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TWIN FALLS, IDAHO

## BIG TIME ASSURED FOR FORTHCOMING AGRICULTURAL MEET

E. J. FIELSTED SAYS CONVENTION  
IN POCATELLO WILL BE AT-  
TENDED BY LARGE CROWD.

Half Fare on All Branch Lines  
for the Event

Many Distinguished Speakers Will Be  
In Attendance to Discuss All Kinds  
of Questions in Relation to Seed,  
Farming and Live Stock.

That the conventions to be held in Pocatello from January 8 to January 12 promise to exceed anything of the kind ever held in the intermountain country is the opinion of Professor E. J. Fielsted, of the university extension department, who has been in Pocatello for several weeks getting up the agricultural exhibit and who is here for the holidays. There will be one fare for the round trip on all branch lines, and one, and a third fare for the round trip on the main line during the show.

Speaking of the conventions to be held during the time, Professor Fielsted said:

"The Idaho State Agricultural Conventions will be held at Pocatello, January 8-12 inclusive, but fair to be the largest and most interesting agricultural educational festival that the Gem State has ever recorded. Among the speakers who are to make these meetings a success, the following are of national prominence: Ex-Governor E. M. Ammons, of Colorado will deliver a lecture Friday, January 12, to the live stock men of the state, on 'Breeding and Feeding Beef Cattle for Early Maturity.' Mr. Ammons has had years of experience along these lines, and has probably done more than any other man in the west toward the advancement of beef feeding and breeding. While doing the state of Colorado he did all in his power to advance the agricultural interest of the state. Many farmers and live stock organizations were formed as a result of his work. He initiated and developed the Cattle and Horse Growers' association of Colorado, which was probably the most successful of its kind in the west. He has a message for the live stock men of the state.

"W. Tomlinson, secretary of the American National Live Stock association, will discuss with the farmers the value of organization. This coming from a man who is connected with the association for many years is of great importance.

"H. E. Marshall, of the United States department of agriculture, bureau of animal industry, will discuss with the farmers the value of sheep on the farm. Mr. Marshall is the sheep expert of the department and has done a great deal toward the standardization and classification of our American wools.

"John T. Caine, director of agriculture extension in Utah, will discuss with the farmers 'Swine Management.' Mr. Caine is the live stock animal husbandry department of Utah agricultural college until his present position. A man of wide experience in live stock work throughout the west as a live stock man.

"Homer Fenn, Ogden, Utah, head of the western division of forestry has a message on raising live stock the state should hear.

"E. J. Idings, dean of the college of agriculture at the University of Idaho will present the principles of 'Breeding Farm Animals.' Dean Idings is well known throughout the state and we know that his work is of the highest order."

## BAPTISTS REMODELING CHURCH BUILDING

Pulpit Removed to Rear and New Baptist Installed Under The Old Gallery—Finished by Sunday.

Work of remodeling the Baptist church is progressing this week and it is believed that it will be completed by Sunday. The old gallery is being removed and a baptistry installed. The pulpit, which was removed from the place on the side will be placed in the rear of the church.

## SUNDAY TABERNACLE IN GOTHAM IMMENSE AFFAIR.

NEW YORK.—The tabernacle in which Billy Sunday will exert New York to "hit the trail" will be the most elaborate and pretentious ever erected for the purpose. It was announced today by officers of the corporation formed to handle the affair here. The structure will be erected to accommodate 10,000 persons, probably more, and will be erected on the old ball ground at Grand Central and Fifty-eighth streets, and Broadway. Fifty thousand dollars will be expended for the tabernacle alone. Sunday will begin his campaign here April 1.

## REVIEW OF NATIONAL GUARD ON THE BORDER



Some of the 23,000 soldiers of the National Guard stationed in the lower Rio Grande valley district parading before Gen. J. W. Taylor, U. S. A., during a review at Meximville, Tex. The site of the review is historic as a part of the battlefield where General Taylor defeated the Mexicans during the Mexican war.

## Coal Situation is Still Very Serious

Although two cars of coal arrived in the city Tuesday night, as anticipated by D. E. Sullivan, the Oregon Short Line agent, the situation is still serious. The fuel was promptly snapped up and by noon yesterday it was all distributed in small quantities over the city. Today hopes are expressed that more will arrive this afternoon or tonight. Several of the coal men have small quantities of slack which they refuse to sell to anyone not in actual need and at a bargain. As yet no such cases have been reported, but unless a large quantity should come in soon there will be suffering.

## HANSEN BUTTE IS TO BE IRRIGATED

Company Plans to Use Water Already  
Conserved by Filings—Claim It Will  
Increase Canal Company Water.

Articles of incorporation were filed today for the Milner-Twin Falls Land and Water company with a capital stock of \$200,000.

The company is to be organized by J. F. Finch this afternoon. The incorporators and directors are J. F. Finch, D. E. Sullivan, D. B. Moorman of this city, and H. E. Babcock of Salt Lake City. The Milner-Twin Falls Canal company, a corporation capitalized for \$400,000, also filed incorporation papers. Incorporators and directors are D. B. Moorman, W. W. Humphrey and Edgar W. Moorman. The purposes of both as named in the articles are substantially the same, being to construct and maintain canals. The irrigators of the Hansen butte country is understood to be among the objects.

A number of eastern capitalists have formed a corporation for the purpose of irrigating 40,000 acres of land on and around the Hansen butte, part of the land being covered by the plan, being the same that is mentioned in project referred to in the resolutions recently passed by the Twin Falls Commercial club.

The water to be used, according to L. B. Perrine, who promoted the plan, will be from separate fillings and will enhance instead of diminishing the amount of water available for the Twin Falls Canal company, as the drainage will be into the system. Mr. Perrine is in Boise this week looking after the matter.

It is reported that machinery for pumping the water has been contracted for and that the work of construction on the necessary canals will begin as soon as weather will permit in the spring. The use of surplus flood waters under fillings already acquired and dammed at Jackson hole are among the things contemplated.

## GERMANY RELIES TO LETTER OF INQUIRY IN DEL CASE.

BERLIN, Dec. 28.—Germany today answered the American inquiry with reference to the sinking of the Norwegian ship, Dahlgren. It justified the action on the ground that the vessel was violating neutral and claimed as unjustified, the contention that the passengers were jeopardized.

## DYNAMITER DENIED A NEW TRIAL TODAY.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 28.—The California farmer commander in connection with the dynamiting was denied a new trial today and given the maximum penalty of ten years.

## SECOND IDAHO IS UNDER QUARANTINE

Orders Issued Keeping Members of  
Guard in Quarters on Account of  
Measles.

The Idaho regiment has been quarantined at the quarters in Boise on account of measles and the time for arrival of Company B in this city is indeterminate. Details for the reception plans will be held up for the present as a result.

Chaplain F. M. Johnson has issued a call for books, papers and magazines in Boise saying that time lies heavily on the hands of the men. Several new cases of measles have been reported, and there are rumors that the quarantine will be tightened.

The Statesman today publishes a story relative to a reprimand alleged to have been administered to Lieutenant E. H. Crow and Captain C. V. Biggs, who are said to have protested against the action of Provost Sergeant Robbins in trying to carry out an order alleged to have been given, forbidding the men to enter any place of amusement when given passing down town.

The Statesman story in part follows: Lieutenant Colonel P. H. Crow of the Second Idaho Infantry regiment was officially reprimanded by his superior officers yesterday for his action of Tuesday night in halting the provost guard in the discharge of its duty at the Knights of Pythias hall when it appeared to drive, unaided men out of the building because of the presence of measles among them.

Captain Claude V. Biggs of company K was reprimanded with Lieutenant Crow.

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## CARRANZA FORCES ARE CONCENTRATED

Effort To Be Made to Stop Villa—First  
Chief Refuses to Sign Protocol—  
Villa Wins Several Fights.

EL PASO, Dec. 28.—First Chief Carranza is rushing troops toward Saltillo from Monterrey in an effort to check the advance of the pro-French forces reported to be the preference of the army of the Mexican City district is preparing to assume charge of the campaign. A small Carranza force in the states of Durango and Coahuila have revolted and set up local governments favorable to Villa. Fighting is reported at Monterrey, below Juarez, where a Tama bank of 500 is reported to be hoovering.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—General Carranza has refused to sign the protocol proposed by the joint commission. It is believed that he will submit counter proposals and seek another conference. It is reported that Consul General Renegat who represents the Mexican government and is now at San Francisco is to be the successor of Arredondo, who has resigned the position of foreign secretary.

EL PASO, Tex.—A report was received late Tuesday by sources known to be close to Francisco Villa, and by government agents, saying that Villa's forces captured San Luis Potosi Monday. Many foreigners who left Torreon before Villa attacked the town recently went to San Luis Potosi. No details were available.

San Luis Potosi is southeast of Torreon on the National railroad line between Aguas Calientes and Tampico. Carranza is believed to be Villa's objective, in order to obtain a port through which he can import arms, ammunition and supplies. Villa was reported to be between Torreon and Chihuahua City, and was said to be preparing to launch an attack against Chihuahua City soon.

In anticipation of this attack, General Francisco Murguía was reported to have ordered General Francisco Carranza, former commander in Juarez, to proceed south at once with his forces.

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## Short Line Will Try to Place Guardsmen

The Oregon Short Line, according to information received at the Twin Falls office, will endeavor to provide as many positions as possible for members of Second Idaho returning from the border. The plan has not yet been completely worked out but will be executed in accordance with the spirit of a telegram sent Tuesday to Joel L. Priest, general agent, at Boise, by H. V. Platt, general manager of the road.

"Now that our Idaho boys have returned and had an opportunity to spend their Christmas home, I desire to offer through your employment to such of them as we can place in our service and in such capacities as they are best suited to fill, assuming they will be highly in our service, and further that they have been subjected to the proper kind of discipline and by their intelligence appreciate the advantage of good discipline."

"I am sending copy of this to Mr. Knickerbocker and Mr. Hinchey at Pocatello in order that you may confer with them directly on any applications you may receive."

## BOY BURGLARS ARE BROUGHT TO BOOK

Rubbish of House of Harry Hazel Set  
Sunday Night Culmination of Series  
of Crimes.

Frank Padgett, a fifteen-year-old boy was committed to St. Anthony yesterday afternoon by Probate Judge A. W. Ostrom, as an incorrigible, and was committed to the same age in a jail, awaiting the disposition of his case, following an investigation of the robbery of the home of Harry Hazel Saturday night.

The boys watched the Hazel family leave home and then entered through an unlocked door taking watch and money in a child's bag. Hazel's suspicion pointed to young Padgett and an investigation resulted in his arrest, along with the companion in his crime.

Padgett admitted that they were guilty of a number of bicycle thefts and that they had been in the same line of time. He said that they had stolen wheels from Hans Huble, a man named Hehr, and from a home on Eighth street, and also one from the Orpheum theatre. Padgett bears a bad reputation. He was mentioned in the indictment some years ago but was paroled. Adams has always been considered a good boy.

His case will be disposed of tomorrow.

The boys evidently were not stealing with a view of selling the plunder. They broke up the stolen wheels and scattered them about the town. Some of the bicycles were recovered, while others had been wholly destroyed. The articles taken from the Hazel home were recovered.

## MANY BELIEVED DEAD IN WRECK NEAR JAPAN.

TOKIO, Dec. 28.—Fifty survivors of the steamer Sankaku Maru, wrecked last night off Chefoo landed this morning, according to a dispatch received here. There were two air craft among those who were brought to Chefoo. The fate of the remaining 600 passengers and the crew had not been learned, and it is feared that many of them have been frozen to death.

## TRAIN COLLISION KILLS FIVE AND INJURES SIX

MONTREAL, Dec. 28.—A freight train and a passenger train collided and a Canadian Pacific train was wrecked at a crossing near Montreal. The engineer failed to see the local.

## PLANT OF MODERN PACKING COMPANY BURNED YESTERDAY

FIRE FROM UNKNOWN CAUSE  
BREAKS OUT AT FIVE O'CLOCK  
IN THE ENGINE ROOM.

## Fire Company not Available Be- cause Outside City Limits

Loss Over Thirty Thousand Dollars,  
Covered by About Fifteen Thousand  
Dollars Insurance—Hoard of Flames  
Awaken Employees.

The packing house of the Modern Packing company, a mile south of the city was completely destroyed with all its contents by a fire which broke out about five o'clock yesterday morning from an unknown cause, resulting in a loss of about \$30,000, covered by \$15,000 insurance.

When the fire was first noticed by J. J. Jensen, an employee living in a house nearby, the flames had already broken through the roof and were burning furiously. A moment later Jerry Jones, the foreman, who also lives in the immediate neighborhood, was awakened by the fire and telephoned to the fire department. Chief Carlson replied that he could not send the company beyond the city limits.

Mr. Jones says that even the presence of the company could not have saved the building, but might have enabled them to get out some of the meat which was destroyed. As it was a couple of hundred pounds of bacon were taken out.

The plant was a two-story affair, of concrete and concrete, erected several years ago by the Robertson-Jank company, which later sold to the Modern Packing company. The plant was well equipped with modern machinery. There were large quantities of beef, pork, mutton and pickles in the structure, besides an accumulation of hides from the last two months slaughtering.

The members of the company said yesterday that they had determined whether they would rebuild or not. Foreman Jones said that while he and Jensen had a fire in the furnace which was burning while cooking tanks, they were completely out before they left the building at night. He thought it possible that the fire caught from wiring but had no means of knowing.

## GERMANS PLAN A RUSSIAN INVASION

General Advance Into Moscow Territory  
Expected—Germans Say  
Push Into Rumania Territory.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—An attempt to invade Russia will be the next development, in the offensive of General Hindenburg, in the opinion of military experts. The Russians are opposing the German advance fiercely and the Teutons are losing heavily. The Russian lines are consolidating and the Germans are gaining in strength. The czar has ordered an announcement forwarded to all the Russian fronts to the effect that the German army has peace on account of her knowledge of winning strength, and a realization of the increasing strength of her own position. The Russian war loan subscriptions have increased considerably since the publication of the peace note. The German offensive on the west front has increased within the past couple of days. Aviator Gummor has brought down his twenty-fifth plane.

BERLIN, Dec. 28.—The Germans have pushed beyond Ruminia Sarat in Rumania while the Austro-Hungarian army has been placed in the Russian lines and repulsed violent attacks. The Ninth German army corps captured 10,000 prisoners in the Ruminia fight.

## HIGH SCHOOL BOYS DOING COW TESTING

Official Tester On Vacation and Substi-  
tute Does Work—Boys Do-  
ing Work Satisfactorily.

For the first time since joining the cow testing association, the boys of the high school are doing the testing. The official tester, Mr. W. H. Koster, is on vacation. The boys have been doing the testing for some time and are doing the work satisfactorily. The boys have been doing the testing for some time and are doing the work satisfactorily.

## WILSON RECEIVES GERMAN ANSWER TO PEACE NOTE

TEXT AGREES WITH NEWSPAPER  
REPORTS RECEIVED FROM  
BERLIN ON SUBJECT.

## Fear Repetition of Submarine Warfare May Occur

Alley Will Send Reply To German  
Peace Proposals—Will Reply to the  
Peace Note of President Woodrow  
Wilson at the Same Time.

(United Press)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Germany's answer to the note of President Wilson reached the state department today. Secretary Lansing announced that the text is practically the same as that of the versions given in the press Tuesday.

The fear is growing that should the peace negotiations fail, the United States must clean up the slate with Germany in regard to the resumption of submarine activities. It is evident, however, that President Wilson intends to rush his peace program and to avoid possible complications between America and Germany unless absolutely necessary. Officials today deny that they believe that President Wilson's note and Secretary Lansing's explanations in effect constituted a warning against unbridled acts involving American lives and rights, since his attitude toward violations of property rights has been that they cannot be used as a basis for violating affecting life. The warning, is therefore, in many quarters, interpreted as being against the Teutons.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—The sending of the reply of the allies to the note of Germany is imminent. The indications are that the phrasing of the note to be sent has been agreed upon by the entente powers. The reply of the allies will be sent by Berlin where it will be handed to the American ambassador. It is learned here from authoritative sources that the reply will contain a full and complete statement of the facts of the case, and that it will be a vigorous summary of the British position. The note is also understood, will announce the terms on which the allies will make peace. It is understood that the allies must be inferred from previous statements made by the chancellors. It is understood that the reply to Germany will be made simultaneously with an answer to the note of President Wilson.

LONDON.—Rumania continues the theatre of the greatest activities in the great war. In northern Wallachia, close to the Russian border, and in Dobruja the Teutonic allies continue to make gains over the Russians and Rumanians. Thirty miles south of Iasi, the Germans have captured the town of Filipești, and west of Timbuk-Sarat are on the offensive. In this latter region during the past few days 6500 Russians have been made prisoners.

In Mesopotamia the British forces are still quiet of Kut-el-Amara, in which sector they have made further advances on the right bank of the Tigris and consolidated and extended their positions south and east of the town. Gassaba Fort, twenty miles southeast of Kut, about which hostile Arabs have been operating against the British, has been destroyed.

The British victory over the Turks at Maghdaba, ninety miles east of the Suez canal, was of considerable proportions. In addition to making prisoners 1500 men of the Turkish force of about 2000, seven guns, a large number of rifles, machine guns and large quantities of other war stores were captured.

On the other front there have been only artillery engagements.

## FRENZIED FINANCE MAN IS IMPUDENT

Tells Representative Word That Law  
Violation Would Empty Congress  
at Once.

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### CHARITY DONATIONS

#### GIVEN BY MANY

Report of Associated Charities Shows Great Activity on the Part of Societies and Individuals.

That the Christmas spirit of charity pervaded the people of this city during the past week is shown by a report of the Associated charities which gives in detail the activities of numerous societies and homes in Twin Falls. The report follows:

Twenty-four families, aggregating eighty-four people, were given food for holiday week entire, and sixteen of them Christmas dinners. To eight families dinners were sent by Sunday school classes of Miss Hobbs, Mr. Munson, Dr. Crossland, Miss Stafford, Mrs. Johnson, King's Daughters.

Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Langley furnished complete dinners to large families, with plenty of toys, candies, fruit, etc. Mrs. Bedford gave flour, candy, nuts, oranges, dolls, toys, shoes, caps and hose to family of three children. Any error in list below will be pardoned owing to the many details there were to claim the attention of the person in charge.

One new comfort, Mrs. Brown and mother. Seven cans fruit, apples, potatoes, caps and toys, Baptist Sunday school.

Three dollars for children's hose, Baptist Sunday school. \$2.50 for mittens and two dolls, Baptist Sunday school.

\$5.00 for one blanket, fruit for sick, doll, Altruistic class Sunday school. One chicken, Altruistic class Presbyterian Sunday school.

\$2.25 for one pair shoes, two pair hose for boy, Mr. Mitchell's class of Presbyterian Sunday school.

Seven glasses jelly and oranges, Polly Anna Class, Presbyterian Sunday school. Four new comforts, Mrs. Hibbard's class, Methodist Sunday school.

Large box toys and Christmas treats, Methodist Sunday school. \$10.25 through Mrs. Hart, eighteen ladies of Twentieth Century club for twenty-four suits children's underwear.

Thirty-one pairs hose, Current Events department Twentieth Century club. One dozen toys, Mr. Jonsson. Three cans fruit, apples, beans, Mr.

### MAY FLY ACROSS THE ATLANTIC



Capt. A. Sandstedt (left) and Lieut. K. Nygaard, who are making plans to fly next April, from St. Johns, Canada, to the west coast of Ireland in a ten-ton, four-engine airplane. They arrived recently in New York. Lieut. Nygaard has been in the French aviation corps for four years.

Black Canyon and Hillcrest to be watered

Surplus Flow From Boise Project To Be Appropriated, Says Letter From Federal Reclamation Service.

CALDWELL — That the United States reclamation commission will recommend to Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior, that surplus waters from Boise project works be apportioned to Black Canyon and to Hillcrest lands, has been announced to the public here through divulgence of contents of a letter from the commission to Secretary W. L. Girard of the Water Users' association.

ENGLAND TO FREE THE IRISH PRISONERS

LONDON — That the Lloyd George government has determined upon a scheme for the pacification of Ireland is indicated by a recent development of the past twenty-four hours following the interpolation of Henry E. Duke, chief secretary for Ireland in the House of Commons, it was predicted by the newspapers that a majority of the Irish prisoners interned after the Sinn Féin rebellion will be released immediately.

There is a strong movement underway also to have martial law withdrawn in Ireland.

One can tomatoes, 1 pair mittens, poncorn, Mrs. Back of Filer.

One sack potatoes, Mrs. Thompson.

One sack potatoes, Mrs. Pettitjohn.

One sack apples and jelly, Mrs. Gloy.

Meat, buckwheat and jelly, Mrs. McIlwaine.

Two books, unknown.

One dozen cans fruit and jelly, Mrs. E. J. Ostrander.

One box apples, Mrs. Beselro.

Loaf pressed meat, Mrs. Goodrich.

Toys, caps and candies, Mrs. Munson.

### BOGUS DIPLOMAS.

#### ISSUED BY WHOLESALE

"Sheepskins" Furnished by International Syndicate to Lawyers, Doctors and Musicians.

CHICAGO—Recent indictments by a state grand jury of several physicians and dentists for alleged issuing of spurious diplomas have been followed by revelations to federal authorities, it is said, which may lead to similar action by a federal grand jury.

According to the evidence said to be in possession of the United States District Attorney Charles F. Clynne, an "international diploma mill" is in operation where men can purchase "diplomas" purporting to come from big universities in all parts of the world. Men in all walks of life are said to have been deceived by members of the syndicate, whose operations are reported to have been made known to federal officials by one of its members. Months of investigation by government operators is declared to have verified the admissions of the syndicate members.

According to the federal authorities the alleged syndicate sells these spurious diplomas from law, theology, medical, musical and other schools. It is said here that the evidence obtained by the federal investigators will be placed before the federal grand jury.

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**LUTHER BURBANK TELDS ON CHRISTMAS DAY.**

SAN FRANCISCO—Luther Burbank, famous plant wizard of California, is celebrating the Christmas holidays with his bride, after a quiet wedding here the other day, when Miss Elizabeth Waters, his secretary, became Mrs. Burbank.

Two years ago Mr. Burbank and Miss Waters met in New York, where she was employed by the publishers of the plant wizard's books. Mrs. Burbank is about 30 years of age, while her husband is 67.

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## AN IDEAL SPEAKER.

In selecting a speaker the Democrats of the lower house of the Idaho legislature should be governed by prudence and by a progressive spirit. The legislation that should be enacted this year should be distinguished by quality rather than by quantity. There is always enough legislation and some to spare, when measured by the number of laws enacted, but the Democratic party goes into office this year pledged to carry out certain definite principles in a working manner.

To do this it is not only expedient, but it is absolutely necessary to have at the helm a man with sound judgment, with a realization of the needs of the state and with legislative experience which will enable him to assist in tidying necessary laws over the rocks of possible opposition.

Such a man, fortunately, is at hand in Ernest Anderson, who was minority leader in the last house. Mr. Anderson co-operated with Governor Alexander in the carrying out of the program of retrenchment and reform which has distinguished the present state administration. He has proven himself competent to initiate important constructive measures and was the author of the house joint resolution two years ago, having for its object the making of the state dry by constitutional amendment. He was the author of the law making it a misdemeanor for any official to create a deficiency.

This proper adjustment of the Carey act difficulties is a crying need in this state. As chairman of the irrigation, drainage and code commission Mr. Anderson has thoroughly familiarized himself with the needs of the people on the several projects in the state.

Considering his parliamentary experience as minority leader and his many other qualifications he would make an ideal speaker, and the Democrats, now invested with power and responsibility, should not fail to elect him to the position.

## WHAT LANSING MIGHT HAVE MEANT.

In all the speculation relative to what Secretary of State Lansing might have meant by his startling interpretation of President Wilson's note last week, the commentators seem to have entirely overlooked the possibility that he might have meant exactly what he said. It will be noted that certain passages in the note, while not exactly definite contained a clear warning of alarming possibilities. More could not be said in a presidential communication without diplomatically offending the powers to which it was addressed.

Secretary Lansing said plainly that we were drifting toward the verge of war and intimated that it was time for all the hostile powers to show their hands. Later, he apparently modified this by saying that the review which he gave out did not mean what it was construed to mean in certain quarters; viz: that the presidential message meant a possibility of departure from our positions of neutrality. But this was not reticence, since he had not put such construction on the note, though others had so construed it, and he admitted the possibility that such construction could be made.

That the administration took this means of driving home with startling force the gravity of the situation in a way that must not only startle diplomats but the people of the nations now at war, as well as of the neutral world is a possibility that seems to have been overlooked by those commenting on the situation. That the diplomats of the world may have so understood it is another matter.

## INDEPENDENTS WILL CONTROL NEXT HOUSE

Neither of the Great Parties Will Have A Majority and Both Are Figuring Closely.

WASHINGTON—Revised figures on returns of the last election show definitely that neither Democrats nor Republicans will have a majority of the next house, necessary to elect a speaker and that a handful of Independents will determine which side will control the organization.

Conceding seats to candidates in possession of certificates of election, because they are certain to participate in the organization of the house the personnel now stands:

Republicans, 214; Democrats, 213; Independents, two; Progressives, two; Prohibitionists, one; Socialist, one; contested two. A majority is 218, hence, should either Democrats or Republicans win both of the contests, they will still be short of a majority.

All of the Independents are maintaining strict silence regarding their attitude on the leadership but the Democratic and Republican leaders agree on how most of them will vote, providing caucuses are held and solidarity maintained by the two old parties.

Kelley of Pennsylvania, is listed as a Democratic probability.

So are Randall, President-elect of California, and London of New York, Socialist, who has been shown favors by Democratic leaders.

S. C. Hall, Minnesota Progressive, the leaders agree, probably would lean toward a Republican candidate if convinced of his progressivism. Fuller, Independent of Massachusetts, also is classed as a Republican hope.

Marlin of Louisiana, was a Democrat, however, and Democratic leaders, hope to get his vote.

MASONS AND EASTERN STARS

HOLD ANNUAL INSTALLATION

The regular annual installation of officers of the A. F. & A. M. was held at the Masonic Temple Tuesday evening.

The installation was public and was much enjoyed by the guests. The ceremonies were followed by a program, a buffet luncheon and dancing. The program consisted of musical numbers by the Musical Wills and readings by Lloyd Fuller.

The following officers were installed:

Installing officer, Dr. W. H. Wilson; master, J. G. Bradley; senior warden, W. M. Minkley; junior warden, Dr. Parry; secretary, F. R. Taber; chaplain, Rev. L. R. Frank; ritual, A. P. Senior; senior deacon, E. L. MacVicar; junior deacon, Mr. Green; senior steward, R. A. Reed; junior steward, Mr. Graves.

Eastern Star—Mrs. Ernest White.

Installing officer, worthy matron, Mrs. Ormsby; worthy patron, Mr. E. C. Finch; associated matron, Mrs. Dinckelacker; secretary, Mrs. Sadie Rogers; treasurer, Mrs. J. P. Johnson; conductress, Mrs. Ripley; associated conductress, Mrs. Senior; chaplain, Mrs. Cronin; organist, Miss Edna Ripley; musical, Mrs. Sigline; Ada, Mrs. Ware; Ruth, Mrs. McNew; Esther, Mrs. Schroeder; Martha, Mrs. Dickerson; Eleo, Mrs. Harvey; Warden, Mrs. Friedman; Sentinel, V. H. Ormsby.

MIL AND MRS. ROGERSON

WILL HOLD RECEPTION

In accordance with the old Scotch custom of New Year's celebration, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rogerson will hold a reception in the lobby of the Rogerson hotel Monday evening, when they will receive their many friends from nine to twelve o'clock. Some form of entertainment will be in progress during the evening and both Mr. and Mrs. Rogerson have extended to their many friends throughout the city and Twin Falls county a general invitation to be present that evening to celebrate the New Year with them.

IRELAND MAY REBEL IF CONSCRIPTION IS TRIED.

NEW YORK.—There is a deal on between Lloyd-George, Redmond and Carson to give Ireland some measure of home rule right away. In return the two Irish leaders will agree to conscription being applied to Ireland. If that is done there will be a massacre, as the people prefer to die at home rather than abroad, said Mrs. F. Sheehy Skillington, widow of the author and publisher who was shot in Dublin by the British on April 25 without trial for the alleged part in the Sinn Féin revolt.

Mrs. Skillington died her 17 year old son, Owen, arrived in New York after eluding the British authorities, who had been watching her for several months.

## EFFORT TO AGREE

SEEMS TO FAIL

Conference Between Magnates and Employees Breaks Up Abruptly—Neither Will Talk.

(United Press)  
NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—The meeting of the representatives of the railroad brotherhoods here in a secret conference with a committee of railroad managers broke up today after a short session, with every evidence of a disagreement. The conference was held for the purpose of attempting to reach an agreement regarding the Adamson law. Both sides declined to discuss the matter.

Last night both sides were reported confident that a mutual understanding would be reached as to the practical interpretation of the Adamson act, which, it was pointed out, specifies the hours of labor but does not make provision for the enforcement or continuation of certain privileges and rates of compensation which the men now enjoy and which they believe are threatened with extinction by the Adamson act.

Rather than make separate appeals to the courts to decide the many points that could be brought to issue in this regard, it was reported that both sides, after agreeing on as many points as possible, would consent to bring their difficulties for final adjudication to the Goethals commission, but night falling it was decided to observe the operation of the Adamson act.

ACETYLENE GAS BLOWS

UP IN NEW JERSEY.

(United Press)

MOUNT HOLLY, New Jersey, Dec. 28.—An acetylene plant in the cellar of the Madison hotel exploded here last night, destroying the building and killing five of twenty-eight persons in the structure at the time. The ruins caught on fire, but departments from the surrounding towns were summoned and the situation controlled.

FIGHT WITH SNIPERS

PROVED TO BE BLOODLESS.

(United Press)

EL PASO, Dec. 28.—An investigation into the skirmish which took place between the American patrol and a body of Mexican skirmishers this morning was conducted by General Hill, who reported that the Mexicans fired first and that the patrol replied to the fusillade with about 100 shots. None of the Americans were hurt.

CHARGES IN COURT HOUSE.

As stated in THE TIMES some time ago, Lieutenant A. E. London will resume his position in the office of County Auditor Finch immediately on the disbandment of the Second Idaho. S. Clendenen will become deputy under County Assessor George W. Wilcox. E. L. Turner will take the place in the auditor's office now occupied by Mr. Stewart.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR HOLD

SERVICE ON CHRISTMAS.

The regular Christmas service of the order was held Christmas day by Twin Falls Commandery No. 10, Knights Templar, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m.

The reciting program was given: Opening, Eminent Sir W. E. Aaron; Prayer, Eminent Sir W. E. Aaron; Sentinal of the Q. M., Recorder; Response of the M., Recorder; The Work of the Crusades.

The following new officers of the Commandery will be installed tonight: Commanding Officer, W. E. Aaron; Generalissimo, P. W. McRoberts; C. G., H. L. Dinkelacker; Senior Warden, R. A. Reed; Junior Warden, C. L. Gies; Recorder, R. B. Smith; Treasurer, Urban Tracey; Prelate, J. H. Swan; Warder, C. E. Munson; St. Br., D. D. Alford; Sw. Br., F. W. Harder; Sent., W. H. Greenhow.

Methodist Church.

Methodist Episcopal church Sunday school at 10 a. m. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject "God's Holiness." The fourth of a series of Christian doctrines.

Evening subject, "Taking Thought"—A New Year's Meditation.

Baraca class for young men at 5 p. m.

There will be no Epworth League at 6:30. The young people of the church will hold a Watch Night service following the evening hour of worship to which all are invited.

Bible study and prayer service on Wednesday evening at 7:45.

C. L. BENT, Minister.



WILLIAM S. HART (BOB WHITE) AND HOUSE PETERS (GREGG LEWISTON) IN A TERRIFIC HAND TO HAND COMBAT IN "BETWEEN MEN." NEW TRIANGLE-INGE PLAY. IN THE BACKGROUND THE HALF CRAZED JOHN WORTH (BERT WESNER) PREPARES TO QUELL THE FIGHT

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### NOTICE OF ESTATE SALE

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, constable of Twin Falls Precinct No. 2, that upon the 10th day of February, A. D. 1917, at 2 o'clock, p. m., I will sell the following animal taken up by me under the estray laws of our State or Idaho, to the highest bidder for cash; said sale will take place in front of Jones Brothers residence, five miles East and one mile South of Hollister, Idaho.

Said animal is described as follows, to-wit:

One red cow about four years old;

branded (shape of heart with connect-dot bar at bottom) on left shoulder; both ears split; white spots on back. Dated December 27, 1916.  
P. O. HERBIMAN  
(Advertisement) Constable.

### HOLIDAYS AT HOME.

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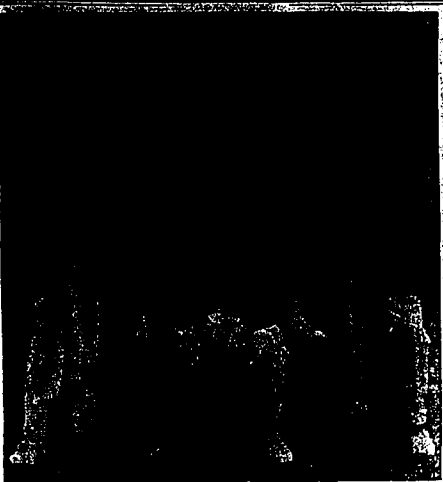
David Lloyd-George attended his first review as secretary of war when, with Gen. Sir Sam Hughes, he inspected a Canadian division at Bramshott. After the review Lloyd-George addressed the officers and paid high tribute to Canada's hold in the war. Photograph shows Lloyd-George, hat raised, and Sir Sam Hughes watching the march past.

## ROGERSON HOTEL CAFE



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The Royal Welch Male Quartette, at the Lavering Theatre Friday, January 5.

## EGG RECIPES ARE AROUSING INTEREST

Many Requests For Recipes Used by Miss Hingato in Demonstration Causes Demand for Publication.

So many calls have been made for recipes illustrating the economical use of eggs in cooking, made use of by Miss Mary Hingato, domestic science teacher of the Twin Falls high school at the demonstration given in the office of the Twin Falls Light & Power company that they have been secured by THE TIMES for publication. Many housewives have declared that owing to the high price of eggs and butter anything which would tend to diminish the use of these products, without in-

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jury to efficiency would be beneficial and interesting.

On Saturday afternoon at the offices of the Light and Power company, Miss Mary Hingato demonstrated the following recipes illustrating an economical use of eggs in cooking. With eggs at sixty cents a dozen and butter at forty-five cents a pound, the thrifty housewife is interested in learning how to reduce the use of these products.

Miss Hingato stated that the chief uses of eggs in cooking are for leavening and thickening agents. In making cakes, eggs not only help to leaven the mixture by the amount of air that is entrapped in beating but they coagulate at a low temperature and hold in the carbon dioxide gas generated by the baking powder. If no eggs are used the addition of hot liquid will stiffen the mixture enough to entrap this gas.

Cornstarch or flour may be used to supplant eggs in puddings using two tablespoons of cornstarch in place of one egg.

Large T, tablespoon; small t, teaspoon; c, cup.  
1 quart milk, one-third cream or wheat, one-half teaspoon vanilla, one-half salt, two eggs, one-half sugar, one cup sugar.

Scald milk, add salt and cream and wheat and cook in a double boiler until it thickens (about 20 minutes). Mix sugar with egg yolks and add slowly stirring constantly. Lastly fold in the beaten egg whites, add vanilla, and serve cold with cream and sugar.

Eggless Cake—1 cup sugar, 2 tablespoons butter, 2 cups flour, 12 walnut meats, 1/2 teaspoonful vanilla, 1 cup milk, 2 tablespoons chocolate, 2 cups sifted flour, 1/2 cup baking powder.

Cream butter and sugar, then add chocolate. Add raisins and walnuts chopped, add flour and baking powder, mix well. Bake in loaf.

Chocolate Cake, (without eggs)—2 squares chocolate, 1 cup boiling water, 1 cup sour milk, 1/2 cup shortening, 1/2 cups sugar, 1 teaspoon soda, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon of salt, 3 cups flour.

Melt chocolate, add sugar and melted chocolate. Add sour milk alternately with sifted dry ingredients, adding hot water last.

French Rice Pudding—2 cups milk, 1/2 cup rice, one-third cup sugar, 1 tablespoon cornstarch, one-third cup cocoa, 1/2 teaspoon vanilla, 1/2 cup of seed raisins, 1/2 cup nuts, 1 tablespoon butter.

Scald milk and cook rice until done in milk. Add dry ingredients lastly, add nuts, butter and vanilla. Serve cold.

Filled Cookies—1/2 cup Crisco, 1 cup brown sugar, 2 1/2 cups oatmeal, 1 teaspoon soda, 1 teaspoon salt, 1/2 cup water, 2 1/2 cups flour.

Cream butter, add sugar, then liquid and flour alternately. Roll out thin, spread half of this dough with date paste, cover with dough and cut. Bake in hot oven.

Hot water—1 pound dates, 1 cup sugar, 1 1/2 cups water, stone dates and cook to a paste.

## BUILDS BUNGALOW ON ROOF



Mrs. Earl Carroll, wife of Earl Carroll, the American composer, helping lay bricks for the flooring of her new bungalow on the roof of the Godfrey building at Seventh avenue and Forty-ninth street, New York. The bungalow will cost over \$40,000, and it took Mr. Carroll three years to find a suitable place to erect his "austrian" home. Surrounding the bungalow, which is more than a bungalow, however, as it will have eight rooms, will be a fine Italian garden, with at least a five-foot brook crossed at intervals by stepping stones, and rustic bridges. The ground about the villa will contain a vegetable garden, a handball court and an orchard consisting of two apple trees.

by the arrival of a brother from Michigan whom she had not seen for 17 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Johnson were in Twin Falls Thursday.

Charles Miller, Bob Webb and Ira Johnson transacted business in Twin Falls Friday and Saturday.

Rufus Hanson and Brose Hall had a collision with their autos Saturday night, disabling the Hall car but only breaking the wind shield on the Hanson car. John Hanson received a few scratches as he was thrown through the wind shield.

A wheel came off of A. P. Jensen's car as he was driving out to the L. D. S. church with his family Saturday evening, but careful driving prevented accidents.

Prof. Hensley of Castleford is here for a few days with his wife at the True home.

Carroll True left for Colorado Wednesday for a two weeks visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Myrtle Pickett is assisting in the Murtaugh Mercantile store during the holidays.

Mrs. Leona Boyd, daughter Edith and son Cecil of Twin Falls spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson has been quite ill but is now slowly improving.

Geo. Hero of Pocatello was here to spend his holidays with his family.

Rev. Smulter will preach Sunday morning at Golden Valley and here in the evening.

Gertrude Beer was shopping in Twin Falls Saturday.

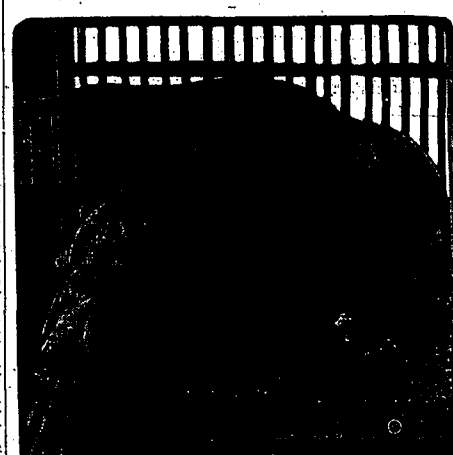
George Latimer moved with his family into the house vacated by W. E. Beer, who moved into his own home east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyer and Mr. and Mrs. Linen Bates, are each proud daughters of the arrival of a little daughter recently. Mothers and babies are doing nicely.

The well drillers are at the George Tracey ranch and will move from there to R. R. Kendall's ranch.

The W. W. Club will meet at the home of Mrs. R. R. Kendall Friday afternoon.

## BABY HIPPO IN NEW YORK ZOO



This is "Congo," the new baby hippopotamus in the Central Park zoo, New York. He was recently sold to a circus, but his ever-alert mother fought every effort of the keepers to cradle her offspring.

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## AMERICA BECOMES THE DOLL COUNTRY OF THE WORLD

NEW YORK—For the first time in history America has become the doll centre of the world.

Close to 10,000,000 dolls have been made in this country this year.

So extraordinary has been the success of American doll manufacturers in taking over the doll trade, lost by Germany and France on account of the war, that we are actually going to sell dolls in Nuremberg itself, the heart of Santa Claus German toyland, as soon as peace has come to Europe.

The new unbreakable, really truly lifelike American dolls has won the hearts of all American children, and this year marks a revolutionary epoch in the annals of dollmaking.

## CONVENTION WEEK—POCATELLO,

January 8-13.  
Five big conventions. See Oregon Short Line agents for excursion rates.

—Advertisement.

THE LIVE CANDY MAN WISHES A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR TO YOU ALL AND THANKS YOU FOR THE MANY FAVORS EXTENDED DURING THE PAST YEAR.

## BULL PEDDLERS SELL POOR STOCK TO UTAH FARMERS.

SALT LAKE—"Beware of bull peddlers," is the warning that goes out from the department of animal husbandry of the Utah Agricultural college.

The new state law that goes into effect January 1, 1917, compels all who would use the public domain for pasture to provide one pure bred bull of recognized beef type for every forty or fraction thereof, breeding cows. Because of this law many unscrupulous dealers have been picking up inferior pure bred stock in the east at next to nothing, and have been selling this to farmers throughout the state at greatly increased prices. Many instances have come to the notice of the college experts where inferior bulls have been sold at prices far below their worth.

## FREE MELONS FOR NEGROES GIVEN OUT.

ATLANTA, GE.—The proprietor of a Georgia seed store adopted a novel method of extracting the seeds from a special variety of watermelon that he wished to put into the market, and of which he had a number of specimens.

The melons were cut and a great crowd of negroes were invited in from the street to eat their favorite fruit free. All that was required of them besides eating melon was to save the seeds.

## CANNOT RUN YOUR OWN TRAIN ON A PUBLIC RAILROAD TRACK

WASHINGTON—The interstate commerce commission has the most novel request ever presented to it.

A Pennsylvania man, who did not leave his name, asked the railroad regulating body if, under the law, it is possible for any citizen to run his own train on a railroad provided he complies with the operating regulations of the railroad. He said he believed individuals should be per-

## GREAT AMOUNT OF SHOE LEATHER USED IN WAR.

LONDON—Kicking Germans back across their own borders is requiring an enormous amount of boot leather. As England is supplying the greater portion of all the boots worn by the allied soldiers, the shoe factories throughout England are swamped with work today.

For the winter, the English government will require 2,000,000 feet of superior leather for Cosack boots and 7,000,000 feet of leather for the British soldiers' footwear. The shipments of such tremendous orders must be completed by the time cold weather sets in and has forced the government to take up every piece of leather on the market.

## NOTICE TO FARMERS OF THE TWIN FALLS TRACT

I am going east for a few weeks and during my absence Mr. C. A. Penrod will be at our warehouse to write contracts for those calling there and Mr. A. M. Scott of Kimberly will also write contracts for us anywhere on the tract. Our prices are as high as any seed company's and in addition we will free of charge all crops delivered to our warehouse and give the grower back screenings.

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MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Isis Theatre.

## Murtaugh News

Times Special Correspondence.

School begun in the new school building last Monday. On Thursday afternoon a program was rendered by the children in the auditorium which was beautifully decorated with Christmas trees and a present for each child on them. Each child received a treat from the teachers also.

School was then dismissed for vacation until Tuesday but it was found impossible to start on that day because of the coal shortage. The teachers, Prof. Davis, Mrs. Hensley, Misses Bancroft and Howrka, attended Institute at Twin Falls Friday.

The L. D. S. Sunday school gave an interesting Christmas program on Saturday evening in their church followed by the lighting of a Christmas tree and distribution of treats for every child present.

A Christmas program was given on Sunday evening at the M. E. church followed by the distribution of presents to the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Chance entertained their brother Harry Chance of Butley for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Kendall entertained the latter's sister, Mrs. Audrey Carlson and husband of Boise Christmas.

Oliver Johnson of Twin Falls spent Christmas with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hunt, Mrs. Chas. Miller and James Boyd motored to Twin Falls Saturday.

Mrs. Goss was surprised Saturday





At the Idaho Theatre Monday and Tuesday.

## THEATRE UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

B. W. MAGEL-OF THE ISIS THEATRE TAKES POSSESSION SATURDAY NIGHT

As a result of a business deal last night, B. W. Magel of the Isis theatre bought out E. J. Williams and Harry F. Allen, the present managers, and will take possession Saturday night.

The Isis theatre program for Monday and Tuesday will be shown at the Isis as an advertisement in the future shows will be presented at that theatre during the first part of the week. The usual Friday and Saturday shows, however, will be given consisting of Metro programs.

Bluebird, Fox and Paramount programs will be given at the Isis theatre and a special New Year's matinee is planned by Manager Magel. Regular matinees at the Idaho theatre will begin at two-thirty o'clock.

### BABY DEATH RATE CUT DESPITE PARALYSIS

NEW YORK—Despite the infantile paralysis epidemic, deaths among babies in New York were considerably reduced during 1918 as compared to previous years, according to an announcement of the Babies' Welfare association. The association is sending out an appeal for funds to further "baby saving" work.

"The fact that a greater number of babies have been saved in New York is due to the co-operation of all available agencies," said C. Spencer Richardson, chairman of the executive committee.

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## The Idaho Theatre

### FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

MATINEE AND EVENING EVENING ONLY

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### "ALLADIN AND HIS WONDERFUL LAMP"

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THE INCOMPARABLE

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IN A MODERN MELODRAMA.

### "THE LASH"

## RUSSIA OFFERS GOOD CHANCES FOR AMERICA

Close of War Will Bring Demand for Machinery—Many Business Openings in Land of Czar.

CHICAGO—There is plenty of room and a welcome for the American business man in Russia today, according to Professor Samuel N. Harpur who has spent four years in the land of the Czar in an interview given to the United Press here.

Close of business methods will get him much in the land of the Czar as in his own United States. The business man who wants to be "habiled" has better stay away, sitting on the door step of a Russian military waiting a handout of juicy orders, will bring only an order to beat it. No one is either working on the theory that one has to "cultivate." The American who tries to bribe his way there is a chump.

There is a huge demand for manufactured goods. The demand is large now, and as Russia is comparatively an undeveloped country, the demand will grow.

For complicated machinery, this demand will last for years. In the case of most staples already sold on a small margin, the Russian market will be attractive for only a limited time.

Despite the high tariff for years now levied by the military authorities, there will have to be imported. Before the war many of these goods came from Germany. Even if after the war there is no trade combination of the allies there will be for a while a sentiment against Germany. Russia is endeavoring to establish factories in Russia. American concerns are going to make their big money in Russia out of Russian branch factories.

## CARRANZA FORCES ARE CONCENTRATED

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entire brigade to reinforce the Chihuahua division.

Villa troops defeated a large force of Carranzistas near San Pedro in Chihuahua, according to reports received here today by the military authorities and by mining men. The Carranza army had been dispatched from Monterrey to aid the troops at Torreon, under attack by the bandit's army.

Villa received word of the advance of the relief forces and sent out an army to intercept and flag the Monterrey troops.

The battle was sharp and decisive and the defeat of the Carranzistas was overwhelming.

Further confirmation of the latest of Villa's victories came tonight in reports to General Funston's secret agents.

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## WILL CELEBRATE NEW YEAR IN GRAND STYLE

Rogerson Hotel Cafe to Be Scene of Festivities at New Year's Dinner Dance Monday Evening.

Confetti, horns, bells, tin pans and a number of other noise makers will be accessories to the big New Year's celebration of the birth of 1917, which beginning at nine o'clock will reach its climax at midnight next Monday in the Rogerson hotel cafe. In appreciation of the loyal support of her patrons during the past year, and to commemorate the completion of her second year as manager of the cafe, Mrs. I. M. Arrillaga has planned an entertainment and celebration which she feels confident will eclipse anything of like nature ever before given in Twin Falls. She has been planning for a number of weeks past and everything is now in readiness for Monday evening, and special attention has been paid to the preparation of an appealing and appetizing menu.

Guest favors for the evening will consist of paper and envelopes, and present will be given every opportunity to enter into the spirit of the occasion.

Dancing will be in progress during the evening with music furnished by the Coburn orchestra. As a special feature for the evening, Mrs. Arrillaga will retain the Musical Shrine who have been pleasing the patrons of the cafe during the past week.

A large number of reservations have already been made and to avoid disappointment in not receiving accommodations Mrs. Arrillaga is urging those who are contemplating attending the celebration, to place their names in early.

## BLACKMAILERS TRY BLOW UP CITIZEN

Explosion at Home of Salt Lake Man Near Executive Mansion Causes Excitement in Utah.

SALT LAKE—That the attempt to dynamite the home of James Jennings, wealthy Salt Lake realty dealer, at 425 East 5th Temple, was the work of blackmailers is the statement made today by police detectives.

One operative of a detective bureau declared he had been retained a week ago on a blackmail case in which two wealthy Salt Lake citizens had been threatened with death unless they gave up a certain sum of money. Jennings was one of the recipients of these letters, and co-operative said. He refused to disclose the name of the other or the sum asked for.

Pollie, Chief White said he had been informed of any blackmail plot against Jennings. He was inclined to believe the explosion an effort to intimidate Governor Smith.

The governor, who has been the object of thousands of threatening letters from J. W. W. since the execution of Joseph Hillstrom, lives but a short distance from the Jennings home.

The explosion, which did little damage, occurred Christmas night about eleven o'clock, just after members of the Jennings family had gone upstairs to retire. It was on the outside of the house, at the northeast corner. Two bricks were blown out and all the nearby windows broken. Other windows were cracked.

Members of the family said they detected the odor of smoke just before they went upstairs. For that reason, the police are inclined to believe a stick of dynamite attached to a fuse was used. A piece of leather of the type usually wrapped around a dynamite stick and attached to a fuse was picked up after the explosion by Patrolman Larson.

Jennings denies that he has antagonized the J. W. W. in any way, or that any "disfranchised" employees of his firm might have a grudge against him.

## The Theatres

CHAPLIN'S REVIEW SEEN AT ISIS THIS WEEK.

The year's great "laughter frolic" is at the Isis theatre Friday and Saturday. It is the first Chaplin Revue of 1919. This has been specially arranged by the producing company from its greatest Charlie Chaplin comedy successes, "The Tramp," "His New Job" and "A Night Out," and is considered the funniest picture in which Chaplin has ever appeared, and it is said there is not a single moment when the interest lags and not a foot that is not packed with really riotous fun. This view is held by those who have seen the Essanay Revue. The comedy is unlike others in that it carries a distinct continuity. While many slapstick comedies could begin in the middle or be run backwards and no one realize the difference, this has a distinct introduction, with scenes following rapidly and logically in perfect sequence and leading in constructive order up to the climax in the denouement.

NEW YEAR'S OFFERING IS MYSTERY PLAY.

Bluebird will exhibit a "mystery play" at the Isis theatre on Monday and Tuesday, with Hobart Henley playing a dual role. It will be entitled "The Sign of the Poppy" and will tell an interesting story of adventure, filled with exciting episodes and superior details and excellence. Mr. Henley will impersonate twin brothers, one of whom was stolen when an infant was raised to its intents and purposes as a Chiselman. The kidnapping was retaliating vengeance for a wrong committed against Hop J. L. the ruler of Chiselman by Jerry Marston, father of the twins. The boy who grew up as Chang was taught by his captor to hate everybody who bore the name of Marston and the operations of Chang's hatred constitute the plot of "The Sign of the Poppy."

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This is the theme for the Jesse L. Lasky production of "The Lash" which will be the Paramount attraction at the Idaho Monday and Tuesday with the beautiful and captivating Marie Doro as the star.

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## ALLIED SOCIALISTS AGAINST PEACE NOW

French Leader Says Immediate Peace Would Mean Enslavement—Belgian Leader Agrees With Him.

PARIS—In addresses at the national congress of the French Socialist party, held here today, Raymond L. cabinet minister, and G. H. Roberts, member of the British parliament, both affirmed midst enthusiastic applause that the war must be fought out until full guarantees had been obtained for a lasting peace.

"In my opinion," said Henderson, "if France and other nations were to enter into negotiations under existing conditions we would be nations in bondage. Nothing less than that is the price our enemies would exact for peace today."

Smile Vandervelde, Belgian Socialist leader, said: "Our comrades who remained in invaded Belgium under German dominion with admirable firmness. Nothing but encouragement comes us from them, so that it would seem that peace must be hostile to the war are those farthest from it."

Vandervelde declared the struggle must be carried on until Belgium and Serbia are delivered and Cuesarnum is laid low.

## SECOND IDAHO IS UNDER QUARANTINE

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Colonel Crow for the part he played in leading enlisted men to disregard orders issued by their officers. Captain Biggs and Lieutenant Colonel Crow were together Tuesday night when the provost guard entered the dance hall. Rockingham officers were reticent in discussing the incident Wednesday. Colonel Edcliff said he believed it arose over a misunderstanding of orders issued Tuesday afternoon when several of the militia officers and men were downtown.

The following is the complete list of the membership of Company D now held at Boise under quarantine:

Captain, Peter W. McCorbets; First Lieutenant, Charles H. Krenzel; second Lieutenant, Ralph E. Leighton.

First sergeant, Arthur E. Wenzel; mess sergeant, Victor E. Goides; supply sergeant, John H. Smith.

Sergeants—Shirley E. Pendleton; Theodore E. Bowen; David A. Blissett; John C. Harvey.

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