactory.

The new fuel, which consists of nine-tenths rain water mixed with a chemical solution is said to cost less than 2 cents a gallon.

The fuel was mixed at the pits under observation of the American Automobile Association officials and the actual running time for the 500-mile grind was nine hours 22 minutes and 32 8-10 seconds.

Those in charge of the test today declared that better results would be obtained tomorrow if weather conditions were more favorable. It is asserted that Zoline will make a car go faster than gasoline.

John Andrus of McKeesport, Pa., the inventor, recently was paid $30,000 by the government for the discovery of a method of toughening armor plate. Among others interested in the new produce are: Carl G. Fisher, president of the Prest-o-Lite company; James A. Allison, his associate in many large ventures; H. D. Jay, of the Packard company, Detroit; Roy Chapman, of the Hudson company; A. O. Newbury, of the National; Howard C. Marmon, of the Nordyke & Marmon company. —Indianapolis Gazette Times.

FILER NEWS.

(From the Filer Journal)

E. B. Ripley was over to Wendell Tuesday.

Clarence Case is in the east on a business visit.

Geo. F. Truitt left Friday evening on his twenty days vacation.

H. O. Brown, of Twin Falls, was in town the first of the week.

H. G. Munyon was over near Wendell yesterday crying a sale.

McNair and Nichol are hauling out lumber to build an ice house.

A boy was born on Monday night to Mr. and Mrs. Loomis Brown.

Mrs. Polson is enjoying a visit from a sister and brother-in-law from the east.

O. B. Whitson and family left yesterday for Nampa, where they go to make their future home.

Bob Lee has quit the depot job and accepted a position with the C. A. Love general store.

Mrs. Geo. Leonard and children left on Monday morning on a visit to her old home at Des Moines, Iowa.

Fred C. Ripley has finished building a new house and barn on the land he recently purchased west of Filer.

Mrs. H. R. Walter and mother and daughter, Jennie, left yesterday morning on a visit to their old Ohio home.

H. H. Schildman is home from the northern part of the state where he was looking after business for several weeks.

Wm. Bunce left Tuesday for Boise, and will join Mrs. Bunce at Caldwell on Thanksgiving day, where he will make his brother-in-law glad a couple of times.

C. E. Clark is again taking a whirl at automobiling. This time he has secured a Ford and with this good car will probably have better success than with the one he formerly owned.

A baby boy was born on Saturday last to Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Harding returned Monday from their visit to Spokane.

Mrs. Day, of La Grande, Oregon, a sister of Mrs. C. A. Love, is here for Thanksgiving.

A. A. Davis returned Tuesday from a visit to his brother and other relatives in the Yakima country.

C. A. Love and Been and Hammerquist have both purchased new cash registers of the latest improved kind. They are run by electricity and can do anything but make counterfeit money.

O. C. Stevens this week sold 12 pigs to H. H. Schildman, farrowed May 16, one litter bringing him $112.95. This is one indication of what can be done on this tract along swine lines.

Mrs. G. H. Shearer, of Filer, Idaho, who spent the last three weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ingersoll, left yesterday for Cullom, Illinois, to spend Thanksgiving week with her husband's people. She will return ten days a week from today with her husband for another week's stay and some December 4 to 11 will start homeward.—Port Washington, (Wis.) Times.

About every so often the public is played for suckers in the mining game. Men who follow mining expect it, and are easily taken in by the excitement. At present the boys in Bowman valley are interested in the rock where gold is claimed to have been discovered near the rim rock, and people are flocking there and staking off ground for miles around. One assay reported that there was about $2c worth of gold in a ton of rock. This will be about all there is to it. People had better save their money and stay at home and dig 40c spuds. It will prove a disappointment to those who are rushing in.

Empire Day Essay.

"Dear Teacher: On Empire day we had a holiday. I had a fee on Friday. On Friday I was very happy, was you teacher when we had a holiday."—Punch.

MARRIED MEN LIVE LONG

Statistical Expert Has Proved That Husbands Are Better Risks Than Bachelors.

Dr. Hans Curadze, the German statistical expert, has discovered a new "barrier" between men and women. After studying the statistics of deaths and marriages he declares: "If men want to enjoy long life they should marry; if women want to grow to a good old age they should remain spinsters."

He admits that his conclusions can be established with greater certainty when the city of Berlin publishes its proposed statistical tables of widows, widowers, divorced persons and persons who secured separations at various ages, but he says that tables already available show that married women die sooner than the unmarried, whereas married men live longest.

Statistics show that the fatal age for all males, married and unmarried, is about forty-four, whereas for the married men it lies between fifty-five and sixty.

The fatal age for all women is about fifty, ten years more for unmarried women, and nearly ten years less for married.

Thus, if Doctor Curadze's statistics are to be believed, the woman who remains single may expect 20 years more of life than her married sister.

Marriages dissolved by the death of the wife last, on an average, ten to fifteen years, those dissolved by the husband's death usually last 20 to 25 years.

According to this the number of widowers in the average community is always considerably in excess of the number of widows. This is only one of the interesting questions which will be answered by the elaborate statistics now being collected in Berlin.

HAS A BACKBONE OF STEEL

Broken Vertebrae of Man's Spinal Column Replaced in Most Unusual Operation.

As the result of one of the most remarkable surgical operations, Frank Harrington, aged fifty-nine, of Vestal, near Binghamton, N. Y., will hereafter be known as the man with a steel backbone. A steel tube, jointed to make it as nearly as possible like the vertebrae of the spinal column, replaces 20 of the vertebrae, which were crushed by a fall from a scaffold.

Several weeks ago Harrington tripped and fell to the ground, landing on his back. It was found that the lower and middle portions of the spinal column had been crushed and the resulting pressure on the spinal cord had paralyzed his legs. It was not believed that he would be able to survive, but he was taken to the hospital. Drs. C. S. Wilson, W. H. Wilson and R. O. Crozier finally decided upon an operation in an effort to save his life.

As a preliminary the surgeons removed the pieces of the 20 crushed vertebrae, then took a careful measurement of the portion of the spine removed. Then they ordered a steel tube about three feet long, shaped like the spine, with flexible joints, to correspond, extreme care being taken that every nerve branching from the spinal cord should be in its proper place. Harrington was placed in a plaster cast. He has improved so much that he is now able to move his legs in the bed and the surgeons believe that he will entirely recover and be able to walk as well as ever.

Not Fated to Commit Suicide.

The tragic intentions of a married couple named Blin have caused some amusement to the tomatoes of Bar-sur-Aube, France, by the results of their repeated attempts to commit suicide. M. Blin started by trying to hang himself in the cellar, but the rope was not strong enough to carry out his wishes, and safely, if suddenly, he was deposited back on the floor. Mme. Blin, encouraged by her husband's act, in despair proceeded to do likewise, with a similar result. The couple then tried suffocation by gas, but workmen repairing the main stopped the supply, fortunately, but unwittingly preventing the tragedy. Undismayed at this new failure, and as though "never say die" was her motto, Mme. Blin threw herself down a 30-foot well, M. Blin following. There they expected to drown, but there was barely three feet of water. After hoping against hope for several hours their whereabouts was discovered by neighbors, who promptly hauled them out of the well and back to wisdom. They have promised not to start again.

Girl Moved by Crane.

When Cupid and Venus were making a tour of the Beardmore works, at Parkhead, Glasgow, a 120-ton crane began to move from the opposite end of the workshop. Great was the astonishment of their majesties to find that, instead of the usual huge gun, a pretty girl, carrying a bouquet, was the burden of the crane.

She stepped off the plate at the feet of the queen, and with a courtesy, asked her majesty to accept the flowers from the workmen, with love and their thanks, for coming to Parkhead. The queen was delighted beyond measure.

Complicating the Calculation.

"What is the fourth dimension?"

"I don't know, and to tell the truth I hope it will never be located. If they can find out how to measure it they'll begin to charge for it in selling houses and lots."

In the Ranks of Unreasonables.

"Wasn't there something about a promise to love, honor and obey me in that marriage ceremony?" asked Mr. Meekton. "My goodness, Leonida! You are like some of those politicians who never quit talking about a party platform."—Washington Star.

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ANNUAL CONVENTION

City and County School Superintendents Meet in Boise.

The third annual convention of city and county school superintendents met in Boise, November 19, 20 and 21. The superintendent of public instruction called the meeting early this year so that the legislative matters might be discussed and conclusions presented to the state board of education for their recommendation to the legislature. In numbers attending, in interest and enthusiasm, the meeting was a record breaker. All save five county superintendents (who were detained by illness), a large number of city superintendents, and a number of county superintendents elect and representatives of the state educational institutions were present.

Some weeks previous to the meeting, committees had been appointed to present important matters of legislation and a circular letter had been sent to all education supervisors of the state, presenting these points and asking for suggestions and criticisms. In a state so widely diversified as Idaho, most careful consideration by those immediately in touch with the school work must be given to determine what is best for the schools of the state. The convention acted as a clearing house for problems toward which the state should work in the future, and recommended a number of changes in school law that are needed for the present.

The important subjects were: "High School Problems," presented by Supt. Crandall of Idaho Falls; "Certification of Teachers," by Supt. Kent, of Adams county; "County Unit," by Supt. Ethel Redfield, of Nez Perce county; "School Revenue," by Supt. Siders of Pocatello; "Course of Study," by Supt. Catherine Dryden, of Latah county.

The convention recommended that some plan of county organization of schools in place of district organization be drawn up and be made optional with counties. They also recommended that all details of the certification of teachers be referred to the state board of education, acting on recommendation of an advisory board composed of teachers. This would relieve the statute book of nine or ten pages of technical details and save much time of the legislators.

The convention emphasized the need of state aid and direction in high school work, they requested the state board of education to plan for a high school director or visitor.

Much interest was aroused by a community high school bill; prepared as a substitute and extension of the present rural high school law. No final action was taken on this.

Endorse State Board of Education

The convention went on record by unanimous vote in the following resolution: "Resolved, by this convention that we commend State Commissioner Dr. E. O. Sisson and members of the state board of education for their efforts to raise the status of education in Idaho and that we pledge them our support."

In appreciation of the efforts of the retiring superintendent of public instruction, they also passed the following:

"Whereas, this is the last meeting of this body in its official capacity with our esteemed state superintendent, Miss Grace M. Shaphard, who has devoted her entire energies to the betterment of school conditions in this state and has taken a large part in the educational affairs of the nation, therefore be it resolved that we express to her our appreciation of her services by a rising vote."

Many of those attending declared this the best convention held. Idaho is to be congratulated on having a body of men and women who are giving such careful study to the educational needs of the state.

Recommend Small State Tax

Much attention was paid to school revenue and expenditure. At present the great bulk of the cost of schools in Idaho is borne by the individual district. The state contribution (interest on the permanent school fund) covers about 8 per cent of the total cost, the county levies cover 27 per cent and the district special levies 65 per cent (figures for 1913) and this works a hardship for the poorer counties and the poorer districts.

Districts vary enormously in their ability to support schools. Data gathered by the state board of education and the commissioner of education shows as an illustration that a school district in one county in Idaho has only an assessed valuation for every child in that district of $12,61, while another district in the same county has an assessed valuation for every school child of $31,000. The richest district in the state has an assessed valuation of $47,000 for every child of school age in that district.

Most of the states that are as progressive as Idaho have a state tax, for example, in Washington, the state contributes a sum equal to $10 for every child of school age, and the counties raise an equal amount. This makes the district tax very light.

The convention recommended that the state levy a small tax, enough to raise the state contribution from about $2.50 per child, the present amount, of the interest fund to $5.00 per child. Also that the county levy instead of being from 1½ to 5 mills, a very uncertain amount, should be fixed at an amount equal to $15.00 per child of school age. At present the county commissioners fix the levy within the legal limits; pressure is often brought to bear on them to fix the minimum levy where the interests of the school demand the maximum.

Not Increase of Cost but Better Distribution of Burden.

These recommendations do not involve an increase in the total expenditures for schools, but effect a more equitable distribution of the burden. As it is now, some counties and some districts pays far more than their share of taxible property, especially of railroad and other corporate property; while others are poverty stricken and find it impossible to maintain decent schools.

The convention elected Supt. J. M. Market, Buhl, as president; Supt. R. C. Egbers, Coeur d'Alene, vice-president; and Miss Harriet Wood, Fremont county, secretary.

WAR TAX BEGINS

New Law Taxing Telephone Users Is Now in Force.

(Special to the Times.)

Denver, Nov. 30.—The far reaching effects of the European war will be felt in no small way by telephone users, according to the announcement made today by the United States Internal Revenue Department. The new federal revenue tax on telephone and telegraph messages goes into effect December 1st all over the country, and a government tax of one cent will be collected for every message amounting to fifteen cents or over.

Officials of the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph company, operating in the seven mountain states, have been busy the past month notifying exchanges in all parts of the system of the manner in which this tax is to be collected and turned over to the government. Notices have been sent to each of the 250,000 subscribers in the system and placards containing the provisions of the new law are to be posted in every pay station. According to the law, all long distance messages amounting to fifteen cents or over are taxed one cent, whether from private telephones or from public or pay stations. Toll calls from private telephones will be counted by the company and taxed in a lump sum on the monthly bill. Pay station customers will be required to drop a penny in the coin box of the telephone when their call is made. There will be no tax on local messages where no toll charge is made.

The effects of the new law will be interesting in this western country, where the number of pennies in circulation is proportionately small. According to officials of the United States Mint in Denver, all pennies are coined in Philadelphia and shipped through the local mint and subtreasury for distribution. No shortage of pennies is anticipated, as the banks throughout the country have been supplied in the last few weeks.

In some cases, according to the officials of the telephone company, the cost of collecting the tax from the public pay stations will exceed the tax itself, but the new law is stringent and requires the collection to be made on every call.

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EDUCATORS PLAN IMPROVEMENT

New Course of Study of the State Approved.

Prof. Walter R. Siders has returned from the conference of the county and city superintendents held in Boise all of last week. Prof. Siders was chairman of the convention and brings back the report of many beneficial resolutions adopted by the members, to be recommended to the legislature for passage at the next session. Between seventy-five and eighty of the leading educators of the state were present and some of the more vital necessities of the educational system of Idaho were taken under advisement.

One of the most important recommendations passed was to raise the minimum school term in Idaho from five to seven months. Another matter of importance discussed was that of the qualifications of teachers. Heretofore there has been from eight to ten pages of hard and fast rules on the statute books to which the teachers must conform and even with this it is entirely inadequate. The recommendation agreed upon was to place the latter qualification in the hands of the board of educators who would study the conditions and depend largely upon their best judgments as to the fitness of applicants. Idaho being a new state and receiving teachers from so many eastern states, presents harder problems along these lines than does more settled territories.

Subjects taken under advisement were: High school problems; certification of teachers; county unit; school revenues, course of study, and additional problems and questions. A committee was appointed to make any recommendations it deemed necessary in regard to the course of study of the state. After taking three days for consideration it returned with the report and no improvement could be made, which is rather flattering to Prof. Siders, who is the author of the course.

Taxation for the school funds received much attention and it was finally decided to work along the county unit plan. In brief this plan provides for the raising of funds by taxation levied as a state tax and distributed on the basis of per capita of school census. An illustration may be seen in the fact that while Clearwater county has an assessed valuation of $7,129 per school student, Cassia county has but $1,823. The proposed method equalizes the burden throughout the state.

Another important change recommended was that a county board of education be appointed and the county schools be run on the same plan that the schools of the different wards in the city are run. This county board will then have the power of electing the county superintendent. Included in this last recommendation was that this question be put to the voters of the county for final decision.

Another recommendation which passed was that instead of raising the school funds on a tax of a certain number of persons at the aggregate number of ——— necessary to operate the schools be estimated and the tax be so levied as to raise this specific amount. It was also recommended to tax the wealth of the state to help maintain community high schools.

A permanent organization was effected and standing committees appointed to meet current problems. W. R. Siders was chosen chairman of the standing committee of the raising of revenue.—Pocatello Tribune.

WHY WISCONSIN EXCELLS IN DAIRYING

When an attempt is made to connect men with the growth and development of the resources of a state there is danger that it may be so inclusive as to be forbidding or so exclusive as to be unfair. In the case of Wisconsin, however, there are certain outstanding men whom all recognize as having been the pioneers in dairying and the builders of the solid foundations upon which has been erected a superstructure of which the sons and daughters of the state are justly proud. It is in no measure to be considered that the men featured in the accompanying illustration of Wisconsin's exhibit at the national are the only men who stand out prominent in the development of the dairy resources of the state, but they are representative.

For those interested in following the reading matter on the charts that does not show up clearly in the illustration we give the following, the number preceding the quotation referring to the chart as numbered:

1. Hiram Smith, the first dairy school in America, the result of his agricultural thought.
2. W. A. Henry, former dean of the College of Agriculture.
3. The first dairy school in America at Wisconsin.
4. Wisconsin's present dairy school.
5. Geo. McKerrow, for 25 years superintendent of Wisconsin Farm Institutes.
6. Stephen Favill, pioneer dairyman and owner of first cheese factory in Wisconsin.
7. Dr. Stephen M. Babcock, the first Babcock tester, and the modern Babcock tester. By means of the Babcock test, invented and contributed to the dairy world by Dr. Babcock, dairying has been developed from one of the most haphazard industries to an exact and attractive business enterprise.
8. A cheese factory and a creamery. Wisconsin has one-sixth of all creameries and more than half of all cheese factories in the United States. The enforcement of wise dairy laws has established a reputation second to none.
9. Wisconsin leads all states in butter production. Makes over 50 per cent of the nation's cheese. Cheese and butter second in quality to none. Value of dairy products nearly equal to that of gold mined in the United States. Butterfat sold at one to two cents more a pound than in any other of the central states. Dairy cows on 93 per cent of all improved farms. Dairy farms always more prosperous than grain farms.
10. Dr. F. H. King, pioneer in construction of silos and better barns. The 45,000 silos in Wisconsin, more than in any other state, insure against drought in summer and provide succulent food in winter.
11. Type of cows which makes Wisconsin wealthy.
12. Ex-Governor W. D. Hoard has been the ideal and inspiration of dairymen in Wisconsin and every other state.
12. Dairy sires bred and tested for production are the better halves of many herds in Wisconsin.
14. Wisconsin shares with the other states of the greatest dairy region in America, a climate that is tempered by the Great Lakes. Summer and winter seasons are adopted to dairying and the production of cheese and other products of quality.

FARMER FATALLY SHOT

Was Carrying Weapon on Hay Rake When It Slipped.

Frank Neilhouse, a dry land farmer was brought into Minidoka late Tuesday with his left shoulder almost blown off as a result of the accidental discharge of a loaded shot gun. He was on a hay rake about four miles from home when the gun which he had with him slipped. In endeavoring to catch the weapon and keep it from falling to the ground, it became entangled with the teeth of the rake and the entire load went into his arm. The injured man then rode a mile and a quarter to the home of Fred Blatz for assistance. He was immediately brought to town to await the arrival of east bound passenger train No. 4. In the meantime everything was done to relieve the sufferer and to keep up heart action, which was very weak because of loss of blood. On arriving at American Falls Mr. Neilhouse was speedily taken to the hospital and amputation was performed. But before they were able to get him free from the influence of the anaesthetic, the patient expired.

The deceased was well known in and around Minidoka, having resided on a farm north of town for several years. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife in this country and four brothers and three sisters in Austrin-Hungary. —Shoshone Journal.

PLEASANT VIEW SCHOOL SOCIAL

School District Working for Community Christmas Tree.

One of the best socials of the season was held at the school house in Dist. 16, on november 25. The program was well rendered and highly appreciated. Everyone present having a splendid time. The net proceeds of the sale were $93.75. The boxes were very attractive. A portion of the money will be used to furnish a community Christmas tree. The success of the program was largely due to the good will and friendship existing in the community. Pleasant View is one of the community centers on the tract, where a spirit of progress prevails.

Pleasant View has good schools, employing splendid talent and has above all, a kind people who at all times are willing to put school and church work first on the list of essentials. We have a Sunday school of 100 members, with regular church services and a Christian Endeavor. The Galeanor class of the Sunday school being one of the best associations of young people on the tract.

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"Hearst-Selig News Pictorial."

Latest war news not shown here.

MATINEE SATURDAY--5 CENTS TO ALL

Local and Personal

Otto Hansen, of Buhl, was a county seat visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Moore, of Filer, were in the city Saturday.

Judge Dan P. Welty, of Buhl, was a county seat visitor Tuesday.

C. A. Greenwalt spent Saturday in the city from his home in Buhl.

The Craven and McCollum families spent Thanksgiving with relatives and friends in Hollister.

Mrs. W. D. Southworth, of Buhl, was a shopping visitor in the county seat Friday of last week.

Mrs. L. A. Hayford, of Buhl, was a shopping visitor in the city for a day the last of the week.

B. C. Clark transacted business in the county seat for a day the last of the week from Filer.

Mrs. W. F. Klusmeyer visited in the city Friday and Saturday from her home near Hollister.

Ira Brackett, the well-known Three Creek cattle man, is in the city looking after business affairs.

Arthur Silva, of Shoshone, spent a day or two of last week in Twin Falls looking after business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tanner were in the city Friday evening and Saturday from their home in Filer.

C. C. Wilburn, of Oakley, spent several days of last week in Twin Falls looking after business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Houston were in the city Saturday from their home in Falls City, on the North Side.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul S. Haddock and children are at Twin Falls, guests of Judge and Mrs. Walters and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Starrh.—Shoshone Journal.

J. W. Jackson, one of the directors of the Twin Falls Canal company, is in the city today looking after business matters in connection with the Canal company.

Mrs. Ida A. Buckett left for Twin Falls on yesterday morning's south-bound train. She will spend the winter with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Starrh. — Hailey News-Minor.

Banko, M. B. Provost was a business visitor in Twin Falls Monday.

Miss Marie Summers is in the city today from Filer on a shopping tour.

Mrs. M. Read was in the city Monday from Rock Creek on a shopping tour.

W. A. Parrett spent Saturday in the county seat from his home in Hollister.

Charles F. Massey, of Jerome, transacted business in the Magic City Friday.

N. H. Musser of Filer, was transacting business in the county seat Saturday.

W. P. Shinn, of Filer, is in the county seat today looking after business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sessions were Twin Falls visitors last Sunday.—Burley Bulletin.

W. M. Huffcorn is in Twin Falls from Rupert looking after business matters.

W. D. Southworth transacted business in Twin Falls Tuesday from his home in Buhl.

F. A. Nelson was in the city Saturday from his home in Rupert transacting business.

J. A. Swode is transacting business in the county seat today from the Buhl neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Johnson were in Twin Falls for a day or two the last of the week from their home in Burley.

S. P. Worthington, a prominent business man of Oakley, was in the city Friday and Saturday transacting business.

F. E. Freeman was in Twin Falls Tuesday from his home in the Buhl neighborhood looking after business matters.

Attorney and Mrs. J. C. Rogers were in the city Monday from Burley. Mr. Rogers was here looking after legal business.

B. E. Morse returned Monday from a short trip to Burley, where he is looking after the construction of several buildings.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith were visitors in Twin Falls Saturday from their home in Berger. Mr. Smith is the manager of the lumber yard in the Salmon town.

Fred Fagin and son drove down to Twin Falls Friday to get some fruit and look over the country. They made the distance each way—52 miles in one day's drive.—Richfield Recorder.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lewis and daughter, Frances, are in the city from their home in Fremont, Nebraska, visiting with Mrs. Lewis' parents, Dr. and Mrs. John F. Shepherd. They will remain until after the first of the year.

Rev. H. W. Parker, district superintendent of the Pocatello district of the Methodist church, spent Friday in Gooding attending the meeting of the board of trustees of the Methodist college which is to be located at Gooding.

S. L. Hodgins, who is practicing law in Boise, was a business visitor in the city for a day or two the last of the week. Mr. Hodgins was United States marshal for the district of Idaho, until the election of President Wilson.

William Becker returned last Saturday from Twin Falls hospital, where he had been receiving treatment for injury received last week at the hands of Hugh Boff. From further information it appears the affair it appears that Mr. Becker was not to blame for the trouble, it being purely a matter of misunderstanding on the part of Mr. Goff. During both gentlemen's employment at the farm there had never been any trouble between them and a complete understanding has been arrived at and the best of feeling now exists between Mr. Becker and Mr. Goff.—Jerome News.

Frank Healey left Tuesday morning for Rupert to look after his farm on the Minidoka tract.

W. B. Woodruff, of Wendell, spent a day the last of the week in Twin Falls looking after business matters.

Thomas Higgins, the stockman of the Rogerson country, is in the city looking after business matters.

T. D. Connors transacted business in the county seat Saturday from his home in the Filer neighborhood.

T. W. Potter left Monday morning for his ranch in the Buhl neighborhood to be gone for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Patton were in the city Friday evening from Filer attending the play at the Lavering.

E. B. McCorkle arrived in the city Monday from Rogerson and will remain for several days on business.

Commissioner-elect Dan P. Albee is in the city from his home in the Rock Creek neighborhood. He is accompanied by Mrs. Albee.

H. H. Mark, who is ranging his sheep for the winter in the Murtaugh neighborhood, was a business visitor in Twin Falls Monday.

Prof. J. Bracken, of the Hollister schools, spent Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Bracken, in this city.

Ralph Pink, shoe salesman for the Booth Mercantile company, returned Monday from Montpelier, where he had been for several days.

County Commissioner C. H. Taylor is in the city from Buhl attending the regular December meeting of the board of county commissioners.

Morrison Aitken, who is connected with the North Side Land and Water company, is in the city today from Jerome looking after business affairs.

Mrs. William Brittain a sister of Mrs. M. G. Hipsy, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Carda Bowen and daughter, arrived in the city Monday and will visit here for the winter.

J. W. Sessions was in the city Saturday from Pocatello, looking after the details of the coming seed convention, which is to be held in this city this week.

Mrs. John Milner, who has been spending several weeks visiting with her son, R. G. Milner and family, left Sunday evening for her home in Salt Lake City.

Major Fred R. Reed, executive commissioner for Idaho to the Panama exposition at San Francisco, was in the city Saturday from his headquarters in Boise.

Miss Emily Dunn left for her home in Loveland, Colorado, after spending about two months in the city visiting with her nephew, C. L. Jarsons and family. Miss Dunn is so well pleased with the Twin Falls country that she is thinking of making this place her home as soon as she can dispose of her property interests in Colorado.

L. G. Hayford was in the city Monday from Buhl looking after business affairs. Mr. Hayford returned about three weeks ago from the coast, where he had been for several months. While in California he purchased an automobile and traveled through the Golden state, a part of Mexico, and returned home by way of Oregon and Washington.

Glen Jenkins and sister, Miss Mildred, of Twin Falls, were in Burley Monday. Mr. Jenkins is a member of the Jenkins & Co's. stores of Twin Falls and Burley and came up to help roadhust the big sale prices in their store here and make some extraordinary further cuts than had been made. He said the goods must be sold regardless of cost. They returned in their auto Tuesday. —Burley Advocate.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Alexander entained Thursday at an elaborate six course dinner at one o'clock. The dining room glowed hospitably with its many red candles, and the table was exquisitely lovely with its red and yellow streamers and centerpiece of ferns, fruits and flowers crowned with the ever smiling king kewpie. Dainty place cards showed the following guests their respective places: Miss Conway, Mr. Flintoff, Dr. D. Brown Lewers and Mr. and Mrs. Alexander.

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Dr. and Mrs. Charles Wotherbee, of Buhl, spent Thanksgiving in Twin Falls visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Stewart.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry Wyatt left Tuesday morning for their home in Grinnell, Iowa, after being here for the past two weeks, owing to the illness of Dr. Wyatt's mother, Mrs. E. A. Wyatt.

F. L. McCauley, M. D., is in the city from Hoisington, Kansas, looking over the city with a view of locating. Dr. McCauley is so well pleased with the city and surrounding country that he has about decided to locate and practice his profession.

Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Henry and children departed Monday evening for their new home in Everett, Washington, where Mr. Henry will take charge of the First Baptist church. There were many friends of the family at the depot last evening to bid them goodbye.

SOCIETY NOTES

Society items for this column will be gladly received by The Times.

Mrs. Neuman will entertain with a Kensington this afternoon.

Miss Maxine Billings is hostess to the Krismus Klub this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Finch entertained with a small dinner party Sunday.

The C. W. B. M. auxiliary of the Christian church, will meet Friday.

Mrs. W. D. Amsbarry has issued invitations for a Kensington Thursday.

A farewell reception was given Monday afternoon of this week for Rev. and Mrs. Henry, who left the same evening for Everett, Washington.

Mrs. C. B. Channel entertained with a dinner party Saturday evening in compliment to Mrs. John Milner, who left for her home Sunday night. Covers were laid for twelve.

Mrs. W. B. Amsbarry, entertained the Champion Bible class of the Christian church last Friday evening. A delightful item was spent by the twenty-five members present.

A group of friends enjoyed a 600 party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Flowers last Saturday evening. Present were Messrs. and Mesdames Baird, McElwaine and W. H. Dwight. A delicious lunch was served.

In honor of the natal day of her daughter, Viola, was the sumptuous dinner given by Mrs. Glen M. Alfonte on Monday evening. Covers were laid for six and was a most enjoyable affair.

A party composed of the Misses Fannie Hart, Maria Roberts, Madeline Reynolds, Carmen Cox, Veva Amos, Marguerite Putnam, Pauline Evans and Claire Ramsay enjoyed the matinee at the Lavering theatre Saturday afternoon; going afterwards to lunch.

Among the pleasant Thanksgiving dinner parties last week was the one presided over by Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Senior, who entertained Messrs. and Mesdames C. H. Burton, W. T. Wood, G. P. Baker, and L. T. Wright. Lovely chrysanthemums were arranged on the table, with dainty place cards to match.

Thanksgiving evening Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dwight entertained a few friends at cards. Elaborate refreshments were served. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Flower, Geo. Watson, McElwaine, F. A. Dwight, Misses Martin, Amos, Dwight and Messrs. Hoag, Rautteau and Robert Logan.

One of the largest dinner parties of last week was the one given Thanksgiving evening by Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hamilton. Auction Bridge followed, Mr. and Mrs. Nixon winning the highest scores. Those enjoying this party were: Messrs. and Mesdames Longley, Nixon, Grant, Booth, Beatty, Kaylor, Maxwell and Aiken.

One of the enjoyable after-theatre supper parties was given Friday evening with Miss Mary Milner as hostess. A basket of fruit formed the attractive centerpiece, the table being dimly lighted with red shaded candles. The invited guests were: Misses Farm Costello, Alma Benoit, and Messrs. Simpson, Whitehead and Robert Logan.

Mrs. Sheetz, of Canyon City, Colorado, was complimented Saturday afternoon, by a charming luncheon at which Mrs. J. E. White was hostess. A pumpkin filled with fruits entwined with autumn leaves formed the centerpiece of the table, around which were seated Mesdames W. T. Wallace, Sheetz, P. H. Crow, J. H. Seaver and Miss Hamlin.

Master Dean Tracey celebrated his eighth birthday anniversary by inviting eight of his little boy friends. They attended the matinee and returned to the Tracey home, where a dainty two-course luncheon was served. The color scheme of pink and green was carried out in the decorations and refreshments. The beautiful birthday cake with its eight pink and green candles graced the center of the table. Each guest received a favor of turkey boxes filled with candy.

Very enjoyable was the Kensington given Friday afternoon by Mrs. H. O. Milner, Mrs. John Milner being the honor guest. A feature of the afternoon was the guessing of the numbers of pieces in a beautiful patchword quilt, the work of Mrs. John Milner, Mrs. Taylor receiving a prize for making the most accurate guess. At the dainty buffet lunch which followed, Mesdames Sheetz and Milner poured; the table being decorated with a basket of fruit tied with a large maline bow. Those invited to this affair were Mesdames Channel, Pettit, McMillan, Speckman, Taylor, Fuller, Wallace, Sheetz, Philco, Epler, Kunkeley, E. B. Williams, Holmes, Bailes, A. R. Ostrander, Breckenridge and Madams Nixon and Taylor.

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JUVENILE BOSTONIANS

Famous Feminine Company Will Be at Orpheum Last of Week.

Agliter in the gala brilliancy of a complete new set of costumes and scenic investiture, the singing and dancing throng of youthful femininity—note, the cast is feminine to the total exclusion of mankind—billed as the famous Juvenile Bostonian Opera company, will chant a merry greeting to theatre-goers of Twin Falls when the much talked of organization comes to the Orpheum theatre for a limited engagement of three nights, starting Thursday evening December 3, with special matinee Saturday.

The Bostonian Juveniles have a standing that is too good-and-too-long maintained to require introduction; this is the company's eleventh successful year on tour, and its fixed place in national theatricals has established it as an institution with a popularity peculiarly its own. It is necessary only to say that all the several dainty little misses—who scored so tremendously in previous seasons are returning, including happy-go-lucky Thom Helen, Doris Canfield, Dixie White, Illiece O'Neill, Ina Mitchell, Halcyon Clark and Patsie Henry.

"The Dream Girl" in which the youngsters will be seen here is a veritable gem of opera. Its music has irresistable rythem and jingle, its melodies are the kind whose strains stay with you and over and over keep coming to mind; and its dances, gay and fast, as diverting as they are novel. The stage mounting, colorful and pretentious, with bewildering effects of mechanical genius, provides a splendid background for the whirlwind of action involved in the working out of the play's interesting story, a story that has plot and interest of its own and not the mere framework upon which to hang a mass of featured songs and sprightly dance numbers. A complete change of opera will be given each night and on Saturday night two shows will be given, 7:30 and 9:00.

"PEG" MAKES A HIT

Marion Dentier is Popular Play is a Clever Actress.

The people of this city, who had been looking forward to the coming of "Peg O' My Heart," as the best theatrical event of the season were not disappointed by the production with Marion Dentier as the leading woman. From the rise of the curtain the audience was brought near to tears by some of the pathos only to be convulsed with laughter by the inimitable Irish wit of Peg, the young girl about whom the plot is centered. Nor was the rest of the supporting company a bit behind Miss Dentier in its hold on the audience, carefully Mr. Erskine, as Alaric, and Miss Haferty as the purse-proud and worldly-wise daughter of the Chichester family. Miss Dentier throughout, maintained with each her characterization of a crude Irish lassie and with Michael the unpedigreed dog, kept the play moving at a swift pace. The closing act came all too soon.

act came all too soon. Manager Lavering should feel pleased with the response to his efforts in getting "Peg" her.

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GOLD EXCITEMENT CONTINUES

Some Samples Show Faint Trace of Gold, Others Run High.

The excitement of the reported gold find near Wendell has not substided, notwithstanding the fact that many of the people are skeptical of the report.

Some Wendell parties sent a sample of the ore to Boise to an assayer and his report was not altogether reassuring, as he reported that there was not even a trace of gold in the samples submitted. Other parties sent samples to Boise for assay purposes and the word came back that they contained just 21 cents per ton of gold and a slight trace of silver. These samples, however, were taken from the loose rock, while the prospectors who reported the gold find insist that the gold and silver ore are not in the rock at all, but found in a formation of sand and clay under the lava rock.

They report that samples of this ore sent to Salt Lake City, where it was assayed, carried $62.50 in gold and $13.75 in silver to the ton, but they are not prepared to say that the ore from which they took their samples is in sufficient quantities to pay for the operation of a mine.

Many people have come in the past week and looked over the situation, and some have staked claims, although all the available land in the neighborhood of the lead had been taken before they arrived and they had to take claims further away. Likewise many wild reports have been started, some of them drawn from a very fertile imagination. Among these is one to the effect that gold quartz had been found running over $1200 to the ton, and another one that it was running $700 to the ton.—Wendell Irrigationist.

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SYNOPSIS OF PREVIOUS CHAPTERS

Stanley Hargreave, millionaire, after a miraculous escape from the den of the gang of brilliant thieves known as the Black Hundred, lives the life of a recluse for eighteen years. Hargreave accidentally meets Braine the leader of the Black Hundred. Knowing Braine will try to get him, he escapes from his own home by a balloon Braine escaping he writes a letter to the girls' school where eighteen years before he mysteriously left behind the deserting his baby daughter, Florence Cecily. That day Hargreave also draws $2,000,000 from the bank, but it is reported that this dropped into the sea when the balloon he escaped in was destroyed.

Florence arrives from the girls' school. Countess Olga, Braine's companion, visits her and claims to be a relative. Two bogus detectives call but their plot is foiled by Norton, a newspaper man.

Concealed above the rendezvous of the Black Hundred, a man learns of the recovery from the sea of the box of jewels by a sailor and of its subsequent return to the bottom of the sea, and he quickly communicates the fact to Jones. A duplicate box is planted and later secured by the band, but before its contents are examined the box mysteriously disappears.

Finding himself checkmated at every turn, Braine endeavors to enmesh the Hargreave household in the Black Hand in order to gain free access to the house. The timely discovery of the plot by Norton sets the police at the heels of the pack and results in a raid on the gang's rendezvous, which, however, proves to be barren of results.

The Black Hundred begin to fear Norton and plan to dispose of him. Again the unnoticed butler shows his hand by rescuing Norton and defeating Braine.

Florence secures a mysterious paper which is of vital importance to her father's safety. Braine loses hope of securing the $1,000,000 and turns to revenge.

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CHAPTER XXII.

A Night of Adventures.

Henri Servan is given documentary evidence against the Black Hundred. They try to get it from him by a clever ruse, but Jones beats them to it again.

The federal government agreed to say nothing, to put no obstacles in the way of the Russian agent, provided he could abduct his trio without seriously clashing with the New York police authorities. It was a reasonable fact that the local police force wanted the newspaper glory which would attend the crushing of the Black Hundred. It would be an exploit. But their glory was all; nor did Servan take his trio back with him to Russia.

Many strange things happened that night, the night of the final adventure. Florence sat in her room reading. The book was "Oliver Twist," not the pleasantest sort of a book to read under the existing circumstances. Several times—she had reached the place where Fagin overheard Nancy's confession—she fancied she heard doors closing softly, but credited it to her imagination. Poor Nancy, who wanted to be good but did not find time to be! Florence possessed a habit familiar to most of us; the need of apples or candy when we are reading. So she rang the bell for her maid, intending to ask her to bring up some apples. She turned to her reading, presently to break off and strike the bell again. Where was that maid? She waited perhaps five minutes, then laid down the book and began to investigate.

There was not a servant to be found in the entire house! What in the world could that mean? Used as she was to heartrending suspenses, she was none the less trifled. Something, and taken the servants from the house. From whence was the danger to come this time? Where was Jones? Why did he not return as he had promised? It was long past the hour when he said he would be back.

She went into the library and picked up the telephone. She was told that Mr. Norton was out on an assignment, but that he would be notified the moment he returned. She opened a drawer in the desk. She touched the automatic but did not take it up. She left the drawer open, however.

Earlier, at the newspaper office, that night, Jim went into the managing editor's office, and laid down a bulky manuscript on that gentleman's desk.

"Is this it?"

"It is," said Jim.

"You have captured them?"

"No; but there is a net about them from which not one can escape. There is the story of my adventures, of the adventures of Miss Hargreave and the butler Jones. You'll find it exciting reading. You might as well send it up to the composing room. At midnight I'll telephone the introduction. It's a scoop. Don't worry about that."

The editor riffled the pages.

"A hundred and twelve pages, 300 words to the page; man, it's a novel!"

"It'll read like one."

"Sit down for a moment and let me skim through the first story."

At the end of ten minutes the editor laid down the copy. He opened a drawer and took out two envelopes. The blue one he tore up and dropped into the waste basket. Norton understood and smiled. The other envelope he put in his pocket. The editor might discharge him if he fell down. The other envelope was a fat one.

"Open it," said the editor, smiling a little himself.

This envelope contained a check for $2,500, two round trip tickets to Liverpool, first class, together with innumerable tickets such as are issued to tourists.

"Why two," asked Jim innocently.

"Forget it, my boy, forget it. You ought to know that in this office we don't employ blind men. The whole staff is on. There you are, a fat check and three month's vacation. Go and get married; and if you return before the three months are up I'll fire you myself on general principles."

Jim laughed happily and the two men shook hands. Then Jim went forth to complete the big assignment. Five minutes later Florence called him up to learn that he had gone.

What should she do? Jones had told her to stay in the house and not leave it. But where was he? Why did he not come? What was the meaning of this desertion by the servants? She wandered about aimlessly looking out of windows, imagining forms in the shadows. Her imagination had not deceived her; she had heard doors close softly.

"Susan, Susan!" she murmured; but Susan was in the hospital.

"Oliver Twist!" What had possessed her to start reading that old tale again? She should have read something of a light and joyous nature. After half an hour's wandering about the lonely house she returned to the library, feeling that she would be safer where both telephone and revolver were.

And while she sat waiting for she knew not what, her swiftly beating heart sending the blood into her throat so that it almost suffocated her, a man turned into the street and walked resolutely toward the Hargreave place. He passed a man leaning against a lamp post, but never turned to look at him.

This man, however, threw away his cigar and hot-footed it to the nearest pay station. He knew in his soul that he had just seen the man for whom they had been hunting all these weary, but strenuous weeks—Stanley Hargreave in the flesh! Half an hour after his telephone message, the chief of the black hundred and many lesser lights were on their way to the house of mystery. Had they but known.

Now, the man who had created this tremendous agitation went serenely on. He proceeded directly and fearlessly to the front door, produced a latch key and entered. He passed through the hall and reception room to the library and paused on the threshold dramatically. Florence stepped back with a sharp cry of alarm. She had heard the hall door open and close and had taken it for granted that Jones had returned.

There was a tableau of short duration.

"Don't you know me?" asked the stranger in a singularly pleasant voice.

Florence had been imposed upon too many times. She shook her head defiantly, though her knees swooned so that she was certain that the least touch would send her over.

"I am your father, child."

Florence slipped unsteadily behind the desk and seized the revolver which lay in the drawer. The man by the curtains smiled sadly. It was a smile that caused Florence to waver a bit. Still she extended her arm.

"You do not believe me!" asked the man advancing slowly.

"No. I have been deceived too many times, sir. Stay where you are. You will wait here till my butler returns. O, if I were only sure!" she burst out proof have you that you are what you say?"

He came toward her, holding out his hands. "This, that you cannot doubt me. Ah, the damnable wrestling! What have they done to you, my child, to make you suspicious of everyone? I will tell you what only Jones and the reporter know, that the aviator died, that I alone was rescued, that I gave Norton the five thousand, that I watched the widows of the Russian countess, and overheard nearly every plot that was hatched in the council chambers of the Black Hundred; that I was shot in the arm while crossing the lawn one night. And now we have the scoundrels just where we want them. They will be in this house for me in just half an hour, and not one of them will leave it in freedom. I am your father Florence; I am the lonely father who has spent the best years of his life away from you in order to secure your safety. Can't you feel the truth of all this?"

"No, no! Please do not approach any nearer; stay where you are!"

At that moment the telephone rang. With the revolver still leveled she picked up the receiver.

"Hello, hello! Who is it? * * O, Jim, Jim, come at once! I am holding a man at bay who says he is my father. Hold him where he is, you say? All right, I will. Come quick!"

"Jim!" murmured the man, still advancing. "He must have that revolver. The poor child might spoil the whole affair." "So what Jones tells me is true: that you are going to marry this reporter chap?"

She did not answer.

"With or without my consent?"

If he only would drop that fearless smile! she thought. "With or without anybody's consent," she said.

"What in the world can I say to you to convince you?" he cried. "The trap is set, but if Braine and his crew come and find us like this, good heaven, child, we are both lost! Come, come."

"Stay where you are!"

At that moment she heard a sound at the door. Her gaze roved; and it was enough for the man. He reached out and caught her arm. She tried to tear herself loose.

"My child, in God's name, listen to reason! They are entering the hall and they will have us both."

Suddenly Florence knew. She could not have told you why; but there was an appeal in the man's voice that went to her heart.

"You are my father!"

"Yes, yes! But you have found out just a trifle too late, my dear. Quick; this side of the desk!"

Braine and his men dashed into the library. Olga entered leisurely.

"Both of them!" yelled Braine exultantly. "Both of them together! What luck!"

There was a sharp, fierce struggle; and when it came to an end Hargreave was trussed to a chair.

"Ah, so we meet again, Hargreave!" said Braine.

Hargreave shrugged. What he wanted was time.

"A million!" We have you. Where is it, or I'll twist your heart out before your eyes."

"Father, forgive me!"

"I understand, my child."

"Where is it?" Braine seized Florence by the wrist and swung her toward him.

"Don't tell him father; don't mind me," said the girl bravely.

Braine, smiling his old evil smile, drew the girl close. It was the last time he ever touched her.

"Look!" screamed Olga.

Everyone turned, to see Jones' face peering between the curtains. There was an ironic smile on the butler's lips. The face vanished.

"After him!" cried Braine, releasing Florence.

"After him!" mimicked a voice from the hall.

The curtains were thrown back suddenly. Jones appeared, and Jim and the Russian agent and a dozen policemen. Tableau!

Braine was the only man who kept his head. He floored Norton, smashed a window, and leaped out. The blow dazed Norton, but he was on his feet almost instantly and followed Braine through the window. Across the lawn the two sped, with an exchange of shots which emptied both automatics but did no damage. Braine headed for his auto. He jumped in, only two be hauled out again by the furious reporter. A hand to hand fight followed; and the clean life of the reporter told.

"There my angelic friend, I believe that the game is up. There is one shot left in this automatic. If you make any attempt to escape, I'll let you have it; not to kill but to disable. You and your precious countess will leave tomorrow morning for the Baltic, and from there you will go to the lead mines." He dragged his prisoner toward the house.

"Your troubles are over, my child," said Hargreave, as he pressed Florence to his heart.

"And mine have begun," murmured the countess. "But I have still one shot."

The police stood encircling her. Calmly she opened her handbag and took out her handkerchief. It was a thick and heavy silk one. Swiftly she unscrewed the top of her walking stick (it will be seen now that the carrying of it was not an affectation) extracted a vial and threw it violently to the floor. An overpowering sweet odor filled the room. Jones, knowing how deeply versed Braine was in oriental poisons and narcotics made a desperate effort to leap down a curtain and throw over the liquid; but even in the effort he felt his senses going. The last he was conscious of was a mocking laugh.

But the entrance of Jim, dragging Braine after him, shocked all the barbarian in the contest. She turned and ran wildly for the stairs, without having the least idea how she was to manage an escape from the upper stories. She had thought Braine free. As she flew up the steps all the past returned—all her warnings to that stubborn man. This was the end—Russia! the horrors of the cold and the deadly damps of the mines * * * forever!

Jim, still holding the battered conspirator, watched her flight in amazement. He could not understand—till he pushed Braine into the library and the vanishing odor assailed his nostrils. What these fumes were he was never to know, but they proved to be transitory. Five minutes sufficed to bring all back to their senses. For the whole day forgot Olga.

"This man is mine," said Servan, nodding toward Braine.

"He's yours without charge," said Jim.

"I am an American citizen," said Braine, who, realizing what the future held, readily preferred a long term in prison in America to the horrors of Russian exile.

"Your certificate has been destroyed," said Servan, "and the state department considers your papers void because you obtained them under false oaths. You are an undesirable citizen; and the republic is happy to learn that you are to be taken off its hands."

"And because," added Norton, "you have laid too many mines in the blackmailing business, and the government does not propose to have them made known to the public through a long and useless trial. It was a long run, old top; but right is right. And by the way, I want you to meet Mr. Jedson, formerly of Scotland Yard.

He indicated Jones, who started.

"Yes," went on the reporter, "I recognized him long ago."

"It is true," said Hargreave, taking Jones' hand in his own. "Fifteen years ago I employed him to watch my affairs, and very well has he done so. And to you, you wretch, turning upon the haggard Braine, "listen: there is a million, and you have been within a foot of it a dozen times. It has been under your very nose. Do you remember the furlined coat? Ha! Ha! Under your very nose, within reach of your hand! Now take him away, Mr. Servan. The police will be satisfied with the prisoners they have."

So, presently Hargreave, Jones, Florence, and Jim were alone. That smile which had revealed to Florence her father's identity stole over his face again. He put his hand on Jim's shoulder and beckoned to Florence.

"Are you really anxious to marry this young fellow?"

Florence nodded.

"Well then, do so. And go to Europe with him on your honeymoon, and as a wedding present to you both, for every dollar that he has I will add a hundred; and when you get tired of travel you will both come back here to live. The Black Hundred has ceased to exist."

"And now," said Jones shaking his shoulders.

"Well?" said Hargreave.

"My business is done. Still—" Jones paused.

"Go on," said Hargreave soberly.

"Well, the truth is, sir, I've grown used to you. And if you'll let me play the butler till the end I shall be most happy."

"I was going to suggest it."

Norton took Florence by the hand and drew her away.

"Where are you taking me?" she asked.

"I'm going to take this pretty hand of yours and put it flat upon $1,000,000. And if you don't believe it, follow me."

She followed.

(This is the last chapter of "The Million Dollar Mystery" that will appear until after the $10,000 prize has been awarded; when the concluding chapters, written by Mr. MacGrath from the best solution offered, will be published.)

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

Why application for leave to sell real estate should not be granted.

In the Probate Court of Twin Falls county, Idaho.

In the matter of the estate of Elanor H. Clendenin, a minor.

R. C. Clendenin, guardian of the person and estate of Elanor H. Clendenin, a minor, having this day presented to this court, and filed herein, his petition, duly verified, praying for an order of sale of certain real property belonging to the said minor, for the causes and reasons therein set forth, and it appearing to the court from the said petition that it is necessary and would be beneficial to the said minor, that the said real estate described in said petition be sold.

It is hereby ordered, That the next of kin of said minor and all persons interested in her said estate, appear before this court, in the court room thereof, in the Court House in the county of Twin Falls, state of Idaho, on Monday, the 7th day of December, 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, to show cause why an order should not be granted for the sale of said estate, as prayed for in said petition, reference to which is made for further particulars.

And it is hereby ordered, that a copy of this order be published at least once a week for three consecutive weeks in a newspaper printed and published in said county of Twin Falls, state of Idaho.

Dated this 5th day of November, 1914.

(Seal.) J. M. SHANK, Probate Judge.

Nov. 6-13-20-27.

SHERIFF'S SALE

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, wherein Glen Wrestcroft was plaintiff and E. L. Metz was defendant, duly attested the 23rd day of October, 1914, I have levied upon all the right, title, claim and interest of the said E. L. Metz in and to the following described real estate situated in the county of Twin Falls, state of Idaho, and described as follows: the Southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, section 29, township 10 south, of range 16 east of the Boise Meridian, Twin Falls county, state of Idaho.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on Tuesday, the 5th day of December, 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m. of the said day, in front of the court house in Twin Falls, Twin Falls county, state of Idaho, I will sell all the right, title, claim and interest of the said E. L. Metz, in and to the above described real estate, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, to satisfy the said execution, together with interest and all costs.

Dated November 10th, 1914.

H. C. VANAUSDELN, Sheriff.

By C. C. SIGGINS, Deputy.

Sweeley and Sweeley, Attorneys for plaintiff. Nov. 10 Dec 1.

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BRIZEE METAL WORKS

BUHL NEWS.

(From the Buhl Herald.)

Wm. Miller returned Sunday from California.

Everett Griffith spent Sunday at Hansen.

Mr. C. D. Meeks is on the sick list this week.

Miss Blanche Hovorka of Castleford spent Sunday in Buhl.

C. E. Potter, of Twin Falls, was a Buhl business visitor last Friday.

H. C. Gear left Tuesday morning for a visit with relatives in Missouri.

Mrs. W. Swiger made a trip to Niagara Springs Monday.

A baby boy was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Al Nihart.

J. T. Cree, of Wendell, was in Buhl on business Monday and Tuesday.

Fred Nihart was a Twin Falls business visitor last Saturday.

Mrs. E. A. Foster is quite sick this week.

Dr. Wetherbee purchased a new big Overland car Monday.

Herman DuJardon departed last Saturday morning for St. Louis.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Perry Bing, Tuesday morning, a daughter.

Born, Sunday, Nov. 22nd, to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Knull a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Stewart of Twin Falls, spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. Wetherbee.

Mrs. P. H. Crow, of Twin Falls, visited with friends in this city for a day the last of the week.

Wm. Prather left Sunday for a visit in his old home in The Dalles, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hatfield left Friday for a visit with relatives in Kansas and Oklahoma.

Mr. M. Koppelman was visiting friends in Burley the first of the week.

Mrs. Griffith, of Hagerman, visited with Mrs. Geo. Audley, Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Geo. Childs and little daughter left Saturday morning for a visit in Omaha.

Mrs. O. Jones Roberts and Mrs. E. A. Foster were Twin Falls visitors Saturday.

Misses Lois Snyder and Charlotte McQuown spent Saturday night and Sunday in Twin Falls.

Miss Underwood was a business visitor in Twin Falls Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Harriett Holler, of Twin Falls, spent Sunday with her parents near Buhl.

Mrs. R. P. Davis delightfully entertained a number of her friends Monday afternoon.

B. H. Morse, of Twin Falls, came down Monday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Blair Langford.

Messrs. Earp, Ostrom, Idema and Bussman autoed to the Salmon river canyon Sunday to hunt ducks.

Andrew Rogerson of Three Creek, was transacting business here for a few days the last of the week.

A. D. Wallington returned Saturday evening after a visit with friends in Ogden.

Attorney P. W. Monahan was in Twin Falls on legal business for a couple of days last week.

Mrs. J. H. Murphy delightfully entertained the Priscilla club last Friday afternoon.

Miss Abbel and sister, Caroline, left Sunday for Spokane, Washington, where they will spend the winter.

R. F. Hampton and R. W. Allred were in Twin Falls on business Monday.

Mrs. Merlin Ketchum and Miss Lulu Burr spent Tuesday in Twin Falls.

Chas. Snyder and family and B. H. Tillery and family autoed to Twin Falls Monday evening.

Miss Beulah Hahn and Lelah Gillette and Rankin Rutherford were Sunday visitors in Castleford.

Rankin Rutherford and Chas Lundy were Twin Falls visitors the first of the week.

R. D. Addison left Friday for his home in Boise, after a few days visit with his daughter, Mrs. A. I. Trout.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Mounce and daughters, Beulah and Ila, autoed to Gooding Saturday morning returning Monday evening.

D. C. Brown, of the Idaho Light and Power company, was in Buhl Monday looking after business for the company.

Chas. Snyder went to Salt Lake Saturday and drove home the new Overland car purchased by Dr. Wetherbee.

Misses Beulah Mounce and Manda Bergstrom resigned their positions in the Twin Falls central office and returned to their homes in Buhl Friday.

Pat Trumpfeller left Saturday morning for St. Louis, where he will spend some time visiting his mother. Pat says he won't return to this country alone, but plans on bringing back a housekeeper by the name of Mrs. Trumpfeller.

Harry E. Miller, an old time Buhl boy, is here for a visit and possibly to locate again permanently. For several years he has been in California but the remembrance of sunny southern Idaho has ever been with him, and now he is back again shaking hands with his many old friends, all of whom are glad to see his smiling face once more.

So the Public May Know.

For some time past we have been doing the French Dry cleaning and dyeing for the Troy Steam Laundry. We have discontinued doing their work and give this information in order to protect ourselves against the work done by the so called cleaners of the city. We have the only modern, up-to-date cleaning and dyeing plant in the city, which enables us to turn out first class work, which we guarantee.

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Adv. Oct. 27 tf.

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DUTY TO KEEP PROMISES

Plain Talk by the Governor-elect to the People of St. Maries.

Governor-elect M. Alexander told the people of north Idaho that none of his campaign promises was made except after careful consideration and investigation and that all of them would be fulfilled. He told applicants for appointments that the plum tree would not be shaken for some time, and that when it was shaken the plums would fall into the laps of the best men to be found in the entire state, who would assist him in making his administration a success. To other people of St. Maries who came to him seeking his aid in the creation of a new county, he said the first consideration was the keeping of the campaign promises and that if they would get in and help him to keep those promises first, he would then be in a position to talk county division to them. In the Spokane Spokesman-Review, under date at Coeur d'Alene on Thursday, his visit is reported as follows:

Governor-elect Alexander spent some time here today conferring with the people as to their wishes on matters of legislation, administration, etc. There were office seekers among the attendants, but they were given to understand that the plum tree will not be shaken for some time to come.

"I will surround myself with the best talent the state affords to make my administration a success," said the governor-elect, "but I do not want the people to forget that I am elected governor of the state of Idaho, and that when I take the oath of office there will be no substitute in this state to take my place. I consider the honor conferred as the highest that can be conferred upon any man in the state, and with that knowledge will endeavor to merit that honor by faithful service and the discharge of my duties without fear or favor.

A delegation of business men from St. Maries came down to consult the governor-elect on the question of county division, the question nearest their hearts. They were told that the first consideration is the fulfillment of the promises made in the last campaign. "Let your people get in and do their utmost to make those pledges good and we will then discuss county division," said the governor-elect. "I want to say further that there has been considerable discussion in the public press throughout the state about my promises made during the campaign. Those promises were made by me after careful investigation of my ability to perform them, and they were made as a covenant between myself and the people, and that covenant stands and will not be evaded or bargained away to anybody or for any consideration."—Capital News.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I wish the good people of Twin Falls to thoroughly understand that the mission I have opened at 235 1-2 south Shoshone street has no connection with the Salvation Army or the Volunteers of America. This morning I have a commission signed by General Booth, but I shall resign said commission and mail it to Major Barry, battalion officer at Salt Lake City, Utah. My wife and I have worked for some time in Salt Lake City, under the major, who sent us to Boise to open up the work there. We left Salt Lake for Boise with fifty cents in one purse and a ticket for Ogden. We had our two babies, Ruth and David, with us. At Ogden we solicited enough money for our car fare to Boise.

Arriving there we opened up a mission under great disadvantages, finding that the Salvation Army, which had come to Boise before us, had secured the indorsement of the Associated Charities. Finding this to be the case, we were unable to supply the calls made upon us by the worthy poor and at the same time send ten per cent of our collections to Salt Lake, five per cent to Chicago and one per cent to New York. We were therefore obliged to ask our batallion officer to donate the sixteen per cent to the poor, when he received this request he became hostile, demanding that we close the post in Boise, but we and our little band determined to stand alone. We called our mission the Phillips and Nathaniel Guard, for the reason that when I as assistant chaplain of the fifteenth infantry, United States army, at Fort Douglas, Utah, I became a member of that organization, working three years among the soldier boys. The W. C. T. U. of Salt Lake City, can tell you something of my faithful work at Fort Douglas. The twelve chaplains of the first division of the United States army, whom I worked with in the revival meetings in the Great Gift chapel, at San Antonio, Texas, where we never had less than 2000 in attendance, can tell you something about my record. I would like to work in unison with the ministers here in Twin Falls in a revival meeting. I have collected $2.00 to apply on seating the hall, this will only buy four chairs, it will take twenty more to seat the hall. Anyone who wishes can meet me in consultation at 235 1-2 south Shoshone street, between the hours of five p. m. and eight p. m. God bless you, come over and see us.

CAPT. AND MRS. DANIEL ALLEN

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Notice is hereby given that I, Frank Dolan, HAVING been convicted of the crime of grand larceny, in the district court of the Fourth judicial district in and for the county of Twin Falls, state of Idaho, and sentenced to the state penitentiary for a term of not less than one year nor more than fourteen years, will make application to the Honorable State Board of Pardons at their next regular meeting after the legal publication of this notice, for an absolute pardon.

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COLORADO TO TAKE CHARGE

U. S. Troops Will be Removed From Coal Fields.

Denver, Colo., Nov. 22.—Colorado is prepared to reassert its sovereignty in the coal mining districts which have been occupied by the federal troops for nearly seven months. This is the opinion of the legislative commission, appointed at the extra session of the general assembly in May to act in an advisory capacity to Governor E. M. Ammons, expressed in its report to the governor yesterday.

The report was submitted in response to a request from the governor for advice on "What should be done upon the withdrawal of the federal troops?"

"We believe," says the commission, "that the state is now in a position to assert its authority and we agree with you that you cannot in fairness to the president lead longer for federal aid, much as the same might be desired. You should therefore prepare to accept for the people of this state the responsibility of again being a state."

After urging the governor at once to advise the people of the state that the federal troops are to be withdrawn in a very short time, the report suggests that he issue a proclamation commanding every person in the state to obey all laws and refrain from all incendiary utterances.

"Make it clear," the report says, "that each able-bodied man between the ages of 18 and 45 is, in fact, a member of the militia and that if it becomes necessary, he will be called into service."

It is further suggested that the governor make it clear that the state troops must be respected. If it again becomes necessary to use them, that the order prohibiting the sale and importation of firearms and sale or importation of liquor be continued and that he "firmly assume the responsibility" placed upon him.

In conclusion the report says:

"Our state has already suffered much loss in life. A heavy financial burden has been inflicted upon all the citizens. There should be no recurrence of this. All citizens, labor and capital, all organizations and combinations of men, the public press should unite in a determination to secure for our state industrial peace."—Pocatello Tribune.

AMUSING SCOTCH STORY

Story Overheard by Miss Edyna Davies of Baby Mine.

Miss Edyna Davies, who plays the part of Zoie in Margaret Mayo's comedy, "Baby Mine," spent her vacation abroad this past summer, and in an interview recently recited an incident she witnessed in one of the city courts of Edinburgh, Scotland.

A small Scottish lad had been summoned to give evidence against his father, who was accused of making disturbances on the street. Said the magistrate to him:

"Come-my-boy, speak the truth and let us know all you ken about this affair."

"Well, sir," said the lad, "d'ye ken Inkerners Street?"

"I do, laddie," said his worship.

"Well, ye gang along it and turn into the square and cross the square."

"Yes, yes," said the Judge, encouragingly.

"And when you gang across the square ye turn to the right and up into High street and keep on up High street till you come to a pump."

"Quite right, my lad, proceed," said his worship. "I know the old pump well."

"Well," said the boy, with the moat infantile simplicity, "Ye may gang and jump it, for yo'll no pump me."

To the Patrons of the Twin Falls Post Office:

In order that the Christmas mail may be handled promptly and satisfactorily, it is essential that you cooperate with the postal employes to the fullest possible extent. These are a few conditions that I wish to emphasize in regard to your Christmas parcels:

Prepay postage fully on all parcels.

Address parcels fully and plainly.

Place name and address of sender on all matter.

Pack articles carefully and wrap them securely, but do not seal them, as sealed parcels are subject to postage at the letter rate.

Mail parcels early, they may be marked "Do not open until Christmas."

Insure valuable parcels, fee 5 or 10 cents.

Written inscriptions such as "Merry Christmas," "Happy New York" "With Best Wishes," and number, names and letters for purpose of description are permissible addition to fourth (parcel post) class mail. Books may bear simply dedicatory inscriptions not of a personal nature. Other written additions subject parcels to letter postage. Communications prepaid at fourth class rate may be sent with parcels prepaid at fourth class rate provided they are securely attached to outside of parcels.

If you will mail your parcels reasonably early they will be delivered on or before Christmas. Christmas parcels received at this office will be delivered on the day received.

The parcel post system is now on a firm foundation and you will find it a convenient and safe means of conveying your Christmas tokens.

Respectfully,
W. H. GREENHOW,
Postmaster.

SPECIAL

The Twin Falls Railroad company will make a SPECIAL RATE of TWENTY FIVE CENTS for ROUND TRIP to SHOSHONE FALLS on December 1, 2 and 3, on account of Seed Growers' Convention. Special tickets good ONLY on train leaving at 12:10 P. M. Returning, leave Falls at 1:00 or 5:00 P. M.

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IDAHO SOUTHERN RAILROAD.
Train Schedule.

Effective May 17, 1914.

Daily No. 2.	Stations.	Daily No. 1.
12:05 p.m.	Lv...Gooding...Ar	4:25 p.m.
12:20 p.m.	Lv...Bennett...Lv	4:10 p.m.
12:40 p.m.	Lv...Wendell...Lv	3:50 p.m.
12:55 p.m.	Lv...Appleton...Lv	3:35 p.m.
1:10 p.m.	Ar...Jerome...Lv	3:20 p.m.

No. 2 awaits arrival of O. S. L. No. 14 at Gooding, connecting at Jerome with stage for Twin Falls.

No. 1 connects at Jerome with stage leaving Twin Falls at 8:10 a. m. daily at Gooding with O. S. L. No. 13 for Boise and No. 10 for all points east.

J. H. RADCLIFFE,
General Passenger Agent.

WILNER & NORTH SIDE RAILROAD.
Train Schedule.
Effective November 17, 1914.

Daily No. 4.	Stations.	Daily No. 3.
11:45 a. m.	Lv...Milner...Ar	3:05 p. m.
12:20 p. m.	Lv...Churchill...Ar	2:30 p. m.
12:30 p. m.	Lv...Island...Ar	2:20 p. m.
12:40 p. m.	Lv...Marion...Ar	2:10 p. m.
12:50 p. m.	Ar...Oakley...Lv	2:00 p. m.

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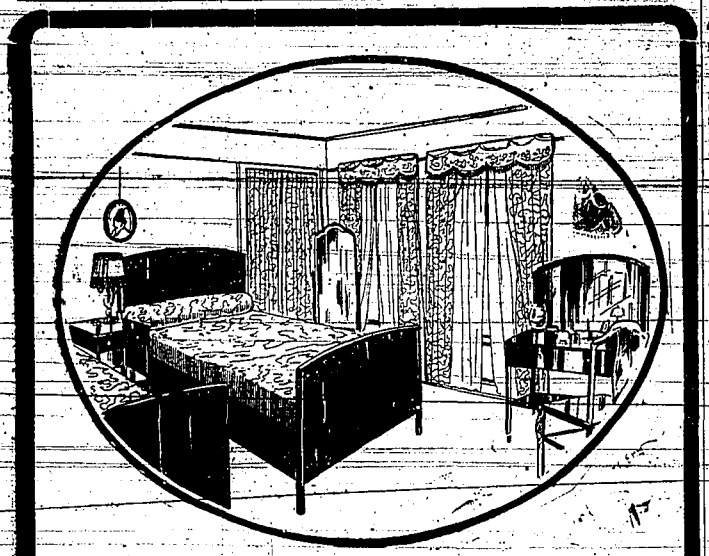
SCHEDULE
Twin Falls Electric Railway

Leave O. S. L. Depot	Leave Shoshone Falls
7:30 A. M.	8:00 A. M.
12:10 P. M.	1:00 P. M.
3:40 P. M.	4:00 P. M.
Sunday	
9:30 A. M.	10:00 A. M.
12:10 P. M.	1:00 P. M.
3:00 P. M.	4:00 P. M.

Round Trip to Shoshone Falls 40 CENTS

Sept. 14, 1914. In effect until further notice.



Bedroom Furniture of Value

If some of your bedroom furniture is at, or has passed "the retiring age," this special offering of bedroom pieces and sets is "opportunity news" to you!

There are odd pieces—dressers, chairs, chiffoniers, dressing tables, writing desks—that are especially attractive for the Christmas gifts.

E. C. LAVERING

"Zole and Alfred," in "Baby Mine," Lavering theatre, Wed. Dec. 2.

A Large Amount of Money for Farm Loans—Henry J. Wall

A NOTE OF APPRECIATION

Belgian Vice-Consul Writes to Secretary McMillan.

The following letter of appreciation from the Belgian vice-consul at Seattle, Wash., to Secretary McMillan on receipt of the carload of flour was received this week and is reprinted for the benefit of those who generously contributed.

Vice-Consulate of Belgium,
Seattle, Wash., Nov. 27, 1914.

To the Twin Falls Commercial Club,
Twin Falls, Idaho.

Gentlemen:

Mr. Otto A. Caso, secretary of the Seattle Commercial club, has turned over to me B/L for the 30360 lbs. of flour so kindly donated by the noble spirited citizens of your city in aid of the suffering Belgians.

On behalf of these poor people, I wish to express to you, gentlemen, my sincere thanks and high appreciation of this most generous gift, so welcome and some timely. The misery the sufferings of my countrymen and countrywomen in Europe is great indeed and beyond description.

Less than four months ago, they were the happiest and most contented and industrious people of any nation in Europe. Today they are wanderers on the face of the earth, millions of them are on the verge of starvation.

The whole of that little country is held forcibly by a powerful neighbor and to escape the horrors of war, those women and children, who are innocent victims in this deplorable struggle, had to flee precipitately, leaving everything behind, whilst the men are fighting for their homes and liberty. Those women and children are penniless and have to subsist on the charity of other nations, so complete is their ruin. Such a condition is without parallel in history.

The United States, always ready to answer the call of the oppressed and the depressed, is the only country we can *appeal to; to look elsewhere would* be in vain.

We Belgians feel grateful to those kind-hearted, generous people, who have so freely, willingly and so substantially come to our relief, and I can assure you that the recipients of these donations will forever bear a grateful remembrance of what this country has done for them.

Thanking you once more, believe me,

Yours very respectfully,
JOSEPH HERTOGS,
Vice-Consul of Belgium.

AGED CITIZEN DIES

Robert Roantree Passes Away at the Home of Mrs. H. E. Rounds.

On Wednesday, November 18, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. E. Rounds, occurred the death of Robert Roantree, after an illness of some time. Mr. Roantree is survived by his wife, who makes her home in this city with her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Rounds, of this city and one son, Robert E., of Parker, South Dakota.

Robert Roantree was born at Middleton, England, July 20th, 1844. He came to the U. S. in 1855, locating in the state of New York, where he learned his trade, that of miller, which he followed the remainder of his life. In 1864 he moved to Milwaukee, Wis. He was married to Miss Sophia C. Wright at East Troy, Wis., in 1868.

In 1873, with his family, consisting of his wife, one daughter and a son, he came west, locating at Schuyler, Nebraska. His wife died there the following year. He was married to Miss Clara Molzer in 1877.

Mr. Roantree took a prominent part in all fraternal and benevolent institutions and at the time of his death was a member in good standing of the following orders: Knights of Pythias, I. O. O. F., Masons, Rebekahs, Order of the Eastern Star, Pythian Sisters, and the Consistory (Masonic.)

The funeral was held Friday, November 20, from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rounds, the services being conducted by Rev. C. L. Dent, pastor of the First Methodist church, with interment in the Twin Falls cemetery.

INVESTIGATION ORDERED

New Tariff Filed by Western Carriers Suspended by Commission.

Washington — Investigation of the railway freight rate situation in western and middle western territory was ordered Monday when the interstate commerce commission suspended new tariffs filed by western carriers to become effective Tuesday. Under the commission's ruling the new schedules and the various regulations and charges for special services included in the tariffs cannot become effective before March 31, 1915, having been postponed "pending hearing and decision thereon."

In a general way the western carriers sought to advance rates in conformity with advances recently applied for by eastern carriers in the so-called 5 per cent freight advance rate case, *now before the commission* on rehearing because of emergencies said to have arisen from the European war.

Some Changes Proposed.

Among the special services changes proposed in the suspended tariffs was the withdrawal of regulations permitting cars to be stopped in transit without charge for loading or partial unloading. An additional charge of $5 per car was fixed for this service. Another new rule suspended would make a charge for returning brine in tank cars to plants of shipment after pickles or other similar commodities have been removed. Such cars are now treated as empties. Grain elevation allowances at Kansas City and elsewhere were withdrawn in the suspended tariffs and a charge fixed for the service.

Important Rates Suspended.

Among the important rates suspended were those proposed on grain and grain products, Chicago to eastern seaboard; stone and granite, Boston to western points; fresh meat, New York to St. Louis and East St. Louis, Ill., on which an increase of 9 cents per 100 lbs. was sought; coal, livestock, hay, grain and cotton piece goods between western trunk line territory and southwestern points, and uncompressed cotton linters, concentrated and compressed in transit at Alexandria, La.

Grain and Grain Products.

As to grain and grain products the suspended tariffs provided general increases of one cent per 100 pounds on carload shipments from St. Paul and other northwestern points from Chicago and St. Louis to points on the Atlantic gulf seaboards and between Chicago and central freight association territory points.

Several tariffs filed by the carriers would not become effective until later in the month and it is possible suspension orders will be issued against these also.

The commission did not suspend one way passenger fare increases in central freight association territory, effective Tuesday, nor communication nor mileage increases, effective later in the month.—Statesman.

A repetition of your want ad is often wise—when it's important to find the most desirable tenant.

CHANGE IN FREIGHT SERVICE

Rogerson Train Will Run From Buhl to the Salmon

Commencing Tuesday, December 1, the Hollister train, which has made Twin Falls the end of the run, will leave Buhl in the morning and run through to Rogerson, leaving this city at the same time as heretofore. Returning in the evening the train will go through to Buhl where it will remain for the night. The freight service from Minidoka has been changed somewhat, the local freight will leave the Junction town each morning, coming to this city where the crew will turn and go back to Minidoka for the night. The Rogerson train will be a mixed train and carry passengers from here to Rogerson as heretofore.

NEXT ATTRACTION

Ben Greet Players at Lavering Theatre January 9th.

The Ben Greet Players, as you know, are the leading Shakespearean comedy players of the country today.

They will produce either "Twelfth Night" or "As You Like It," and the public can have their choice of these wonderful comedies. Simply go to any one of the drug stores or the Liberal and vote for the play you wish to hear—no charge to vote—the majority will govern.

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HEROISM OF LEMAN

Belgian General's Defense of Liege Told By German.

Finally Blew Up Last of the Forts and Was Found by the Victors, Unconscious Beneath Masses of Debris.

Rotterdam.—This is the story of the fall of Liege in the simple, graphic language of a German officer. It was told to a Dutch reporter:

General Leman's defense of Liege combined all that is noble and all that is tragic. The commander of one fort at the moment when the bombardment was at its heaviest, went mad and shot his own men. He was disarmed and bound.

The cupola of another fort was destroyed by bombs dropped from a Zeppelin. The other forts were swept away like sand castles on the seashore before the relentless waves of our *eleven-inch siege guns.*

As long as was possible General Leman inspected the forts daily to see that everything was in order. The general's legs were crushed by a huge piece of falling masonry dislodged by our guns. Undaunted, Leman visited the forts in an automobile.

Fort Chaudfontein was destroyed by a German shell dropping in the magazine.

At Loncin, one of the strongest forts, General Leman decided to hold his ground or die. Steadily his gunners were shot down and he himself helped to man the guns. For some time, with a mere handful of men, he held out, but nothing could have stood against the hail of shells from our guns.

When the end was inevitable the Belgians disabled the last three guns and exploded a supply of shells kept in readiness. Before this General Leman destroyed all plans, maps and papers relating to the defenses.

Buried beneath the debris and pinned beneath a massive beam we found General Leman. "C'est le General; il est mort," said a wounded aide-de-camp.

With a gentleness and care which showed our respect for the man who had resisted us so valiantly and stubbornly, our infantrymen released the general's limp form and carried him away. We thought him dead, but he recovered consciousness, and looking around, said:

"It is as it is. The men fought well."

Then turning to us he added:

"Put in your dispatches that I was unconscious."

We brought him to our commander, General von Emmich, and the two generals saluted. We tried to speak words of comfort, but he was silent. He is known as the silent general.

"I was unconscious. Be sure to put that in your dispatches," he said, and more he would not say.

Extending his hand, our commander said:

"General, you have fought gallantly and nobly held your forts."

General Leman replied, "I thank you—our troops lived up to their reputations."

With a smile he added, "War is not like maneuvers."

He had reference to the fact that General von Emmich was recently with General Loman during the Belgian maneuvers. Then, unbuckling his sword, General Leman tendered it to General von Emmich.

"No," replied the German commander with a bow. "Keep your sword. To have crossed swords with you has been an honor." And the fire in General Leman's eye was dimmed by a tear.

Terrible.

"Was it a bad accident?" "Well, I was knocked speechless, and my wheel was knocked spokeless." — Christian Register.

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Classified Advertisements

ALL ADVERTISING UNDER THIS HEAD CASH IN ADVANCE

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—40 acre improved farm, 10 acre bearing orchard, $80 per acre. 2¼ miles from Twin Falls. Box 170, city. Dec. 1-4-8-11 pd.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Five acre tract, close in. Small house, plenty of fruit and berries. This is priced below value and on easy terms. I also have some good lots. Would consider automobile or stock of any kind as part payment. Address 411 6th Ave. East. Dec. 1 tf

FOR SALE—Good 6-octave Estey organ, $25.00. 354 7th avenue east. Dec. 1-4-8-11 pd.

FOR SALE—A number of thoroughbred and grade Poland-China gilts. Fred Hager, R 3, Twin Falls, 1½ miles NW of Twin Falls, on Mickelwaite place. Dec. 1-4 pd.

FOR SALE—Three year pedigreed Poland-China boar cheap. A bargain—*did individual and in good condition.* E. P. Dunlap, 3 miles east on Addison avenue. Dec. 1-4

FOR SALE—30 hp. roadster left here for forced sale, $175.00. LIND AUTO COMPANY Nov. 27 tf.

"1913 Buick for sale, price right. Address X, care of Twin Falls Times. Nov. 24 tf.

FOR SALE—500 stands of bees, in 8 ad 10 frame hives. Address inquiries to C. L. Nelson, Hagerman, Idaho. Nov. 10-13-17-20-24-27 Dec. 1-4.

FOR SALE—Well established electric wiring and supply business in Twin Falls, address H. H. Freidheim, 218 Second avenue north. Sept. 8 tf.

FOR SALE—A twenty horse power automibile in good condition. A bargain. Inquire P. care of the Times. Oct 16 tf.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room with or without board. Private family. Phone 185. Dec. 1 tf.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front room, electric heat. 253 3rd ave. n. Oct 15 tf.

FOR TRADE

FOR TRADE—A Holstein cow for a Jersey. Dora Gulick, 2¼ miles north on Main avenue, ¾ mile west. Dec. 1-4 pd.

FOR TRADE—A pair of black driving mares, for a good single driver. No scrub wanted. Twin Falls Floral company. Fairview avenue. Nov. 27 tf

LOST

LOST OR STOLEN — Brown and white spotted female fox terrier, has one brown ear, bob tailed. Reward for return to Mrs. Hattie Wiggins, Seventh avenue east, across boulevard. Dec 1 pd.

LOST—On evening of Nov. 3, a large black wool shawl. It is not the value I care for, but it is my dead *mother's shawl.* Notify Mrs. B. R. Smith, R. F. D. No. 3, Box 173.

WANTED

WANTED—To rent, an improved farm of 40, 80 or 120 acres. Cash rent preferred. Lock box 334, Kimberly, Idaho. Dec. 1-4-8-11-15 pd.

Wanted—Position by experienced chamber maid. Box 243, city. Dec 1-4 pd.

Wanted—On T. F. tract to rent a house and barn for three months in vicinity of hay that can be bought in stack. Will buy 60 tons. L. E. Joslin Rogerson, Idaho. Dec. 1-4.

SITUATION WANTED—To someone on ranch needing housekeeper for small family, I have a good proposition to offer if there is good range for poultry. "C" care of Times. Nov. 27 Dec. 2 pd.

WANTED—Large clean rags at the Times office.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Telephone 430. Nov. 10 tf.

DRESS MAKING—535 4th Ave. E. May 5 tf.

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