

NO SHORTAGE IN REGIMENT PROPERTY

REPORT IN IRREGULARITIES IN ACCOUNTS WHOLLY UNFOUNDED SAY BURNS AND GARDNER

BOISE.—There is no shortage in the state property of the Second Idaho regiment, as alleged according to Major J. B. Burns, assistant adjutant general, and Captain Max H. Gardner, U. S. A., instructor-inspector of the regiment, who returned yesterday from Nogales. They went there for the express purpose of checking all of the state property and completed their work before the regiment was ordered home from the border.

"There is practically no shortage in state property," said Captain Gardner. "In the check that was made it was found that the property could be and was accounted for. It will be transferred to Boise when the regiment returns from the border."

Major Burns stated that the news the regiment was going home ranching about 11 o'clock in the morning. Officers and men seemed to be stunned by the announcement and that reason there was very little display of enthusiasm at first. Later in the news began to be thoroughly appreciated there was general rejoicing although it was quiet.

The regiment entrained Tuesday. Major Burns and Captain Gardner both expressed the opinion that 72 hours would be required for the return to Salt Lake and will travel in sections. From the various stations telegrams will be dispatched to the adjutant general's department here so that the movement of the regiment enroute may be followed.

PUBLIC QUESTIONS MAY GET FREE PUBLICITY BY U. S.

WASHINGTON.—After brief consideration of Senator Owen's corrupt practices bill and proposed amendments, the senate elections committee Monday appointed Senators Reed, Walsh and Kenyon a sub-committee to redraft the measure and report to the senate not later than January 3.

Senator Owen added to the array of amendments due to carry out William J. Bryan's recent suggestion that the government publish a pamphlet in which political parties would be allotted space to inform the people regarding public questions.

IS NOT CANDIDATE FOR HEALTH BOARD SECRETARY

Adjutant General Moody Enters Vigorous Denial of Report Circulated During His Absence From the City.

BOISE.—Adjutant General C. S. Moody, who has been in northern Idaho several days returned to Boise yesterday and entered a vigorous denial to the report that he was a candidate for the office of secretary of the state board of health.

"I wish you would say for me that I am not, never have been and do not intend to be a candidate for the office of secretary of the state board of health," said General Moody. "That report has been placed in circulation and for what particular reason I have not been advised."

MEALS AWARDED VOLTERRO HEROES UNCLAIMED.

WASHINGTON.—Somewhere in the trenches of Europe are 13 men awarded medals of honor by the United States congress for heroic service.

They are the many nationalities members of the crew of the American steamship Kronland, who perished in the rescue of 89 people from the steamer Volterra, when it burned in the North Atlantic, October 9, 1913.

The state department is unable to locate the men. They are Frank Von Hammen, Gerard Franz Bornberg, Henri Guélinck, Andre Auguste Sognman, Petrus Stobbehar, Gustav Erling, Telko M. Janssen, Franz Quenau, Heinrich Schaub, Ernest Nenek, Lon Compens, Alphons Roll and August Frederik Beckzugol.

Twenty-six of the crew—comrades of the lost 13—have been found and presented with the medals. Among them was Emil Holme, an alien detained on the Isle of Man, who was awarded his medal by Lieutenant Colonel R. W. Farnham, an alien or alien's brother. Holme was chief quartermaster of the Kronland.

HORSE-DRAWN COACHES IN NATIONAL PARK ABOLISHED.

WASHINGTON.—Completion of long talked of plans for substituting automobiles for the picturesque horse-drawn stages in Yellowstone national park was announced Sunday night by Secretary Lane. Next summer there will be 10-passenger motor cars to speed visitors through the long stretches of lodge pole forest, giving them time to linger at points of special interest. The passing of the horse is a feature of a general reorganization of living and transportation facilities in the park under which better hotel and camp service is promised.

TWO MENTIONED FOR LEADERSHIP

JOHNSON OR MCGOWAN WILL RECEIVE COMPLEMENTARY VOTE OF THE MINORITY.

BOISE.—To Peter G. Johnson of Blackfoot or Fred C. McGowan of Moscow, will fill the complimentary vote of the Republican minority of the next legislature for speaker of the house of representatives. McGowan was a member of the last legislature. Johnson is the recognized dean of the legislature, having served a number of terms. He is one of the few Republican party leaders escaping defeat at recent elections.

It is the purpose of the Republicans to caucus, name their candidate for speaker, and those whom it is desired to give important committee assignments. This formally having been completed with the Democrats will proceed to elect a speaker and select a majority of the members of that party for all committees, it is said.

"I am not in favor of Republican members sitting back and letting the Democrats go ahead with only opposition from us who are now the minority," McGowan is reported as saying. "I believe in taking our share of the work, determining each measure on its merits, regardless of politics."

Personally, an strong advocate of the short ballot. The office of superintendent of public instruction should be abolished, as the work formerly done by that official is now otherwise performed.

TWENTY-THREE MILLION STUDENTS IN U. S.

Largest Percentage of Attendance in The World—Nation Spends Billion on Education.

WASHINGTON.—There are 23,500,000 persons attending schools of some kind in the United States in 1916, according to estimates of the United States Bureau of Education. "This means," declares the annual report of the commissioner of education, "that approximately twenty-four per cent of the inhabitants of the United States are attending schools, as compared with eighteen per cent in Great Britain, seventeen per cent in France, twenty per cent in Germany, and a little over four per cent in Russia." The bureau points out, however, that the result is much less favorable to the United States if daily attendance, rather than enrollment, is taken as the basis for comparison, since some of the other nations have better attendance and a longer school term than the United States.

The report analyzes the number of teachers in the United States, showing that of the 256,900 teachers, 162,000 were men and 94,900 women. The number of men teachers has increased very slightly since 1900; the number of women teachers has almost doubled.

In public elementary schools the number of men teachers has decreased twenty per cent since 1900, while the number of women teachers has increased eight per cent. In 1900 teaching positions in public high schools were evenly divided between men and women. At the present time women outnumber the men by 8,000. The average annual salary of male teachers is \$3,500 and of female teachers is \$2,500. The highest in the east and north Atlantic states, with \$699 and \$696, respectively, and lowest in the south Atlantic states, \$229. It runs from \$24 in Mississippi to \$871 in California, and \$941 in New York.

Expenditures for education in 1914, partly estimated, total close to \$1,000,000,000. An estimate, making due allowance for the intervening two years and for items necessarily omitted, would only bring the nation's current educational expenditure to a billion dollars.

ARROWROCK ROAD TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

BOISE.—A communication from Washington to the Boise office of the reclamation service yesterday advised of the Bureau Arrowrock railroad, one of the few roads owned by the United States government, extending from the junction of the Oregon Short Line at Barber to Arrowrock dam, which will be sold at public auction January 30, 1917, subject to the contract now with the Oregon Short Line and one with the Barber Lumber company. The appraised value of this road, made by special committee appointed for the purpose, is \$153,946 including rolling stock.

The road and its equipment have been divided into four items. Item No. 1 consists of that part of the road extending from its junction with the Oregon Short Line to Barber to its junction with the Intermountain Railway near the mouth of More creek, a distance of 11.75 miles, appraised at \$99,100; item 2 and 3 include the track material from the junction of More creek to the dam, a distance of 5.25 miles which is appraised at \$17,733 and the right of way for this same piece of road, appraised at \$28,207. If these two items are not bid upon they will be offered separately. Item No. 4 includes the engines, cars, and condola dumps, etc.

TWO NOW SEEK SENATE HONORS

Hill and Mitchell Reported Candidates For Legislative Presidency, Pro Tem.

BOISE.—George E. Hill, a Rigby merchant, and Perry W. Mitchell, editor of the Nespeper Herald, both wish to be chosen president pro tem of the state senate, according to reliable information given out last Wednesday. These are the first names mentioned for the floor leadership of the upper house in the legislature, since R. H. Stevenson, editor of the Wallace Press-Times, announced his withdrawal from the race.

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Suspenders.....	50c
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Sweaters.....	\$1.25 to \$7.50
Bath Robes.....	\$5.00 to \$6.50
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A general invitation has been issued this week to the farmers of Twin Falls county to attend the joint conventions of the Idaho Live Stock association and the Idaho State Drymen's association and the Idaho State Swinegrowers association which will be held in Pocatello in connection with the annual seed show from January 8 to January 13.

Efforts are being made to secure exhibits of seeds, grains and potatoes to be entered for the valuable prizes that are offered at the seed show. The samples asked for exhibition consist of fifteen pound packages of wheat, oats, barley, rye and potatoes; ten pound packages of clover, alfalfa and grasses, or as many different varieties as possible; ten ear clusters of corn and also of ears of corn for the slinger exhibit. The name and address of the exhibitor as well as the name of the seed should be marked on each package.

Packages for exhibit may be left at the Twin Falls Mill & Elevator company or may be forwarded to O. E. Scott at Pocatello, J. H. Thometz is in charge of the exhibit here. The exhibits will be cared for properly and returned to the owner.

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UMATILLA'S WOMAN MAYOR AN IDAHOAN RESIDES AT PARMA.

PARMA, Ida.—Mrs. E. E. Starcher, who was recently elected mayor of Umatilla, Ore., is an Idahoan. She is a daughter of Mr. Martha Stockton of Parma, and a former resident of that place. Mrs. Starcher, it will be remembered, defeated her husband, who was seeking re-election and carried off all the women candidates into office with her.

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THE WORLD AWAKENS

That an increase of five dollars a month in the pay of enlisted men in the navy would greatly stimulate recruiting is by no means certain under present conditions. But it is worth trying. In view of the shortage, something must be done.

In normal times, by adjusting the pay more nearly to the rates of wages in civilian occupations it would seem reasonable that more men could be induced to enter the naval service. It is merely a way of bidding against other employers in the labor market. In any case, means must be found to meet the needs of the navy. Today, when a new battleship is placed in commission, in order to provide a crew it is necessary to lay up two of the older battleships.

The new three-year naval building programme includes ten battleship cruisers, ten scout-cruisers, fifty destroyers, sixty-seven submarines, eight fuel ships and a dozen other vessels. It will require the enlistment of many thousands of additional men, and battle ship crews cannot be extemporized out of recruits.

If there is to be a real increase in the strength of the navy, it cannot be effected merely by building ships. Aside from the immediate needs, there must be a corresponding increase in enlistments, whatever the number required. Increased pay for the enlisted men, which will add \$3,000,000 a year to the pay roll now and more millions later, may prove an element in the cost of preparedness, which cannot be avoided.—From the New York World.

The above comment by one of the leading newspapers of the world is in line with what THE TIMES has contended for during the past year; namely, an increase in pay should be granted soldiers and sailors sufficient to induce men to enlist. The World seems to put forth this idea tentatively as if it had just occurred to it, and the suggestion is one that has not been urged by officers in either branch of the service.

The fact is that for the present this is the only plan that can increase enlistments in the army and navy. Much is said about universal military training but this is something that cannot be put into effect in a day or a year. Not even the military experts have worked out anything like a complete plan for such training that they can confidently assert will prove feasible in actual operation.

General Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff, is reported to have testified before the congressional committee on investigation of military affairs, that the militia would destroy itself if called upon to make a forced march like that made by Pershing into Mexico. Of course, he did not refer to the present condition of the best drilled regiments like the Second Idaho, but probably had in mind the condition of the national guard when first called to the border. Now, if universal military training involves anything like the drilling of all men now fit for service for a period of six months as the Second Idaho has been drilled, it could not be adopted, for the people would not tolerate it, even if there were some means devised to overcome the tremendous difficulties of effecting the mobilization of the several millions of available men in the nation. Therefore, whether academically right or wrong, it is impractical.

It would probably be possible without the utter demoralization of industry to give as much training to all able bodied men in the course of a few years as the present national guard regiment had when called to the service but even this would involve much careful organization and planning. It would also be practicable to adopt within a few years the essence of the recommendation of President Wilson that the rudiments of military training be given school children, as a part of the physical culture, but this would affect the next generation rather than the present one.

What is needed at present is increased efficiency in the regular historic branches of military service. The first great need is more men. Men can only be secured by making it worth while for them to join the army, navy or national guard.

One way to make these branches popular is to increase the pay, the other way, especially applicable to regulars, is to increase the educational advantages to be secured through a term of service.

HIGH SCHOOL

WORK REVIEWED

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which it presented in the high school auditorium on the evening of November 24 was one of the most enjoyable entertainments given by high school students in recent years.

The band and orchestra, both conducted by Mr. Wertenberger, are being built up anew. Many of last year's students of musical training were graduated, so that these organizations are on the whole made up of beginners. Pupils from the grades in the different ward buildings are members of the band. Both band and orchestra have large memberships and give promise of splendid futures.

Shortly after the Christmas vacation the junior class will give its annual class play. The class of 1918 will present this year "Christopher Columbus" by Adelino, Ryley.

The reception given by the Junior class to the Freshmen on November 3, was a credit to the school and all who had the responsibility of its success.

The library has been enlarged by the addition of numerous reference books for all departments and by many volumes of the best fiction for use in supplementary reading in the English courses. The library is open to pupils from 8:30 a. m. till 4:30 p. m., and under the supervision of Miss Goebel, is a most valuable part of the high school organization.

A general science laboratory has been provided, and the work in general science is being made a valuable course in acquainting students with some of the fundamental phenomena of the biological and physical sciences. The work explains the scientific significance of many of the practical applications of science in our immediate environment. It also gives training in those things which are essential prerequisites to the most profitable study of the more advanced science courses offered in the high school, such as chemistry, physics, biology, as well as the courses in agriculture and domestic science.

The course in general biology is being taught this year by Mr. Musser of the agriculture department, and the work is made to correlate with that of agriculture.

One is impressed with the fact that the high school organization has been strengthened in every particular. The faculty on the whole is able and the individual members are imbued with a professional spirit. Many of the courses in the high school are taking on a new significance in that they are being socialized to correlate more directly with the world of today while at the same time they are being organized so as to give to the students who take them the best mental training possible.

Several new courses will be introduced next semester provided a sufficient number of pupils ask for them. Courses will probably be given in sociology, trigonometry, commercial law, solid geometry, and courses in agriculture. Several freshman courses, to meet the needs of those who will be promoted to the high school at the close of the present semester, will also be given.

BRADY HOME ONE OF

WASHINGTON SHOW HOUSES.

WASHINGTON—Senator James H. Brady is back at his desk looking better than when he left last September. His colleagues, who were alarmed over his condition at the close of the last session, are happy over the improvement.

Senator and Mrs. Brady have put their handsome new suburban residence in fine shape and expect to do some quiet entertaining in the official "show house" where Mrs. Brady has many friends.

The Brady home was built by the late Senator George Nixon of Nevada who lived in Washington during his service in the senate but after his death Mrs. Nixon preferred her home in Reno and returned there and placed the Nixon home which stands on a hill overlooking the capital and within a stone's throw of the new Episcopal church, on the market. The senator from Idaho acquired the property and 13 acres of the original tract.

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AUTOISTS-INTERESTED IN NEW WINTER TOPS

is placed on Upper Six and On Exhibition at Show Room of Johnson Auto Sales Company.

The new winter top for automobiles received by E. S. Johnson and placed on exhibition in his salesroom has received considerable favorable comment from a number of auto-enthusiasts who see in this top the possibility of making a closed car of any make machine for use in winter and stormy weather. In speaking of the top Mr. Johnson stated that closed cars were increasing in favor throughout the east and this addition would increase the serviceability and use for pleasure any car. The top is made by the Detroit Weatherproofing Company and models are made for any make of automobile.

MOVES TO EXTENSION DURING COMING WEEK

Addition to Seal and Flory Garage Completed This Week With Office and Storeroom.

The addition to the Seal and Flory garage on Second avenue south was completed this week and preparations are being made by the company to move their offices to the new quarters as early as possible next week. The new building is 25 by 125 feet and contains ample room for offices and additional storage space. After moving, the present office room will be turned over to the vulcanizing department and arranged so that any order may be handled in the most thorough and systematic manner. Another addition to the equipment of the garage is that of a car cleaning department in charge of a competent man who has had a number of years experience in this line of work.

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Buhl Growth in All Lines Is Enormous

Township Company Plans To Extend Residence District—Other Buhl News of Interest.

At a meeting of the Buhl Township company last week it was determined to call another meeting of the board of directors in January at which time the proposition of laying out more blocks for residence lots will be taken up. The growth in the city's population during the past summer and the number of new residences which have gone up, shows a demand for more building lots. It is not known just which side of the city limits additional blocks will be opened. E. A. Milner purchased the 12 acres lying east of the railroad. Mr. Milner is a director of the Buhl township company. He expects to have lots laid across the land from the railroad crossing at Broadway, to his home at Hinkley Heights. A cement sidewalk will be placed there also, and in that case it is said that the east side of the railroad track will be more attractive for residence buildings. The other members of the board of directors of the Buhl Township company, are: J. M. Maxwell, C. D. Allen, Asher H. Wilson, and Leonard E. Smith, all of Twin Falls.

Cephias Lilly who lives eight miles northwest of Buhl has reported a nice profit from the wheat crop on his 100 acres. He had several kinds of crops and made good on each one, according to the statement of his son, Leonie Lilly. "We had a good crop out our way this year," said Mr. Lilly, "though I think that father did as well as any of the farmers." He cleared \$4,500 after paying taxes, water maintenance and all running expenses this summer. Now he has gone to Colorado to spend the winter.

Conservative estimate of the loss reported from Buhl during the past year places the amount at \$286,000. The 100 head shipped to market from Buhl. That amount is reached by allowing that the hogs averaged 200 pounds each, when it is said that they averaged 250 pounds each. Were the average placed at 250 pounds each, and the same price of an average of \$7 per 100 allowed, the hog export from Buhl would amount to \$175,000 for the eleven and one half months in 1916.

Powell who received a broken leg last summer and who has been unable to be around again, had the misfortune of getting the fore finger of the left hand cut off, last week, while he was working in the field. Mr. Powell had purchased a new riding plow, and in attempting to remove the trash from the mould board, his finger was thrust into the gear used in lifting the plow out of the ground. Mr. Powell has begun to think that he is getting his share of misfortune. The bone was amputated, and the flesh sewed over it, and the wound is healing nicely now.

Henry Chin, proprietor of the Point Cafe, locked his place of business one night last week and skipped the country, leaving a string of debts with the local merchants. Attachments had been filed on his equipment by the Buhl Meat Market to recover a debt, due that firm. A number of other smaller debts were left with the several merchants about town, though this one with the Buhl Meat market is the largest.

Twenty-six car loads of freight were set on the side track of the Buhl yard Monday morning, which is the largest shipment ever received in one day. Eight of those cars carried local freight for the Buhl merchants, and draymen were unusually busy trying to unload the produce. Depot agent R. W. Wilson was very busy on the side, checking out the freight.

The Buhl Flour mill is ready to receive grain of all kinds and the machinery will be grinding out the flour by the first of the year. The name of the new concern is the Buhl Flour & Feed Mill company. Mr. Southworth, the manager stated that they are now ready to receive grain.

According to figures obtained from the four creaming stations in the aggregate of 315,000 pounds of butterfat have been produced in the territory tributary to Buhl since January 1, 1916. This does not include the home made butter which has been sold to the grocery stores.

The six rural carriers from the local postoffice estimates that there are at least 3,800 families on their routes representing families which include the boys and girls over ten years of age. This number does not take into consideration the patrons who have a postoffice box in the city, and those who get their mail at the general delivery window.

Five hundred and eighty telephones are connected to the Buhl telephone office, which is an increase of 100 during the year ending with December, 1916. A force of thirty-five men have been employed the past two months to replace the lines which in the city. A large number of farmers are anxious to have a telephone installed as the demand is greater than the capacity of the company.

At the regular meeting of the Buhl

Chapter of Masons Tuesday evening, officers were elected for the ensuing year. The following were elected: Jas. O. Eastman, H. Froelich, J. F. Constant, King; O. M. Harding, Scribe; A. E. Wisner, Secretary; George L. Layne, Treasurer; Seward E. King, O. of H.; John A. Brown, P. C.; J. F. Haysmiller, R. A. C.; Oliver Haradan, M. J. V.; Chas. D. Snyder, M. 2nd; Earl Fallinger, M. 1st V.; and M. A. Cox, Sentinel.

A statement of the business growth in Buhl during the past year, shows that more building has been done than during any other period of the same time. Fourteen houses have been built, the modern plate glass fronts, and constructed out of tile and pressed brick, have been erected since January 1, 1916. They have all been constructed on Main street and Broadway, with the exception of the new flour mill, just nearing completion.

At the annual election of officers for the Eastern Star lodge last Thursday evening, the following officers were elected: Worley Matron, Mrs. B. R. Tillery; Worley Patron, J. F. Constant; Assistant Matron, Mrs. J. H. Murky; Conductress, Mrs. C. W. Wilthy; Secretary, Mrs. Maude Snyder; Treasurer, Mrs. H. W. Norman. The other officers will be appointed by the W. M. at the installation services at the next regular meeting.

TROUBLE AHEAD FOR PAPERS WITH FREE PUBLICITY POLICY

Government Starts Investigation of "News" Story of Auto Company Not Marked "Advertisement."

Free publicity and "news" stories printed about advertised articles in a newspaper, and not plainly marked "advertisements," are under consideration by the postoffice department, with the possibility of prosecution under the Burne act of August 24, 1912. The inquiry now being instituted among twenty-five or thirty-five newspapers in different cities as to whether a reading notice was published, or promised, and whether or not the same notice would have been published had not the advertisement been printed. This brings up the whole question of free publicity. If the "news" stories are confined to those who advertise, and it is shown that they are printed in consideration of the purchase of space in the advertising section, the failure of a publisher to mark the notice "advertisement" is a violation of the department, requires an explanation. The letters sent out hinge on a "news" story of the winning of a contest by a certain car, printed presumably, simultaneously in different cities.

The question as to whether the article was printed with the understanding that the manufacturer or dealer should purchase space in the newspaper is asked pointedly. The clause under which the post office department is acting is this paragraph of the act of August 24, 1912: "All editorial or other reading matter published in any such newspaper, magazine, or periodical for the publication of which money or other valuable consideration is paid, accepted, or promised shall be plainly marked 'advertisement.' Any editor or publisher printing editorial or other reading matter for which compensation is paid, accepted, or promised without so marking the same, shall upon conviction in any court having jurisdiction be fined not less than fifty dollars (\$50) nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500)."

MANY GOT POSITIONS THROUGH CITY AGENCY

Report of Employment Agency For Year Shows Activity—Few Jobs Open Now.

During the period of something less than eight months, beginning April 1 and ending last Saturday, 488 applications had been made for positions at the city employment agency, according to the figures compiled by City Clerk R. M. Williams. There were 286 application for employees and in 302 cases, the applicants and the positions were brought together. The fees collected amounted to \$276.

There are few people seeking men at present, according to the city clerk, most applications now filed being by women for servants or for men to do small jobs. The number of applications for work is fewer than anticipated by the department, and are not in excess of the number filed during the past month.

MANY PAPERS BEING KILLED BY HIGH PAPER COST

Witnesses Tell Federal Trade Commission That Price Must Come Down To Save Others.

WASHINGTON—Many newspapers have been forced out of business by increased paper prices, and hundreds have no chance for survival unless there is an immediate reduction in the cost, according to witnesses who testified before the hearing of the federal trade commission here. Most of the newspapers of the country, including some 10,000 small dailies and weeklies, were represented.

At the conclusion of the hearing, the manufacturers proposed to meet a committee of the National Newspaper Publishers' association to work out, for the commission's approval, a plan for equitable distribution of the stocks of print paper.

Investigators for the commission presented interesting facts uncovered in their inquiry into newspaper paper. It was shown that the output has grown, although growing consumption has taken up much of the increased manufacture.

FUND NEEDED FOR STATE CAPITOL UPKEEP

Recommendation for Appropriation of \$50,000 For Maintenance and \$10,000 For Repairs is Made.

DOISE—It will take \$10,000 to properly repair the state house annex and the main capitol building, and beautify the grounds by removing objectionable buildings, laying sidewalks, etc. In the opinion of State Treasurer John W. Englewood. In a report to the state board of examiners Saturday he makes a recommendation for an appropriation of that amount. In addition he shows that of the last legislature appropriation of \$50,000 for capitol building and ground maintenance \$44,768.71 was paid out, leaving a balance of \$5,231.29. The saving for the closing biennium of 1915-16 over the expenditures of the 1913-14 biennium was \$21,041.61. In addition to the \$10,000 appropriation, \$50,000 is asked for maintenance of the capitol during the coming biennial period, 1917-18.

The total expenditures for the biennium just closing are shown by the state treasurer's report to be figured as follows: Estimated expenditure for the balance of the month, \$2837.69; freight, \$2637.00; coal, \$6516.78; power and light, \$2991.58; supplies, \$2,356.67; telephone and telegraph, \$2,110.40; improvements and repairs, \$1885.92. Total, \$44,768.71.

The treasurer itemizes the \$10,000 appropriation asked for as follows: Carpets, new roof on capitol annex, \$5000; painting and re-staining, \$1500; removal of shacks, completion of sidewalks, improvements to grounds, repaving Washington monument, \$1,500. To care for the insurance on the buildings an appropriation of \$3000.

The estimate for the years 1917-18 as shown by the treasurer's report follows: Payroll \$28,000; coal \$7500; power and light, \$4500; supplies, \$2,500; improvements and repairs, \$2,500; special tax, \$1700; laundry, \$200; telephone and telegraph, \$2800. Total \$50,000.

LETTERS ADVERTISED IN TWIN FALLS POSTOFFICE.

The following is the list of advertised letters for December 19, in the postoffice in this city:

"Ashbaugh, R. Dr.; Benevent Sheep Man; Boyd, J. H.; Duell, Geo.; Gutz, Glenn; Davis, E. C.; Farley, W. G.; Gibson, W. A.; Gentry, W. E.; Harris, A. S.; Harris, Mrs. E. A.; Hickenloper, Karl; Jennings, C. W.; Jenner, Donald; Larocco, James O.; Lancaster, Harold; Lynch, Catherine; McLaughlin, Mrs. Thail; Russell, Lilly; Rudge, R. C. (3); Russell, A. H.; Smith, Lillian; Stearns, Mrs. Mary; Smith, Harold; Stearns, C. M.; Stearns, A. J.; Sprague, Dr. F. M.; Tynes, Agate; Voorhes, Sue; Wilcox Emma; Woodhouse, Nelson; Vanduser, Alta; Wilson, Ada; Young May.

GENERAL ADVERTISING

A DANDY SHOW AT THE IDAHO FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.



Transform Your Home Overnight

You can make it more attractive, modern, comfy and distinctive at small cost and very little trouble. Whether you improve your old home or plan to build a new one, every room can be made unusually artistic and comfortable.

Cornell-Wood-Board

For Walls, Ceilings and Partitions

Cornell-Wood-Board is nailed right over old walls or direct to the studding of unfinished walls. It stays there. Gives the beautiful new paneled effects.

Just as good for offices, theatres, stores, churches, carages or any other kind of buildings, as it is for homes.

Guarantee: Cornell-Wood-Board is guaranteed not to warp, buckle, chip, crack or fall.

Manufactured by the Cornell Wood Products Co. (C. O. Friebe, President), Chicago and sold by 150 dealers listed here. ASK YOUR DEALER for free plans and estimates.

Nibley-Channel Lumber Co.

They let you know you've been smoking—and yet they're MILD

In other words, Chesterfield Cigarettes are MILD—and yet they satisfy. This is something totally new to cigarettes. It goes further than pleasing your taste—satisfy does for your smoking what a juicy slice of hot roast beef does for your appetite. Chesterfields satisfy—they let you know you've been smoking.

But they're MILD, too—Chesterfields are!

If you want this new cigarette delight (satisfy, yet mild) you've got to get Chesterfields, because no cigarette maker can copy the Chesterfield blend. This blend is an entirely new combination of tobaccos and the biggest discovery in cigarette blending in 20 years.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

"Give me a package of those cigarettes that SATISFY"

Chesterfield

CIGARETTES

20 for 10¢

Why Throw Away

that broken piece of machinery? We sold all kinds of Metal successfully, such as:

AUTO PARTS, FRAMES, BOLTS, NUTS, CRANK CASES, ETC.

Cylinder Grinding a Specialty

No job too big—No job too small

C. F. Rukes & Son
141 Second Ave. E. Twin Falls.

PROFESSIONAL and BUSINESS DIRECTORY

A conveniently classified Directory of reliable people who will appreciate your patronage, give good service and ensure satisfaction.

RATES—TWICE-A-WEEK
1 Month, per line, 80c

For this Directory, THE TIMES solicits only the advertising of permanently established business houses and professional people. It therefore quotes no other rates for its directory than those on a monthly basis.

ATTORNEYS
SWERLEY & SWERLEY, OFFICES
First National Bank Bldg.

ASHER B. WILSON, PRACTICE IN
all courts, Room 14 1st Nat. Bank Bldg.

GUTHRIE & BOWEN
W. P. Guthrie A. M. Bowen
Offices: Shoshone Building.

A. H. WISE, OFFICE ROOMS 6 AND 7,
Twin Falls Bank & Trust Co. Bldg.

E. M. WOLFE, OFFICE IN I. D. BLDG.

EXPERT ACCOUNTANTS
J. H. RADCLIFFE
Expert Accountant, Auditor and Systematizer. Room 4, Power Building.

ARCHITECT
B. MORGAN NISBET, ARCHITECT,
Room 8, Twin Falls Trust Building.

SEWING MACHINES
"SIT-STRATE WHITE" NOW on
sale here. All calls promptly attended.

L. A. Wills, manufacturer agent,
11 Shoshone street south, Warberg
Building.

PRINTING
TIMES PRINTING & PUBLISHING CO.
All class of printing. Quality
work. Prompt service.

OSTEOPATH
DR. EMMA C. CROSSLAND
McCormick Bldg. Phone 135
Rm. 222 5th Ave. E. Phone 232

FEED STORES

ANCHOR HAY, GRAIN & FEED
Company. Wholesale and Retail dealers,
baled hay, alfalfa meal, grain and
seed, custom grinding. 249-251 5th
Ave. W. Telephone 23. John Finch,
Prop.

FRATERNAL SOCIETIES
M. W. A. CAMP, No. 10890, meets
2nd and 4th Thursday, at Moose hall
C. Stanton, Consul, Paul Smith
Clk. Tel. 350-3 and 574.

WANTS

SELL; RENT; BUY
EXCHANGE; SECURE
HELP, POSITIONS, ETC.

IMPORTANT—Do not telephone THE TIMES office in regard to these Ads. No information can be given. Answers in care of THE TIMES must be written and mailed or left at THE TIMES office.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES

1 insertion, per word, 1c
Minimum total charge to be not
less than 25c.

Read your ad the first time it
appears and notify us immediately
if an error appears.
Call or mail your requirements
or phone 35.

FOR SALE

RARE BARGAIN IN PIANO—For
immediate sale we will sacrifice a
new, strictly high-grade piano which
is located at Twin Falls. Liberal
terms. If interested in procuring a
fine piano at a very special price,
write The Denver Music company, at
Denver, Colorado, at once for particulars.

FOR SALE—50 tons hay. Address
"W" Box 212 city.

FOR SALE—300 sacks of choice
Netted Gem potatoes, Phone 710-13.

FOR SALE—For immediate cash,
improved 5 acre tract 1/4 mile from
city limits. Address Box 761, city.

FOR SALE—A bargain. Choice 40
acres. One third cash, balance easy
terms. Address (40) care Times.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For residence
lot, 5-passenger Ford in good
condition. Phone 710-13.

FOR SALE—Drop head sewing machine.
A bargain. 295 Washington
avenue, Golden Rule Addition.

FOR SALE—Tent house, 12x14, 4x5
foot walls, matched lumber. On third
avenue east. \$55. Address S. P. care
of Times.

FURNITURE FOR SALE—Call now.
Prices reasonable. 326 Second avenue
north. Phone 452.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Will sell
or trade a 5-room modern house in
Gooding, Idaho, for Twin Falls farm
property. House is modern. Inquire of
B. L. Kinsey, 222 Third avenue E.

FOR SALE—50 acres of fine land
on the Milner segregation, all under
cultivation and fenced. See T. G.
Wilson, administrator, Nichol estate,
Eden, Idaho.

HELP WANTED

FOR RENT—Rooms with or without
board, inquire at 236 Ninth Ave. east.

WANTED—Girl for house work. Apply
Mrs. F. C. Dawson, 352 Sixth avenue
east.

WANTED—Real man to sell our
line; cash weekly; outfit free. Address
Capital City Nursery company,
Salmon, Oregon.

POSITIONS WANTED

Widow wishes position as house-
keeper for widower or bachelor, no ob-
jections to leaving city. Address A.
care Times.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished front room
in new home, connected direct with
bath. 340 Fourth avenue north.

FOR RENT—Desirable furnished
room, 162 Sixth Avenue North. Tele-
phone 680.

FOR RENT—Two rooms for light
housekeeping; two sleeping rooms.
Phone 624.

WANTED

WANTED—To take charge of ranch,
man and wife. Reasonable prices.
Willis Mattor, Kimberly.

WANTED—Plain sewing. Reasonable
amounts. Mrs. Arthur Knight. Or-
pheum rooms, room No. 11. Phone
646.

WANTED—Horses wanted to pasture,
plenty of hay. A. S. Gibbs, 11/2
miles west of depot.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Gold watch "Job" with Odd
Fellows emblem, monogram "A C" in
diamond setting. Reward. Return to
Ellora Music House, 137 Shoshone
South.

MISCELLANEOUS

There are two stray hay horses on
my ranch 1/2 mile north, 2 1/2 miles
east of northern corner of Shoshone
street; one branded "O" on right hip,
Peter. Ho.

STRAYED—2-year old black horse
mule with halter. Notify Times-office.

Let us mount your head and tan
your hide. Boise Taxidermy & Tanning
Co., R. W. Linhart, Mgr., Boise,
Idaho.

All kinds of old RAGS, ROPES,
RUBBERS bought by O. Pearson, 352
4th avenue N.

annual meeting, considering amend-
ments or modifications of the by-laws
of the adoption of new by-laws, and
generally for the purpose of consid-
ering the affairs of the company and
taking any action competent for the
stockholders to take with respect
thereto at an annual meeting of the
stockholders.

By order of the Board of Directors,
dated this 11th day of December,
1916.

G. M. HALL,
President,
Attest: S. S. CHAMPLAIN,
Secretary. (SEAL)

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior, U. S.
Land Office at Hailley, Idaho, November 12,
1916.

Notice is hereby given that Emma
Kadyk of Amsterdam, Idaho, who, on
May 28, 1913, made Homestead En-
try, No. 012355, for 1/4 NE 1/4 Section
28, and 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 27,
Township 10 South, Range 19 East,
Boise Meridian, has filed notice of in-
tention to make final three year proof,
to establish claim to the land above
described, before C. C. Higgins, U. S.
Commissioner, at Twin Falls, Idaho,
on the 8th day of February, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Oliver D. Bills of Hanesse, Clarence
W. Parks, Charles F. Smith and
Joseph E. Hyor, of Twin Falls, Idaho.
BEN R. GRAY, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior, U. S.
Land Office at Hailley, Idaho, November
23, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Emma
Kadyk of Amsterdam, Idaho, who, on
May 28, 1913, made Homestead En-
try, No. 012355, for 1/4 NE 1/4 Section
19, Township 12 South, Range 13 South,
Boise Meridian, has filed notice of in-
tention to make final three year proof,
to establish claim to the land above
described, before Maurice G. Higgins,
U. S. Commissioner, at Hailley, Idaho,
on the 24th day of January, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses:
William L. McElmear, Ira A. McElmear,
William King, and Huston J.
Swaine, all of Hailley, Idaho.
BEN R. GRAY, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior, U. S.
Land Office at Hailley, Idaho, November
23, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Eugene
H. Pomeroy, of Rock Creek, Twin
Falls county, Idaho, who, on May 8,
1916, made Homestead entry, Serial No.
01700, for SW 1/4 Section 32, Town-
ship 11 South, Range 19 East, Boise
Meridian, has filed notice of in-
tention to make final commutation proof,
to establish claim to the land above
described, before Maurice G. Higgins,
U. S. Commissioner, at Rock Creek, Twin
Falls county, Idaho, on the 29th day
of January, 1917.

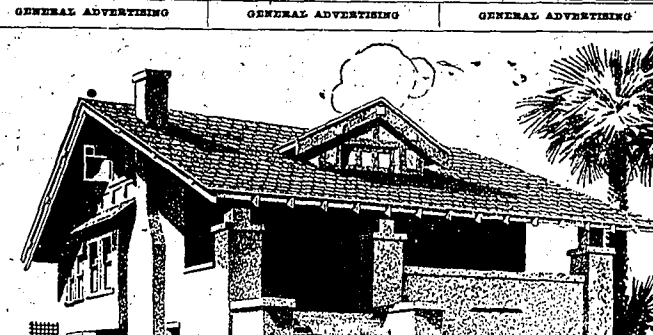
Claimant names as witnesses:
Edward Tilley, Roy Kemp, George
W. Osborne and Orley Tilley, all of
Rock Creek, Twin Falls county, Idaho.
BEN R. GRAY, Register.

**NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF
STOCKHOLDERS OF RALPH
RIVER CANAL COMPANY, LTD.**
Notice is hereby given that the annual
meeting of the stockholders of the
Ralph River Canal Company, Ltd., will
be held at the office of the company,
in Hailley, Idaho, on the 8th day of Jan-
uary, 1917, at one o'clock P. M., for
the purpose of electing directors and
transacting any and all other busi-
ness that may properly come before
the meeting, including the approval
and ratification of the proceedings of
the board and the acts of the officers
of the company since the last

annual meeting, considering amend-
ments or modifications of the by-laws
of the adoption of new by-laws, and
generally for the purpose of consid-
ering the affairs of the company and
taking any action competent for the
stockholders to take with respect
thereto at an annual meeting of the
stockholders.

By order of the Board of Directors,
dated this 11th day of December,
1916.

G. M. HALL,
President,
Attest: S. S. CHAMPLAIN,
Secretary. (SEAL)



A Beautiful Roof for Bungalows
The Pacific Coast was the first to appreciate and adopt the Bungalow type of architecture, and it will be quick to appreciate the many exclusive and decorative qualities of

Certain-teed
Slate Surfaced Asphalt Shingles

CERTAIN-TEED slate surfaced asphalt shingles are made from the best quality roofing felts thoroughly saturated with the General's own blend of soft asphalt and then coated with a harder blend into which is pressed a heavy coating of genuine crushed slate in natural colors of green or red.

With his new big factory at Richmond, Cal. the General is now able to serve the Pacific Coast efficiently and promptly.

Ask your nearest dealer for further information and prices. Insist on CERTAIN-TEED.

General Roofing Mfg. Co.
World's Largest Manufacturer of Slate Surfaced Asphalt Shingles. Offices: New York City, Chicago, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Boston, Cleveland, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Milwaukee, Cincinnati, New Orleans, Kansas City, Indianapolis, Atlanta, Richmond, St. Paul, Seattle, Portland, London, Sydney.

Here is a weather-proof, spark-proof shingle that is more attractive and hand-
some than wood shingles; easier and quicker to lay; and shows an appreciable
saving in outlay and maintenance.

CERTAIN-TEED Slate Surfaced Asphalt Shingles do not need painting. They lay flat and stay flat, and will not crack, buckle, split, curl, or fall off. There is no waste in laying, because each shingle is perfect and uniform.

It is impossible to get a more economical shingle which will impart such a handsome, substantial and artistic appearance to a roof. CERTAIN-TEED Shingles are suitable for any building where shingles are used. They are guaranteed for ten years by the world's largest manufacturer of roofing and building papers.

Board of County Commissioners
Owyhee county, Idaho, in Silver City, Idaho, on the 16th day of January, 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said board, this 14th day of December, 1916.

J. S. ST. CLAIR,
Clerk.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

In the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District of the state of Idaho, in and for Twin Falls County.

Bertha A. Brown, plaintiff, vs. Vernon Kessler, defendant. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court, this 14th day of December, 1916.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office this 4th day of December, 1916.

S. J. FINCH,
Clerk of the District Court.
Lonley and Walters, Attorneys for plaintiff, residing at Twin Falls, Ida.

NOTICE OF SALE OF STRAY STOCK

I will sell at public sale of stray stock, at the residence of Edward Vance, on the south one-half (SW 1/4) of the Southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of the Northwest quarter (NW 1/4), section 2 (2), Township Ten (10), Range Seventeen (17) East, Boise Meridian, on Wednesday, January 25, 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., to the highest and best bidder, according to the terms and conditions laid down in the statutes of the State of Idaho, the following stray stock, to-wit:

1 large red cow.
1 Jersey cow, coming two years old.
1 Jersey heifer, coming two years old.

1 Jersey heifer, coming one year old.
2 Hereford steers, one year old.
None of the above described stock branded.

The aforesaid stock were taken up by Edward Vance on the aforesaid premises, described above, hereon, on Tuesday, December 12, 1916, and are being held subject to redemption by the owner as provided by law, or subject to sale, according to law.

G. M. DEARING,
Constable.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Charles Y. Miller, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Charles Y. Miller, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to submit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the office of Lonley & Walters, Attorneys, National Bank Building, City of Twin Falls, County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, this being the first place fixed for the transaction of the business of said estate.

Dated, December 12, 1916.

HENRY J. WALL,
Administrator.

Hailley, Idaho, Dec. 12, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that I have taken up one black horse branded "X" on right snuff, one black horse branded "Z" with bar on right snuff; one gray horse branded "X" on right snuff. I will sell said stock on January 13, 1917, at two o'clock P. M. in front of the post office at Hailley, Idaho, to the highest bidder for cash. N. J. Nogle, Constable, Hailley, Ida.

HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Via the Oregon Short Line. Tickets on sale December 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 30, 31, and January 1; liberal limits. See agents further details.

—Advertisement.

Are You Going to Have a Public Sale?

I am again prepared to clerk your sale and purchase your paper, and am in position to quote you rates that I am certain will appeal to you as attractive.

I have a plan for the arrangement of terms that appeals to the wisdom of purchasers as being more equitable than those formerly in vogue in this community, and that will, at the same time, save money for the man holding a sale.

If you are contemplating holding a sale, let me submit my proposition to you.

I have money available for real estate loans, and at attractive rates.

C. ROYSON,
Rooms 1 and 2, Bank & Trust Company Building.

A DANDY SHOW AT THE IDAHO FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

HOLIDAYS AT HOME.
Possible through low holiday rates via Oregon Short Line between local points. Tickets on December 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 30, 31, and January 1; liberal limits. See agents for details.

—Advertisement.

"I wish I had taken time enough to have planned the house a little more carefully."

"I realize now that it might have been more conveniently arranged, and that it would not have cost any more to have had a modern looking and a highly attractive outside appearance."

"Avoid having such regrets."

Our "Customers-Aid" Plan Book and Service offers a variety of ideas, both as to the arrangement of rooms and as to exterior appearance.

We will combine any of these ideas which may appeal to you with any others that you may already have, and make you a sketch without any charge for doing so.

This is merely a part of the service which we as modern building supply merchants are rendering to our customers.

Our lumber office is a clearing house of building ideas—the place to go for help in working out your building problems.

GEM STATE LUMBER CO.

H. L. Austin, Manager
Twin Falls, Idaho

FLAN NO 210

FLAN NO 146

AMERICA DRAWING NEAR VERGE OF WAR

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since the German allies brought forth their proposals to dispel the generally prevalent belief that such an action on the part of President Wilson would be unacceptable to the entente powers.

British embassy officials declared they were utterly taken by surprise, were wholly unable to explain it and were emphatic in their statement that no exchanges whatever had passed through the embassy here as a preliminary.

The wish and hope of the German powers that President Wilson would intercede in some way has long been both known and has been conveyed in different ways to the White House. The attitude of the entente allies, as expressed by their statesmen and certainly until recently in official advice to the American government, has been that a peace offer by the United States would be considered almost the best thing to befall them.

All that, however, was before the German allies, of their own accord, brought forward their proposals for discussion of peace. President Wilson specifically says in the notes he is somewhat embarrassed in making the suggestion at this particular time "because it may now seem to have been prompted by a desire to play a part in connection with the recent overtures of the central powers."

To the central powers the president says his action was in no way "suggested" by the Teutonic proposals, while to the entente allies he says his note is "in no way associated with them."

To both sets of belligerents he says he "would have received offering, it is not that those overtures had been answered but for the fact that it also concerns the question of peace and may thus be considered in connection with other proposals, which have the same end in view."

Diplomats consider it incredible that the president would bring forward such a proposal at such a time



Baby Marie Osborne (Pathe)

This little actress appears in "Shadows and Sunshine," at the Orpheum Theatre, Christmas day, in a five-part comedy drama. The first show will commence at six o'clock.

unless he had reason to believe it would receive respectful consideration at the hands of all the belligerents and, above all, would not prejudice the position of the United States as a possible mediator.

The German embassy view, constantly hopeful that proposals of the central allies would lead to a discussion of peace, was expressed in this authorized statement by Count Bernstorff, the German ambassador.

"No," said he, "I am perfectly convinced that there will be a conference."

GENERAL ADVERTISING

A DANDY SHOW
AT THE IDAHO
FRIDAY AND
SATURDAY.

GENERAL ADVERTISING

You Couldn't Ask for Better Oats

Just as rapidly as people discover the exceptional goodness and rich natural flavor of this new breakfast food, they adopt "Sunripe" as their exclusive cereal.



are big, mellow and delicious. They are carefully selected from the pick of the harvest. The sun-dried oats from the Rocky Mountain Valley, contribute the choicest oats produced in the world. They are used in making Sunripe Rolled Oats.

A cup of Sunripe Koffee-ett goes good these cool mornings. It's a pure grain beverage.

UTAH CEREAL FOOD CO.
Ogden, Utah



TWIN FALLS CHURCHES TO CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS

Ymas Program Baptist Church.
The Baptist church will hold its Christmas celebration Monday night. There will be a Christmas tree and a program not yet completed, consisting of songs, recitations and music.

A "White Christmas" will be observed at the Methodist church Sunday evening, the numerous classes making the contributions and reports. There will be numerous songs and recitations by members of the classes and made by the orchestra. A reading appropriate for the season by Mrs. Ivan Price will be a feature.

Christian Church.
A white Christmas for the ministerial relief, will be observed Sunday night at the Christian church instead of a Christmas tree. The various Sunday school classes will bring offerings and gifts, which will be forwarded to the Ministerial Relief association of the Christian church at Minneapolis. In connection a program being arranged in which there will be many musical numbers, readings and recitations. The details have not all been arranged but an evening of pleasure and innocent enjoyment is assured.

First Presbyterian Sabbath School.
"The Nativity," a most beautiful representation of the events connected with the birth of Christ, will be given in the High school auditorium on Sabbath evening, Christmas eve. This consists of four scenes: "The Annunciation," "The Nativity," "The Shepherds' scene and the Wise Men scene." The whole story of the birth of Christ and the events which are graphically set forth in Scripture narrative, accompanied by chants and recited songs, led by the orchestra. About 60 young people will take part, most of them in appropriate costumes, representing Zachariah, the Angel Gabriel, Mary, the Shepherds, the wise men and the angels. This is a most beautiful and striking representation of the Scripture story.

Mr. Boyd H. Fuller is superintendent.

Only Miss Geneva Stafford has charge of the production and Mr. Theodore Rowcliffe leads the orchestra. The treat will be given out in the morning, and the scholars and several classes will make glad many unfortunate homes, believing that it is more blessed to give than to receive.

Ascension Episcopal.
There will be special Christmas services next Sunday night or Christmas eve at twelve o'clock. No service can be more proper and impressive than for Christian people to meet in the House of God for worship at the hour which we commemorate as the time of the Holy Nativity. No services within itself greater significance for Christians than does Christmas; how meet and right it is then that we begin this holy day in a holy way. The program that has been prepared for this service is as follows:

1. Processional: "I come upon thee, O Virgin," J. B. Dyke.
2. Te Deum (Dudley Buck) Solo: Mrs. Tucker, Mrs. Higgins and Leigh, con.
3. The Kyrie, Mendelssohn.
4. Gloria Tibi, Gounod.
5. "O Come, let us adore Him," Reading.
6. Sanctus, by the choir, Gounod.
7. Solo, by Mr. Wilton Peck.
8. Agnus Dei.
9. Hymn.
10. Gloria—XII Mass, Mozart.
11. Recessional, "Sing, O Sing, this Blessed morn, unto us a Child is born."

As it is difficult to accommodate the large congregation that generally come to our midnight Christmas service, please try to come only so as to avoid confusion and inconvenience. Christmas carols will be sung for fifteen minutes before the service, which begins promptly at 12 o'clock. Offering—for charity.
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St. Edward's Catholic

Midnight mass at midnight followed by benediction of The Most Blessed Sacrament.

Rev. Fr. Hahn, celebrant, sermon by Rev. George Marr of Columbia University of Portland.

There will be three masses on Christmas day at 8, 9 and 10 o'clock, a.m. The following is the program for the midnight mass:

Mass in G, by Harrison Millard.
Kyrie, choir.
Christi eleison, soprano solo by Mrs. Langley.
Gloria in Excelsis, choir.
Qui tollis, soprano solo, Mrs. Langley.
Quoniam Tu Solus, quartet, Mrs. Langley, Mrs. Grant, Mr. Rissler, Mr. Koob.

Offertory, Veni Creator.
Tenor solo, Mr. Koob.
Tenor solo, Mr. Rissler.
Quartet and choir.

Credo, choir.
Contralto solo, Miss Teasdale.
Et incarnatus est, Mrs. Langley.
Cujus Regni, Mr. Rissler.

Sanctus, choir.
Soprano solo, Mrs. Langley.
Benedictus, choir.
Tenor solo, Mr. Rissler.
Agnus Dei, choir.

Soprano solo, Mrs. Langley.
Tenor solo, Mr. Rissler.
Ad este Fidelis, quartet.
Benediction.

Members of choir: Soprano, Mrs. C. D. Langley, Mrs. F. W. Beckwith, J. Clausen; contralto, Mrs. H. R. Grant; Miss Nellie Teasdale; tenor, Mr. A. L. Rissler, Eugene Wahl, Emory Benoit; bass, Mr. G. W. Koob, Mr. N. A. Kollas, E. J. Ahern; organist, Nellie A. Teasdale.

First Church of Christ, Scientists

230 Third avenue east. Sunday services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Subject of Bible lesson for December 24, "Christ Jesus." Sunday school convenes at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meetings at which testimonies of healing in Christian Science are given begin at 8 o'clock. The reading room in the church is open from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. every day except Sundays and holidays. Here Christian Science literature may be read and obtained.

Methodist Church

Methodist Episcopal—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. subject, "The Incarnation." Baranaka class for young men at 6 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Christmas program by the Sunday school at 7:30 p. m. Bible study and prayer service Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. G. E. Bent, minister.

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NEW YORK—Cuba's sugar yield for 1916-1917 will be a record-breaking one, according to cable advices received here by the Federal Sugar Refining company. The current crop will amount to 3,666,000 tons as compared with 3,008,000 tons last year and 2,600,245 in the previous season according to the managers. The large output is attributed largely to favorable weather.



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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Hailey, Idaho, October 21, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that on November 10, 1897, A. J. Harrell made Forest Land Selection No. 17, now serial No. 015623, under the act of June 4, 1897, (30 Stat., 207), for the following-described tracts of lands, then unsurveyed but now surveyed: SE 1/4 NE 1/4, section 12, SW 1/4 NW 1/4, E 1/4 SW 1/4, E 1/4 NE 1/4, section 24, NW 1/4 NW 1/4, section 26, township 16 south, range 13 east, Boise meridian, and on July 21, 1916, the Utah Construction Company, of Ogden, Utah, filed an application to substitute, by amendment, the NE 1/4 NW 1/4 in lieu of the SW 1/4 NW 1/4, section 24, said township and range, said company claiming to be the transferee of the selected lands.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands above described, desiring to object because of character of the land, or for any other reasons, to the disposal to the applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office on or before the 23rd day of January, 1917.

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