

Lavering Theatre

MONDAY, MARCH 22

Attraction Extraordinary--Whitney Opera Co.--World's Famous Comic Opera

Chocolate Soldier

EXACTLY AS PRESENTED IN ALL LARGE CITIES--ONLY COMPANY TRAVELING

SPECIAL SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA---40 PEOPLE---3 SPECIAL CARS

BEST SINGING CHORUS ON ANY STAGE

No Tickets Will Be Held Later Than 6 o'Clock the Day of the Show Unless Paid for. Prices \$1.00-\$1.50
CURTAIN RISES AT 8:45

THE TWIN FALLS TIMES
Published Twice a Week, Tuesday and Friday, in the Gault-Edgerton Building, Main Street.

WILBUR S. HILL
Editor and Publisher
Member of Eastern Idaho Press Club
INDEPENDENT REPUBLICAN
Entered as Second Class Matter as Semi-Weekly, Oct. 18, 1910.
Subscription Rates
One year in advance \$7.00
Six months \$4.00

DEMAND THIS LABEL
GOLDEN LEAF
All of Your Printed Matter, 100
Business Cards, Letter Heads, Book
Pages, and Good Conditions.

The report of Attorney M. J. Swowey upon the railroad situation after extensive investigations of conditions in the east, while not particularly encouraging for the branch line to Coeur d'Alene, does show that the line to Wells, Nevada, is recognized as not only feasible, but feasible with a little work by the hostlers here. The fact that the line can be built provided the operation is guaranteed, is one upon which the people of this section can make a good strong fight to enter the Western Pacific. President Du Bois leads the line. He has no money with which to build, but can obtain rolling stock for operating such that Twin Falls does not care how that matter is brought about so that it is accomplished. Now is the time to set behind a good solid movement to aid the operator and the contractor to better. This should be the aim of the day in this section. It can be done if the people will put up the same united front that was the rule when Twin Falls was built in a night. Let us determine to do away with the rolling stock and knock it down to the work that means the salvation of this country. It ought to be evident to all that this city cannot be pushed to the front without any sacrifices on the part of its residents. Everyone must be ready to do his part in any way that looks toward bringing any property to this country. Let's get it and show that we can still put things over in Twin Falls.

The creation of a sub-central for the Pacific Distributors Association for this tract is the beginning of a move that will eventually place the fruit growing independent of all other

selling sources. The Times has concluded that the latest organization was too unwieldy to give satisfactory results to the individual grower and that the sub-central idea is the only one that will give the grower a profit. The past three years has confirmed this idea in the minds of many of the growers. The demand for a sub-central is merely the beginning of the idea of making the Twin Falls county an independent territory with its own selling agencies, its shipping and sorting yards. The times will soon be large enough so that the sub-central will be down to the minimum. It will cost but slightly more to maintain the force for ten times and carloads than for a thousand while the cost will be divided over ten times the number of producers, and will allow a good margin of profits to all. It would be feasible for the grower to produce for the local growers that unless better prices can be obtained that the present form of selling must be abandoned. The establishment of a sub-central with cutting off of the Payette central, is a movement directly along this line. But the Times maintains that until the whole is brought down to the ultimate responsibility of the individual grower, less than at present there will be little satisfaction and the cooperation of the whole body of growers will be left off hand that day.

JAPANESE TROOPS FOR THE ALBIES
In spite of the consistently vigorous opposition of many influential newspapers in the Mikado's land, certain classes of Japanese seem to be organized in a movement to organize an army of volunteers to aid the Allies in the "Holy War of Today." Among such Japanese are members of the "League of Representatives," lawyers, first army officers, and editors. Mr. S. Kurofwa, publisher of the popular Tokyo daily, the Yozonza, seems to be the moving spirit in their propaganda. In a mass meeting recently held in Tokyo, Kurofwa delivered a fiery speech calling upon his countrymen to rally under the standard and help "humanize the movement." Nor is the propaganda supported solely by sensational newspaper editors, or obscure lecturers, for Dr. S. Arima, the learned editor of the Gakko Jihyo, a Tokyo newspaper devoted to the review of diplomatic affairs, has taken up its pen and written an impassioned appeal for the furtherance of the movement. Under the somewhat sensational heading, "Alas! Gold, Rice, and Money," Dr. Arima, until recently loyal to the Chinese government, en-

deavors to explain that it is not impossible to raise 50,000 men to form the main obstacles which the opponents of the proposed European expedition consider insurmountable. The Allies are lacking funds, the difficulty of supplying Japanese troops at the front with rice, and unfamiliarity with European geography on the part of non-commissioned officers. To him, however, such obstacles can be overcome. "The European expedition would cost \$150,000,000, a sum which we are prepared to expand at this time, and yet it our military aid is really needed by the Allies, it is not such a large sum. It is not such a large sum of our 60,000,000 expatriates local enough to contribute \$250." To talk of sending an army to Europe on money advanced by the Allies is nonsense. If we are to undertake this expedition we must find some way to defray the cost from our own resources. "It is not easy to supply our troops in Europe with rations to which they are accustomed at home. But we can readily purchase rice in Saigon and India, when we have adequate facilities of transportation to Europe." "Our non-commissioned officers can and must learn of Europe, and in the language of French. This is certainly a serious obstacle. But we can easily point European maps using our own letters in denoting geographical features." If the scheme of the Japanese propagandists materializes, the army of volunteers which they will send will consist of 21 battalions of infantry, 24 companies of artillery, with about 100 field and heavy guns, 8 companies of cavalry, and 2 companies of sappers. To this must be added the necessary equipment, ammunition and other necessary equipment. To transport all these at least 30 vessels of 5000 tons each will be needed. It will take fifty days to reach Marseilles. The Tokyo Chuo examines the prospect with disapproval and assuredly the Tokyo Kokumin regards it as sheer nonsense. They even doubt if the promoters of the scheme are sincere; for they must know that the Japanese government does not and will never favor the scheme, and that without the Government's approval and assistance it will never be carried out.—Literary Digest.

REGENERATION OF THE WESTERN PACIFIC
A few years ago Burton Handrick told the readers of McClure's Magazine that every railroad with which the Goulds had connected themselves had gone from bad to worse and he contrasted the constructive genius of Har-

riman and Hill with the destructive genius of Goulds. Goulds, he said, was based upon the proposition to get dividends at any cost. The "Wabuck," Wheeling & Lake Erie and the Missouri Pacific," said Handrick, exhibited fair samples of the Gould system of general mismanagement. And now we see the Western Pacific in the hands of receivers, because the Denver and Rio Grande, another Gould line, cannot longer afford the drain on its revenues to meet the bonded obligations of the new interstate railroad. Through it all, however, there is a glimmer of hope that the Western Pacific will emerge from its difficulties thoroughly rehabilitated. "There is a fair indication," said James J. Hill, of the Burlington and Great Northern systems, "that the Western Pacific, as an outlet for Burlington traffic through Denver to the coast. If Hill through his electric energy into the Western Pacific the conclusion is foregone and this line will take its place among the great trunk lines of the continent. "Hill, for some time, according to railroad rumor, has had his eyes on the Denver & Salt Lake line, commenced by the late Denver banker, David H. Moffat, and completed from Denver as far west as Steamboat Springs, Colorado. The completion of this line into Salt Lake City will form a most important link between the Burlington and Western Pacific, and would develop into a short line between Chicago and San Francisco. The people of Denver saw the great advantage of extending the Denver & Salt Lake to the Mormon capital when they voted bonds two years ago for the construction of a five mile tunnel under the main range of the Rocky mountains to eliminate the heavy grades on the line. The Colorado supreme court invalidated the bonds, but a man with Hill's energy would never allow a matter of a five-mile tunnel to step in between him and his prize. The construction of the Denver & Salt Lake to Salt Lake City will shorten the distance between Denver and the coast at least 150 miles. It has been ascertained by engineers.—Elko Free Press.

TALKS ON THRIFT
13.—INTEREST—THE MAGIC MULTIPLIER.
"My first bank account was \$3.20 at the age of nine. I have saved ever since. I would be just as unhappy in not saving money every month as I would be in losing my chance for three meals a day. In fact, I should eat only two meals

a day if it came to that deprivation in my money."—Wm. J. Compton, St. Louis.
Events of the year 1891 are yet in the minds of many who are still young. If you had saved from that time \$5 a week at 4 per cent compound interest, you could now enjoy an income equal to \$5 a week and still keep your principal intact.
For all-around productiveness and safety—the owner of a modest sum of money can find few, if any, investments equivalent to a saving account. An instance at Lowell, Mass., demonstrates the truth of the statement.
On September 18, 1888, some person deposited \$100 in the bank and on July 16, 1899, another 100. These are the only deposits ever made. On October 17, 1898, the account, left alone for 10 years, had grown, through interest, to \$1,100.
"The depositor then drew \$100 and a week later 200 more." He thus took out twice as much as he ever put in and still had \$1,000 on deposit to his credit.
This sum was allowed to remain and by November of 1911 it had become \$1,595. In June of 1912, the account was finally closed and the amount drawn was \$1,625. The depositor had put in only \$200, but he received it back and nearly \$1,900.
His money always was ready for him. It could any day be paid in full. It was at work for his own day and night, month after month, year after year, and growing for nearly two generations. Without risk, without fluctuating, it had multiplied itself over nine times. "The rate of increase at first was slow, but in the end nothing grows much faster than interest compounded.
Another interesting case was that of a real estate deal in New York State recently which involved the satisfaction of a mortgage that had run for 51 years without any payment except for interest. The mortgage was \$100,000 in 1863. For thirty-three years interest was paid at the rate of seven per cent, and for the last 18 years the rate was six per cent. The total interest paid on the mortgage was \$3,290 and the principal of \$1,000 was still due. Nearly three and a half times the principal was paid and that too without reducing the original debt. The moral is obvious. "Save your money and be come a lender."—F. D. MacGREGOR.

DO IT NOW
Sew the Fly, by having your screen and repair work done at
MOONS SHOP
Glazing & Specialty
On Main St. Near Post Office

The Western Auto Company Announces a
FORD LIVERY SERVICE
RATES
To Hollister \$ 6.00
Nash 6.00
Kimberly 2.00
Eller 3.00
Hogerson 10.00
Burley 17.00
Dakota 12.00
Hansen 3.00
Rock Creek 6.00
Salmon, Dam 12.50
Waiting time charged for at 50c per hour.
Taxi Service Inside City Limits Bounded by Rock Creek, Pine Lakes Boulevard and Addison Avenue, 50c per Passenger—Day or Night.

LARGEST INSURANCE AGENCY
—IN—
Twin Falls County
INSURANCE AGENTS
Royal of London
London & Liverpool & Globe
Sun of London
Aetna of Hartford
London Assurance
Scottish Union & National
St. Paul Fire & Marine
Connecticut of Hartford
Provident Washington
American of Newark
Colonial Underwriters
Fidelity Guaranty
Lloyds Plate Glass Co.
United States Fidelity
Hill & Taylor

Doors, Windows, Millwork.

Plaster, Lime, Cement Beaver Board.

SILOS Shingles, Roofing, Posts and Derrick Poles

LUMBER

"ONE PIECE OR A CARLOAD"

What You Want When You Want It

All The Time

GET OUR PINK PRICE LIST

OSTRANDER LUMBER CO.

Opposite O. S. L. Depot

ZUDORA

In the Twenty Million Dollar Mystery By Harold MacGrath

SYNOPSIS Zudora, heiress to \$20,000,000, is placed in the guardianship of her uncle, Hassan Ali, a mystic, fanatic...

At the death of her uncle, Zudora has another suitor for her hand, Jim Baird, a man who has been plotting as double to Hassan Ali...

CHAPTER XV THE ROBBERY OF THE RUBY CORONET

Hunt and Baird had at least found out where the Zudora mine was, but the rightful ownership still hung in the air...

tered to announce that guests were arriving. Hastily the mistress replaced in the safe those trinkets she could not use and shut the door...

"The money she was gone the night before," said the book and she hurriedly. "She had seen this little book many times, but until now she had never been able to get her hands on it..."

"If he had been certain you'd have heard from him long before this. Take my word for it. Now, come along. I'm going to quietly stroll upstairs. This house looks like a good hunting one of these days..."

"You would rob Copeland?" whispered. "I would take pennies off a dead man's eye if I needed them. Come on..."

"The door opposite, sir," said the maid. "He and Bruce entered the coat room as a matter of precaution, then went downstairs again..."

"Where do you think you have seen him?" asked Storm curiously. "That's the baffling part of it. I know that I have seen him, but beyond that things are hazy. I don't like him. I'm certain of that much..."

"I wish you would marry me straight off and let me take you away where you'd forget all these unhappy memories..."

"You might chance your mind, you know; and when you do, I want to be at hand..."

The following day at Mme. Dir Val's plans were formed for the robbing of the Copeland wall safe...

There they are, Maria. This is the last job. We'll hike across the road and the car will be waiting for us...

"I'm glad to carry that under my arm. Now, then, give me a kiss and I'll be off to Hudson's saloon to fill the stuff..."

He drew out his handkerchief to wipe around the receptacle, and in doing so he was reminded that he had a card roll from his pocket...

It was the card the crooked butler had dropped during his struggle with Bruce. Did Capt. Radcliffe call aloud for his friend, Bruce? No, he was stirred by the same sense...

On account thought the maid concluded not to fly at present, but to announce the robbery the moment the Copeland's returned...

Meantime Bruce believed his way quickly to a house he knew of. It was a rendezvous of his own, not known by his confederates...

"They've assigned me to the Copeland robbery," he announced. "What do you think of it?"

Johnson Auto Sales Co.

Our First Carload of HUDSON'S

will arrive next week

The car that has been tested and not found wanting. Over 10,000 cars of the present model have covered over 25,000,000 miles by satisfied owners.

Phone us for a demonstration, our proof is by performance.

Phone 50 142, 2nd N.

Hudson Service Station

Ford advertisement featuring a Ford logo and text: 'When you buy the new Ford Sedan you buy the Service and Essential Comforts obtained in the high-priced limousine...'

Given Away advertisement: 'Each week during March and April I will give a gallon of ice cream... VARNY--The Live Candy Man'

BUCKS WANTED advertisement: 'Wanted bucks for summer herd. Herd will be started from 2 mil. south of BW, con. or Daln the 6th of April...'

JUST GOT BACK FROM N'YORK AND SAY THAT'S A WISE LITTLE TOWN. WENT INTO A CIGAR STORE FOR A PACKAGE OF CIGARETTES. GIMME THE BEST YOU GOT. SAYS I NOT CARING WHAT THEY COST. YOU MEAN THE OASIS, MISTER. SAYS THE CLERK. AND HE WAS RIGHT.

OASIS THE EXCEPTIONAL CIGARETTES advertisement featuring an illustration of a man smoking and a pack of OASIS Cigarettes. Text: '20 FOR 10¢' and 'VALUABLE PROMOS IN EACH PACKAGE'.

Saturday Specials at Booth's

NEW SUITS \$10.00
Covers and Gaborlines, blues and tans, mostly small sizes, new arrivals.

COVERT COATS \$9.98
All wool plain tailored Coverts, all sizes.

SEE OUR \$10.00 WHITE COATS

These are trade boosters, specially priced merchandise, convincing arguments of our superiority in dry goods. You can't beat Booth's prices.

9-12 RUGS \$16.00
Velvet Rugs in good quality and patterns, Saturday \$15.00

CORSET SPECIAL \$1.00
Not old style—new spring models—good quality—non-rubbed—well boned, \$1.00.

COLLARS 25c
Odd lot, 35c to 75c collars and vestees and aprones, to close 25c

ORGANDIES 12-12c
Saturday special—new floral organdies, surprisingly fine in quality and beautiful in pattern. For Saturday, per yard ... 12-12c

BERGE DRESSES \$3.98
Pretty new styles, all wool serge, sand and navy.

SILK DRESSES \$16.00
Party and street dresses and dancing frocks, specials at \$16.00

LINEN LACES 56 YD
Just in, fine white linen laces in pretty, dainty patterns, per yard 56c

PEARL BUTTONS, 2c DOZEN
Good quality, small to medium sizes.

EMBROIDERIES 25c
Read new this week in fine Swiss 8 to 18 inches wide, with prettiest edges for outer or under wear. Specially good, some nearly like Originary, yard 25c

36-IN. WAISTING LACES 60c YD
Something new, all over lace, for waists and dresses, very pretty, unusually reasonable.

TOILET PAPER 5c ROLL
Toilet crepe, large rolls, 5c.

ORGANDY 10c
New, swell edges—10c, 15c and 20c.

Where Quality and Price Meet **Booth Mercantile Co.**

HIGHWAY LAW MAY BE INVALID

Said to Conflict With Constitution on Two Important Points.

The constitutionality of Senate bill No. 37, providing for the reorganization of the state highway commission, will be tested in the courts, in the opinion of those well qualified to judge its provisions.

There are two grounds upon which the act is said to be open to attack. Under a recent decision of the state supreme court, effective the former act under which the commission operated, the court held that the law creating the commission was a revenue measure. The new act, originating in the senate and the constitutionality of which is being tested, provides that all revenue acts must originate in the house.

A clause of the new act provides that license fees shall be collected by the county tax collectors. The supreme court has held that license collections must be controlled by the police regulations of the state.

In all probability the attorney general will be asked to submit an opinion on the constitutionality of the new act before the new board proceeds further.

The senate will hold little by the operation of the act, and the constitutionality act," said Theodore T. Moore.

MONEY TO LOAN

CO-OPERATION AT CURRY

Members anxious to Aid in the School Work.

By invitation of the school a number of interested mothers and friends of Curry school met Friday afternoon in a social gathering. Mrs. J. E. White had been invited to be present and to address the ladies of the neighborhood. Mrs. White in that pleasing and entertaining manner that is so characteristic of her, directed the subject that is occupying much of the attention of the educators, "Parent-Teacher's Association." The prompt response by the presenters showed their appreciation of her suggestions. The object of those not present show their entire sympathy with the work and are suggestive of their future cooperation.

After the address, preliminary steps were taken for permanent organization and will be perfected at an early date. Among those present were: B. G. Smith, Mesdames Hayden, Johnson, Lawrence, Bruce, Hulst, White, Clumack, Maggie Winans, Snowdler, W. S. Winans, L. J. Miller, H. E. Miller, Deane, McCall, Clark, Alworth, Burnett, C. A. Smith, Hunsley, Logsdon, Kirby, Smith, Sisson, Isaura, Wilson, H. E. Smyth, Thom, son, McVay, McCarty, McManis, Bickford, Bennett, Dought.

The spirit of the school record light refreshments which were highly appreciated by all. The latter part of the meeting was spent socially, to the enjoyment of all.

MACHINERY FOR ICE PLANT

Hold-Packing Co. Will Manufacture Its Own Ice.

New machinery for the ice plant of the Idaho-Hunting and Packing Co. arrived Tuesday and will be installed as soon as possible. The new plant, which is installed with the capacity of making ten tons of ice per day while the plant that has been in use for the past several years manufactured six tons per day.

When completed, this will make one of the finest plants for the manufacture of ice in this part of the state and may help branch travelers.

URGENT OPENING OF PARK

Conference of Park Men Will be Attended by A. G. Batcher.

A conference of the executives of National parks has been called by the department of the interior to meet at San Francisco this week. This meeting will be in charge of Mr. Mather, assistant to the secretary, who has charge of the National parks. A. G. Batcher, chairman of the executive committee of the American Automobile Association, will be present on behalf of the motorists of America to handle for both the consumer and the ice company—Buhl Herald.

Want a Meal---

A good, clean, appetizing meal that will make you feel content and happy? If you have never eaten at our cafeteria, come. You see the food before you buy, you choose what you want, and your meal fits your appetite or your purse—in both. The "cafeteria habit" is the cheapest and the best. Come and see if you do not agree with us.

THOMPSON'S CAFETERIA
139, Shoshone St. South, Twin Falls.

Farm Lands and Twin Falls Residence Property

SWIM & ALDRICH Bank & Trust Building

side trips. New settlers are wanted here by the people already settled. The Short Line wants them here to increase the tonnage every year. Oiling of the roadbed with the big equipment has secured a road that is an expensive improvement but will add one hundred per cent to the comfort of the motorist. After leaving the main line with its almost dustless roadbed, will note that the dirt of the branch just that much more unpleasant as taken this spring to lay it with a road oil coating.

Take that bustled bike to Gloydson brothers, they'll fix it. Mar. 9/15.

URGENT OPENING OF PARK

Conference of Park Men Will be Attended by A. G. Batcher.

A conference of the executives of National parks has been called by the department of the interior to meet at San Francisco this week. This meeting will be in charge of Mr. Mather, assistant to the secretary, who has charge of the National parks. A. G. Batcher, chairman of the executive committee of the American Automobile Association, will be present on behalf of the motorists of America to handle for both the consumer and the ice company—Buhl Herald.

URGENT OPENING OF PARK

Conference of Park Men Will be Attended by A. G. Batcher.

A conference of the executives of National parks has been called by the department of the interior to meet at San Francisco this week. This meeting will be in charge of Mr. Mather, assistant to the secretary, who has charge of the National parks. A. G. Batcher, chairman of the executive committee of the American Automobile Association, will be present on behalf of the motorists of America to handle for both the consumer and the ice company—Buhl Herald.

of the Idaho State Automobile Association, writes of his departure from Washington for San Francisco. Mr. Batcher expresses his regret that he cannot return to Idaho but promises that later in the year, probably in June, he will visit the Twin Falls country and then go on to Pocatello and Yellowstone.

CLUB NOTES

Rev. R. C. Miller Being Interesting Talk Before Club Women.

The Twentieth Century club held its regular weekly meeting at Jewel Hall, Monday evening, at 8 o'clock, when Rev. R. C. Miller, pastor of the First Baptist church, gave an interesting and instructive talk on the five senses we are possessed of and because of the brief time in which he had to talk he concentrated his remarks on the sense of sight. He told of the many things that defective eyesight is responsible for and of the important duties of some of the pupils in the schools due in a large measure to the deficiency in sight and the cause of children squinting or being cross-eyed, as it is commonly expressed.

Mr. Wilton Peck favored the club with a beautiful solo, "Ore Hundred Years From Now," by Charles H. Lord, responding to an encore, with "Good Night Little Girl, Good Night," by Alice in his own suitable style and playing his own accompaniment.

This was followed by a splendid talk by Rev. Miller of the First Baptist church on the following subject: "HOW MAY THE CHURCH MINISTER TO THE CIVIC NEED?"

The first duty of the church is not to pray for the world, but to minister unto itself, that it may build up an exclusive ecclesiasticism, leaving the larger community beyond the care and concern of the church. It is not that it may better serve the community. Its work is not self-culture but to minister to the world, to project Christ from the world, but to project Him into the world, that through it the world might be conformed unto Him.

His message is the redemption of the individual—is not the end, but the beginning of its work and ministry. That is only a step upon the highway of the recovery of man, for the church is measured, not by the number converts gained, but by the breadth of its ministry maintained in the community. It is not that it may have every opportunity to serve as a call of God. She will look upon all phases of life, and minister to the needs of the individual, the family, the community, and the world.

There is a significant statement over the head of the speaker, "The church is a body of believers, not a collection of converts." It is a body of believers, not a collection of converts. It is a body of believers, not a collection of converts. It is a body of believers, not a collection of converts.

And, half-suspected animals—their departure from Washington for San Francisco. Mr. Batcher expresses his regret that he cannot return to Idaho but promises that later in the year, probably in June, he will visit the Twin Falls country and then go on to Pocatello and Yellowstone.

SEES SHORTAGE OF WATER

Small Amount of Snow in Mountains Had for Irrigators.

February was another month of light snowfall in the snow regions, according to the report just prepared by the local weather bureau, and as a result of the light snowfall, a shortage of water in the state this season.

While the precipitation was normal or above in many places, the snowfall was very light in many places, except in the high mountains. The temperature was generally above normal, resulting in rapid melting in the lower mountain slopes and on the lower slopes to a considerable extent. As a result, the snow supply, which was the beginning of the month, was more or less exhausted.

Too Much Run-off.

In all parts of the state there is less than the average amount of snow and in many places the depth is less than for years at this date. There has been little drifting and no important snowfalls in the lower mountain slopes. This has caused little run-off, the water has been mostly absorbed by the soil and by the remaining snow.

The snow on the ground is still frozen under the snow, while in other places the snow has melted. The water is fairly well and evenly spread on the ground, but softens quickly on warm days.

Where density measures have been taken, the snow was about 28 per cent on the 15th and about 25 per cent on the 23rd.

The present outlook is for a decrease in the snow supply in all streams of the state during the coming season. Following are remarks by forest supervisors:

Victor.—The maximum depth of snow in this forest is approximately 10 inches. The average being not more than 5 inches. There is hardly one inch of snow in the mountains.

Oakley.—The snow supply in the higher mountains is still a great deal below normal.

Boise.—The depth of snow in the forest is as follows: Spencer, 18; continental divide north of Spencer, 30; Snake range, 20; and the divide of Idaho, 40. In every case the amount is less than half of the normal. The snow is soft, drifted in thin open and quite heavily in the timber.

Lost River Region.

Victor.—The amount of snow in this vicinity is below the average. It is very soft and is drifting to a great extent in the mountains.

Wood River Drainage.

Halt.—The snow supply is about 35 per cent below the average of the last five years. It is rather evenly distributed and several warm days have succeeded it to pack slightly, but not sufficient to reduce the probability of an early run-off.

Boise River Drainage.

Boise.—The snow supply in the Boise river drainage is about 35 per cent below the average. The snow is soft and is drifting to a great extent in the mountains.

Victor.—From present indications it is my opinion that the water flow this year will not exceed 50 per cent of the normal runoff.

Salmon River Drainage.

Chulita.—The snow fall in the mountains at the end of February was about one-third of the average, but what there is now on the ground is very light.

Clearwater River.

Orofino.—The amount of snow in the mountains at the close of February was about 35 per cent below the average. It is packed and evenly distributed.

ATTENTION STOCKMEN—Do you wish to increase your herd. I can furnish you with calves 4 days old to 3 months, \$5.00 to \$20.00, according to age. Either beef or dairy types. For full particulars address W. E. Thomas, Box City, Tillamook county, Oregon. Mar. 10-15-1915.

The ladies of the Ideal Bible class of the First Christian church, who had a cooked-food sale at the City Marketing House, Saturday, March 20.

If it ears for your eyes, your eyes will care for you. Dr. Farrell, the optometrist—Adv.

IT'S HERE! THE LATEST AND GREATEST

EXCELSIOR AUTOCYCLE

CALL AND SEE IT

GLOYSTEN BROTHERS

A **NNOUNCEMENT** to Users of Electrical Energy in Twin Falls

The Idaho Power & Light Company will open its offices and sales room in the city of Twin Falls, on Saturday, March 20th, on which date it will be ready to serve the public with all forms of Electrical service and sell the very latest and best in electrical appliances and equipment. Our new quarters at 137 Shoshone Street North will be open to the public on and after the above date and the people of the Twin Falls tract are invited to visit us at any time. We will be pleased to show the modern methods in electrical housekeeping.

We take great pride in stating that we have one of the most modern hydro-power plants in the West and enough electric energy to supply the whole of Southern Idaho. This plant is built with all the latest equipment for giving satisfactory and permanent service. Every effort will be made to give that service the year around and allow nothing to interrupt pleasant relationship with our patrons.

In offering Electrical apparatus and equipment to the people of Twin Falls we fully believe that we can furnish the highest grade apparatus cheaper than anyone else because of heavier buying for our many branch offices. We are prepared to give this advantage to our customers in right prices.

In entering the Twin Falls field, we desire to make a record for co-operative work with the people of this city. We can not hope to succeed unless the people are given service and a share in the success of the Idaho Power and Light Company. To this end we must create not only field for our electrical energy but must become a part of the community. We want your patronage and your friendship in making Twin Falls grow.

Idaho Power & Light Co.

See the

Gray & Davis Electric Starter

on the Ford Car at the

Western Auto Co.

F. F. BRACKEN, President. DR. C. R. SCOTT, Vice President.
URBAN TRACEY, Cashier.

The Idaho State Bank Of Twin Falls, Idaho

CAPITAL \$50,000

INTEREST PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS

DIRECTORS
F. F. BRACKEN DAVID BROWN C. FAHRNEY
JAMES MERRILLAN F. C. SMITH C. R. SCOTT URBAN TRACEY

D. H. PECK & COMPANY

NURSERY STOCK OF ALL KINDS

30 Years Experience Telephone 432-1V
207 Eighth Ave. East Twin Falls, Idaho

Twin Falls Bank & Trust Co.

W. S. MCGORNICK, President. H. J. FAHLING, Vice President.
G. J. HAHN, Cashier.

Capital and Surplus \$125,000.00

The bank's personal service. We solicit your patronage.
Farm Loans a Specialty

Idaho Rural Seed Potatoes of Quality

We have on hand a limited amount of seed carefully graded and selected, to type which we are offering for sale at low prices at our ranch located at Godwin, 5 miles west and 2 miles south of Twin Falls.

We also have the Advance Seed Pea for sale.
Yours for better spuds.
THOMETZ & SONS, Twin Falls.

TWIN FALLS CAFE

KOTO BROS., Props.
Best Service and Popular Prices
Try Our Big 25c Dinner
PRIVATE DINING ROOM FOR LADIES
OPEN DAY AND NIGHT PHONE 238

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF TWIN FALLS

We Invite Your Business
Member Twin Falls Commercial Club

Economy Is Not Meanness

It is management. While this statement has been made in regard to government expenditures, it applies just as much to an individual in the handling of his own finances.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT
A Per Cent Paid on Savings Accounts

TWIN FALLS BANK AND TRUST COMPANY

ZUDORA—THE TWENTY MILLION DOLLAR MYSTERY (Continued from Page 3)

"You're a queer card, Baird. You've got the stuff in you. You once lived like a prince and yet you're willing to work hard for an honest living—well, that's the kind of man we'll want to have on our staff."
"Any news on the other business?"
"Nothing you can put your hand on. I have a lot of suspicious but I'm not going to tell you what they are. I wish I had been at Copeland's the other night. There might have been a face there I could have placed."
The clerk came in. "Lady and gentleman to see you—Miss—"
"Copeland."
"Send them in," said Hunt, smiling. "I've an idea that our friend Stuart sent them here. Don't do any talking. All right," laughed Baird.
The usher of the visit resulted in Hunt accepting the case. He went up to the lounge at once and went over the ground thoroughly. The usher then returned to the main office and found a perfect in the main. She fastened and armed him completely; but he took careful notice of her features and her habit and color. There were trails all over the lawn, so many in fact that he could learn nothing in this direction.

"That afternoon Mr. Hunt entered the grasp of Mr. Rifden, greeted the barkeeper cordially, and proceeded upstairs to a room he had previously engaged. He entered the room and he and they laughed over the successful manner in which the detective had been fooled.
Downstairs Capt. Radcliffe entered the bar, sat down by a window and ordered a drink, pretending to be interested in that morning's paper. Somewhat later he expected to encounter Mr. Hunt. The captain had a good deal of patience when necessity required it.

Now one thing that Detective Hunt did find, and that was Hook's own memorandum book. In that book he found the number of the "chambers" was Rifden's station in Tamona avenue, IDAHO. So at the same time that Radcliffe read his state newspaper Rifden and Baird stopped on the opposite side of the street and eyed the name on the station window.
"This is the shop, sure enough," declared Hunt. "Suppose we stroll over and see what's inside."
Radcliffe chanced to look out of a clear spot in the window and saw them. He was in a quandary for a moment. The detective and the reporter immediately sought the stairs; and Capt. Radcliffe, as he went out the rear door, cursed himself for not putting up a blind.

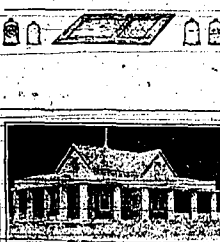
There's always a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip. If Marie had kept her eyesight sharp with the adjustment of the Copeland collection and if Hook hadn't strenuously refused to surrender it, they would not have questioned the number and not have taken the sound of their argument was music to Hunt's ears. Obviously he detected a key from his bunch of skeletons, which opened the lock case, a twist and shouldered into the room, followed by Baird.
Hook, without waiting to enquire his visitors and business, dashed toward a window and leaped. Baird followed him fearlessly.
"He turned upon the maid suddenly."

"I thought I'd find your here." He scooped up the stolen jewels. "Where is the ruby compass?"
"I don't know," whispered Marie. "He lost it in jumping the wall the night of the robbery."
"But he did not," she. The tracks at the Copeland place had given evidence of a struggle.
"Where is his trunk?" he demanded.
"I don't know."
"All right," Hunt took out a pair of handcuffs. "Want to ride back to town with these or instead of diamonds?"
Marie reluctantly told him where her workhouse was. All this time, if Hook hadn't made such a row over giving her what she wanted of the food neither would have been in their predicament.

"It's the old Blaisdell house at Highwood."
"Go back to your mistress and stay there. Can't you find your pin anywhere so I'm going to give you a chance. But if you've lied to me I'll put you over."
When Hunt reached the Blaisdell place he was met by Baird, more or less out of wind.
"Did you get them all?"
"All but the ruby pieces. I've an idea that it's in this joint. Where's Hook?"
"He got by me somehow. I should not be surprised if that old house is full of secret passages, but I couldn't find any. Let's get back to town with the stuff. We can come back later."
To do as Hunt readily agreed.
When they did come back they encountered many thrilling things, as surprising as those which had befallen them. Baird and John had gone out for a spin and the machine had broken down near the Blaisdell place. Bruce, who had witnessed the accident, had taken the occasion and offered the hospitality of his home. This courtesy was readily accepted, with the result that the prisoners, Zudora was tied to a chair in the library, while storm was dragged over into the cellar.
Bruce was in high feather. He had not only the rubies but the girl they had been after ever since she got away from him. He was in a fine state of mind. But after every one to be hatched before you can count your chickens.

Hunt and Baird returned at once. They had given the bag of jewels to Mrs. Copeland. They found Zudora to their amazement, struggling in the Morris chair.
"The ruby coronet is behind those curtains," she cried. "They took John downstairs. Go to him quickly!"
So with a few words she had the most precious Zudora was returned. But Hunt was distinctly dissatisfied with the adventure. The crooks had slipped through his fingers.

(To be Continued.)
When natural light falls. Then our art prevails. Parrott Optical Company.—Adv.



Talking about the value of plenty of porch-room, here's an Idahoan who evidently has firm convictions on that point.

We'll venture that the medicine cabinet is just that much the smaller.
The more porch and the more it's used, sleeping and awake, the better for health and happiness.
And the cost of adding a porch is not excessive.



NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That sealed proposals will be received by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Twin Falls, Idaho, on Friday, March 19, 1915, for the furnishing of the necessary teams, harness and drivers for the spraying of street sprinklers in the streets and avenues in Local Improvement District No. 22, in the City of Twin Falls, during the fiscal year 1915.

Proposals should be made for a sum per team and driver per day of eight hours, to be used for either day or night work, at the order of the street commissioner. This will be required for the spraying of street sprinklers. Teams should be used to operate street sprinklers under control of the Street Commissioner, during such time as shall be necessary to keep the dust on city streets and avenues well laid.

Bids must be accompanied by certified check in the sum of Fifty Dollars, which sum shall be forfeited to the City of Twin Falls in case the bidder to whom the contract is awarded shall fail to enter into contract within a period of five days after awarding of the contract.

The contractor will be required to furnish bond to the City in a sum equaling sixty per cent of the contract price with good and sufficient sureties to be approved by the City Council, conditioned for the faithful performance of his contract.
Payment for the work will be made monthly on the first Monday of each month, and will be made by warrants drawn on the fund to be collected by special assessments against the property abutting on the streets and avenues to be sprinkled.
The City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Dated March 16th, 1915.
STUART J. TAYLOR,
City Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of John M. Sharp, deceased.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administratrix of the estate of John M. Sharp, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said administratrix at the office of Guthrie & McGowan in Twin Falls, County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, this being the first place fixed for the transaction of said estate.
Dated March 2, 1915.
EDITH SHARP,
Adminstratrix.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF TWIN FALLS, IDAHO, That the City Clerk is the registrar for the regular biennial city election, to be held in the city of Twin Falls, on the twenty-seventh day of April, 1915.

That the place of registration in the office of the City Clerk is at the corner of the City Clerk's office, on the east side of the city, and that electors may register at any time during office hours, from and after this date and up to the office hours, on the twenty-seventh day of March, 1915.

That electors may not register after the said March 27th, 1915, unless it is necessary for all electors to register in order to vote at the election to be held April 27th.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

IN THE Probate Court of the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho.
Notice of time and place for hearing application for probate of foreign will.

In the matter of the estate of Stanley B. Milner, deceased.
Notice is hereby given, That a petition for the probate of the Will of Stanley B. Milner, deceased, and for the issuance of letters of administration with will annexed, docketed to Harry O. Milner, has been filed in this court, and that Saturday, the 20th day of March, 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the court room of said court in the City of Twin Falls, in the county of Twin Falls, Idaho, have been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause, if any, they have, why said petition should not be granted. Said will is a foreign will heretofore admitted to probate in the state of Utah.

Dated this 24th day of February, 1915.
J. A. STANK,
Probate Judge.

CLOS' BOOK STORE

Booksellers and Stationers
BLANK BOOKS
OFFICE SUPPLIES
Bargains in Rebuilt Typewriters
We Have Pictures

FARM AND CITY LOANS ABSTRACTS

Twin Falls Title & Abstract Company
Hotel Perrine Building

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

F. A. WESTON, ARCHITECT.
Mem. A. I. A.
I plan anything from Dungalows to skyscrapers. Also all desirable construction. Office, Central Building.

DRS. ATHERTON and ATHERTON
Practitioners of
Chiropractic and Sanitarium Treatments.
Chronic Diseases a Specialty.
Office 230 4th Ave. East, Twin Falls, Idaho.

DR. D. BROWN LEWEBS,
Dentist.
Specialist in Crown and Bridge Work.
Over Varney's Candy Store
Gulbert Building
Telephone 103. IDAHO

ATTORNEYS
SOUTH & STEPHAN
Attorneys-at-Law
General Practice
Boyd Block Twin Falls, Idaho
E. M. WOLFE
Lawyer.
Office in T. D. Building
Twin Falls, Idaho
ASHER D. WILSON,
Lawyer.
Practise in all courts.
Room 14 First National Bank Bldg.
Twin Falls, Idaho.
Office Phone 36 Residence Phone 559.

TAYLOR CUMMINS,
Attorney-at-Law,
Room 3, Phone 555.
Twin Falls Bank & Trust Bldg.
Twin Falls, Idaho.
PORTER & SMITH,
Attorneys-at-Law,
Room No. 8, First Nat. Bank Bldg.
SWEENEY & SWEENEY,
Attorneys-at-Law,
Will practice in All Courts.
TWIN FALLS, IDAHO
Member Twin Falls Commercial Club.

W. P. GUTHRIE & A. M. BOYEN
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,
Office: Twin Falls Bank and Trust Building.
J. H. WISE, LAWYER,
Office rooms 6 and 7, Twin Falls Bank and Trust Co. Building,
Twin Falls, Idaho.

UNDERTAKERS:
THE CROSBY COMPANY
General Directors and Embalmers
C. J. Crosby, Manager.
Corner's Office. Telephone 455
Twin Falls, Idaho.

J. J. GROSSMAN
Successor of C. J. Walker,
LIMBERG
Open Day & Night, All Calls Responded to Promptly. Private Ambulance.
Harder Bldg. 220 Second Ave. East, Phone 110.
DRESSMAKING
MRS. F. A. WESTON,
First Class Dressmaking.
Central Building.
SURVEYORS
J. C. PORTERFIELD, C. E.
Mining, Hydraulic and Structural
LICENSED LAND SURVEYOR
Room 13, First National Bank Building
Residence Phone 435-1V

FRATERNAL SOCIETIES
M. W. A. CAMP
No 10890
End and 4th Thursday
Moose Hall
Dr. C. SCRANTON, Counsel.
Telephone No. 305—Twin Falls, Clerk
Residence Phone 574.
S. G. HULL,
Piano Tancer
22 years experience in tuning, voicing, repairing and reconditioning.
Office at Regency Hotel
P. O. Box 574. Idaho
Twin Falls, Idaho

IDAHO SOUTHERN RAILROAD.
Train Schedule.
Effective May 17, 1914.
Daily No. 1 Stations. Daily No. 2
8:30 a. m. Lv. Gooding. Ar 1:00 p. m.
8:45 a. m. Lv. Bennett. Ar 12:25 p. m.
9:05 a. m. Lv. Wendell. Ar 1:25 p. m.
9:25 a. m. Lv. Elgin. Ar 2:25 p. m.
9:35 a. m. Ar. Jerome. Lv. 11:55 a. m.
J. H. RADCIFF,
General Passenger Agent.

MILNER & NORTH SIDE RAILROAD.
Train Schedule.
Effective November 11, 1914.
Daily No. 1 Stations. Daily No. 2
11:45 a. m. Lv. Milner. Ar 5:05 a. m.
12:30 p. m. Lv. Shoshone. Ar 4:30 p. m.
12:30 p. m. Lv. Island. Ar 4:30 p. m.
1:30 p. m. Lv. Marston. Ar 4:10 p. m.
12:00 p. m. Ar. Oakley. Lv. 4:00 p. m.
J. H. RADCIFF,
General Passenger Agent.
SCHEDULE
Twin Falls Electric Railroad
Leave Leave
O. S. L. Depot Shoshone Falls
7:30 A. M. 8:00 A. M.
8:00 P. M. 8:30 P. M.
8:40 P. M. 9:00 P. M.
Sunday
12:00 P. M. 10:00 P. M.
12:30 P. M. 11:00 P. M.
3:00 P. M. 4:00 P. M.
Round Trip to Shoshone Falls.
Sept. 14, 1914. In case of further changes will further

FOR SALE

One Pereheron Stallion

Color: Black; white star in forehead. Weight, 1800 lbs. Sure foal getter. Seven years old. Kind and gentle.
Also one colt by above stallion, 18 months old.
Price of stallion, \$800, or will trade for Durham cows and heifers.
Price of colt, \$200, or will trade same way.
Frank Sherrer
Acequia, Idaho, 8 miles Southwest of Minidoka

