



## WILSON TAKES A FIRM STAND

President Opposes Any Abridgment of Rights of Neutrals.

DESIRE PEACE BUT HONOR AND PRINCIPLE FIRST.

Americans Should Have the Right to Travel on Merchantmen Armed For Defense—Situation Critical Again.

WASHINGTON.—The agitation for action warning Americans off belligerent ships is overshadowing all other questions now before congress. President Wilson's supporters apprehensive that the smouldering sentiment might suddenly blaze up to embarrass the diplomatic negotiations with Germany, are working to hold the administration forces in line and keep the question from the floor of both house and senate.

The legislative situation in both houses favored the administration forces. The senate has been in legislative session yesterday prevented the subject from coming up without unanimous consent. The situation in the house is similar but not so secure.

Word went to the capital again that President Wilson's opposition to any action by congress was unshaken and that Chairman Flood and Chairman Stone of the committees dealing with foreign affairs could explain his position fully. Administration officials outside of congress expressed confidence that the president's position would be supported.

The Republicans generally are opposed to action by congress and aside from the score of Democrats who yesterday showed signs of breaking over the administration's restraint, the majority forces today apparently were held by the appeal "stand by the president." Statements that the agitation had attained the proportions of a revolt against the president's policy were denied on all sides.

The possibility which stood out among all the others was that the whole situation might be reduced to a proposal that Congress express the sentiment that America should not bring their country into danger of war by traveling on ships which Germany has announced she will sink without warning.

It was pointed out that such action would be quite different from legislative prohibitions against the taking passage on such ships and could not be viewed as a surrender of rights. The extent to which the political element enters into the present situation has not been disclosed. Administration supporters, however, recall former Secretary of State Bryan broke with the president and left the cabinet over the question of warning Americans off belligerent ships. Among those who now are supporters, the agitation to put Mr. Bryan's proposal into legislative action are some senators and representatives who have been numbered among Mr. Bryan's admirers, but it is true that many of them also are classified as supporters of the president.

Germany has not yet replied to the latest request from Washington that previous assurances for the safety of unarmored liners apply to the conduct of the new submarine campaign. She has indicated she wants to discuss what properly may be defensive armament. There are indications that to Germany the consequences of destruction of more American lives is fully realized.

Private advices from Germany tell how the civilian element at the head of the chancellery, Von Hoffmann-Holweg, which has contended for preserving friendly relations with the United States, has been overruled by a newly-ripened political force headed by Gen. von Falkenhayn, chief of staff of the army, who has won the confidence of the Kaiser.

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## AMERICAN AIRMEN WHO AID FRANCE



Left to right: Sergt. Elliott Cowdin, Sergt. Norman Prince of Boston and Lieut. William Thaw, three American airmen who, for daring deeds in the battlefields of France, have been decorated for bravery, and came back to the United States to spend Christmas with their folks at home. Each has received the military medal and the war medal, the latter being the French equivalent of the Iron Cross of Germany. Already they have returned to their duty at the front.

## PRESIDENT HAS THE SUPPORT OF EAST

Dr. Atherton Says People on Atlantic Coast Like His Management of Foreign Affairs.

That the people of the east have confidence in President Wilson's ability to handle the foreign situation and are standing behind him in his presidential campaign is the statement of Dr. W. H. Atherton who returned Saturday from a five weeks' vacation and business trip to Chicago, New York, Philadelphia, Washington, D. C., and Jacksonville, Fla. Dr. Atherton says that financial conditions in the east are generally good, although there are some slow spots. Florida is notably quiet, as the weather on the Atlantic coast was mild and the number of tourists who spent the winter among the orange groves was notably small. There is a spirit of confidence throughout the east, however, Dr. Atherton says. He declares that he enjoyed the trip very much.

He said, too, does not consider that a break with the United States would affect Germany's success in the war.

These views are understood to have been communicated to President Wilson.

As members of both houses assembled for today's sessions, the situation appeared to have calmed considerably. The exact status of the situation was as follows:

Many members of the house and senate, being much in the dark as to exact facts in the negotiations with Germany fear that it would lead to war if Americans are not kept in the dark. They are not sure if Germany would actually the administration to sink armed merchant vessels, whether armed for offense or only for defense.

They feel that they should be informed just what the president proposes should be done. Yesterday they were alarmed to learn that the president was insistent upon yielding nothing to Germany, even if it should lead to war; that the president had ordered an attack on a ship in which an American lost his life would immediately result in severing diplomatic relations and that the president had expressed confidence at the attitude in congress. All these seemed to arouse resentment among congressmen and that the country was headed directly into trouble.

A demand was made upon Chairman Flood and members of the house for an affirmative vote for an immediate report on a resolution to keep Americans off armed ships. Representative Flood early today talked over the proposition to the president and told him that the canvass of the house agreed upon yesterday had not yet been made and that proposed warning resolutions probably would not get out of the committee. To inquiries Chairman Flood said that he believed the situation had reached a stage of calm and that the administration would not get into a hurry to pass the bill.

The fact that little opportunity for the issue to get on the floor of either house was presented today was counted upon by administration leaders to further check the agitation.

The canvass of the house has been undertaken by Representative Shackelford of Missouri, of the foreign affairs committee, and the opinion gathered from several conferences was that those who favored legislative action would get behind a warning resolution proposed by Representative Foster of Illinois.

Chairman Stone of the foreign relations committee, was resolute in his determination not to discuss the situation.

In so far as opinion can be gauged in the senate—a majority of Republicans and Democrats feel that the president should not be hampered in diplomatic negotiations. Democratic senators, however, feel that the situation is critical and delicate and that to oppose the president would be politically dangerous to the party.

One senator in the confidence of the White House was quoted as saying he thought the situation the most serious had faced the United States since the European war started.

President Wilson was represented as firmly determined steadfastly to maintain the right of Americans to travel on armed merchantmen.

## ZEPPELIN L-19 'SINKS IN THE SEA'

Boat Picked up Contained Messages From Her Commander Addressed to His Family—Crew Was Drowning.

LONDON.—A boat has been picked up from the sea containing last messages from the commander of the Zeppelin L-19, which was wrecked in the North sea, and addressed to the commander's parents, wife and little son. The last of the message stated that the airship had dropped and the crew was drowning, says a Reuter dispatch from Copenhagen.

The yacht Stella picked up the boat containing the message from Commander L-19 near Gethsburg. Four letters were found, two addressed to the parents of the Zeppelin commander and one each to his wife and child.

The letters were written at successive periods. The first states that the airship was then 100 meters above the water, that the motors had failed and that all were expecting at any moment to drop. The fourth letter states that the airship had dropped and the crew was drowning.

The L-19 was wrecked in the North sea shortly after the Zeppelin raid over England on Jan. 31. It is believed to have been shot down by a Dutch coast defense gun which fired on a dirigible that flew over Dutch territory at a low altitude.

The captain of the British trawler King Stephen reported he had encountered the L-19 in a sinking condition in the North sea, but did not attempt to rescue the Germans as they outnumbered his crew.

## HEAVIEST SNOW IN TWENTY-FIVE YEARS

J. E. Walters of Three Creeks Says Depth Is Three Times as Great as Average at This Time of Year.

That the ground is in ideal condition, that there is more snow on the hills than at any previous time for 25 years, being now fully six feet deep while the average depth at this time of year is not to exceed two feet, and that the farmers of his neighborhood feel assured of a bountiful crop, is the story brought to town Friday by J. E. Walters, of Three Creeks. There is very little snow on the ground, color of residents of the Salmon project will also enjoy a prosperous year, according to Mr. Walters.

## ALFALFA GRADES DEFINED BY NATIONAL HAY DEALERS ASSN.

The Times is indebted to Fred C. Haynes, hay buyer for the M. C. Peters Mill company, of Omaha, for the following explanation of the grading of alfalfa, which is in accordance with the grades defined by the National Hay Dealers association:

Choice Alfalfa—Shall be reasonably fine, leafy alfalfa, of bright green color, properly cured, sound, sweet and well baled.

Number One Alfalfa—Shall be reasonably coarse alfalfa of a bright green color, or reasonably fine leafy alfalfa of a good color. Five per cent of air bleached hay on outside of bale allowed, but must be sound and well baled.

Standard Alfalfa—May be green color, of coarse or medium texture, and may contain five per cent foreign matter. It may be green color, of coarse or medium texture, twenty per cent bleached. Or, it may be greenish cast of green stem and clinging foliage. All to be sound, sweet and well baled.

Number Two Alfalfa—Shall be of any sound, sweet alfalfa, but not good enough for standard.

Number Three Alfalfa—May contain five per cent stack spotted hay, but must be dry. Or, it may be of green color, or it may be wet alfalfa. All to be reasonably well baled.

No Grade Alfalfa—Shall include all alfalfa not good enough for number three.

Times want ad bring results.



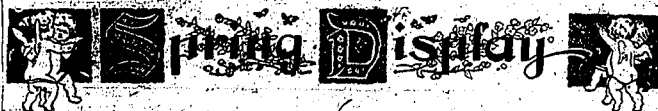
## Our Ready-to-Wear Section is Asserting Its Supremacy These Days

Never before have we offered you better styles or at better prices than we offer you now in ready-to-wear garments. Each day brings something new. Our business is increasing wonderfully, all due to the excellent showing of spring garments. All we ask is that we can have an opportunity to show you before you buy. The rest will take care of itself. We feel confident no one can show you better styles at better price.



## New Silk Waists Priced \$2.75 to \$6.75

A really beautiful display of the choicest new styles in Crepe De Chine, Pussy Willow Taffetas and Georgette Crepen, all the new delicate colorings in, fascinating styles—a great assortment of new models to select from. All sizes and a range of prices to suit every purse.



## of New Suits, Coats and Dresses Priced from \$13.50 to \$50



The display of Spring Suits, Coats and Dresses seem to be attracting the attention of every one. The showing includes all the new ideas favorable for spring wear, in plain silk and silk and wool combinations and a great variety in new light weight woolens. The assortment of styles and materials are so varied that the most discriminating can easily be satisfied as every effort has been made to secure a wide range of styles and patterns. It would be almost impossible to try and describe the variety of styles and we ask that you come and let us show you. We know that you will be well pleased with the many new alluring styles we are showing.

## Coats for Children, Youths and Misses Ages 2 to 17 Years

We feel that this is an important issue, as we know the trouble you've had heretofore to find a suitable garment for the growing girl. We have them now in every possible style and price. Let us show you.

## Kimonos in Silks and Serpentine Crepes

A display of Kimonos that are wonderful values. They include the newest designs and are the prettiest styles shown in Twin Falls for many a season. They are really low priced, too.

\$1.25 to \$7.50

## When Man's in Love

He's pretty fussy about his clothes. Lovers are our best customers.

## But How About You Old Married Men?

Sort of forgotten lately to spruce up a bit, and please the wife—remind her of the courting days!

## How About You Business and Professional Men?

Forgetting that looking the part is half way to living the part.

## How About You Fellows That Look the Other Way When You Pass a Mirror?

Spend a few minutes and a few dollars with us and we'll make you glad to look your wife, your business associates and the mirror in the face! All the new spring styles are here for men and young men at popular prices. See them.

## Special Display of Boys' Suits Priced \$2.50 to \$10

All the new spring styles are here and you can find any style or fabric that you desire at a price that will certainly appear to you. At \$3.95 and \$5.00 we are offering extra special values. These garments come in the much wanted (2 pair pants with each suit) made as finely as can be in all wool fabrics. Just the suit for school wear, where so much is expected of a boy's suit. The extra pants will insure a double life to your boy's suit.

## Visit Our Dry Goods Section, You'll Find the Finest Display of Silks in Town

A display that includes all the popular fancy silks as well as the more staple silks. You no doubt know the advancing condition of the silk market today. Each day brings some new advance in price in certain lines. But to our satisfaction and yours, our entire stock was purchased before these advancing prices—and we offer you today many items at prices less than we can buy at today. So silks bought at the L. D. store will prove to you to be a good investment.

## Aprons and House Dresses for Women

Just arrived, and Children's Aprons, too, in the most complete assortment of styles we have ever shown. Save a lot of worry and trouble and buy them just as cheap ready-made on display in the dry goods section.

## Spring Shoes for Women, Men and Children

Let us show you the attractive new styles we are offering in Men's, Women's and Children's footwear, at prices that defy competition when you consider how well made and serviceable these shoes really are.

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## Spring Caps Priced 75c to 1.50

Popular new styles for men and young men, at prices that will appeal to you. All the new check plaids and fancy styles are shown.





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## MUNICIPAL LIGHTING.

The proposition to establish a municipal lighting system for Twin Falls, utilizing the power now going to waste in Rock Creek, is one that will command immediate attention not only from the city council but from the people at large. In many ways it is the most important issue raised in Twin Falls for a long time. Coming as it does at a time when the city is about to embark on municipal waterworks operation it will find many supporters who will contend that the city might as well go the whole distance and adopt municipal lighting as well. On the other hand, the more conservative will perhaps say that the city should wait until the success of its experiment with municipal waterworks has been demonstrated before launching further into the area of public ownership. However, in particular, the city cannot afford to wait. It is imperative that a new bridge be constructed across Rock Creek. If, as the commercial club directors contend, a cement bridge can be built as cheaply as a steel structure, and if the power now going to waste in the stream is sufficient to give the city municipal lighting, it would seem to be the part of prudence to erect the cement structure and save the power, pending the determination of the question of whether a city municipal plant should be installed or not. On the face of the thing, the directors make a good case for the municipal lighting plant, and ownership of municipal lighting is so clearly within the functions of city government it would seem that the burden of proof should be on those who oppose the plan.

To be sure, a certificate of necessity would have to be obtained from the public utilities commission. Powells, which recently voted to adopt municipal lighting, finds its application for such certificate formally opposed by the merged electrical interests and the question has not yet been decided. On the face of it, it would look as if the commission could take but one view in regard to Twin Falls. Eighteen months ago when the city was smaller than it is now and when its prospects for immediate and very great expansion were far less promising, the commission granted the Idaho Light & Power company the required certificate which enabled it to come into this territory. The commission afterwards, having discovered that the rival companies would not compete, allowed them to merge. But if there were room for competing companies at this time, are there any more room for a municipal plant in the city at present. Such a plant would not necessarily conflict with the activities of the electrical company now enjoying a monopoly and, if it threatened to do so, would serve only to make it even more diligent in attending to the needs of its patrons.

## HONORING INDUSTRIAL HEROES.

The people of the Twin Falls tract will unanimously acquiesce in the plan to erect a statue in honor of Frank H. Buhl, Jr., proposed by the directors of the Twin Falls Commercial club at their meeting Friday afternoon. It is a good sign when the heroes of peace receive a proper share of the honors bestowed by grateful people. Not less honor to those who distinguish themselves in war, but more to those who do great things in other lines. There are industrial despots as well as military ones, but there are also those in industry as well as military life who deserve monuments. Milton, following Cicero, thought perhaps not borrowing from him, declared that "peace built victories not less renowned than war," and surely a recognition of this fact in bronze or marble, is fitting. And to none, according to all who know the risk involved, is such honor due more than to the men who laid out the Twin Falls tract.

Another thought, perhaps an impertinent one, and not wholly relevant: Those in war who lead a forlorn hope and lose are honored scarcely less than those who win. Hannibal died on exile, Napoleon died a prisoner, Lee fought for a lost cause, the Old Guard perished on Waterloo, the Spartan 300 were annihilated at Thermopylae, and the Alamo defenders had no messenger to defeat. Yet all these are honored, and their deeds are explained. But for the man who fails in the industrial struggle, there is no excuse offered, except that he was incompetent, he did not "make good," he was "not a success." It would be hard to erect monuments for all the financial wrecks strewn along the shores of the business ocean, but a recognition of the successful, by calling attention to the merit of business heroism, may eventually serve to call attention to the fact that the failures in the industrial no less than in the military world, may have lost because of overwhelming odds against them, or on account of unavoidable circumstances, rather than on account of any lack of ability on their part.

## CO-OPERATION POSSIBLE.

Now that municipal waterworks is assured and a discussion on the advisability of municipal lighting is inevitable, different plans for the working out of the details of either or both are in order. The last legislature enacted a law permitting the union of two or more municipalities for the purpose of establishing and maintaining certain public utilities. Buhl, which already has a city water system, is now seriously considering the feasibility of getting Clear Lake water instead of ditch water for its people. During a discussion of that question some time ago, it was suggested in the west end city that an effort be made to unite Twin Falls and Filer in the establishment of a municipal water system for the three places. However, as the statute as enacted provided specifically only for joint electrical lighting systems, it was thought that it would not cover waterworks and the plan was not pursued. In view of the action of the Twin Falls Commercial club directors in recommending that Rock Creek power be used for a city lighting system, it might be well to ascertain whether should the plan go through, Buhl and Filer would be willing to co-operate in a joint lighting system, all using power generated here. The friendly spirit shown by many people in Buhl toward possible cooperation in joint water works operation when that plan was thought feasible, leads in the hope that, should joint electrical operation be found advisable from a business point of view, Twin Falls and the west end city could co-operate for their mutual financial benefit.

## THE D. W. DAVIS DENIAL.

Elsewhere in this issue The Times publishes a letter from D. W. Davis, of American Falls, one of the candidates for Republican gubernatorial nomination, in which he denies the statement that he has purchased the Aberdeen Times with others, made by the Blackfoot Optimist and republished with credit to that paper in The Times. The item was republished by this paper as a matter of legitimate news and under the impression that the Optimist was correctly informed in regard to the statement it made. The denial is published as a matter of news and of fairness. While the denial from Editor Tappan of the Aberdeen Times, to which reference is made by Mr. Davis, has not been received, we have no reason to doubt the truth of the statement that he did not buy that paper, and gladly give his letter (the same publicity we gave to the Optimist article; more in fact, since this statement is added to the news story.

The Times desires to be just to all concerned, whether agreeing with them politically or not.

## MINUTES OF MEETING OF TWIN FALLS CITY COUNCIL, FEB. 28, 1916.

**CITY OF TWIN FALLS, STATE OF IDAHO, COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS.**  
Twin Falls, Idaho.  
February 28th, A. D. 1916.  
The City Council of the City of Twin Falls met in regular session in pursuance to adjournment of the regular meeting of Monday, February 21st, at the regular meeting place of said Council, to-wit: "Commercial Club building," at 10 o'clock P. M. The meeting was called to order by the Mayor. Then roll call the following members and officials were found to be present:

Mayor, E. M. Sweeley.  
Councilman C. M. Smith.  
Councilman H. E. Bolter.  
Councilman F. E. Bracken.  
Councilman H. A. Parrott.  
H. M. Williams, City Clerk, constituting the entire Council.

Also present:  
George Herriott, City Attorney.  
W. F. Porter, Street Commissioner.

The following proceedings were duly had and taken pursuant to law:  
City Attorney George Herriott advised the Council that the form of bond as adopted by Ordinance No. 174, through reamendment, was correct, did not contain the necessary provision regarding the right of the city of Twin Falls to redeem the bonds, as provided for in said Ordinance, and April 1, 1916, and recommended that a resolution be passed by the Council amending the form of bond so as to make proper provision for the exercise of such option by the City.

THEREUPON Councilman Parrott introduced and read the following resolution:

**RESOLUTION.**  
WHEREAS the form of bond as adopted and provided for the loan of "CITY OF TWIN FALLS WATER WORKS PURCHASE BONDS, 1916 SERIES 'A,'" dated April 1, 1916, in the sum of \$80,000.00, bearing 5 per cent. interest, did not embody the requisite provisions so that the City of Twin Falls may redeem said bonds at any time after the first day of April, A. D. 1916; and whereas the substance of the aforesaid ordinance provides for the right to exercise such option by said City, and

WHEREAS the exercise of such option by the City of Twin Falls was the original intent and purpose and manner of authorization for the incurring of said bonded indebtedness.

BE IT THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TWIN FALLS, IN TWIN FALLS COUNTY, STATE OF IDAHO,

That Section 11 of Ordinance No. 174, of the City of Twin Falls, be amended and supplemented to read as follows:

**SECTION 11.** Said bonds and coupons thereto attached shall be in substantially the following form:

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**  
**STATE OF IDAHO**  
**COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS**  
**CITY OF TWIN FALLS**  
**WATER WORKS PURCHASE BONDS, 1916 SERIES 'A'**  
**DUE APRIL 1, 1936. \$1000.00**

**KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,** That the City of Twin Falls, in the County of Twin Falls, in the State of Idaho, acknowledge itself indebted and for value received hereby promises to pay to the bearer or holder hereof, the sum of

**ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS** in lawful money of the United States of America, on the first day of April, A. D. 1936, with interest thereon from the date hereof, at the rate of five per centum (5 per cent.) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of January and the first day of July in each year, until the bond is paid in full, and until the bond is in full and until the interest coupons hereto attached, evidence said interest; both principal and interest payable at the office of the City Treasurer in the City of Twin Falls, County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, at the First National Bank, in the City and State of New York, U. S. A., at the option of the holder of this bond and the attached coupons vested and for the prompt payment of said principal and interest, the full faith, credit, resources and all taxable property of the said City are hereby irrevocably pledged.

The City of Twin Falls hereby reserves the right, at its option, to redeem this bond upon any interest date after the first day of April, A. D. 1926, and prior to the maturity thereof.

**THIS BOND** is one of a series of the tenor and tenor and tenor for the purpose of raising funds for the acquisition, by purchase, of the existing waterworks system within the City of Twin Falls, to supply said City with water for fire, domestic and commercial purposes; said system to be owned, maintained and operated by the City under, by virtue of and in full and strict conformity with the provisions of the Idaho Constitution and with Chapter 12 of Title 13 of the First (Political Code) of the Revised Codes of Idaho (1908), being Sections 2215 to 2222 thereof, inclusive, and any other laws authorizing the same, and in pursuance of the necessary ordinances and all requisite legal action by the City Council of said City, duly passed and published, and any and all other officials legally or otherwise connected with the issuance of this bond, and under authority of a favorable vote by more than a two-thirds majority of the qualified electors of said City who were taxpayers thereof and voting at an election legally called and held within said City on the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1916.

**IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED** and attested that all acts and things required to be done and conditions and covenants required to exist precedent to and in the issuance of this bond, and in order to render the same legal and valid, have been duly and properly done and exist in due time, form and manner, as required by law, and that the total indebtedness of the City of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, including that of this bond, exceeds neither the constitutional nor statu-

tory limitations of the State of Idaho; and that provision has been made for the levy and collection of a direct annual tax upon all the taxable property within said City, sufficient to pay the interest and principal of this bond, as the same shall become due.

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF,** the City of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, by the City Council of said City, has caused this bond to be signed by the Mayor of said City, attested by the City Clerk, countersigned by the City Treasurer, and sealed with the corporate seal of said City, and has caused the attached coupons to be executed with the facsimile signature of the Treasurer of said City, this first day of April, A. D. 1916.

(SEAL)  
Mayor, City of Twin Falls, Idaho.  
Countersigned

City Treasurer.

Attest:

City Clerk.

(Form of Coupon)

**STATE OF IDAHO**

**COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS**

**CITY OF TWIN FALLS**

**INTEREST COUPON**

**WATER WORKS PURCHASE BOND, 1916, SERIES 'A'**

No. \_\_\_\_\_

January \_\_\_\_\_

On the first day of July, \_\_\_\_\_

the City of Twin Falls, in the State of Idaho, will pay to the holder hereof, \_\_\_\_\_ dollars,

in full payment of the United States of America, at the office of the Treasurer of said City, in the City of Twin Falls, in Twin Falls County, State of Idaho, or at the First National Bank, in the City and State of New York, U. S. A., at the option of the holder, being six months' interest on its Water Works Purchase Bond 1916, Series 'A', No. \_\_\_\_\_, dated the first day of April, A. D. 1916.

(Facsimile)

Treasurer, City of Twin Falls, Idaho.

That the following certificate shall be endorsed upon the back of each of said bonds, to-wit:

**REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE.**

We, the undersigned, the duly elected, qualified and acting City Clerk and City Treasurer, respectively, within and for the City of Twin Falls, in the State of Idaho, do hereby certify that the within bond has been duly registered at the City of Twin Falls, in the public record books kept for such purposes, in full compliance with the laws of the State of Idaho, in such case made and provided.

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF,** we have hereunto set our official hands and affixed the seal of our respective offices, at Twin Falls, Idaho, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 1916.

(SEAL) \_\_\_\_\_ City Clerk.

(SEAL) \_\_\_\_\_ City Treasurer.

THEREUPON Councilman Bolter seconded the motion of Councilman Parrott for the passage and adoption of said resolution and order. The question being upon the adoption of said motion the roll was called with the following result:

Councilman Smith, Aye.

Councilman Bracken, Aye.

Councilman Bolter, Aye.

Councilman Parrott, Aye.

The City Attorney advised the Council regarding the status of the procedure for the sale of the bonds, as authorized by Ordinance No. 174, and upon his recommendation Councilman Bracken introduced and read the following form of advertisement for bids upon said bonds as prescribed by Mr. W. F. Hodges, of Denver, Colorado, the attorney handling the legal procedure relative to said bond issue:

**CALL FOR BIDS \$80,000.00 WATER WORKS PURCHASE BOND, CITY OF TWIN FALLS, IDAHO.**

The City Council of the City of Twin Falls, in the State of Idaho, will receive sealed bids which may be addressed to M. Williams, City Clerk, City of Twin Falls, until nine o'clock A. M. on Wednesday the 29th day of March, A. D. 1916, for the unconditional purchase of \$80,000.00 of "WATER WORKS PURCHASE BONDS, 1916, SERIES 'A'" of the City of Twin Falls, bearing 5 per cent. interest, dated April 1, 1916, optional for redemption April 1, 1926, absolutely due and payable April 1, 1936. Both principal and semi-annual interest, payable at the First National Bank in the City and State of New York, U. S. A.

Said bids will be opened by the City Council of the City of Twin Falls, in session therefor, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. on the 29th day of March, A. D. 1916.

Said bonds will be lithographed and executed, ready for delivery on the first day of April, 1916, and bidders therefor must satisfy themselves as to legality of said bonds prior to the submission of a bid therefor, and accompany said bid with a certified check in the amount of \$4,000.00, and satisfy the City Council that they will take unconditional delivery of said bonds and pay their bid price for same in cash in the City of Twin Falls, not later than the hour of two o'clock P. M. on the first day of April, A. D. 1916.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** I hereunto set my official hand and seal of the City of Twin Falls, Idaho, this 28th day of February, A. D. 1916.

(SEAL) REESE M. WILLIAMS,

THEREUPON Councilman Smith moved:

That the form of advertisement calling for bids, as aforesaid, be forth, be adopted as prescribed.

Councilman Parrott thereupon seconded said motion, which was put to the vote and upon roll call the following results were had:

Councilman Smith, Aye.

Councilman Bracken, Aye.

Councilman Bolter, Aye.

Councilman Parrott, Aye.

There being no further business to come before the Council, a motion was made and carried to adjourn.

E. M. SWELEY, Mayor.

(SEAL) REESE M. WILLIAMS, City Clerk.

Word was received by W. C. Williams last week that his father, W. C. Williams, Sr., had died in Wales, January 21, at the age of 88 years. He had been an elder in the Congregational church there for more than 70 years.



**MAHATMA**  
Orpheum Theatre announces the special engagement of Mahatma, "The Mystery Girl," who is to appear here today (Tuesday) and Wednesday, in sensational and mystifying demonstrations of thaumaturgy—"thought transposition."  
To witness the amazing tests of this wonderful woman's mysterious hidden force is to be astonished and yet impressively convinced of the absolute and positive genuineness of her marvelous and almost awe-inspiring exhibitions.  
**TWO DAYS ONLY—TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY—AT THE ORPHEUM THEATRE**

**At VARNEY'S THIS WEEK**  
**CRACKERJACK**  
**15c lb.**  
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**HICK'S**  
**HAWAIIAN**  
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Each a Soloist—  
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The Last Word in  
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**Friday and Saturday**  
**March 3-4 and Saturday Matinee**

Prices: Night, Children 15c, Adults 25c; Matinee, Children 5c, Adults 15c.

Show Starts at 8 o'clock  
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Hotel Perrine Building, Twin Falls, Idaho

# See Idaho's First Automobile Show

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**Tabernacle**  
**March 20-25**  
**40--Different Models--40**

The greatest show of its kind ever held in the inter-mountain country. All sizes and shapes of automobiles from the timeliest roadster to the biggest touring car; four, six, eight and twelve cylinder motors. You will be greatly surprised at the beauty of the exhibits, some of which will be every bit as beautiful as any ever seen at the New York or Chicago shows. Wonderful surprises, great entertainment.

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## Twin Falls Band

Special railroad rates from all towns on the  
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Admission = 25c

The World Famous  
**KIMBALL PIANO**  
Sold in Idaho only by  
The  
Boise Eilers Music House

DEATH FROM PNEUMONIA.  
Mrs. Kate Piper of Walla Walla, a traveling saleswoman, arrived in this city last week and shortly afterward contracted a cold which developed into pneumonia, causing her death in a local hospital. Her body was taken to her home Monday by her son-in-law.

# FOLGER WEEK

MARCH  
6 to 11

SAVE 10c  
A POUND



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Recipe for a good  
night's rest: Plenty  
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REGULAR PRICE	SPECIAL PRICE
1 LB. .45	.35
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J. A. Folger & Co.  
San Francisco

45c  
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## MUNICIPAL PLANT ENDORSED BY CLUB

(Continued from page 1.)

Realizing that a steel bridge would cost about \$40,000, with a life of but 20 years, showing an annual depreciation of five per cent of \$8,000, and that the city is now paying for its street lighting, nearly \$5,000 per annum and being informed that a rock-filled dam, having a 40-foot wide roadway on top, can be constructed for about \$40,000 and that there is sufficient flow in Rock creek to generate electricity for the lights, the city has and 500 more and that the installation of this electric plant can be made for about \$50,000 more, or a total cost of \$100,000, on which the annual interest would be about \$5,000 per annum, as against \$7,000 we are now paying for light and depreciation of a steel bridge, the board unanimously and very strongly recommended the city council to make this much needed improvement.

The discussion of this question brought out the needs of the city for a city planning commission with powers and duties as these commissions have elsewhere, and recommended that the city council investigate the matter and take such steps as they deem best.

Learning that the maintenance of the main wagon roads coming into the city has been placed in the hands of an overseer for each road, for the purpose of encouraging more efficient work on these several roads, the board decided to give a purse of \$100 to the overseer maintaining the best road during the season ending November 1, the awarding judges to be named by the board at a later date.

The attention of the board being called to the congested condition at the freight depot, caused by increased business and insufficient room and facilities for the prompt handling of the in and out shipments, the secretary was instructed to take up with General Manager Calvin this matter by correspondence, urging enlargement of depot.

The club having been instrumental in securing sugar beet contracts from the farmers to the amount required by the Amalgamated Sugar Co. and still retaining their interest in the successful growing of beets, decided to give the following prizes: \$25.00 for the largest yield of beets on 5 acres; \$25.00 for the largest yield on 10 acres; \$25.00 for the largest yield on 15 acres; \$25.00 for the largest yield on 20 acres.

The property of the last year and the bright future before us indicate that the time is ripe for us to express in a fitting manner our appreciation of the men who hid the forest, the nerve and the money to transform a desert waste into this beautiful country that we are all so proud of. It was unanimously decided by the board to endorse and support a Frank H. Buhl monument association to be formed for the purpose of erecting a bronze statue of Mr. Buhl, the only surviving member of the Buhl-Kimberly-Construction Co., placing the same in the court house yard or other more suitable location to be determined by the association.

The attention of the board was called to the fact that the annual election of the club is to be held Tuesday, April 4th, according to the by-laws.

## MULTITAUH NEWS

Times' Special Correspondence.

Mr. and Mrs. Chance entertained Mr. and Mrs. Engstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall, Mrs. Hunt, Roy Hunt and Bob Kendall last Sunday evening.

Forty-two took advantage of the excursion last Saturday evening and attended the abnegation meetings at Twin Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Engstrom entertained the following last Sunday to help celebrate their third wedding anniversary: Mesdames and Messrs. Hunt, Kendall and Charles, Mrs. Hunt, Bob Kendall and Louis Chance.

Louis Griffin is home again from the hospital and is getting along nicely.

Carl Friderick came home Saturday evening from Twin Falls, where he has been in the hospital for the past three weeks. He is yet very weak.

Mrs. Hatzmaker spent Sunday in Twin Falls.

Henry and Cecil Boyd have been very sick but are now some better.

Miss Edith Boyd of Twin Falls is at the bedside of her brothers.

An election was held at the schoolhouse last Saturday for creating an independent school district. The results were 60 votes for and five against. A bond election will be held in the near future.

Prof. Davis spent Saturday and Sunday in Buhl.

Arthur Boyd has taken very ill with rheumatism.

Mrs. Bacon and Mrs. Morley went to Kimberly Monday to visit the former's mother, Mrs. Eden.

Fay Cox transacted business in Twin Falls Monday.

Mrs. Francis Johnson spent the fore part of the week in Twin Falls.

A few from Miller came to Murtaugh and presented a play Friday night to a large audience. After the play a dance was given. The proceeds were about \$48 and will be used to defray expenses for school another month.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hall and children, Grandma Hall and May Hall arrived home from Dolso Saturday morning.

A band consisting of twenty-two instruments has been organized here. Their instruments came Thursday.

Rev. Parker preached at the school house Sunday night.

The Ladies' Aid will meet at Mrs. Tracy's Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Presley were shopping in Twin Falls Monday.

Mrs. Hunt was in Twin Falls Monday.

Mesdames Doty, Weatherly and Hatzmaker attended the meetings in Twin Falls Tuesday night.

Mr. Hatzmaker, agent at the Twin Falls depot, came up Sunday night.

## The Theatres

### TRANSLATOR OF TOLSTOVS

#### WOMAN'S RESURRECTION

Few screen dramas have ever attracted the immense amount of attention from literary men and writers, as well as the public at large, as the William Fox production of "A Woman's Resurrection." Count Leo Tolstoy's greatest work in the visualization of which Betty Nansen, the world-famous European tragedienne, is seen at the full height of her magnificent dramatic powers. Discussion has waged rife about the character of sinning Katusha Maslova, the most complex and interesting study of womanhood the great Count Leo Tolstoy ever penned. Since the picture has been shown Miss Nansen has been deluged with letters from all over the country asking her to give her conception of the character. Miss Nansen has answered all the letters in the words: "She is human."

Professor Alexander Delany, of Columbia University has however gone deeply into the matter and has written for the Fox Film Corporation a masterly delineation of "A Woman's Resurrection" after viewing the film in the private theatre of the officers at 130 West 46th Street, New York City.

"It would be superfluous," writes Professor Delany, "to point out in detail the aims that Tolstoy had in view when he wrote 'A Woman's Resurrection,' in which Miss Nansen is so magnificent and to which William Fox has given such a lavish setting. 'From his lofty heights Tolstoy's great calmness of mind and his understanding of human passions and in Katusha Maslova, loving, weak, sinning and repentant he poured out to the full his marvelous genius. As a reward, while he himself sleeps peacefully under his oak at Yasnaya-Polyana, he still lives and will continue always in life in the hearts of men and women.'

### MAHATMA.

By the way, the management of the Orpheum theatre effected an arrangement whereby local theatregoers are to be treated to what may be termed a mystery offering. The special attraction is Mahatma, "the mystery girl."

Mahatma's "entertainment" consists of mystifying manifestations of thought transmission and is styled by her "thaumaturgy," a term that the standard dictionary explains is the "performing of miracles." Such an appellation is surely appropriate, for the wonders that Mahatma works while on the stage, is strongly suggestive of the miraculous.

This mysterious woman is now en route to the east, where at the conclusion of a tour of one of the largest and most successful of the vaudeville circuits, she will sail for London to fill an engagement at the Victoria Palace, a contract that was necessary to postpone, owing to the very unsettled theatrical conditions resultant from the prolonged continental war.

Beginning March 6, the Fox films will be featured at the Isle on Monday and Tuesday; the Metro features on Wednesday and Thursday, while on Friday and Saturday will be shown the V. L. S. E., consisting of a combination of the best from the Vitagraph, Lubin, Essanay and Selig.

### NOTICE OF SALE.

The N. W. 1/4 of the E. 2, Sec. 13, Tp. 10, Range 17 E. B. M., will be sold at public auction at the front door of the court house for cash, Saturday, March 4th, 1916, at 10 o'clock.

Upon payment of 10 per cent of the purchase price 60 days will be granted to arrange a loan for final payment. By Order of the Board of County Commissioners.

## MAHATMA.

PROMINENTLY AMONG THE EARLY BOOKINGS HERE AT THE ORPHEUM THEATRE IS MAHATMA, the "mystery girl," whom a noted eastern newspaper critic has seen fit to style "The White Yogi." "The White Yogi" will appear locally as a special feature attraction of unusual quality. Mahatma's form of entertainment is scientifically termed "thaumaturgy" and in this line she is generally credited with being the absolute possessor of all her rivals. To the lady and to the most noted scientists and savants alike, she is a baffling enigma. Just what that strange and mysterious force that Mahatma possesses to such a marked degree, really is, no one has yet been able to determine and to clearly and satisfactorily explain. She has entangled the patrons of about every leading playhouse throughout the United States, as well as in every other civilized country, and on all hands the unanimous verdict of the newspaper critics has been that her work stamps her pre-eminently "the greatest of all other exponents of her mysterious art."—Two days—only Tuesday and Wednesday—at the Orpheum theatre.—Adv.

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

## Classified Advertisements

Received Too Late For Classification.

EGGS FROM RHODE ISLAND REDS—\$5.00 per hundred, fertility guaranteed. A good laying strain. D. Graves, route No. 2, Twin Falls, Idaho.

FOR SALE, TRADE OR RENT—Hog ranch cheap; 200 acres 3 1/4 miles south of Mackay, Idaho. Principally alfalfa. Box 103, Caldwell, Idaho.

FOR SALE—Three pool tables, one billiard, in good condition. Box 445, Wendell, Idaho.

Wanted—You as a Times' subscriber. Times want ads bring results.

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## Be Careful

Don't tinker with your electric starting and lighting system. Storage batteries of such things are our specialty. We banish battery ills.

Free inspection of any battery at any time

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## FOR SALE

10 acres, 3 1/2 miles from west end of Main St., Twin Falls; small house, barn, etc. Call on 1 acre small, balance easy terms. Must be sold by March 5th, otherwise will be rented. See

Wm. L. White

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THERE GOES MY TRAIN  
AND I CAN'T GET ANOTHER ONE TILL TO-MORROW.  
THERE WAS A TIME WHEN I'D BE AS MAD AS A WET HEN.  
NOW I LAUGH AT TRAINS AND TIME TABLES  
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