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HUNS MAKE HEAVY HAUL OF TONNAGE

LARGE PART OF RUSSIAN BLACK SEA FLEET BELIEVED INCLUDED IN CAPTURE OF SEBASTOPOL BY GERMANS—ARE MODERN SHIPS

(By United Press.)
OSTANTINOPIE, May 6.—(via London).—German troops, occupying Sebastopol (in the Crimea peninsula) found in the harbor most of the Russian Black sea fleet, including cruisers, destroyers, torpedo boats, submarines and merchant ships. It was officially announced today.

The Sultan Bill and the Hamidids have arrived there. The dispatch would indicate that at least a large portion of the Russian Black sea fleet had been captured by the Germans. This fleet is said to have played an important role in the recapture of Odessa by the Russians, and it was expected to be the chief asset of the Russians in their fight to retain control of the Black sea.

What Official Lists Show

According to available official lists, the Russian fleet included the battleships *Jokan Khatatov* and *Sriatal Evtat*, both of 13,000 tons; the battleship *Potomik Tavrichsk*, of 12,840 tons; the battleship *Bostlav* of 9,200 tons; the battleship *Ti Sviatola* of 12,850 tons; the battleship *Gorgi Pobedonos*, of 12,810 tons; the protected cruiser *Ochakov* and *Pamiat Morvika* of 5160 tons each; the protected cruiser *Prut*, formerly the *Turk* of 5,000 tons, which was salvaged after being mined; the *Zemstva Terec* and *Donetz* of 2800 tons each; nine transports, ranging from 430 to 10,959 tons; two armed yachts; two minesweepers; two minesweepers; and 21 destroyers, torpedo boats and five submarines.

May Mean Few Battleships

The fact that the Constantinople report omitted any mention of "battleships" may mean that only a small and comparatively unimportant portion of the fleet was captured. Three huge dreadnaughts of 22,000 to 27,000 tons were also reported under construction in 1914 and 1915, as well as four modern cruisers, but it is doubtful if those were ever finished. One of those dreadnaughts was being built at Sebastopol, while the others and the cruisers were under construction at Nikolavitch by the Russians. The Hamidids is a Turkish protected cruiser of 3800 tons, formerly the *Abdel Hamid*.

PORTLAND MAN KILLED BY A GERMAN SHELL

(By Fred B. Ferguson)

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMIES
WRECK OF MONTREAL, May 6.—Major A. Rasmussen of Portland, Oregon, was killed by a German shell while leading his men in a reconnaissance. Rasmussen, together with Lieutenant Colonel Griffin, who was killed in action on the front last week, served in the Canadian-American legion before being transferred to the American expeditionary force.

GERMAN ATTACK PAIRS

(By United Press.)

PARIS, May 6.—The German attack following a violent bombardment fell southeast of Arras, France, the French war office announced today.

"The enemy left numerous dead," the office said, "and captured large numbers of prisoners in the region of Arras."

"In the Champagne region, we penetrated German positions west of Blain, inflicting serious losses and bringing back a quantity of material."

MISSION OF JAPAN WILL BE TO PRESERVE PEACE IN THE FAR EAST AND ASSIST ALLIES

(By Ralph H. Turner)

TOKYO, May 6.—Japan's foreign policy will not be changed, Baron Shigemitsu told the new foreign minister, told newspapermen today.

Japan will continue to maintain peace in the far east, at the same time aiding the allies all in her power and seeking the co-operation of China.

TURK RE-OCCUPATION MOVES ARMENIANS TO APPEAL TO VATICAN

(By United Press.)
BOMB, May 6.—The Armenians have frantically appealed to Pope Benedict, imploring him to save them from the consequences of Turkish re-occupation of their country. It was learned today. The pope is deeply moved, and intends to make every effort to induce the Germans to prevent the Turks from committing further atrocities, it is said.

COMMENCE SYSTEMATIC DESTRUCTION OF AMIENS

(By Henry Wood)

WITH THE FRENCH ARMIES
IN THE FIELD, May 6.—The Germans Saturday and Sunday began the systematic destruction of Amiens, the same as they annihilated Rheims. They burned more than 150 schools and sixty mental hospitals into the city, causing heavy property damage, killing some civilians and endangering the cathedral, the palace of justice and the museum. The latter contains the famous *Puce* by Chavannes and other masterpieces. Amiens was evacuated by a large portion of the civilian population some time ago. Recent dispatches declared that Rheims practically had been razed, and stated the famous cathedral there was so badly wrecked that its collapse was imminent.

DRAFTED MEN MAY BE SENT TO ANY POINT

(By United Press.)

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Men raised under the draft can be sent anywhere in the world to fight for the United States, the supreme court today decided.

The action of the court upholds the selective draft law in particular.

TEUTONIC BLUES AFFECT BOCHES

TROOPS BELIEVE THEY HAVE BEEN MISLED—LOW MORALE RESULT

(By William Philip Sims)

WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, May 6.—For six days the Germans have been blocked in Ypres. For thirty-five days they have been held in check at Amiens. What is their next move and where? Enemy prisoners are betraying symptoms of apathy. Captured letters tend to show the German people at home add to this impression. The boches certainly are less cocksure than at the start of their offensive and apparently are suffering from a bit of Teutonic blues, which is typical when anything goes wrong.

The German troops whose dependents of the still distant peace which they had once believed was near. The whole German prisoners' plaint is that the troops have again been misled, and instead of peace, there will be more static warfare.

Will Obey the Master

Although they are down in the mouth they will continue to do Hindenburg's bidding, waiting for some time to go. Further extremely heavy fighting is possible at any time.

Today I saw long columns of Germans and Poles. Elsewhere, I observed Americans, each of their faces stamped with a curious expression of mixed chagrin and grimace that spoke volumes.

Anticipatory of the next fighting, both the French and British are optimistic. They whistle, sing and eat change baiter as they move into the line, wrapping jokes with their comrades. All know the heavy ship and tank battles that are yet in store for them, but they are serene, confident of the outcome.

GEORGE MEEBEE WALD

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The merger of the Presbyterian church of the United States with the Cumberland Presbyterian church was held valid by the supreme court today.

THAT REGULATION LINE

A local paper pays a magnificent tribute to the splendid circulation of the Daily News when it refuses to believe that winter figures of the News' circulation and mildly characterizes them as "lies." With anxious consciousness of its position it urges "business men who do not desire to contribute to moribund institutions should investigate these circulation statistics. It is not a challenge that the News makes, but rather the most cordial sort of an invitation to everyone interested in particularly advertisements—to do just this thing. While rather out of the ordinary, the News would even extend the same invitation to the general public of the article in question to call around and count 'em himself."

PESSIMISM IS KEYNOTE OF HUN OUTLOOK

HINDENBURG'S SPRING SLAUGHTER WITHOUT PRACTICAL RESULTS AND SITUATION ON BATTLE FRONTS IS REFLECTED AT HOME

(By J. W. T. Mabon)

NEW YORK, May 6.—A period of pessimism has begun within the central empire, because of the cessation of von Hindenburg's bloody offensive and a realization that the extravagant promises of the kaiser's militarists have not been met.

Henceforth increasingly serious conditions will be reported as existing in Germany and Austria-Hungary. The kaiser's incorrigible dramatic temperament made this reaction doubly inevitable by ordering last March the announcement in such grandiloquent terms of Hindenburg's spring slaughter.

Nevertheless conditions necessary in interpreting too optimistically the immediate results of the disappointed hopes of the German and Austria-Hungarian people. Although Hindenburg has been checked, the kaiser can tell his subjects that Germany's position at the present juncture is more greatly strengthened because of the fidelity of the foe.

Final Final Card

This is the final card that the argument will be used with all the despatch of despotic certainty. But to make it effective, the kaiser must show there is a possibility of a peace conference being called in the immediate future at which the German gains in Flanders and the Allies can be capitalized.

The German government, therefore, must start another peace drive at the earliest possible moment. It will be necessary for the allies to block this crafty new offensive before it gathers serious impetus. A conference to end the war under present military conditions would be interpreted by the people of Germany and Austria-Hungary as having been forced on the allies by Hindenburg's drive against the west front.

Get Ready for America

If peace overtures from the central empire are rejected at the time the kaiser's militarists must at once take up defensive positions in the west to meet America's final blow. When the German people realize that a Hohenzollern peace is impossible, and that America's million are preparing to strike, then only will they be created an environment of alarm bordering on panic which is imperative before kaiserism can be overthrown.

SOCIAL LEADER ANSWERS TO FINAL ROLL CALL

(By United Press.)

CHICAGO, May 6.—Mrs. Potter Palmer, Chicago society leader and one of the best known women in the United States, died today at her winter home in Saratoga, N. Y., according to a message to relatives here.

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INITIATIVE IS NOW IN ALLIED HANDS

Haig's Report Shows Consistent Advances with Enemy Opposition Overcome Along Considerable Front with Big Hun Losses

British Improve Positions in Neighborhood of Locan and Along the Lawe-Flanders Front Quiet—American Artillery Smashing Away with Excellent Results.

ADVANCE THEIR LINES IN SPITE OF STRONG OPPOSITION

(By United Press.)

LONDON, May 6.—BRITISH TROOPS, ADVANCED THEIR LINES ON A "CONSIDERABLE FRONT" ON BOTH SIDES OF THE SOMME, DESPITE STRONG ENEMY RESISTANCE, FIELD MARCHAL HAIG REPORTED TODAY.

"BETWEEN THE SOMME AND THE ANOBE AND WEST AND SOUTHWEST OF MORLANCOURT (MIDWAY BETWEEN THE LOWE RIVER (SOHME) WE ADVANCED OUR LINES ON A CONSIDERABLE FRONT, IN SPITE OF STRONG OPPOSITION," THE STATEMENT SAID.

CLAIM CONSUL WAS TOO ACTIVE

STATE DEPARTMENT RECEIVES PROTEST FROM SOVIET REPUBLIC

(By United Press.)

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The state department has received a protest from the soviet republic of Russia asserting that the American consul at Vladivostok improperly encouraged a movement for establishing a separate Siberian government.

This protest, also delivered to cabinet diplomats, suggests that counter revolutionists in Siberia have been friendly.

While the state department has not yet made its reply, it was indicated that it will answer the soviet with the statement that the Vladivostok consul has been guilty of an indiscretion and has given no encouragement to a separate government movement.

UNITED PRESS MAN IN GIVEN LEGION OF HONOR

(By United Press.)

PARIS, May 6.—Henry Wood, United Press' staff correspondent with the French armies, has been named for the Legion of Honor in recognition of his work on the French front during the past twenty months.

The cross was bestowed at French general headquarters, with the traditional ceremony, by a major general of the French staff. The honor was conferred by the French government at the request of General Potain.

Henry Wood's home is in Omaha and his first newspaper experience was on the Omaha Daily News. Later he worked on several Ohio newspapers. He has been with the United Press about ten years. He was in charge of the *Siam* bureau of the United Press at the time of the death of Pope Pius X, and scored a famous feat on the event. He was afterward manager of the *Paris Herald*, and has been in the field with the United Press about two years.

BRITISH IN ADVANCE ON TWO POINTS

GAIN TWELVE HUNDRED YARDS ON FRONT OF OVER MILE; AUSTRALIANS INITIATE A SUCCESSFUL ATTACK AND HOLD GROUND TAKEN

(By William Philip Sims)

WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, May 6.—British troops have advanced 1,200 yards on a front of more than a mile, between the Ancre and the Somme.

North of the Somme, the Australians advanced 700 yards on a 1,500 yard front, and early today they added another 500 yards, on a 3,000 yard front.

The first Australian advance was made in the darkness early Sunday morning. Suddenly and silently they swept forward, surprising the German garrison in the front line just north of the Somme, and taking some prisoners.

Similarly in pitch darkness early today, they pushed on despite strong opposition. There are many German dead and the Australian casualties are not heavy.

Intermittent shelling continues. It is raining.

BASEBALL MAN TAKES OWN LIFE

(By United Press.)

CHICAGO, May 6.—Ned Egan, famous as a minor league baseball manager, committed suicide by shooting in a hotel here early today.

Egan was a member of the Milwaukee Association club this year, but ill health prevented. A note which his illness inspired the suicide.

Egan, who had been in a Milwaukee sanitarium since February, when his spine was injured in a skating rink accident, secured an overdose from the sanitarium. Purchasing a revolver in Milwaukee he came to Chicago and registered at the Grand Pacific hotel. His bed had not been used.

Egan began as an infielder in 1897 and won a batting average of .300 and secured his first experience as a manager in the New York State League. After becoming manager of the Waterloo Central League club in 1906 he won four pennants and eight seconds there.

FIFTEEN AMERICANS REPORTED MISSING

(By United Press.)

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Today's casualty list contained further names of American soldiers believed to have been captured in the recent fighting at Arras. Fifteen were reported as "missing." The list also included six killed in action; three from wounds; nine of disease; two from accident; one of other causes; four severely wounded, and 46 slightly wounded—a total of 85.

BREAKDOWN FROM OVERWORK

(By United Press.)

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Frank W. Polk, counselor of the state department, is quite seriously ill as a result of a breakdown from overwork.

THE ALLIES WILL RETAIN THE INITIATIVE ON THE WESTERN BATTLE FRONT, FIELD MARCHAL HAIG'S REPORT TODAY SHOWED.

"IN PICARBY THE BRITISH ADVANCED THEIR LINE ON A "CONSIDERABLE FRONT" ALONG THE SOMME AND BETWEEN THALER RIVER AND ALBERT SIX MILES TO THE NORTH. HAIG SAID HIS TROOPS "ENCOUNTERED A STRONG OPPOSITION" THERE, BUT INFLECTED HEAVY CASUALTIES ON THE ENEMY WHILE SUFFERING SLIGHT LOSSES THEMSELVES.

Only local fighting was reported in Flanders and this on the southern portion of the battle front. Haig said the British improved their positions in the neighborhood of Locan and on the Lawe. Locan is about three miles south of Bethune. The Lawe flows northward, crossing the lines about a mile east of Locan, and converging with the Lys near Estaires.

American Gun Busy

A United Press dispatch from the American front in Flanders said the American artillery is smashing the towns of Montdidier, Cantigny and Meulst. Georgia, but is sparing the churches in those places, despite the fact that they are believed to shelter German artillery observers. Cantigny is about three miles and a half west of Montdidier. Meulst. St. Georgia is a mile and a half west and south of Montdidier and two miles south and east of Cantigny.

An official report from Constantinople said that German troops, in occupying Sebastopol, found a portion of the Russian Black sea fleet in the harbor.

"The employment of these ships in a sortie against the allied naval forces in the Mediterranean, however, is doubtful."

AMERICAN PATROL IN SUCCESSFUL ATTACK

(By United Press.)

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN LOBBRAINE, May 6.—An American patrol penetrated German lines in the village of Ancerville to a depth of 300 yards Sunday morning, overcoming an observation post, taking four boches prisoner and killing three.

Elsewhere, everything is quiet. Ancerville is three miles and a half northwest of Badonville and is six miles and a half south of the German line. It is in the so-called Lenoille sector.

TRENCHES BLOTTED OUT BY HEAVY ARTILLERY

(By United Press.)

PARIS, May 6.—The American artillery fired 60,000 shells into the German lines today.

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ORGANIZED SEARCH AT OCEAN BEACH FOR BODIES OF THOSE CAUGHT BY RIP TIDE

(By United Press.)

SAN DIEGO, May 6.—Police and life guards were today patrolling Ocean Beach, near here, searching for bodies of bathers who were drowned yesterday when a peculiar "rip tide" caught 100 people in the surf.

Two soldiers are known to have drowned; six soldiers and two civilians are missing. The identity of the missing men was established by their clothes, which were found in the beach boxes. It is believed possible that others who drowned elsewhere were caught in the tide and drowned.

Bodies of people were saved by the quick work of a life saving crew and police. The beach at this point had been considered safe, and no explanation of the freak tide was offered today.

The oblong tide suddenly developed a strong undercurrent and the sea became unexpectedly choppy. The bathers were helpless in the swirling current.

SMALL ARMIES OF AMERICANS BEING SHIPPED STEADILY

MAY AND JUNE FIGURES MORE THAN EQUAL THE PORTUGUESE AND BELGIAN ARMIES COMBINED

WASHINGTON, May 6.—America is now shipping small armies to France in response to the allied appeal for reserves.

During May and June contemplated shipments will more than equal the fighting strength of the combined Belgian and Portuguese troops on the west front.

July and August will show a slight decline in the average as added tonnage is turned to the task of getting across the newly needed supplies in increased quantities. In the fall and winter months the work of building up this country's fighting forces abroad will be more methodical. Divisions torn apart for the purpose of brigading units with the British and French will be brought together and organizations left behind will be sent to complete a cohesive all-American army.

Will Register New Ones

It is supposed to have a registration June 6 for all young men who have reached 21 since the last registration. This will create a new reservoir of class one men, now being rapidly depleted by the heavy drafts of April and May. At the present rate July 1 will find few in class one remaining unless the war department has completed its classification of the new thousands. Hence there may be some slight slowing up

of draft calls during June and July. Manifestation of law and determined movement in foot in congress to insist upon universal military training.

A determined attempt to put it in the great army expansion program will be made when the \$15,000,000,000 army appropriation bill reaches the floor of the house.

Three Training Periods

Advocates of the system will propose that young men be given three months' training in their nineteenth year, three months in the twentieth and six months in the twenty-first.

Although the plan was defeated in the senate and was opposed by the administration, the big expansion program has doubtless added strength to the universal training forces. A majority of the Republicans have been lined up behind the plan, it is claimed.

"Universal training would make much another working war machine," Representative Madden said today. "The men of 21, who are to be taken into the army as they become of age, would be ready for the finishing training touches the moment they are inducted into service."

FIREMAN FAINTS AND FALLS FROM ENGINE

Falling in a faint from the fire engine at the corner of Main avenue and Second street, when the fire department was called out at about 2 o'clock Sunday morning to extinguish a grease fire in the City safe, 117 Main avenue east, Homer L. Alexander, engineer for the fire department for several weeks past, struck against projecting pipes at the rear of the engine, receiving lacerations about the face and head. He remained unconscious for more than an hour. A physician was summoned to attend him. He was relieved from duty for the balance of the day but returned to his post Monday morning. Alexander does not recall answering the alarm. Associates noticed that he appeared groggy when he took his place on the engine.

BRITISH CASUALTIES AT QUARTER MILLION SO FAR

Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Killed, Wounded and Missing in Great West Front Battle to Date is Announcement by British War Mission.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—British casualties in the great west front battle to date show 250,000 killed, wounded and missing, according to dispatches to the British war mission here.

It was estimated that the German losses are at least double this amount, the heaviest casualty being inflicted on Hindenburg's forces before Ypres just before the last pause in the great struggle.

At the same time it was announced a resumed German drive toward the channel will make the British position undoubtedly serious unless reserves are

close at hand to strengthen the British divisions which have been almost constantly in the line since the beginning of the present battle.

"Everything points to the German offensive being continued almost immediately and should the brunt of the lack again have to be borne by the British, the situation will be undeniably serious, unless sufficient troops are available close at hand in reserve to strengthen the line as required and bring relief to the British divisions, who have been in the line almost constantly since the beginning of the present battle," said the dispatch.

HOLDS COURT ORDER WAS NOT VIOLATED

CONTEMPT CHARGE AGAINST C. W. GRIGGS IS DISMISSED AFTER LENGTHY HEARING

At the conclusion of a hearing that occupied the time of the district court here all afternoon Friday and till noon Saturday, charge of contempt of court brought against C. W. Griggs, Twin Falls farmer, on the grounds that he had violated the terms of an injunction issued last fall restraining him from interfering with the flow of water in an irrigation ditch serving his neighbor, Charles Flowerdew, was dismissed by District Judge W. A. Babcock. The action was brought by Flowerdew, who

was represented by Attorney T. K. Hechman. The testimony of 18 witnesses was introduced. Griggs was represented by Attorneys W. F. Gutbric and James B. Bothwell.

Convicted of Battery

Flowerdew was convicted of battery upon the person of Griggs as the result of a trial of an action brought recently in probate court here. Statement of witnesses that Griggs had interfered with the flow of water in the ditch in question figured in the trial of the criminal action.

AOTRESS' CONDITION IMPROVED

NEW YORK, May 6.—Improvement is expected today in the condition of Anna Held, the actress, as a result of blood infusion, which was resorted to yesterday.

INITIATIVE IN ALIEN HANDS

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IRISH MEETING DRAWS ENORMOUS ATTENDANCE

(By United Press.)
DUBLIN, May 6.—The joint nationalist and Sinn Fein anti-conscription meeting at Ballinacorney was the biggest yet held, 12,000 attending. Dillon and DeValera were the principal speakers.

TAKES DEATH CLAIM TO SUPREME COURT

ATTORNEY JAMES H. WISE REPRESENTS HEIRS OF HARRY M. KING, KILLED FIVE YEARS AGO

Claim of the heirs of Harry M. King, electrician, who was killed at Buhl May 6, 1913, for damages from the successors in interest of the Great Shoshone & Twin Falls Water Power company, employers of the deceased, will be presented in the United States supreme court this week by Attorney James H. Wise of Twin Falls, who appears in this case for Carl J. Mann, administrator of King's estate.

Mr. Wise left for Washington on

GERMANS GATHER FROM ALL OVER

HUNS FROM SOUTH AMERICA ARE MOBILIZING IN MEXICO

(By United Press.)

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Germans from all over South and Central America are concentrating in Mexico, according to official information. They are sent there to stir up trouble through German propaganda and if possible to organize the Mexicans into a fighting force.

Germany is extending her consular system in Mexico and these agents are sources of serious propaganda.

The official advice indicated that some interested soldiers and sailors in South American countries, where the movement is not as strict as in this country, had made their way to Mexico.

Sunday morning and will be away for about 10 days.

The case was instituted in district court here, and upon application of the defendant for change of forum, was transferred to the federal courts. Argument on the part of the plaintiff to establish his priority of his claim over those of other creditors of the defendant corporation were sustained in both the federal district court and circuit court of appeals. The case goes to the supreme court upon application of the defendants for writ of certiorari.

First Wife Eliminated

The heirs of Harry M. King are widower and two minor children residing in Denver. In the course of the hearing in the federal district court in Boise, the claim of a divorced wife of King was denied.

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PROMISE QUICK ACTION UPON ROAD DISTRICT

CONCERN PREPARING THE ELECTION PROCEEDING FINDS WAY THROUGH TECHNICALITIES

Keeler Brothers, investment bankers, of Denver, to whom the county commissioners have delegated the preparation of proceedings preliminary to an election on the creation of the proposed Twin Falls highway district, writing under date of May 1, to E. J. Finch, county clerk, state that as soon as certain detailed information is furnished them they will prepare the proceedings "without a moment's delay."

Includes Government Lands
The information required is in respect to the aggregate area of government lands within the boundaries of the proposed district, which comprises 1,000,480 acres, or all of the territory of Twin Falls county outside the Bureau and proposed filter highway districts. Keeler Brothers' attorneys hold that 95 per cent of the area of the district which is assessable for the purposes of the district must be represented by signatures to the petition for the creation of the district. It is held that the assessable area includes government lands which have been entered under the homestead or Carey act laws, whether or not patent has been issued or not.

Says Petition Adequate
Mr. Finch expresses confidence that the petition for the creation of the district, which was filed during the month of March, bears signature of a sufficient number of taxpayers to justify the calling of the election.
Pursuant to the request of the petition the county commissioners called an election to be held on April 13 on the question of the creation of the proposed district. Hearing advice of the representatives of bond dealers, the commissioners later rescinded their order calling this election and delegated to Keeler Brothers the preparation of legal proceedings in connection with the election to order that the status of the proposed district might be established beyond question, and in order that its securities might command a favorable market.

Delay Through Misunderstanding
Subsequently delay was occasioned by discovery of the commissioners that the proceedings prepared by the attorney firm presumed erroneously that the petition had been signed by a certain percentage of the number of voters cast for governor at the last general election instead of landowners representing a certain percentage of the assessable area of the proposed district. The course might have been pursued under the provisions of the Idaho law.

AT THE HOTELS

- Saturday**
ROBERTSON—Ernest Prater; C. R. Jones; O. W. Rasmussen; Walter Casey; P. C. Rice; M. F. Rhoads; Ora McVey; A. A. Applegate and wife; Bob; John Wood; Paul; Cecil; Frank; Carl; Fred; John; W. L. Ash; Thomas; Algernon; Miss Houelle; L. W. Southard; Harry Wood; Boise; E. D. Swanson; Boise; A. F. Morse; Idaho Falls; O. H. Branson; Buhl; H. A. Baker; Pocatello; Warren; Paul; Pocatello; Frank; Paul; Pocatello; H. K. David; Pocatello; Mae E. Hale; Pocatello; J. E. Blake; Pocatello; D. H. Hunter; Nampa; J. S. Shomstein; Nampa; Mrs. Wilson; Bowley; Albion; Fay Gillette; Boise; Geo. A. Smith; Bowley; E. E. Hays; city; B. Harroun; Boise; G. A. Layton; Mountain; La; Frank E. Smith; Kysse; Ore; Dan A. Howard; Grangeville; Joe C. Glover; Hazelton; J. G. Mathes; Jerome; Miss Connelly; Minneapolis; Horace Allen; Mountain; R. L. Reed; Jerome; J. M. Hall; David; Dunlap; G. O. Allen; and wife; Bidge; Ida; H. J. Gaudier; and W. Wells; city; J. C. Wolgamott.
- FERRIN**—Fay Fowler, Boise; Frank Blake, Pocatello; I. P. Arnold, Salt Lake; W. E. Cloughly, Mrs. Rao D. Strickland, Idaho; P. M. Connelly, Salt Lake; W. J. Lane, Salt Lake; Larson, Salt Lake; Roy D. Coste, Salt Lake; E. J. Howard and wife, Seattle; Elmer Johnson; Wm. M. Hardy, Salt Lake; Vaughn Dunlap, Salt Lake; Wash.; W. W. Powell, Idaho; C. E. Buhl; Powell; E. J. Tompkins, Salt Lake; Joe Dowell; G. A. Larson; N. A. Patton; A. McEachern; G. C. Anderson; A. D. Watkins; G. P. Thomas, Boise; Edward Carey, Idaho; F. A. MacDunro, Carey, Idaho; Wm. Fay Connel, Nelson, Neb.
- Sunday**
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- ROBERTSON—J. E. McDermott, Pocatello; C. C. Menden, Meridian; W. H.

WAS IT A GAS ATTACK?

The Daily News does not intend to bore its readers with any lengthy reference to the attack that appeared Saturday in a local paper. Disregarding the personal invective which, of course, constitutes no part of the argument, the Daily News accepts the duty "to publish a statement from the United Press or ANY OTHER RESPONSIBLE AND FINANCIALLY RELIABLE INSTITUTION" to the effect that the Hearst International News Service had been denied the use of the cables in allied countries.

Assuming that the classification of the Hearst International News Service as a "respectable and financially reliable institution" will be accepted as more than satisfactory, the following is quoted from the argument presented last week before the supreme court of the United States by Samuel Untermyer, leading counsel for the International News Service.

"In endeavoring to sustain the right of the International Service to avail itself of the despatches of other news services, commercialize those despatches for its own benefit and the benefit of its patrons, Mr. Untermyer sought to reflect upon the motives of the Associated Press, which brought the injunction proceedings against the International.

"IT WAS AFTER THE ALLIES IN 1916 (AND LONG BEFORE WE ENTERED THE WAR) REFUSED AND WITHDREW CABLE SERVICE FROM THE DEFENDANT" (THE INTERNATIONAL SERVICE) "THAT THE EFFORT WAS MADE TO REBARBARS ITS BUSINESS BY THIS SUIT."

NON GUNNERS SHY AT BRITISH FLYERS

GERMAN ARTILLERYMEN HAVE NO USE FOR FLYERS OTHER THAN THEIR OWN

By Lt. J. B. MORTON
(Written for the United Press.)

LONDON.—A group of British infantry stood outside their billets listening to the enemy shells bursting round them, and watching the flashes of the British guns.

The German guns had made life in billets unpleasant for some time past. A black distance came a faint droning like some insect of night in full flight. It was a sound the men had been hoping to hear. It was too dark to see far into the air, but the droning grew louder.

"Aceships," said one man.
"That's the stuff to give 'em."
"Now we ain't to long."
"Fritz is going to cop it in the neck."

"In for a proper do," he is.
Some time afterwards, when the droning had grown faint in the distance over the German lines, the enemy shelling began to die down. It faltered, grew undecided, and finally ended its burst of exceedingly erratic and inaccurate shelling that gave one the impression of a spiteful creature cowering and spitting in rage and humiliation. The infantry laughed. Later on the sound of the returning aeroplane came to them. One was evidently flying faster than the others.
"He's coming down."
"Must be hit."
"Sure, enough, one machine landed. The pilot jumped out. His arm was roughly bandaged."
"Anyone sees to this for me?" he said.
A subaltern bound up the wounded arm.

"You managed to quiet those blighters all right," said the subaltern.
"What?" said the pilot.
"I say you managed to shoo 'em up."
"What?"
"Why, the chaps that have been trying to put it across us."
"Oh, yes. Have they stopped?"
"Lord, no," said the pilot. "We were after a dump miles behind the lines."
"Well—" said the subaltern, puzzled.

"Well, I suppose the chaps that were shelling you got the wind up badly when they heard us coming, thought we were after blood."
"That must have been it."
"Oh, that damp air way," said the pilot.

FOURTEEN TO RECEIVE DIPLOMAS AT KIMBERLY

Commencement exercises of the Kimberly high school to be held on Friday evening, May 17, will be preceded by the basketball game on Sunday evening, May 15, and class day exercises on Thursday evening, May 16. The alumni banquet for the seniors will take place on Saturday evening, May 11. All of the events of commencement week will take place in the high school building.

- Following are the graduates: Helen Albertson, Unah Draper, Vera Jameson, Marie Turner, Christine Stone, Merle Lacourse, Clara Belle Geravere, Marie Polkygrove, Gladys Wilmshurst, Geneva Morgan, Ray Wagner, Ernest Emerson, Jack Glahorn, Jay Scott.
- Noland, Boise; Roy W. Felton, Boise; A. C. Hunt, Boise; A. W. Smith, Boise; Leo H. Miller, Spokane; Chas. Taylor, St. Joe; A. F. Sandler, Salt Lake; V. D. DeMeyer, Salt Lake; Nat Sigil, Salt Lake; J. B. McInister, Oodling; Bartlett and Otto, Chicago; Margie Carson, Los Angeles; H. John Backner, Chicago; H. G. C. Cannon, Pocatello; J. L. G. Hoogstra; J. P. Maloney, Filley; Leland G. Bennett, city; Dat Thomson, Rupert; E. H. Elmore, Rupert; W. A. Jensen and wife, Rupert.

QUESTION IS FAR FROM SETTLEMENT

JAPANESE AMBASSADOR, STATE ACTION TAKEN WILL BE BAYE-FACTORY TO ALLEGE

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The Siberian problem is far from a settled one, Ambassador Ishii told the United Press Saturday, adding however that he bears the Japanese government's pledge that any action that may be eventually necessary will be taken only after the allies approve.

Ishii has the confidence not alone of his own government, but of the president and high officials of the administration. Hence it is believed he will counsel with them on the whole eastern situation and come to a definite policy before long.

The ambassador declared he had come here with the sole desire of dealing with questions arising between this country and Japan in a spirit of cooperation to the mutual benefit of the two nations.

No Political Significance
He expressed the opinion that there was no political significance in the recent retirement of Minister Motono from the Japanese ministry of foreign affairs, but he pointed out the fact that the government's policy of deliberation is regarded as a move in Siberia.

He asserted that the people of Japan hold the friendship and alliance of the United States and the attitude in the highest regard and that they stand firmly back of the government in its attitude.

Against Yellow Journalism

The ambassador believes yellow journalism and yellow press go hand-in-hand, the latter being the not unsurprising offspring of the former. He referred to the recent reports from Shanghai concerning alleged Japanese demands upon China as the product of Chinese yellow journalism.

ESCAPES SERIOUS HURT IN FALL OF 50 FEET

Glenn Sears, 11 year old son of M. P. Sears, 308 Sixth avenue, north, slipping with some other boys on the canyon wall near Blue Lakes toll house, on the south side of Snake river canyon, at about 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon, slipped and fell about 50 feet. Although rendered unconscious for a time, the boy's injuries were not serious, consisting in severe sprain to one leg and lacerations about the head and face. The attending physician states that he will be fully recovered within a week.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our neighbors and friends for their help and sympathy in the loss of our darling baby.
MR. AND MRS. PETER H. NEWMAN.

Buys Corcoran Rooms—Mrs. Agnes Dawson of Salt Lake, Kansas, purchased the Corcoran Rooms at 305 1/2, Shoshone street south from Mrs. Annie Fisher, who has had charge of them the past two years. Possession was taken on May 1.

Farmers and Merchants

This is a little talk to each of you, and both of you, as both of your interests are concerned

The farmers of Twin Falls county have united in the organization known as the "NON-PARTISAN LEAGUE" with the ULTIMATE AND ONLY PURPOSE of securing legislation beneficial to the great masses of the people, the PRODUCERS—THE FARMERS—AND THE CONSUMERS—THE LABORERS—as well as the LOCAL MERCHANTS, and as these classes of people compose about ninety-five per cent of the population of our county, our state and our nation, there can rest no doubt in the minds of rational thinking people of the righteousness of principles of the Non-Partisan League.

- Plants for Fruits, Eggs and other Farm Products.
3. Exemption of Farm Improvements from Taxation.
4. Rural Credit Banks.
5. State Ownership and Distribution of Water Powers.
(And other legislation beneficial to the great majority of the American people.)

The National Nonpartisan League is now organizing in nearly half of the states of the Union. It organized in North Dakota and elected all of the state and district officers before this country was drawn into the world war.

By this legislation the one man to be eliminated, the one man whom this organization is making the fight, is the SPECULATOR. No matter whether the speculator be called a grain gambler, a land shark, a power trust or cold storage magnate, THE NON-PARTISAN LEAGUE IS AFTER THIS FELLOW BECAUSE HE HAS OOST THE COMMON PEOPLE A LOT OF WORK FOR WHICH THEY HAVE RECEIVED LITTLE REWARD IN THE PAST.

These statements are made for the simple reason that some may feel that it is necessary for the Nonpartisan League to deny the charges of disloyalty, which are as idiotic and preposterous when made against this farmers' organization, as they are utterly false and untrue. In Twin Falls county the vast majority of the farmers are already members of the League. They have found it necessary to have their own mouth-piece, a newspaper, in the county to carry the facts of the case to the people, and the result is that

THE NON-PARTISAN LEAGUE IS NOT making a fight on local merchants. Truly, it can be said, there is much in common between the farmer and the merchant. The retail merchant is just as necessary under the Nonpartisan form of government as under the Democratic or Republican forms (according to which party happen to be in power). "What the League proposes to do is to get the scalp of the trust, and this same step towards better government has been promised by both of the old party candidates for scores of years, but the trouble is, they have laid down on the job after being elected.

THE NONPARTISAN JOURNAL

has been established at Filley. Already this publication is among the very strongest in the county and southern Idaho, and has the loyal support of every member of the League.

THE NONPARTISAN JOURNAL will carry the truth of the campaign to you. SEND IN A SUBSCRIPTION TODAY and keep posted on what is being done in this campaign for better government. THE FARMER, THE LABORER, THE MERCHANT MUST STAND FOR ONE COMMON CAUSE—EQUALITY OF RIGHTS.

The object of this advertisement is to inform all citizens, farmers, merchants and laborers, just what the principles of the League are, so that even if they are not members of the League they may at once recognize truth from falsehood as concerns the principles of the League.

"IN UNION THERE IS STRENGTH. ORGANIZED FARMERS CAN BET. THE HELP THE GOVERNMENT WIN THE WAR AGAINST AUTOCRACY."

Here are the principles for which the League stands, AND WHICH HAVE UNITED THE WORKERS IN THE CITY AND THE TILLERS OF THE SOIL in the country:

Send in a subscription to the Nonpartisan Journal today.

1. State-owned Trucking Plants, Terminal Elevators and Packing Floor Mills.
2. State-owned Warehouses and Storage.

THE NON-PARTISAN JOURNAL FILER, IDAHO

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There is very little advance in the price of good furniture. Cheap furniture has nearly doubled. Our store is full of good furniture.

OSTRANDER & COMPANY "FURNITURE THAT FURNISHES"

ROSEWORTH HOLDS PATRIOTIC RALLY

Patriotic rallies had been held in practically every other district in Twin Falls county when arrangements were completed for a rally at Rosworth, the center for the House Creek, Three Creek and Marshall Butte districts, but the rallies in none of the districts were more wholly successful than was the one at Rosworth Saturday evening. The principle address of the occasion was made by Superintendent C. G. Manning, talks being made also by Miss Gertrude Denecke, county home demonstration agent and Miss Britton Wolfe, county superintendent of schools. An enjoyable feature of the affair was the music rendered by the Buhl high school orchestra.

Dry Climate Cigars

When you pay 10c or more, you are entitled to a cigar that has fine aroma and mildness. Dry Climate cigars have these desirable qualities. The tobaccos are AGED and BLENDING in a DRY CLIMATE; therefore excess moisture is cut out and natural aroma is developed. "Union Made" in Denver since 1853. MACAULEY BROS., Distributors Sold at Most All Good Cigar Stands

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Following the speaking, dancing was indulged in until a late hour. Classifieds work all the time.

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A CONCRETE EXAMPLE

Here is a concrete example of what, exactly, constitutes a violation of the espionage act. Otto Jansen, manager of the Jansen Iron Works, Oakland, California, pleaded guilty to a charge of espionage. Among other things Jansen said: President Wilson should be shot for having declared a state of war against Germany; that his own sympathies were with Germany and that he would not fight for the United States; that he hoped every Yankee who goes to France to fight for the Allies is shot.

FREE SPEECH

There is now, very little room for doubt but that the sedition bill, adopted by the Senate by a heavy majority on Saturday, will shortly meet with a similar reception in the House and in due time become a law. Evidently a majority of the Senators do not agree with Senator Johnson that the measure endangers the right of free speech and a free press.

GERMANY'S OFFENSIVE

Germany's offensive has indeed slowed down. They haven't shelled a church, bombed a school, fired on a hospital ship or murdered a child in over a week.

FILER CHAUTAUQUA TO BENEFIT HONOR GUARD

Filer will be the only town in this section to have the Redcliffe Chautauqua this season, according to the statement of Miss Gladys Tuffey, agent for the Chautauqua company, who was in Filer last week to secure signatures to the guarantee for the attractions. Twenty-one business men of Filer have guaranteed the financial success of the attractions, the same to be given under the auspices of the Filer Honor Guard Girls, and to whom the net proceeds from the sale of tickets will be donated, says the Filer Journal. The attraction would be held in Filer during the month of July, but the exact dates are not known at present. The program of the Redcliffe Chautauqua this year will be especially appealing to the patriotic American citizen, and will be known as "A Wake Up America Program."

WILL TAKE UP BUNDLES

Will take up bundles—Miss Gertrude Democke, county home demonstration agent, will be the principle speaker at the meeting of the Fourth Tuesday Club, which will be held in the main temple at 8:30 on Tuesday.

HAS IMPORTANT POST



Experts on labor questions from all parts of the country, business men, labor leaders, and economists, have been drawn upon by the department of labor to head the new divisions created by the reorganization of the department for effective war service.

Otto Eidlitz, architect and builder of New York, heads the section on housing and transportation of workers. It will administer the adjustment service, the conflict of labor service, the section on information and education, the section dealing with women in industry, the training and dilution service, and the employment division.

Conferences between the joint board of representatives of capital and labor, which was appointed several days ago, began at the department in an effort to outline a basis for government relations between employers and workers during the war. The conference and the administration of their decisions, which is expected to be completed in a few days, will be in effect, the first attempt to carry out a national and definite labor policy in this country. The department plan, a countrywide system of adjustment boards, to safeguard the nation from industrial disputes. A zone system is proposed, under which the country would be divided into 13 districts, in each of which would be constituted an arbitration board, acceptable to employers and workers alike. Subordinate to the board would be representatives in each locality. In addition, first-class mediators would be sent out from Washington if necessary to compose in disputes.

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STUDENTS ANNOUNCE FIRST ANNUAL CONCERT

HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA AND GLEE CLUBS TO APPEAR IN PROGRAM

On next Friday evening, May 10, at 8:15 o'clock, the high school orchestra and glee clubs will give their first annual concert in the high school auditorium. This annual concert will be a feature of the commencement activities.

The high school orchestra, under the instruction of Roscoe S. Linder of the high school faculty, is conceded to be the best orchestra in the history of the high school, and has no superior among the high schools of the state.

The high school glee clubs have been instructed and trained by Miss Jessie Simpson of the high school faculty. The plan during the year has been to meet for glee club work in small groups and for individual instruction each day and at less frequent intervals for general chorus work. The plan has worked effectively and the results have been very satisfactory.

A small admission will be charged to defray the cost of a victrola purchased for the music department. The program is as follows: March—Stars and Stripes For ever—Sousa Humoresque—Dvorak Orchestra.

(a) The Secret—Woodman Pilgrims' Chorus—Wagner (b) Hear Me Nornan—Elliott (c) Old Kentucky Home—Foster-Root Girls' Glee Club.

Orchestra—Keler Solo Song Group—Selected Solo Quartet. Trio—Cornet, Clarinet and Piano (a) "Second Nocturne"—Bjorli (b) "Hear Me Nornan"—Elliott Vernon Walters, Mr. Linder, Marjorie Smith.

Banjo Song—Slidney Home Paul McKinlay. Popular Selections: (a) Goodbye Broadway, Hello Freedom—Baskette (b) Hawaiian Farewell Song, Al. O. (c) It's a Long Way to Berlin—Fletow Orchestra.

(a) The Boys of the Old Brigade—Lillian Ray (b) When the Boys Come Home—Paris (c) The Boys' Glee Club. Cornet Solo with String Orchestra—"The Sunshine of Your Smile"—Lillian Ray.

(a) Mareschello Hymn—Bougé de Liale (b) Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes—Johnson-Paris (c) Toreador Song—"Carmen"—Bizes.

(a) In the Garden—Harrison-Paris Liletty Chorus. Medley of Patriotic and War Songs—"United We Stand"—Al Hayes Orchestra.

(a) The Nightingale and the Rose—O. B. Smith for the past year cash. (b) The First National Bank and Mother, Mrs. Ida B. Smith, agent, will have Sunday for Kansas City, Mo.; where they will reside. Mrs. W. E. McMaster has returned from St. Paul, Ore. C. E. Brown returned from Salt Lake Wednesday night. Mrs. C. T. Brown returned recently from points in California, where she spent some months.

PROPOSES SPANISH IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

MAYOR HYLAN ENDORSES IDEA IN INTERESTS OF COMING CONDITIONS

NEW YORK, May 6.—Mayor Hylan Saturday joined with President Menocal of Cuba in promotion of an international education alliance for the purpose of binding the United States and Latin America closer together. Mayor Hylan is an endorsement of suggestion by the Cuban president that the first step toward a closer relationship should be through the teaching of Spanish in the public schools.

President Menocal has proposed the following factors as means of establishing the union of the Americas: 1. A Pan American Educational convention to be held in Havana next fall. To this meeting President Menocal has invited the heads of the great schools of North, Central and South America.

2. The establishment of an interchange of students between the universities of the United States and Latin America. In this way American youth may take post graduate courses in countries where Spanish is spoken and thus learn the Spanish language and Spanish-American institutions, as is impossible to do today.

3. The preparation of young men in the United States for diplomatic and consular service in Latin American countries. The courses of study to be followed by American students at Latin American universities will be chosen with the advice and cooperation of the state department.

The teaching of Spanish as a prescribed study in the public schools of the United States. Mayor Hylan has already begun an investigation to determine how this can best be done in the schools of New York City.

The plan originated with Lawrence Johnson, a New York newspaper editor, who went to Cuba last winter to study the educational system of the island republic. He took with him a letter of introduction to President Menocal from Mayor Hylan.

LOWER AGE LIMIT FOR CANADIAN SOLDIERS

OTTAWA, Ont., May 6.—The Canadian government today called up men of 19 years of age for military service. The men will be required to register at their nearest postoffice, as was the case with the men of class one, aged 22 to 34, last October.

Joining the W. A. Gill garage and is making extensive repairs on it. As soon as this is completed Mr. Deane will occupy the building as a residence. Mr. Deane has recently returned to Kimberly, after an absence of several years, and is acting in the capacity of assistant cashier of the Bank of Kimberly, taking the place of Carl Ridge-way, who is now with the First National bank of this city.

Carl E. Wright of Kimberly and E. Philo of Twin Falls made a deal on Thursday whereby Mr. Philo became partner of the Wright property known as the Pattee forty, north of Kimberly.

S. B. Trunk is the owner of a new Oakland car, purchased this week from the Kimberly Motor company. G. Zuck has moved his real estate office to the place of Carl Ridge-way, who is now with the First National bank of this city.

Chas. H. Upton has accepted a position with the Twin Falls Canal company as distributor. G. B. Smith for the past year cash. Mrs. W. E. McMaster has returned from St. Paul, Ore. C. E. Brown returned from Salt Lake Wednesday night. Mrs. C. T. Brown returned recently from points in California, where she spent some months.

The Confessions of a German Deserter

Written by a Prussian Officer Who Participated in the Ravaging and Pillaging of Belgium

(Chapter 8 continued)

I thought of the man or the woman. Had he forsaken them?

I thought it so loud that the others could hear.

"I said another, 'whom the Lord wishes to punish first strikes with blindness. Probably he thought of Belgium, Donchery, Sommepey and Sulpey, and still many other places and let us run into this perdition like spinning tops.'"

We reached Vitry. Here the misery seemed to be still greater than ever before. In the entire town there was not a single house that was not overcrowded with wounded. In the midst of all this misery robbery flourished. All real goods had been emptied of their furnishings and everything was thrown into the streets to make room for the wounded.

The sanitary squads went over the town and took everything of any value. The mutilation and railroad columns followed the same practice. They had plenty of room for plunder. This was amply proven by numerous seizures afterward of parcels put in the mail, which contained gold rings, watches, precious stones, etc. The business of the market fairs had been stopped. The soldiers in the supply columns encountered very little actual danger; they had an easy time as compared with soldiers fighting at the front.

We soon reached the cathedral and reported to the sutens. He also had defended his honor at a great distance and here in the city, freshly shaved and in immaculate attire he looked very presentable.

The contrast was vivid as he stood before us who were torn, dirty and covered with blood, with unkempt hair, which had been grown and craked with mud and dirt.

We were obliged to wait so we sat down and looked around. The church was full of wounded; many died under the hands of the doctors. They were carried out to make room for others. They were piled up on one side, where whole rows of corpses lay. We counted more than sixty.

On our way to Vitry we had begged some bread, but we were still hungry and our field kitchens were nowhere in sight. The crews of our field kitchens, as well as our forage officers and commissioned officers prefer to defend their fatherland many kilometers behind the battle fronts. They did not care about us as long as they were safe and sound.

Other field kitchens were near by. They had prepared more food than their companies needed. Many for whom they had cooked will never eat again. We were invited to come and get whatever we wanted.

We had scarcely finished eating when we heard to clash on. Presently we were joined by more members of our company. One captain appeared. One of our officers reported to him that some one had been marching behind the company and said cheerfully "Good morning, men," although it was seven o'clock in the evening. A groil was the only response. We were then ordered to go to the wagons standing at the rear side of the town, where each man was to supply himself with cartridges and to carry hand grenades. We gathered at the wagons at 9:30 o'clock and each man took 500 cartridges, his three grenades and matches.

As we took our places we saw the streets filled with marching. Every man saw every other formation being hastily organized from stray soldiers and we received the impression of some great activity in preparation.

The rain had begun to fall in torrents and we were marching behind the streets filled with marching. Every man saw every other formation being hastily organized from stray soldiers and we received the impression of some great activity in preparation.

We were ordered to take the breach between the guns and put them in our hands. The guns now were no good for shooting. We now began to understand what lay before us. A night attack was planned with bayonets and hand grenades, and the measures which had been taken were taken so that we would not shoot at each other in the darkness.

We stood and waited until eleven o'clock, when the order suddenly came to go into quarters. We did not know what to make of this after all the preparations. We could tell from the drum fire and the red glare in the sky that the battle had not been in violence. The sky glowed, illumined by the burning villages and farms.

On the way to our quarters we heard the officers saying among themselves

that a final trial had been intended to defeat the French. This had been the



Field Kitchens Were Near By.

reason behind the preparations for the night attack which had now been called off.

Headquarters apparently had decided otherwise. Perhaps it was known that the marching could be accomplished by attacking and the order was given to begin the retreat which was put into effect the next morning at six o'clock. We did not realize then that this was to be the last night in Vitry.

We were sheltered in a shed for the night. As we were very tired, we soon fell fast asleep. We were aroused at four o'clock in the morning, everyone was given a loaf of bread and ordered to fill his canteen with water, after which the march began. Although we were ignorant of our destination, the inhabitants of Vitry seemed to understand where we were going and they stood on the streets throwing us significant glances.

Everywhere the feverish movement was on. We stopped in front of the town hall. Here the captain told us that because of difficulty in the terrain our troops had to vacate their positions and retire to nearby heights, which occupy new defenses. With that he turned around and pointed to a ridge on the horizon.

"There we shall make a stand and wait for the enemy," he said. "No reinforcements will arrive today and in a few days you may send picture postcards, come to your homes from France."

I must confess that most of us believed in this at the time, that we would soon be in Paris. Other bands of troops arrived from all sides. We had marched several hours when news came to us that Vitry had been taken by the French and that they had taken a tremendous amount of military stores and munitions.

They were followed by caissons and empty supply wagons. The greatest confusion reigned everywhere. Every minute added to the congestion until finally there was a dead halt. The drivers of some wagons left the road and tried to pass around the congested point by traversing the fields, which had been marked by high rails. Several wagons turned over and others became immersed in the mud. The horses were unhitched from these and the wagons left behind. The wagons were permitted to knock our guns and rest. As we lay at this point we watched the passing columns of caissons, munition trains, sanitary columns and field hospitals.

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Every wagon carried wounded men. Their faces indicated clearly what their fates were enduring as they were lumped along over the unpassable roads by the trucks. Still they were anxious to go ahead at whatever cost. They feared the fate which would befall them should they fall in the hands of their merciless enemy, which would show them the same compassion which they themselves had offered to the previous captives, in which they took no French wounded men prisoners.

Evening came on and with it torrential rain. We lay in the field, weary and chilled, for we were not utterly overcome by exhaustion. Artillery detachments now began to mount, but few of them had their required number of six guns. Many had only three, others two, and a few proceeded with only one piece. At one time we were told that about fifty gun batteries passed without our being mounted upon them whatever. These batteries had managed to save their horses, but were compelled to abandon their guns to the French. Some carriages were drawn by only two or four horses instead of the required number.

Now passed before us some fifteen magnificent automobiles, the appearance of which won the admiration of everybody.

"Ah," exclaimed many of the soldiers, "a general staff—Duke Albert of Württemberg and his staff."

Discontent and murmurs of rebellion went through our ranks. Everybody was mad and the accused torrential rain had no tendency to lighten our spirits. "They have directed the slaughter of thousands of our brave motor away," said one man, "while I lay here in a morass in the rain. We are not considered."

What we were to be assigned to do had not yet been told. We were left lying in our swamp until ten o'clock in the morning. The rain continued to flow back in great disorganized contingents. Machine gun companies passed with empty wagons, having lost their guns. The thundering of the guns gradually came nearer from the west. The noise along the highway became greater and a panic spread, adding to the horrors of the night. Gifted wanderers around in the darkness through the streaming rain, trying to help a wife and children to safety, only to be trampled by the wheels of the wagons. The wounded were also mangled by scores; pitiless cries for help were heard everywhere.

Under the strain of the traffic the caissons gradually broke up and all along their sides broken up vehicles of every description lay.

We started forward at about three o'clock in the morning and soon we were with the rear guard. Infantry regiments, now merely fragments of the former, were marching in the worst condition. The soldiers had thrown away their knapsacks and every unnecessary article which might be an impediment to speed.

Before long the first enemy sharpshooters opened fire, which, which killed in an even faster marching. The road used during the first march continued deep shell holes, which were filled with water. In the heavy darkness men fell into these water holes. The marching was now a mad race against our march. No attention was paid to obstacles in the way over which we were constantly stumbling. Speed was the only aim. Dead men and horses lay in the middle of the road, but no one stopped to bury a comrade.

At dawn we arrived at a little village, where we halted. We took possession and established as strong a temporary defense as possible in the time permitted. Our position was certainly not being a cemetery yard. Our troops continued to arrive, but all were badly disorganized. Cavalry, mounted artillery and machine-gun detachments followed. There had some sort of formation in the hands, which some of the other units, which charged against the other units, was missing here. They also showed evidences of having suffered losses, but nothing in comparison to ours.

(To Be Continued.)

FIVE TO GRADUATE FROM UNION SCHOOL

SUPERINTENDENT HAL G. EUBB ACCEPTS INVITATION TO DELIVER ADDRESS ON OCCASION

Certificates of graduation will be presented by Miss Britton Wolfe, county superintendent, to a class of five students who will be finishing the fifth grade at the Union school, Kimberly, on Friday evening, May 10, when graduation exercises will be held in the school. Hal G. Eubb, superintendent of Twin Falls schools, has accepted an invitation to deliver the address of the occasion.

Music will be furnished by the Filer orchestra, and a trombone solo will be given by Raymond Graves of Filer. The vocabulary address will be delivered by Miss Mrs. Whit, one of the teachers of the graduating class. The other graduates are James C. Botey Recter, Jany Schillman, James Schmitt, Ralph Hill.

HEAVY PERCENTAGE OF OFFICERS ARE KILLED

(By United Press) LONDON, May 6.—British casualties during the past week total 35,025, according to official lists made public. The casualties were divided as follows: Killed: Officers 522; men 6,034. Wounded: Officers 1,402; men 20,994. Missing: Officers 641; men 679.

EMPLOYMENT SERVICE OPENS DISTRICT OFFICE

M. J. KERR OF ST. ANTHONY, STATE DIRECTOR, MAKES ARRANGEMENTS FOR OFFICE HERE

M. J. Kerr of St. Anthony, recently appointed state director for the United States department of labor employment service, was in Twin Falls Friday arranging for the opening of a district office here to be in charge of George S. McGraw, formerly business manager for the local carpenters' union, who has been commissioned as district examiner.

Tentative Arrangements

Tentative arrangements have been made for opening the office of the district examiner in the Bugh building, at the corner of Main avenue and Shoshone street north. The purpose of the United States employment service, Mr. Kerr said, is to coordinate and bring under a central head every governmental and individual agency for the supplying of labor where it is most required for the purposes both in the fields of agriculture and industry.

Respects Co-operation

"As state director, I shall look to the county councils of defense, county field agents, farm bureaus, and all organizations to cooperate with us in this great movement," Mr. Kerr said. "It will be my particular aim in this respect to find the full extent of my ability and wish this service to extend into every part of our state and in every local interest in this great struggle of our nation. Every citizen of our state should realize to his full extent as fully as he can at home or away from home to go to the front. We must all be soldiers in daily drill. Everybody must work, each desiring to do the best and hawking to every roll call. Here, What can I do?"

Appointment of Mr. McGraw to be district examiner was made upon recommendation of local organizations presented to the department of labor some weeks since. "When the United States department of labor agency, placed my services at the disposal of the nation to do whatever I might be called upon to do, and I am accepting the position of examiner for this district in that spirit," Mr. McGraw said Friday.

WAR STAMP SALES LEVEL IS LOWERED

Purchases of War Savings Stamps through the Twin Falls postoffice were about one-half during the month of April than during the month of March. The figures given are for the sales of the office in Twin Falls alone, and do not take into consideration the sales of other postoffices of the county securing their stamps through the office here. Twin Falls War Stamp buyers through the local postoffice during the month of April received \$6,025.50, buying 4808 Thrift Stamps and 1170 War Savings Certificates. During the month of March the War Stamp sales of the local postoffice totaled \$7,851.50, for 4568 Thrift Stamps and 1529 War Savings Certificates.

Mail Carriers' Records

City and rural route mail carriers sold 1900 Thrift Stamps and 102 Baby Bonds during the month of April. The best record for sales was made by Cliff Carrier John A. Phillips, who sold 441 Thrift Stamps and 35 War Savings Certificates. Frank H. Higboos took second place with sales of 255 Thrift Stamps and 31 War Savings Certificates. Herman T. Demant sold 248 Thrift Stamps and 26 War Savings Certificates, turning in the third best record.

FARM BUREAU WILL HOLD HOUSEWARMING

On Saturday, May 11, the Twin Falls County Farm Bureau will receive its members and any other persons interested in its work at a housewarming occasion in its new headquarters in the basement of the Coconino building at the corner of Second avenue and Shoshone street, north, where it has been installed since the middle of last week. Special invitation has been issued to all district chairmen of the organization, and all others are invited, to attend and view and establish their acquaintance with the conveniences that have been provided for country people while in the city.

Representatives of the department of agriculture and of the farm bureau who have offices in the farm bureau headquarters are County Agent Donald McLean and his assistant, A. D. Wisher; Miss Gertrude Denecke, county home demonstration agent; F. A. Ennis, county home agent; Cliff Leader, and Dr. J. J. Wolstead, head of the department of zoology and entomology at the state university, who is here for the department of agriculture conducting an investigation into the clover aphid pest.

INVEST ALIEN'S PAY IN LIBERTY BONDS

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The salary of Heinrich Koppers, consulting engineer of the Koppers company, Pittsburgh, minister of munition of the German imperial government, will be invested in Liberty Bonds, the alien property custodian announced today.

The Koppers company manufactured coke. The three thousand shares owned by Koppers, who is now in Essen, Germany, were taken over by the alien property custodian today. His salary as consulting engineer of the company was \$10,000 a year.

COLONEL EDELBLUTE RELIEVED OF COMMAND

FURTHER SCATTERING OF IDAHO BOYS IN FRANCE INDICATED SAYS CAPTAIN M'ROBERTS

Colonel W. H. Edelblute of Bathurst, Idaho, has been relieved of the command of the One Hundred Forty-sixth regiment of field artillery, American expeditionary forces in France, according to word received here Saturday by Mrs. M'Roberts from her husband, Captain P. W. M'Roberts, commander of headquarters company of that regiment. Captain M'Roberts writes under date of April 14. He was with his company at that date having spent several weeks at a student and later as an instructor at an officers training camp in France.

The retirement of Colonel Edelblute, Captain M'Roberts takes as an indication that the Idaho boys will be still further distributed among the various units of the expeditionary forces. He says that he has no assurance himself of remaining with headquarters company, which is composed largely of Twin Falls men, and that the relatives of members of this unit must hereafter depend upon the boys themselves for information concerning them.

"We are certainly proud of Twin Falls and the way in which she is responding to the calls made upon her for support in carrying on the war," Captain M'Roberts writes. "It takes up more than what is generally understood to know through these evidences that the folks at home are back of us."

Colonel Edelblute was commander of the Idaho regiment when that organization was in the federal service on the Mexican border in 1916. He could not be recalled to the front because it was split later prior to embarkation, into three component parts of other regiments of the First-first army division, at which time he was placed in command of the One Hundred and Forty-sixth regiment of artillery. No reason is given by Captain M'Roberts for Colonel Edelblute's being relieved, although it is probable that he has been transferred to another branch of the service. He is a civil engineer in civilian life.

PROBE CHARGES BY GUTZON BORGULM

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The White House announced today that President Wilson has ordered an official probe of charges made by Gutzon Borglum against the aircraft production board.

Having ordered Secretary of War Baker to inquire into the possible need for a congressional hearing in the matter, the president today asked the justice department to sift down the Borglum allegations to determine the need for grand jury investigations.

WESTERN STATES NEED MORE STOCK

CONDITIONS IN INTERMOUNTAIN REGION FAVORABLE FOR DUPLICATION OTHER SUCCESSSES

Government statistics show that there is a tremendous need for livestock in the west. Iowa farmers realized that situation long ago and, as a result, Iowa farmers are today ranked as the richest in the United States. They grow corn and other feed for hogs and cattle. They breed the animals on their farms, feed them the corn and other feed, and then they market the finished product. Idaho and Utah can accomplish the same thing, for the conditions are ideal for production of livestock, and the market, as shown by the heavy sales through the Ogden Union Stock Yards, has been provided.

Results in Iowa

Iowa, according to late government statistics, had 9,370,000 hogs at the same time that Utah had 101,000 and Idaho had 292,000. Iowa had 2,737,000 cattle while Utah had 406,000 and Idaho had 419,000. The two intermountain states could double the number of both hogs and cattle and yet not produce enough to supply the demand on the intermountain markets.

Must Replace War Losses

With steady prices assured for both cattle and hogs, throughout the tremendous demand existing in the west and so the prospective demand when the warring countries must replace their losses of livestock—for England, Germany, France, Austria, Denmark, Holland and other lands have less cattle and less hogs than before the war—there is every reason for western men embarking in the business. The Ogden Union Stock Yards and the livestock commission companies in Ogden have arranged to not only supply farmers with information as to how to secure breeding stock, including full blood cattle, hogs, sheep and horses but have also arranged to secure this stock through the Ogden market. They will give special attention to the bringing of pure bred sows and boars, pure bred heifers and bulls into the country believing that there are increased profits for the farmers who get away from the mongrel breeds, and acquire the better stock, which takes no more feed but produces more and higher priced manure.

As one of the Oregon livestock men said recently: "There's considerable difference between a razor-back and a Duroc-Jersey full blood. The mongrel breed stands just part way between. If it's better to raise a mongrel than a razor-back, it is worth a lot more to raise a full blood rather than a mongrel."

TODAY'S MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCK

NEW YORK, May 4.—The stock market opened strong today. U. S. Steel sold up 1/8 to 1 1/4 at 97 5/8. General Electric was up 3/8 to 39 1/8. Northern Pacific 84; Baldwin up 1/8 to 80; Marjorie preferred 1/8 to 87 3/4, and General Motors off 1/8 to 115 1/2.

HOG MARKET

(By United Press)

CHICAGO, May 4.—The hog market closed active 5 cents higher. Top \$13.50. Estimated tomorrow, \$23.00. Cattle closed steady 10 cents higher. Top \$17.70; calves \$14. Estimated tomorrow, 10,000. Sheep closed steady 15 cents higher. Top \$16.75; lambs \$21.10. Estimated tomorrow, 10,000.

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FOR SALE—3 acres with good improvements. Highland View addition. Phone 330-B. H. J. Andrus.

BROOD SOWS FOR SALE at 240 Sixth avenue west. Telephone 23.

PURE BRED BLACK MINORCA hogs for sale. 240 Sixth avenue west. Telephone 23.

FOR SALE—Maxwell car in excellent condition. Address G. G. S., care Daily News.

FOR SALE—A lease of 80 acres; crop; will give possession at once; place within 2 1/2 miles of Twin Falls; well improved. Address H. H., care of News.

KINDERGARTEN TO OPEN HERE

This is to announce that I shall open a Kindergarten School in the high school building Monday morning, May 27. My school will be open to all children who are under school age. The work will consist in general kindergarten work, folk games, etc.

I am a graduate of the Kindergarten course of Valparaiso University at Valparaiso, Indiana. My course there covered 90 weeks work. I had 30 weeks practical teaching and 36 weeks of kindergarten directing during my course at the Valparaiso University. Since my graduation I have taught two years in primary grades and now I am teaching a primary room in the Bickel school of this city.

I live at 361 Sixth avenue east. My telephone number is 931-3. I shall be very glad to make it a point to confer with you if you are interested in my school.

LIBBIE JANE TUTTLE, Teacher in Bickel School.

AN ENDORSEMENT

This is to say that Miss Libbie Jane Tuttle is a teacher in the primary grades of the Bickel school of this city. She is a teacher of good training and experience. She has had special work in Kindergarten and is thoroughly capable to organize and teach such a school. I am very glad, indeed, to commend her to persons who are interested in securing for their children the advantage of a kindergarten. I shall be glad to answer directly any inquiries concerning Miss Tuttle and her preparation for this work.

HAL G. BLUE, Superintendent of Schools.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good work team. Apply 242 South Main.

4100 VIOLIN FOR SALE—Will take \$75 cash for same. Address 601 Second avenue south, Twin Falls.

FOR SALE—Good sound onions for sale at one cent per pound; excellent stock for home use; also potatoes at 50¢ per cwt. Arthur Hay, Grain & Feed Co., 249 Sixth Ave. West, phone 23. Free delivering within the city limits.

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching; pure bred White Leghorns; also pure bred White Leghorns; \$1.00 per B. W. Beriber, 1 mile east of Twin Falls on Elizabeth boulevard.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—One registered Friesian stallion, weight one ton, 8 years old. Inquire Davis Bros., Deer, Idaho.

FOR SALE—The furniture belonging to Mrs. W. E. Began; complete for five rooms; must be sold by phone 23, at 41 Fourth avenue north or phone 471-J.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—40 acres plowed and irrigated. See H. M. Sims, News office.

FOR RENT—Five room bungalow with sleeping porch; large garden all in good place. Enquire at 244 1/2 1/2 1/2 avenue north.

FOR RENT—Two farms near Buhl for a term of three years; the buildings are new and ready for occupancy. Edwin Danman, 205 Seventh avenue north. Phone 534-3.

TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—Three or four room modern house. Phone 50.

WEATHER FAVORABLE TO ALL FARM WORK

FRUIT PROSPECTS BUTTER AS RESULT OF FROSTY NIGHTS, GOVERNMENT OBSERVER REPORTS

The weather of the past week has been very favorable for all farm work, which is uniformly well ahead for the season in all sections, says Clinton E. Nordquist, meteorologist, in a summary of weather and crop conditions in Idaho for the week ending Tuesday, April 30. Seeding is about completed in all but the later districts. Cultivation of orchards is under way, where clean cultivation is practiced, and orchards sown to alfalfa or clover are being irrigated. Cattle are also pastured and meadows. The weather was not so favorable for the growth of vegetation, the cold frosty nights and windy days affording poor growing conditions.

Winter wheat and rye look well. Wheat is standing in good shape. Spring sown grains are coming nicely. Growth is slow on account of cold, but the plants are rooting well.

Meadows and pastures continue in excellent condition, although rain and warmer weather are needed to promote rapid growth. Range forage is ample for present needs and all stock are improving in condition. Cattle are beginning to shed. Calves still lambs are doing well.

The weather was particularly unfavorable for fruit. Apples are coming into bloom slowly, being retarded somewhat by frosty nights. Prunes are dropping their petals. Apples in general and cherries were badly injured by heavy frosts, which occurred quite generally in all the fruit districts of the Snake River Valley, but the damage seems most severe in the Payette, Nampa and Boise districts, where apples especially were hard hit.

A large acreage of war gardens and truck land is now in readiness for planting as soon as weather conditions are favorable. Best seed planting is under way in Idaho, Oregon, and Pacific districts, and is more than half finished in the Blackfoot and Idaho Falls districts. Rain is needed to start germination.

TWIN FALLS WINS DOUBLE VICTORY

DOWNES BOISE IN SECOND BASEBALL GAME WITH ONE-RIDGED SCORE OF 16 TO 5

Twin Falls high school baseball team added another victory to its record Saturday by defeating Boise high school's team at Boise by score of 16 to 5. Friday's game at Boise resulted in victory for the locals by score of 4 to 1. Boise is to play a return two-game series at Twin Falls either next Friday and Saturday or May 17 and 18.

Fix called for Twin Falls, relieved Bauer in the first inning in the Saturday game after Bauer's delivery had been connected with by six out of eight batsmen up. Fix allowed only one hit.

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ANN PENNINGTON "Sunshine News" *Journalist*
ONE OF FEATURES ON IDAHO PROGRAM COMMENCING MONDAY.

HUNDREDS VIEW WORK OF PUPILS ON EXHIBITION

ANNUAL VOCATIONAL EXHIBIT IN HIGH SCHOOL REDOUNDS TO CREDIT OF ALL CONCERNED.

The vocational exhibit held at the high school Friday afternoon and evening was a credit to the pupils and instructors. Hundreds of parents and friends viewed the handwork as listened to the orchestra under direction of R. G. Lindor, which entertained in the auditorium during the afternoon. The band gave a concert during the evening in the same room.

Dinner Table Figures

The domestic science department, under the supervision of Miss Young, of the cooking department and Miss Cooper, of the sewing department, demonstrated some very practical lessons, well learned. Both the sewing and cooking exhibits were large and minute in detail. A perfectly laid dinner-table was placed in the center of the exhibit, and the delicate dishes of every description were grouped. Much of this exhibit was sold to the public.

The well made garments which hung in gorgeous array about the exhibit, the careful evidence of a great deal of originality on the part of the seamstresses.

Developing Experts

F. A. Smuts had charge of the manual arts room, which boasted many a neat piece of furniture made entirely by hand. The training received here is evidenced by the work, and many of the boys are budding experts in the art.

Social science work was displayed under M. C. Mitchell's supervision very creditably.

Latin and French books and compositions

under Miss Goble's care made an interesting part of the library, as did the English work under Miss Johnson. Both exhibits brought to light some unique ideas.

Business Methods Prominent

The commercial department under Miss Schurz and M. B. Hoover emphasized the fact that modern methods still hold a prominent place in the school life of many pupils.

The science and agricultural exhibits

LOCAL BRIEFS

WEATHER MAN PREDICTS ANOTHER HEAVY FROST

Fair tonight and Tuesday will heavy frost in the morning is the prediction of the department of agriculture weather bureau, transmitted through the local telephone exchange this morning.

Martinez on Furloughs—Charles Des Huesaux and P. L. Putnam, members of the marine corps, stationed for several months past at Galveston, Texas, will arrive in Twin Falls Tuesday to spend a fortnight here with relatives and friends.

Johns Medical Department—Werner J. Larson, son of August W. Larson, 410 Fourth avenue west, has been accepted for enlistment in the medical department of the army through the local recruiting station, and leaves this evening for Fort Douglas, Utah.

Address Club Members—Miss E. Fay Fowler, of Boise, assistant state boys' and girls' club leader, and F. A. Smuts, county leader, conducted meetings of club members and assisted in the institution of their work Saturday at Fort Bliss, Astoria, and Boperton. They addressed a meeting Friday evening at Berger.

Arrives in France—Word of the safe arrival of Edna L. Ryan, nurse, is conveyed in a cablegram received here Saturday morning by Mrs. Brockevidge. Mr. Brockevidge, who was for eight years manager of the Twin Falls Milling & Elevator company, left here March 25 to assume an executive position with the Red Cross abroad.

On Recruiting Trip—Corporal Claude C. McEne of the local United States army recruiting station left Monday morning for Jerome and Wendell, where he will spend the week on a recruiting trip. Sergeant Leonard Brimley returned Saturday from Burley, where he spent the last three days of the week on a similar mission.

Visit Halley Lodge—A number of the officers and members of Twin Falls lodge, Knights of Pythias, left this morning morning to Halley, where they will attend a meeting of the Halley lodge this evening. In the party are F. O. Gibson, V. P. Johnston, G. O. Gibson, W. E. Nixon, P. J. Greenman, C. H. Eldred and E. P. Barstoll.

Will Return to Camp—Rev. O. T. Anderson, who returned Wednesday from Camp Lewis, will take his family with him upon his return to his residence here for the Y. M. C. A. It was previously planned that Mrs. Anderson and the children would remain here. Rev. Anderson occupied his pulpit at the First Baptist church while here.

Boasts Use of Spuds—County Agent Donald McLean is in report today as one of the speakers of a Potato Day encouragement of the more extensive use of spuds as a substitute for grains required by the military forces of the United States and its allies. He addressed an assembly of high school students this morning.

Salmon Cases Postponed—Hearing before Judge W. S. District in United States district court at Boise, in two cases in which the interpretation of settlers' contracts and the right of the Salmon River project operating company to collect payments under the contracts are involved has been postponed indefinitely. The hearings were set for Monday, May 6.

Wins Another Promotion—John W. Kendall, son of Sheriff and Mrs. F. M. Kendall, a member of the hospital detachment of the One Hundred Forty-sixth regiment of rifle artillery in France, under date of April 14, writes that he has been promoted twice within one month, being advanced first to the grade of sergeant and later to the position of quartermaster sergeant for his detachment.

To Boost W. S. S. Sales—A campaign to promote the organization of War Savings Stamp societies in each of the several churches, lodges, labor unions and fraternal organizations will be instituted this week by A. G. Galt, county director, and John W. Jensen, organization of these societies is effected by the election of officers and the pledging of members to the regular investment of certain definite sums in the War Savings Stamp. Some of the lodges here already have formed such societies.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The members of the Child Conservation league will meet to organize their local club on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the parlors of the Rogerson hotel. All members are urged to be present, and all others who are interested are invited.

were both extensive and interesting. The annual exhibit of the work done by pupils during the school term provides a splendid opportunity for the public of Twin Falls to see the result of the year's accomplishments.

LAUGHS GALORE IN "HIS SMOTHERED LOVE" ANN PENNINGTON ON SAME PROGRAM

TWO PANTAGES ACT ON VAUDEVILLE PROGRAM, BOOKED DIRECT FROM OHIOGEO—EVERY NUMBER A FEATURE—TONIGHT AT THE IDAHO

THIS HAS ALL THE EARMARKS of a whole of a show. Ann Pennington, who made such a hit in "The Antics of Ann," that pretty and noted little dancer from the Ziegfeld Follies, heads the program in "Sunshine Nan," a Paramount feature. Everybody should like this picture—a wonderful story of the "ups and downs" of a sweet-faced little girl who's bound to win your heart. A little laugh, a little sob—you know the kind of a story.



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PANTAGES VAUDEVILLE

The vaudeville end of the program looms up large too. The Chicago Pantages office is booking two sets for the Idaho commencing tonight. Milton Parlaneau, comedienne, and Nash and Evans, in an act that's different.

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DIVORCE ACTION BY PROXY IS INSECURE

PLAINTIFF SERVING IN NAVY MAY NOT BE AWARE OF SUIT IN HIS BEHALF

That the signature of an attorney or of any person other than the plaintiff in a petition for divorce is insufficient is the opinion of District Judge W. A. Babcock given in the case of John E. Allen against Edith Allen, which was taken under advisement by the court after a hearing in the matter Friday. The parents of Allen, who is serving now in the navy, state that they have been authorized to bring the action for divorce in their son's behalf. The complaint is signed by Attorney J. W. Taylor of Burley. No statement or other evidence of authorization from Allen within two months after his marriage in Twin Falls on May 15, 1915.

Wed Involuntarily

A petition for annulment of the marriage of Howel J. Lyson, junior, of Gooding, and Velma Belle Lyson of Twin Falls, which was performed in Gooding on August 15, 1917, was granted by Judge Babcock on the grounds that parents of the bride who was not 18 years of age until April 17, 1918, had not given their consent to the ceremony. According to the complaint the bride never voluntarily or at all at any time lived with the defendant.

Deaths

Arthur Warrington
Arthur Warrington, aged 25, died during an operation Saturday afternoon at a local hospital. Deceased is a son of Mrs. Elsie Warrington, and resided formerly at Twin Falls and was, being a resident of Curry when stricken by the illness that resulted in the fatality. He was born January 19, 1893, in Colorado, and was a miner by occupation. Funeral services, conducted by Rev. C. L. Bent of the Twin Falls Methodist church, were held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon from the Orosby chapel with interment in the Twin Falls cemetery.

WASHINGTON SCHOOL TO GIVE PROGRAM

PUPILS OF PRIMARY GRADES TO APPEAR IN SONGS, DANCES AND PAGEANTS

An allegorical pageant styled "The Spirit of Democracy," wherein sovereignty of the people will represent the allied nations constitute the second part of a program to be given by pupils of the Washington school beginning at 7:30 o'clock next Friday afternoon in the Idaho theatre under the supervision of Miss Grace Bryant, supervisor of music. A small admission charge will be made, the proceeds to be donated to the Red Cross.

The first part of the program opened with the song, "This is the Month of May," by the school, which is to be followed by pupils of the first grade in the Shoemakers' dance and by pupils of the second and third grades in a group of songs as follows: Spring, bobolink, thrush, violet, tulip, sweet pea. The second part of the program is as follows: Clap Dance.....Grade II and III
Pop Goes the Weasel.....Grades II and III
Boy With the Hoe.....Boys' Chorus
Flower Dance.....Grades III and IV
Norwegian Mountain March.....Grade IV
Spring Song.....Grade V and VI
May Pole Dance.....Grade IV

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